

# calendar of events 2007



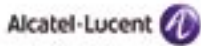
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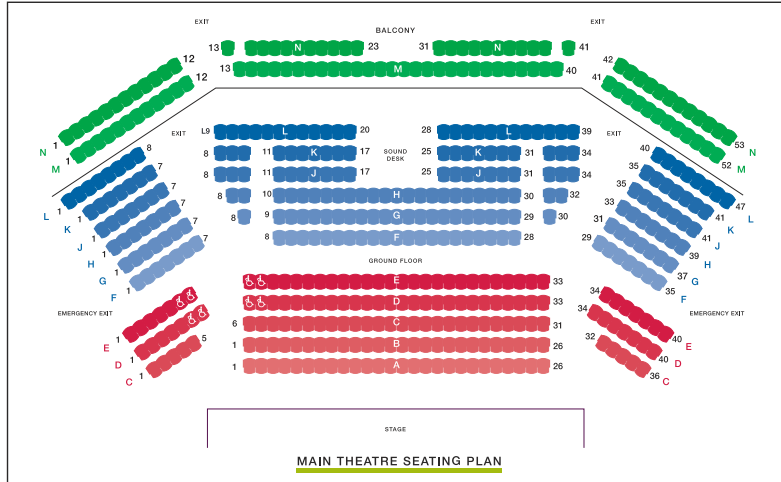


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SATURDAY 5 MAY 8PM

€12/10 CONC./40 FAMILY\*

## The Gold of Tradaree

A Community Play written by Miriam Gallagher

Produced by Clare County Arts Office

Directed by Jenny Walsh Bassett

Performed by a strong cast of Clare actors, this fast moving epic play weaves historical events that have shaped Clare's history, spanning from Brian Ború to the present day with Irish music and dance.

WEDNESDAY 9 MAY 1PM & 3.30PM

€6 SHOW ONLY\*

€9 SHOW, SCONE, TEA/COFFEE\*

€16 SHOW, SOUP, SANDWICH, TEA/COFFEE\*

IN ASSOCIATION WITH CLARE ARTS OFFICE  
AND THE BEALTAINE FESTIVAL

## Melody

**Melody** is a charming play by Deirdre Kinahan, that cooks up an interesting recipe of mature love between two lonely souls who share a passion for classical music, ham and cheese sandwiches and.....massage parlours!. This fifty minute comedy is a lunchtime treat not to be missed!

bealtaine festival  
CLARE COUNTY ARTS OFFICE

FRIDAY 18 & SATURDAY 19 MAY 7.30PM

€30 (INCLUDING 2 COURSE MEAL)\*

MERIDIAN THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS

## The Lost Field

A unique theatre project presents 2 plays dealing with families re-united in bizarre circumstances.

**Racoon**, by Tom Hall, performed in the glór café, introduces Saoirse, your waitress for the evening. She does not know who she is or where she comes from, until a bizarre chance meeting.

**Exit Wound**, by Johnny Hanrahan, follows a meal served in the auditorium, where you eavesdrop on the characters Hugh and Julia in the homecoming meal from hell.

*Entire duration: 3hrs*



MONDAY 21 & TUESDAY 22 MAY 8PM  
€12/10 CONC./40 FAMILY\*

## School of Performing Arts Showcase

Join the multi-talented boys and girls of this acclaimed theatre school for an evening of drama, song and dance which will appeal to young and old alike. The development of self-expression and confidence in young people is the mission statement of this school. Under the leadership and guidance of the school's directors, Tommy Drennan and Pearl Kiely, the opportunity for boys and girls to experience all aspects of theatre is developed and explored.

TUESDAY 12 & WEDNESDAY 13 JUNE 8PM  
€16/14 CONC.\*

STORYTELLERS THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS

## Mushroom

By Paul Meade | Directed by Liam Halligan

Designed by Marcus Costello

This tender and funny play focuses on six young people who are all searching for a sense of belonging. Their stories interweave with music and song and will take you from Poland to Newgrange and from Bucharest to Monaghan. Paul Meade won the Steward Parker Award for Best New Play for 'Skin Deep' in 2003.

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# coming soon

SUMMER WORKSHOPS - NOW ON SALE

- Kindermusik
- Bring on Rainbows Drama
- Ballet Ireland
- Sean-Nós Dance
- Clare Youth Theatre
- Summer Music on the Shannon

Nanci Griffith - July 24th  
NOW ON SALE

The Proclaimers - November 25th  
ON SALE FROM MAY 1ST

# school to stage

glór is delighted to invite a number of highly regarded teachers of traditional Irish music and their students to perform on the glór stage this year:

**Claire Watts & Erica Keane**

**Finola Ryan, Liam Ryan & Eoin O'Callaghan**

**Kevin Ryan**

This scheme, supported by the Arts Council's Deis Scheme, aims to recognise the role of teachers of the tradition, encourage the development of performance skills amongst young performers and develop new audiences for traditional music.



**TUESDAY 5 JUNE 7.30PM**

€8/4 CHILDREN

## Claire Watts & Erica Keane

**Claire Watts**, singer songwriter and music teacher holds a degree in Ethnomusicology and teaches both classical and traditional music in Miltown Malbay on eight instruments. She created the Trad 4 Teens concept and with the Clare Arts Office runs the session once a month in glór. **Erica Keane**, a music and Irish teacher is currently teaching in North Tipperary. She teaches concertina and tin whistle to all age groups. Erica plays locally and has toured with Ballad group "West O' Clare".  
**glór friends**



**THURSDAY 7 JUNE 7.30PM**

€8/4 CHILDREN

## Finola Ryan, Liam Ryan & Eoin O'Callaghan

Maoin Cheoil an Chláir is a unique school of music, nurturing the contrasting styles of traditional and classical music, in an environment of vibrancy and creativity. This concert, coordinated by **Finola Ryan, Liam Ryan and Eoin O'Callaghan**, features a selection of pupils of Maoin Cheoil an Chláir. Special guest of the evening is internationally acclaimed performer, composer and academic, Mícheál Ó Súilleabháin.  
**glór friends**



FRIDAY 8 JUNE 7.30PM

€8/4 CHILDREN

## Kevin Ryan

**Kevin Ryan** is an all Ireland champion flautist. A member of the group 'Eitre', he tours in Europe, the USA and China with many of Ireland's foremost traditional musicians. Teaching music from his base in Quin, Co. Clare, he brings his students to the glór stage for the first time.

*Free trad music session in the glór bar from 9pm*

**glór friends**



TUESDAY 10 MAY 8PM

€15/12 CONC./5 CHILDREN\*

## ConTempo String Quartet

**Bogdan Sofei & Ingrid Nicola**, violins

**Andreea Banciu**, viola | **Adrian Mantu**, cello

Following their acclaimed performance at the recent CHORD Festival in Ennis, the ConTempo Quartet come to glór. Recognised as one of the world's top string quartets, ConTempo has worked with many celebrated quartets, including the Emerson, Amadeus, Alban Berg, Hagen and Tokyo quartets. **ConTempo String Quartet** became Galway's first Ensemble-in-Residence in January 2003.

**glór friends**

# gap scheme

glór is committed to implementing an outreach programme, and we have initiated a scheme called **GAP-glór Arts Partnership**. This scheme aims to encourage and develop an audience for classical music. It is our intention to work in conjunction with various Clare schools to reach and actively engage younger audiences for this type of programming.

If you are a student or teacher and would like more information on this initiative, please contact Sinéad Cahill at [scahill@glor.ie](mailto:scahill@glor.ie) or 065 6845370.



FRIDAY 11 MAY 8PM

€25\*

NOTE PRODUCTIONS IN ASSOCIATION WITH  
THE TICKET PRESENTS

## Hayes, Cahill & Frisell

**Hayes, Cahill, Frisell** brings the virtuoso trad duo together with one of jazz's most acclaimed guitarists Bill Frisell for a special one-off collaboration. Bill Frisell is one of the most sought-after guitar voices in contemporary music, arguably best known for his explorations beyond jazz with the Grammy-winning releases *Unspeakable* (Nonesuch).

*Free trad music session in the glór bar from 9.30pm*

SATURDAY 12 MAY 9PM

€20 SEATED/18 STANDING\*

## Aslan

The music of **Aslan** has maintained their success over the years and guaranteed that their name is synonymous with the live music scene in Ireland. Five lads from Finglas and Ballymun, Billy McGuinness, Tony McGuinness, Alan Downey, Christy Dignam and Joe Jewell formed Aslan in 1982. After over twenty years Aslan continue to play and sell out gigs around the country.

*Early booking advised.*

*Strictly over 18s only, ID required. Stand-up and seated show.*

**glór friends**

SATURDAY 19 MAY 8.30PM STUDIO

€15/12 CONC.\*

## Sometymes Why

**Sometymes Why** is a mesmerising trio of modern-day sirens. Their vocal intensity, sparse arrangements, and passionate lyricism whirl into the air and cut a cyclone's path through the heart. Aoife, Ruth and Kristin have honed their recipe for ruthless tenderness with utter disregard for conformity or convention. Their songs tell the secret tales of our own lives and beg us to believe in the power of revelation. You will recognise Aoife from her appearance in glór with Crooked Still last year.



WEDNESDAY 23 MAY 8.30PM STUDIO  
€15/12 CONC.\*

## Roesy

2007 saw Roesy's home grown 6 track EP of new material titled 'The Backbone, Flesh and the Fruit' which includes a co-write with Cathy Jordan of Dervish. **Roesy** presents his relaxed, gentle-voiced singing style in the glór studio and will perform a selection of his new material.

*Roesy's glass half full meditations tug at the heart and leave a warm glow in the brain - RTE Guide*

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THURSDAY 24 MAY 8.30PM STUDIO  
€15/12 CONC.\*

## Mike Hanrahan & Leslie Dowdall

Without doubt one of Ireland's finest female vocalists and singer-songwriters, Leslie Dowdall first came to prominence with In Tua Nua. Ennis native, Mike Hanrahan, is instantly recognisable as singer, songwriter and guitarist with the legendary Stockton's Wing.

Leslie & Mike are currently working on new studio recordings and a taster of what's to come, 'Learning To Let Go', is now available at [www.myspace.com/mikehanrahan](http://www.myspace.com/mikehanrahan)

glór friends



TUESDAY 29 MAY 8PM  
€22/20 CONC.\*

## Country Joe McDonald

Woodstock Festival legend **Country Joe McDonald**, founder of the leading U.S. psychedelic band Country Joe and the Fish, appears on his first tour of Ireland for nine years. Joe's solo "Man From Athabaska" tour, features his musical interpretations of the work of the Canadian World War One poet Robert Service, amongst other material from Joe's huge legacy of recordings from 1967 to the present day. Joe's current tour climaxes with an appearance on the final day of the massive Isle Of Wight Festival.

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THURSDAY 31 MAY 8PM

€16/14 CONC.\*

## Guggenheim Grotto

Recently signed to a recording contract with the New York based UFO Music label, the **Guggenheim Grotto** won 'Best Song' at the 'Independent Music Awards', were awarded iTunes 'Single of the Week' and have songs featured on two of ABC Television's primetime TV series stateside. Returning from their U.S. tour, the boys are writing and recording demos for the eagerly awaited follow up to what America's award winning 'Paste Magazine' called 'one of the most beautiful Albums of the year'. **glór friends**



WEDNESDAY 16 MAY 8PM

€15/12 CONC./5 CHILDREN\*

MUSIC NETWORK PRESENTS

## Music & Song from Coast to Coast

**Maeve Donnelly, fiddle** **Peadar O'Loughlin, flute/fiddle**

**Ronan Browne, pipes** **Seán Corcoran, voice**

Regular collaborators Maeve Donnelly, Peadar O'Loughlin and Ronan Browne are joined on our second Best of Irish tour by the stunning tenor voice of Seán Corcoran. Given Seán's reknown as a song collector and the fact that these consummate players bring to the party the musical traditions of Louth, Galway and Clare, expect the unexpected! Early booking advised. **glór friends**



FRIDAY 25 MAY 8PM

€15/12 CONC.\*

## Aos Óg

The **Aos Óg** concert is a showcase of the most talented traditional musicians, singers and dancers under the age of 19. Each year Fleadh Nua hosts this concert and this year the audience will be treated to an exciting and moving 2 hour programme, featuring the cream of performers, from Cork to Antrim, and Clare to Dublin. We are delighted that the 2007 **Aos Óg** concert will take place in glór. **Free trad music session in the glór bar from 10pm**





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SATURDAY 26 MAY 8PM

€18/15 CONC.\*

## Fleadh Nua Celebrity Concert: Images of '57

A unique evening of music and memories celebrating the 50th anniversary of the first Fleadh Cheoil an Chláir in Miltown Malbay. Producer, Joe O'Connor has assembled a formidable array of artistes, both young and old for the night. Performers include The Laichtín Naofa Ceili Band, Michael Mahony, Marty Marrinan, Chris Droney, Kitty Hayes, Peter Laban, Séamus Mac Mathúna, Vincent Griffin, and Ceoltóirí Laichtín Naofa.



SATURDAY 9 JUNE 8PM

FREE OF CHARGE

## Seisiún na h-Éireann 2006 Festival CD Launch

A compilation of the final sessions at the Seisiún na h-Éireann Festival last September, this CD comprises 50 musicians representing the best pub sessions in Ireland, including Tigh Coili, Galway, The Cobblestone, Dublin and Norrie Henchy's, Clooney, Quin. Now in its fourth year, this is the first CD launch from the event and promises to be a memorable evening not to be missed. Admission free. Advance registration required. *Call Anita Clune 065 6825038 to register. Numbers limited.*



SATURDAY 16 & SUNDAY 17 JUNE 10AM,  
11.30AM & 1.30PM €25/15 CHILDREN

### Irish Traditional Dance Workshops

Roisín Ní Mhainín has taught and performed traditional dance in Ireland and internationally. She will be teaching adults the popular Sean-Nós dance 'the reel'. Children will be taught traditional Brush Dance. Please bring your own brush!

Brush Dance	10-16 years	10-11am, Sat & Sun
Sean-Nós	16+ (beg)	11.30am – 1pm, Sat & Sun
Sean-Nós	16+ (inter)	1.30 – 3pm, Sat & Sun

*Early booking strongly advised. Capacity limited.*



SATURDAY 16 & SUNDAY 17 JUNE 10AM,  
11.30AM & 2.30PM €15/25/30

### Songbirdz Workshops

Discover the secrets of songwriting in a 2 day introductory workshop given by singer songwriter and music teacher Claire Watts. No previous musical knowledge required, just plenty of imagination, a notebook and a pen. Learn how to write words to and for music, exploring various songwriting formulae, structures and styles.

5-10 years	10-11am	€15
10-16 years	11.30am-1.30pm	€25
16+ & adults	2.30-4.30pm	€30

*Early booking strongly advised. Capacity limited.*



MONDAY 25 TO FRIDAY 29 JUNE

10.30AM – 11.15AM 0 - 1.5 YEARS

### Kindermusik Village: Busy Days

Create a unique bond as your child associates learning with fun, musical play. **Busy Days** sets your Baby's day to classical music. With a little more Tchaikovsky in your 'Twinkle, Twinkle' repertoire, you'll discover new ways your baby benefits from the classics as you both develop an appreciation for some of the world's most respected music.

**€65 for 5 days, including take home pack valued at €25**

**Each child must be accompanied by a parent or care-giver**

**Duration: 45 mins Booking essential, limited capacity.**



MONDAY 25 TO FRIDAY 29 JUNE

3PM – 4.30PM

1.5 – 3 YEARS

## Kindermusik Our Time: Creatures in My Backyard

Create a unique bond as your child associates learning with fun, musical play. Through music, movement, dance, storytelling and instrument exploration, backyard creatures - from birds, turtles, squirrels, and rabbits to flowers, caterpillars and bumblebees - will be uncovered and celebrated!

€80 for 5 days, including take home pack valued at €25

Each child must be accompanied by a parent or care-giver

Duration: 90 mins Booking essential, limited capacity.

THURSDAY 24 MAY 8PM €10\*

## From Toddler Tantrums to Troublesome Teens: Parenting through the Ages

An evening with David Coleman

**David Coleman**, Clinical Psychologist and presenter of RTÉ's critically acclaimed series "Families in Trouble" will be giving his views, tips and strategies for modern parenting. David will be leaving plenty of time on the night to answer some of your own questions. This fund-raising night is for Raheen Wood Steiner School, Tuamgraney. Generously sponsored by The Ennis Bookshop in association with The Clare Champion.

FRIDAY 15 JUNE 7.30PM €5

## Scoil Chríost Rí Summer Show

The students and teachers of Scoil Chríost Rí National School, Cloughleigh make a welcome return to glór for their end-of-year concert. The event will feature students from junior infants to sixth class performing drama, dance, music and song. The theme is 'working together'.

*Tickets available from Scoil Chríost Rí from June 1st*

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2 May-31 May	■ Embrace Exhibition	19
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22 May-26 May	■ Living Scenes	20

**glór box office +353 65 6843103 boxoffice@glor.ie**

Open Monday to Saturday from 10am to 5pm.  
Open for phone bookings until 7pm and over the counter bookings until 8pm on evenings of performances.  
Open 90 minutes prior to concerts on Sundays/Bank Holidays.  
Due to Health & Safety requirements, children aged 1 year + must have a seat in the auditorium.

**online booking**

We regret that tickets booked online may not be returned, refunded or exchanged at any point.

**concessions**

Concessionary tickets are available subject to availability and at the discretion of the Box Office Manager.

**group bookings**

For Group bookings of 15 or more, please contact our Box Office directly to avail of a 10% group booking discount.

**payment**

Crossed cheques and money orders should be made payable to glór. Visa, MasterCard and Laser/Maestro cards accepted. Handling Fee applies (denoted by \*).

**special assistance**

Seats are available in the stalls for wheelchair users and there is a dedicated washroom for disabled patrons in the foyer. Patrons with special needs are asked to advise the Box Office when booking. Staff are available to assist all patrons.

**gift vouchers**

Gift Vouchers are available directly from the Box Office and valid for one year from date of purchase. We regret that gift vouchers cannot be extended or redeemed beyond the expiration date.

**data protection**

glór is committed to protecting your privacy. If you would like to update or remove your details from our mailing list, please let us know.

**child protection policy**

Copies of glór's child protection policy are available from box office. As part of this policy, please note that the use of photographic and recording equipment is strictly prohibited at all times. This extends to videophones. We kindly ask patrons to observe this policy in order to help us to protect your children.

**glór café**

Open Monday to Saturday from 10am to 5pm for a selection of coffees, pastries, snacks & lunches.

**theatre Bar**

Beat the crowd – place your interval order in advance of the show.

**parking**

Ennis Town Council operates a pay & display car park adjacent to glór.

**enjoyment of others**

Please respect age guidelines for events where stated and ensure that children in your care are kept under control at all times. Please turn off mobile phones whilst in the theatre.

**baby changing facilities**

Available in the public toilets in the foyer.

**conditions of sale**

Full conditions of sale are available from our website.

**returns**

Tickets purchased over the counter/over the phone can be refunded or exchanged for a different performance up to 3pm on the day before the performance. Please note that a returns fee applies, and the tickets must be returned to the box office prior to refunding or exchanging. We regret that tickets cannot be exchanged after the cut off period.

**latecomers**

Late admission cannot always be guaranteed however, every effort will be made to admit latecomers at a suitable break in the event.

**programme changes**

Programme and artist details are published in good faith; however, occasionally, for reasons beyond our control, changes may be necessary. All tickets will be offered subject to availability at the time of booking. It is the responsibility of the ticket holder to ascertain the date and time of any rearranged event.

**Help us to help the environment**

If you currently receive more than one brochure to your address and/or would prefer to pick up your brochure in person, please let our box office know so that the mailing list can be adjusted accordingly. Please dispose of this brochure sensibly.





WEDNESDAY 2 & THURSDAY 3 MAY 7.30PM

€10/8 CHILDREN

THE DINAN SCHOOL OF BALLET PRESENTS

## The Sleeping Beauty

glór is delighted to welcome back the Dinan School of Ballet with their production, **The Sleeping Beauty**. A modern take on this traditional tale, with a blend of classical ballet, drama, comedy, contemporary dance, tap and jazz. This is a delightful show suitable for all the family with students aged 3 years to adult. This show is best described as Sleeping Beauty meets Shrek!

WEDNESDAY 30 MAY 8PM €12/8 CONC\*

LOVESPOTTERS PRESENTS

## Cataplasia

Choreography: Daniel Vais Performers: The Love Spotters

A magical and poetically charged performance danced by The Love Spotters, **Cataplasia** is a collection of solos and group dance woven together to create an inner world of subtle patterns and delicate changes. **Cataplasia** allows the audience to enter the pure and creative world of dancers with special needs.

Duration: 50 mins approximately

The Love Spotters creates happiness - The Irish Times

Supported by Daghdha Dance Company glór friends

WEDNESDAY 30 MAY 4PM €6

## Dance & Movement Workshop

Led by Daniel Vais

The workshops will allow participants the opportunity to work together in exercises, improvisation and creative dance with an emphasis on the individual strengths of each participant. The creative philosophy is entirely based on the opportunity of individuals to experience, share and develop their own style of direction and movement vocabulary.

Workshop is open to all those aged 16+

Duration: 2 hours

Supported by Daghdha Dance Company



**SATURDAY 5 MAY 3PM – 5PM**  
**FREE OF CHARGE**

### **Trad 4 Teens**

Trad 4 Teens is organised by Clare Arts Office and co-ordinated by musician and singer Claire Watts. Trad 4 Teens is a traditional music session open to all teenagers, which aims to provide teenage musicians with an opportunity to perform in a friendly and open atmosphere.



**TUESDAY 8 MAY 10.30AM**  
**FREE**  
IRISH FILM INSTITUTE PRESENTS



### **IFI Education Film Screenings**

The Transition Year Module in Moving Image Education comprises three strands: free film screenings in a local venue, teacher training and provision of resources. The Module is a unique initiative from the Irish Film Institute in partnership with the Irish Film Board, Arts Council and Irish Film Censor's Office. On this occasion, the students will be viewing 'Touching the Void'.

**Booking through IFI Education on (01) 6795744.**



**SUNDAY 24 JUNE 7.30PM-10.30PM €20\***  
CLARE YOUTH SERVICES IN CONJUNCTION  
WITH GLÓR PRESENT

### **Q-ness**

This event presents the unique, the exciting, the exotic and the strange. Featuring cult films, V-j, ZeroDb, performers, dance, drama, art, conversation, theatre and spectacle - there will be something for everyone. This unique event will set the tone for the summer and the standard for all other festivals. This event, which is being designed by 2nd and 3rd level students, is intended for exam students.

**Strictly alcohol and drug free.**



MONDAY 28 MAY 3PM €5

AS PART OF BEALTAINÉ FESTIVAL

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## Ladies in Lavender

DIRECTED BY CHARLES DANCE, UK, 1940, 103 MINS

Judi Dench and Maggie Smith play aging sisters enjoying their isolated life in 1930s Cornwall. Their idyll is jolted when a young man is washed ashore near their home. While nursing him back to health, the ladies discover an affinity for young Andrea, a gifted Polish violinist on his way to America. But the village isn't used to visitors, and everyone's a bundle of suspicions, repressions and jealousies. Especially when Andrea develops a friendship with a visiting painter.

*glór friends: 2 for 1*



SATURDAY 2 JUNE 11AM

FREE OF CHARGE

IN ASSOCIATION WITH CLARE ARTS OFFICE

## ID Projects

**ID Projects** gives community, social and voluntary groups the opportunity to tell their own stories through documentary. Work from the following groups will be shown: Shannon Community Workshop, O'Briensbridge Community Development Association, Fishbowl Youth Group (Scarriff) and Enable Ireland (Ennis). Including short films from Irish Seedsavers Association, Youthreach Miltown Malbay and Brothers of Charity Kilrush.

*ID Projects is supported by the Arts Council.*



SATURDAY 2 JUNE 2.15PM €5

## Manband - The Boy Band From Hell

A new full-length feature film, written and directed by Dermott Petty, **Manband** follows two music promoters, and their Gal Friday on assignment to find the next "hottest thing" in Pop Music. Bad timing and desperation force them to create a manband, cruelly named 'Parazone'. **Manband** is a laughter filled ride of bad dancing, pugnacious pop music, and deliberate sabotage by a TV Company. Dermott Petty is an Irish Director who has recently returned to live in his native County Clare.

*Duration 70 mins.*



WEDNESDAY 23 MAY 8PM

€30\*

### Brendan Grace

After a momentous 12 months in which Brendan Grace played to sold out venues all over Ireland, including a nine night sellout at Dublin's Gaiety Theatre, Brendan returns to glór with his brand new one man show.

He will perform some of his most popular comedy pieces from the last 37 years in addition to some brand new material.



SATURDAY 23 JUNE 8PM

€18/16 CONC.\*

### Colin Murphy

**Colin Murphy** is the premier Northern Irish comedian working today. His distinct fusion of edgy 'in your face' topical satire, with acute observational material, make him a highly original and much sought after performer. Familiar to many as the host of RTÉ's 'The Blizzard of Odd', Colin is currently guest starring in the 4th series of the acclaimed RTÉ series 'The Panel'.

*the most obvious comparison is a younger Billy Connolly –  
The Scotsman*

glór friends

## Also coming up in May and June

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May 27 1pm – 6pm

- Renewable Energy Roadshow  
with Duncan Stewart

June 1

- The Magical Science  
& Engineering Show





THURSDAY 12 APRIL – SATURDAY 5 MAY

FREE OF CHARGE

## Texaco Children's Art Exhibition

The **Texaco Children's Art Competition** has attracted entries from countless thousands of young artists since its inception in 1955. This exhibition will showcase some of the winning entries from the competition and promises to be a remarkable display of talent.

Featuring work by prizewinner Christi Olivier of Killaloe.



children's art  
1955 - 2007



WEDNESDAY 2 - THURSDAY 31 MAY

FREE OF CHARGE

## Embrace Exhibition

The **Embrace** scheme was set up with Clare Arts Office to help bring access to the arts for people with disabilities throughout Clare and this annual event showcases some of the results. This new collection of around 75 paintings have all been produced by participating artists from groups such as the Brothers of Charity, Enable Ireland and the Irish Wheelchair Association.

The exhibition is co-sponsored by the Arts Council, Clare County Council and the Health Service Executive.

TUESDAY 22 MAY – SATURDAY 26 MAY

FREE OF CHARGE

## Living Scenes

**Living Scenes** is an intergenerational programme of learning designed, implemented and funded by N.U.I., Galway as part of their Adult and Continuing Education outreach initiatives. The exhibition comprises pieces created by the Living Scenes participants in St. Flannan's College in Ennis and St. Joseph's Secondary School in Tulla. Both groups have worked on an intergenerational art curriculum facilitated by Kathleen Moroney, a Clare-based artist.



**THURSDAY 31 MAY - SATURDAY 30 JUNE**

**FREE OF CHARGE**

GLÓR AND D.I.V.A. PRESENTS

## **Fuaite: A Stitched Show**

This is an eclectic selection of textile artists including Rosemary Lindsay, Sharon Lindsay Ferguson, and Nigel Cheney, amongst others. The variety of work exhibited attests to the effectiveness of textile art as an alternative visual approach, where a myriad of different styles, techniques, textures and media are used to demonstrate the diversity and scope of working with textiles.

**D.I.V.A** - Directing Irish Visual Arts - represents contemporary visual artists of all disciplines. D.I.V.A's objective is to make contemporary visual art, of high quality, accessible both nationally and internationally.



Lynda & David Courtney

Niall Garvey

Annette Liddy

Phyllis Malone

Kieran McDermott

Caitlin Ni Mhaoldomhnaigh

Jennifer Taylor-Regan

Liza O'Connor

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