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Ages 9 – 13 Years

presented by Majella Perry

A programme of one hour-long weekly drama workshops for children aged between 9 and 13 years.

Taking place in a creative and fun atmosphere, the sessions are designed to stimulate creativity and imagination through exploration and play.

Facilitator is Tembre de Cateret.

Capacity is limited, please book early.



DROMOLAND CASTLE



SATURDAY 21 NOVEMBER

& SATURDAY 19 DECEMBER

2.30 - 4.30PM

FREE OF CHARGE

POETRY OPEN MIC SESSIONS

Readings of new poems by members and others who want to introduce their work, interspersed with live music. All welcome.

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WEDNESDAY 4 - THURSDAY 5 NOVEMBER 8PM

€20

BANNER JIGS 'N' REELS

The Lions Club of Ennis presents Banner Jigs 'n' Reels which promises to be a night of exceptional entertainment and craic for a worthy cause. Many well known Clare personalities will dust off their dancing shoes and strut their stuff for their chosen charity. The winner will be decided by the audience on the night. An exciting spectacle and many surprises are assured.



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FRIDAY 6 NOVEMBER 7.30PM €10

TRADITIONAL MUSIC OF IRELAND & BULGARIA

Geoffrey Keating, the Irish Ambassador to Bulgaria, introduced Stoimen Dobrov, a musician & teacher, to Denis Liddy, while Denis was playing in Shiroka Laka, Bulgaria, with his own "Tigh na Coille" group of Clare musicians. Four years later the fantastic Bulgarians are on tour in County Clare with a vibrant mix of music, dance and song in the most beautiful costumes you have ever seen. It promises to be a magical night.

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SATURDAY 7 NOVEMBER 11AM - 12.20PM

FIDDLE MASTERCLASS WITH DENNIS LIDDY

€15/€10 Concession when booking
with last night's performance.

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SATURDAY 7 NOVEMBER 8PM

€15/€13

DELORENTOS

Dublin-based 4-piece Delorentos released one of the most hotly anticipated Irish albums of 2007, In Love With Detail, and come storming out of the traps with a new album, You Can Make Sound. Delorentos' second album demonstrates a leap forward in the maturity of the band's songwriting while retaining the power and accessibility of their pin-point melodies. If you like The Pixies, The Cure, The Clash and Arcade Fire, you'll love Delorentos.

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TUESDAY 10 NOVEMBER 8PM

€15/€12 CONC

DAYS OF WINE AND ROSES

Everyman Palace Theatre,
Civic Theatre and Galloglass Theatre Company present

FIRST NATIONAL TOUR OF JP MILLER'S 'DAYS OF WINE AND ROSES'

IN A NEW VERSION BY OWEN MCCAFFERTY

Adapted from JP Miller's original teleplay

Directed by Conall Morrison

Set amongst the fast paced milieu of 1960's London, Days of Wine and Roses tells the story of two strangers from Belfast who meet and fall in love. Donal is a promising bookie's clerk with a hip flask and Mona is an impressionable civil-servant. Social drinking is almost an occupational necessity and one that the young couple adopt all too easily. An exciting whirlwind of discovery begins to spiral out of control as the bottle takes its grip.

Featuring Martin Brody as Donal and Judith Roddy as Mona

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WEDNESDAY 11 NOVEMBER 7PM

€30 (INCLUDES A FREE GLASS OF WINE)

BROWN THOMAS FASHION SHOW

In Aid of Cahercalla Hospice

The Brown Thomas Fashion Show, produced and choreographed by Martina Costelloe, will be unique and creative. Its first show in Ennis will showcase the 2009 Autumn/ Winter Collection. Brown Thomas is Ireland's most beautiful lifestyle store which offers an unparalleled retail experience. The night of beauty & style is in aid of Cahercalla Hospice to raise much needed funding for further development. Have a glass of wine in the foyer while enjoying the Brown Thomas exhibition experience.

Advance Booking advised.

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THURSDAY 12 NOVEMBER 8PM €20/€18 CONC

MOZAIK

First envisaged by venerable vocalist and multi-instrumentalist Andy Irvine (Planxty, Patrick Street), Mozaik is the ultimate global string band, a truly international ensemble, who can not only perform music from a wide array of cultures, but interweave their myriad influences into an entirely new sound. Mozaik moves effortlessly from Celtic to old-time to Eastern European music, with intricate string arrangements complementing Andy and Bruce's vocals. **glór friends**

- ANDY IRVINE: Vocals, bouzouki, mandolin, harmonica
- DONAL LUNNY: Backing vocals, bouzouki, guitar, bodhrán
- BRUCE MOLSKY: Vocals, fiddle, 5-string banjo
- NIKOLA PAROV: Gadulka, gaida, kaval, guitar, tin whistle, clarinet, kalimba
- RENS van der ZALM: Backing vocals, fiddle, mandolin, guitar



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FRIDAY 13 NOVEMBER 8PM €40

STEVE EARLE

Legendary American songwriter, political agitator and honorary Irishman Steve Earle makes his first visit to glór this winter. Earle is a master storyteller, his songs having been recorded by Johnny Cash, Willie Nelson, Emmylou Harris, The Pretenders, Joan Baez and countless others. 1986 saw the release of his debut record, *Guitar Town*, and what followed was an extremely exciting array of twelve releases including the biting hard rock of *Copperhead Road*. Earle plays a much anticipated solo show in glór, with songs from his new album, entitled *Townes*.

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SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER 11.30AM & 2PM
Dog and String Theatre Company presents

TALES FROM THE FOREST

€5 (Duration 50 Minutes)

Ages 4 - 10 Years

This new production is inspired by two stories from the book *Tales of Wisdom and Wonder* by Hugh Lupton and Niamh Sharkey. Azal, the artist, introduces the audience to the landscape of the forest and creates a picture in their imagination of the environment they are about to enter. *Tales from the Forest* incorporates storytelling, traditional glove puppetry and life sized puppets, and is an interactive and comical show for children and their parents.

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TUESDAY 17 NOVEMBER 8PM

€18/€16 CONC

Meridian Theatre Company presents

ONE IS NOT A NUMBER

by Billy Roche

Set in a salty corner of Wexford town, 'where the sea holds sway,' One Is Not A Number is a haunting, romantic, savage tale of life-long loneliness and longing as Matty Larkin, the club-footed outcast, learns to adore Imelda - the girl with the 'secretive smile' - from afar. Celebrating love in all its complexities this play has all the trademark qualities of Billy Roche at his best as it coaxes epic drama out of mundane encounters.

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Roche



WEDNESDAY 18 NOVEMBER 8PM

€18/€15

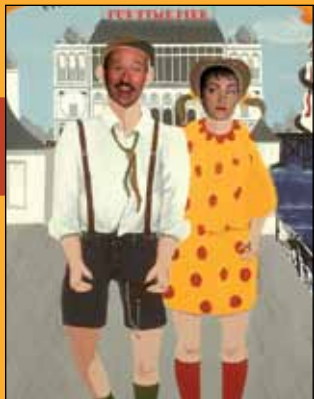
ÁYLTH

Following her breathtaking performance with The Chieftains in the Cathedral last May, Ályth McCormack returns to glór, ably accompanied by Brian McAlpine, Jonny Hardie and Joe Csibi. Born and raised on the Island of Lewis off the Northwest coast of Scotland, Ályth grew up immersed in the culture of these islands. A gifted performer from a young age, Ályth works with a broad variety of musicians from the thriving Scottish music scene and beyond. Whether folk, jazz, classical or Indi, Ályth is an artist who knows no boundaries.

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ÁLYTH MCCORMACK: VOICE
 BRIAN MCALPINE: Keyboards & Accordion
 JONNY HARDIE: Guitar & Fiddle
 JOE CSIBI: Double Bass

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THURSDAY 19 NOVEMBER 8PM

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Stone Mad Theatre Productions present

KISSING SID JAMES

by Robert Farquar

Eddie is an aspiring stationary sales man with a flash car and a moustache he adores, Crystal is a divorced croupier with a thing for Sean Connery. These two would-be lovers spend a wet weekend together in a shabby seaside hotel attempting to spark romance. But will opposites attract or should Eddie have stayed at home with his Mum?



FRIDAY 20 NOVEMBER 8PM €15/€12 CONC

LA VUELTA FOLKLÓRICA

La Vuelta Folklórica perform the classic-popular folk music of Argentina originally made internationally famous by artists such as Atahualpa Yupanqui and Los Chalchaleros. The folk music of Argentina is rich and multi-faceted. La Vuelta embrace all the varying strands of this musical heritage, illuminating them with interpretations that, while carefully and sensitively incorporating influences from other musical genres, are ever faithful to the essence of the dances. The result is a uniquely authentic but nonetheless modern sound. **glór friends**

SATURDAY 21 NOVEMBER 8PM

€20

NEIL DELAMERE

Seeing your photograph (along with those of 2 Ireland Rugby players, a national broadcaster and an elite athlete) on your university bookmark is food for thought. But this is what happened to our intrepid comedian, Neil Delamere.

Best known as the star of RTE's The Panel and BBC's Blame Game, Irish comedian Neil Delamere debuts his new show Bookmarks.

Trinity College has Oscar Wilde,
Dublin City University has Neil Delamere. Hmmm.



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TUESDAY 24 NOVEMBER 8PM

€15/€10 CONC

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Performed by Arch Club Ennis, Funk Fusion Stage School & Gospel Choir Ennis

For one night only these three groups, from very different walks of life, come together to bring an amazing performance of dancing and inspiring vocal talent. Sit back and enjoy five decades of this legend's music and life and you will see that there is a legend of the future performing on stage waiting to be discovered.

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FRIDAY 27 - SATURDAY 28 NOVEMBER 8PM

€30

PAT SHORTT: IN THE HALL

Following the phenomenal success of You Won't Get Away With That Here, Pat Shortt returns with his hilarious new live show, The Hall. Set in the community hall of a small rural town The Hall, which opened to rave reviews in Dublin, features an array of madcap characters brought to life in Pat Shortt's inimitable style.

When the local drama group stage a gala fundraising concert to raise money for their latest production, things don't quite go to plan, with hilarious consequences.



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MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER 8PM
 TUESDAY 1 DECEMBER 1PM & 8PM
 WEDNESDAY 2 DECEMBER 1PM
 THURSDAY 3 DECEMBER 1PM & 8PM
 €25/€22 CONC
 STUDENTS GROUP TICKETS €18

Second Age Theatre Company Presents

A DOLL'S HOUSE

by Henrik Ibsen

A New Version by Alan Stanford based on a literary translation by Paul Larkin

DIRECTED by Alan Stanford

Second Age Theatre Company present a new version of Henrik Ibsen's timeless tale A Doll's House.

A Doll's House is a modern masterpiece. Much of the drama centres around one of the greatest fictional characters ever written, Nora Helmer. Nora is a respectable married mother with a comfortable lifestyle. Once the veneer of domesticity begins to crack she is forced on an unavoidable journey of self discovery. She confronts truths that shake the foundations of her existence with far reaching consequences for both herself and those around her.

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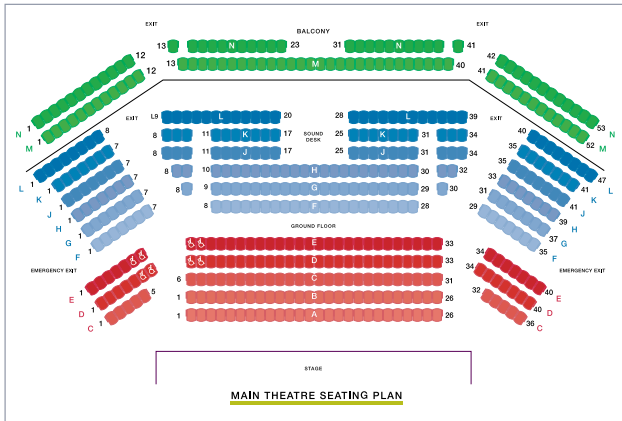


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Open Monday to Saturday from 10am to 5pm

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glór operates a flexible seating configuration. Extra seating may be added at the discretion of management. Please check with the box office upon booking your ticket.

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COMING UP FOR THE SPRING

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7 January	ISLA GRANT
14 January	KEITH BARRY
21 January	ENNIS GOSPEL CHOIR
30 January	JACK L
12 February	TOMMY FLEMING
16 February	EDDI READER

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SATURDAY
5 DECEMBER
11AM - 12.20PM
€15/€10 CONC
(WHEN BOOKED
WITH FRIDAY
NIGHT'S
PERFORMANCE)

APPALACHIAN DANCE WORKSHOP



FRIDAY 4 DECEMBER 8PM €18/€15

BUFFALO IN A CASTLE

Buffalo in the Castle is an exploration of music inspired by the traditions of Irish and American Old-time music and song. Trad stalwarts Mairtín O'Connor, (accordion), and Desi Wilkinson, (flute, whistle and vocals), team up with devotees of the Appalachian sound; Frank Hall, (fiddle, vocals), and Ullman, (5-string banjo, vocals), to produce a stirring concoction of deftly played good-time music.

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SATURDAY 5 DECEMBER 11AM - 5PM

€50 (MATERIALS PROVIDED)

PAPER SCULPTURE DECORATIONS WORKSHOP

With Krystyna Pomeroy

Create stunning 3-D papier mâché stars for your table centrepiece, place settings or mantelpiece. Cover with decorative papers or take home plain and paint to match your colour scheme. Also learn to make beautiful 3-D cards that open to reveal small treasures.

All materials provided, but please bring tiny decorations.

Capacity is strictly limited and advance booking is required.



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SATURDAY 5 DECEMBER 8PM

€12/€12 CONC

NOCROWS

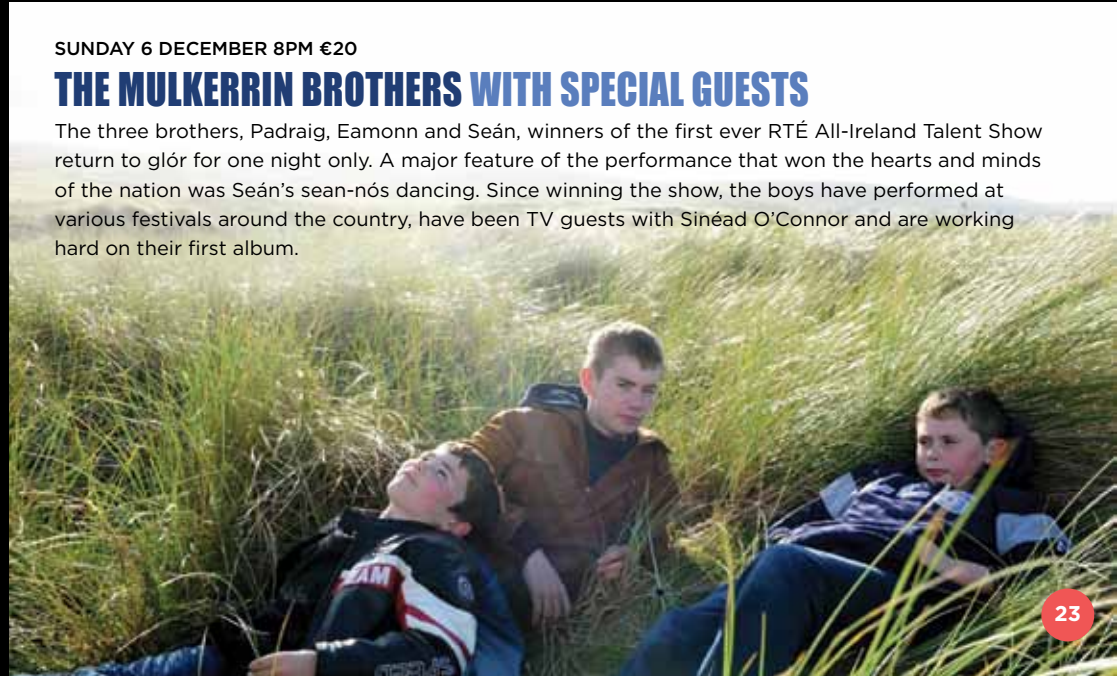
With a unique blend of Irish traditional, classical and world music Sligo based quartet NoCrows are making waves in the folk music circuit this year with appearances at major European festivals like Dranouter aan Zee and Dranouter Folk Festival in Belgium and Glastonbury in England where they shared the stage with such luminaries as Ray Davies (The Kinks), Fairport Convention and Hugh Cornwell (The Stranglers), Buena Vista Social Club and Travis. **glór friends**

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SUNDAY 6 DECEMBER 8PM €20

THE MULKERRIN BROTHERS WITH SPECIAL GUESTS

The three brothers, Padraig, Eamonn and Seán, winners of the first ever RTÉ All-Ireland Talent Show return to glór for one night only. A major feature of the performance that won the hearts and minds of the nation was Seán's sean-nós dancing. Since winning the show, the boys have performed at various festivals around the country, have been TV guests with Sinéad O'Connor and are working hard on their first album.



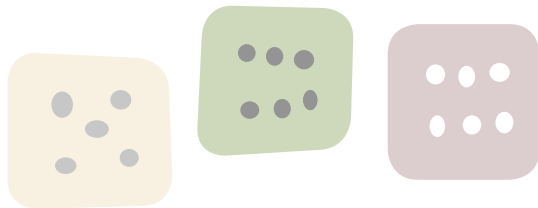


MONDAY 7 DECEMBER 8PM

€22/€18 CONC

LISA HANNIGAN

Mercury Music Prize nominee Lisa Hannigan returns to glór this December. It's been a phenomenal year for Lisa with her debut album *Sea Sew* going platinum in Ireland and being signed to ATO. Her 2008 gig sold out, so early booking is advised for what promises to be one of the highlights of the year.



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TUESDAY 8 DECEMBER 8PM

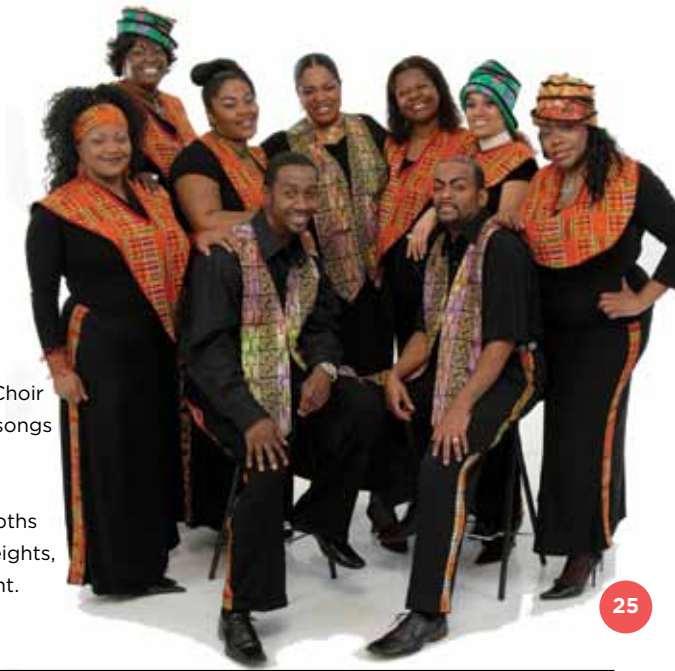
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HARLEM GOSPEL CHOIR

Having performed for Nelson Mandela at the Yankee Stadium, for the Pope in Central Park, with the Chieftains on their US tour and on U2's "Rattle and Hum" album, film and tour, the Harlem Gospel Choir will, once again, return to glór with their songs of inspiration.

The Harlem Gospel Choir touches the depths of the soul and raises spirits to angelic heights, and provides a great night's entertainment.



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THURSDAY 10 DECEMBER 7.30PM

€25/€20 CONC /€12 CHILD

Ballet Ireland presents

CINDERELLA

Ballet Ireland presents a brand new take on the Cinderella fairytale... ever wondered what happens after the wedding? The pair return from honeymoon to the perhaps not quite so 'happily ever after.' The ultimate hero and heroine duo struggle to overcome their differing backgrounds as Cinderella settles in to being the Princess. Some hilarious scenes ensue as Buttons and the 'Ugly Sisters' prepare for the homecoming of the couple.

Needless to say all's well that ends well and the pair truly are on the road to happily ever after.



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FRIDAY 11 DECEMBER 7PM

€5

JOY TO THE WORLD CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Hosted by Foundation Ministries.

It's a season of Joy. Come and celebrate the birth of Jesus with us on a night of Carols with performances from Gospel Choirs and Artists. The river of Joy will flow from the throne of Grace.

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28 SATURDAY 12 DECEMBER 11AM / 12PM / 2PM / 3PM €10

PigNut Productions present

THE FLEA CIRCUS

It's amazing! It's spectacular! It's astounding! It's tiny! Feats of astonishing bravery - acrobatics, trapeze, high wire and more - all performed by highly trained, teeny tiny fleas. The Flea Circus is an exciting new spectacle of the imagination. A version of The Flea Circus was performed throughout the Galway Arts Festival this year and this one-man (and a tent!) 25 minute show is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity and is not to be missed!

Capacity Limited



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SATURDAY 12 DECEMBER 8PM €25/€22

JIMMY MACCARTHY: RIDE ON IN SONG & STORY

Ireland's most celebrated songwriter, Jimmy MacCarthy, returns to live performance after 5 years. MacCarthy has had his songs covered by most of Ireland's top artists, including Christy Moore, Mary Black, and Tommy Fleming. Jimmy will perform all his classic hits including *Ride On*, *Katie*, *As I leave Behind Neidin*, *No Frontiers*, *Missing You*, *Adam At The Window*, *Ancient Rain* and many, many more.

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SUNDAY 20 DECEMBER 8PM

€25

TRIBUTE TO NOEL HILL

Noel Hill is one of those standard-setting voices in Irish music today. His virtuosity has firmly established him as the defining Irish concertina player of our time. Join Noel on stage with a star studded line of guests, including Matt Molloy, At the Racket, Seamus Begley and many, many more surprise guests.

Check out www.glor.ie for further details

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MONDAY 14 DECEMBER 8PM

€25

BUILDING OF HOPE PROJECT 2010 CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Local vocalist Helen Catherine Ball, the renowned Ennis Brass Band, and special guests 'The Young Tenors' unite for a special evening of musical entertainment in aid of the Building of Hope Project 2010. Solo and groups performances promised. MC on the night is Marty Morrissey.

Dermot Whelan, Chris Hands, Cormac O'Sullivan & Davnet Dwyer have planned to travel to Mumbasa, Kenya, to assist in the building of a school for young adults.



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WEDNESDAY 16 - SATURDAY 19 DECEMBER 8PM

€24/€22 CONC

Druid Theatre Company presents

THE GIGLI CONCERT

By Tom Murphy

Director Garry Hynes

Cast includes Denis Conway & Peter Sullivan

Writer Tom Murphy and Director Garry Hynes once again join forces to stage what is widely regarded as Tom Murphy's masterpiece. This searching, challenging and funny play deals with seven days in the relationship between Dynamatologist JPW King, a quack self-help therapist living in Dublin but born and brought up in England, and the mysterious Irishman, a despairing property magnate who seeks out King to help him sing like the great Italian opera singer Beniamino Gigli.

This remarkable play, a magnificent starburst of language, has been described as "One of the great Irish dramas" by The Irish Times

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Pantaloons present

SLEEPING BEAUTY

Written and directed by Mr Leonard Anderson

€15/FAMILY TICKET €50

Once upon a time in a land far, far away, a beautiful princess was born, but the Dark Fairy cursed the princess and on her 18th birthday she falls into a deep sleep. Featuring all your favourite Panto characters, The Good fairy, the handsome Prince Rupert and his sidekick Jupiter, the beautiful Princess Aurora and her parents King Halfwit & Queen Dogface, the evil Fairy and of course, the hilarious dame Nanny....

Sleeping Beauty guarantees to be a fun-packed traditional family pantomime for all ages!

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SUNDAY 27 DECEMBER	7.30PM
MONDAY 28 DECEMBER	2.30PM
TUESDAY 29 DECEMBER	2.30PM
WEDNESDAY 30 DECEMBER	2.30PM
THURSDAY 31 DECEMBER	2.30PM
FRIDAY 1 JANUARY	2.30PM
SATURDAY 2 JANUARY	2.30PM
SUNDAY 3 JANUARY	2.30PM

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