

Gallery Learning Programme

Our engagement programme includes artist talks, workshops, tours and special events. Some programmes require booking. Sign up for our e-zine and visit our website to find out about upcoming events.

School Gallery Tours

We offer tailored tours and associated workshops for primary and secondary students. Available weekly Tuesday – Thursday.

Azure Dementia-Inclusive Gallery Tours with Joanna Hopkins

50 minutes followed by a cup of tea and a chat.

Designed to support people living with dementia and their family, friends or carers. Booking essential, please contact us.



Acknowledgement

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to the Linenhall's Visual Arts Gallery Selection Committee: Alice Maher, Bryan Gerard Duffy, Joanna Hopkins, Nuala Clarke and Pat Harris.

Front Cover image: The Things We Did Not Talk About When You Were Here, Mixed Media, 2023, Martina O'Connor.



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Opening Hours

Tue – Fri 10am – 5pm
Sat 11am – 4pm

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Dream, AI Generated Film Still, Drop 29mins, 2024.

Drop Brian Crotty

17 January – 22 February 2025

Drop revolves around merging painting and cinema, meticulously exploring the temporal aspects of both mediums through hybridisation by intertwining elements of painting, animation, AI generation, and performance.



The Mesh of Life, 2024, detail.

Harbour Sharon Kelly

11 April – 17 May 2025

In this exhibition of new work, inspired by excavations into personal history connected to the Co. Mayo area and the sea, Kelly explores the notion of hidden histories, connection and identity, both individual and collective.



Blooming erosion from the Future Fossil Series, Photographic work, 2024.

Future Fossils: Junk or Jewels Fiona Mulholland

4 July – 9 August 2025

Solo exhibition presenting new and existing work that explores our conflicted and fragile relationship with the natural and built environment and humanity's significant effect on the earth over time.



Cat Crainn agus Madraí Uisce / Trecats and Waterdogs

An exhibition by Corrina Askin with Manchán Magan.

3 October – 15 November 2025

Colourful artwork combines with a bilingual soundscape to form a playful exhibition for children and families during Roola Boola Children's Arts Festival.

A co-commission by Riverbank Arts Centre, Linenhall Arts Centre and Kildare County Council Library Service.



Botanical Bliss, detail, 2023, Digital Collage, Anthony D Kelly.

Mapping Stories Group Show

28 February – 5 April 2025

Group exhibition marking the culmination of the Bolay Programme 2024.

Ten Mayo based artists mentored by curator Marianne O'Kane Boal. Tom Brawn, Ann Conmy, Joanna Hopkins, Louise Hynes, Davinia Johnson, Anthony D Kelly, Katherine (Kate) Kelly, Jo Killalea, Sharon Ní Chuilibín and Martina O'Connor.



Domestic Bodies 126 Gallery, Galway 2024. Photograph by Manuela García.

Domestic Bodies Áine Phillips

23 May – 28 June 2025

Domestic Bodies is a series of performative installations by Áine Phillips and collaborators (Helena Walsh, Ella Bertilsson and Emily Lohan) exploring themes of home, shelter and sustenance in the context of domestic space.

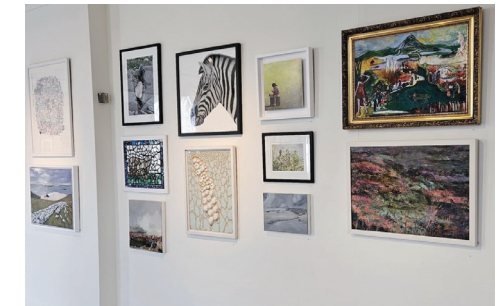


Lapdance, 2024.

Echo/Locate Sorcha McNamara

15 August – 27 September 2025

Sorcha McNamara works in abstraction. Situated somewhere between the anti-intellectual and intensely cerebral, her practice engages with deconstructive methods of painting, language and image-making.



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Mayo Artists Show 2025 Group Show

5 December 2025 – 16 January 2026

Open to artists from or living in Mayo over the age of 18, the show presents a cornucopia of work in all manner of media and offers a fascinating snapshot of the breadth of visual arts practice in the county. The 2025 Mayo Artists Show will be open for submissions later this year.