

# CULTURE NIGHT FRI SEP 16

REVOLVES AROUND YOU



CAVAN 2016

## Arva

### Cultural Awakenings

Enjoy the haunting voice of Gowna songstress Gráinne Conaty and inspiring words from poets Noel Monahan and Heather Brett. Presented by Cavan Heritage Office in association with the Residents of Brankill Golden Way in the Church of Ireland.

**Venue:** Church of Ireland Church, Arva, Co Cavan  
**Time:** 7pm



## Cootehill / Bailieborough

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### Poems for 2016 at Cootehill and Bailieborough Libraries

Children from National Schools in Co Cavan wrote poetry with Heather Brett to commemorate the Centenary of 1916.

**Scéalaíocht dhátheangach le Nuala Hayes**  
Cuirfidh Nuala Hayes, scéalaí iomráiteach, siamsaíocht ar fail do pháistí i Leabharlann Choill an Chollaigh agus i Leabharlann na Muinchille le stór a cuid scéalta. Is ócáid idirghníomhach é an seisiún dhátheangach seo agus tabharfar cuireadh do na páistí páirt a ghlacadh ann.  
**Time:** 10am - 5.15pm

## Ballyjamesduff

### Áine Cahill at Cavan County Museum supported by KP Sweeney

Áine from Castletara in Cavan is receiving plenty of air play and attention. She is compared to Adele, Amy Winehouse and Lala Del Ray but even these favourable comparisons don't describe the power and emotion that Áine brings to her soulful performances. Áine Cahill speaking about music "My music was always just an outlet for me, I never thought 'This is the job for me,' y'know? But I think since I was 17 I could never see myself doing anything else."

Áine will be supported by KP Sweeney and friends with some laid back blues and jazz to soothe you into an evening of musical delight.

A FREE courtesy Culture Night bus will bring punters from Cavan to Ballyjamesduff and back. Complimentary Culture Night Bus leaving Cavan Courthouse at 7.30pm sharp and leaving Cavan County Museum at 9.30pm Sharp.  
**BOOKING ESSENTIAL** Tel: 049 8544070

**Venue:** Cavan County Museum, Ballyjamesduff  
**Time:** 8pm

## Bawnboy

### Song Sisters with Sam Geraghty at Bear Essentials

The Song Sisters will perform musical numbers from their show 'The Hollywood Canteen' and bring a nostalgic return to the 1930 and 40's with a set that includes the music of the fantastic Andrews Sisters. The Sisters will be supported by Sam Geraghty. Sam is a 19 year old singer-songwriter inspired by the pop music of the 1950s and '60s. This is a free event but places are limited, bookings are essential and accepted only by email to [anke@beaessentials.ie](mailto:anke@beaessentials.ie) or via the booking form on our website.

**Venue:** Bear Essentials, Tirnawannagh, Bawnboy [www.beaessentials.ie](http://www.beaessentials.ie)  
**Time:** 8pm



## Belturbet

### Culture afternoon on the Commons Belturbet

An afternoon culture recital at Oakview Nursing Home Belturbet with NYAH artists Martin, Savannah and Zoran Donohoe harp, flute, whistle saxophone, accordion and concertina, Seamus Fay Cavan Lilter, Fintan Mc Manus, Guitar and Larry McQuaid Bodhran, guitar & songs. Martin will record songs and stories from Oakview residents on the day for his show The Wind that Blows, Shannonside Northern Sound radio.

**Venue:** OAKVIEW NURSING HOME, The Commons, Belturbet  
**Time:** 5.30pm

## Belturbet

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### An Gaeilge agus An Veda : A look at Vedic Concept and Irish Roots

Art Exhibition with Poetry entitled "Krishna Anseo" by Artist Emily Dawson: Emily will read her poetry and speak about her work through Irish and English. The night will include readings by Jan Alexander (founder of An Crann organisation) from her book about her small herd of pet cattle. An Audio -Visual presentation of aspects of Vedic (ancient Indian) philosophy entitled "Birds the Size of Elephants" by music group "a blue lotus sound station" lead by Ronnie Murdoch, musician.

[www.emilydawsonart.com](http://www.emilydawsonart.com)

**Venue:** Belturbet Library and Civic Space

**Time:** 7.30pm to 9.00pm

## Cavan

### Cavan Traveller Community

Open door at the Bungalow and a special invitation is extended to all to experience local traveller culture.

**Venue:** The Bungalow, Moynehall, Cavan

**Time:** 11am to 12.30pm

### Open studios at Townhall Cavan

Visit Konik artists, Pawel and Kasia and Johanna Nulty, Bullock Lane artist in residence

**Venue:** Townhall, Cavan

**Time:** 4pm to 5pm

### Cavan Sinfonia Orchestra Recital

Cavan Sinfonia Orchestra recital at the Market Square, Cavan.



**Venue:** Market Square, Cavan

**Time:** 5.30pm to 6pm

### 30 Years, Artists, Places – Major Touring Irish Art Exhibition

The exhibition marks 30 years since Local Authorities embarked on providing for the arts locally. This art commissioned and acquired by local authorities, exemplifies the work of local government supporting artists.

The exhibition curated by Muireann Ní Chonaill includes; Tony O'Malley, Alice Maher, Robert Ballagh, John Kindness, Norah McGuinness, Sean McSweeney, Sean Lynch and John Shinnors

alongside emerging artists such as David Stephenson and others. Cavan artist, Jane McCormack is represented in this selection with her work SWIM, a series of 11 photographs on tile commissioned by Cavan County Council. Tom Conaty, poet responded to this work with a series of poems.

**Venue:** Townhall Cavan and Johnston Central Library

**Time:** 6.45pm (Commences at Library and continues to Townhall).



A touring exhibition marking 30 years of Local Authorities supporting the arts in Ireland featuring the work of 30 artists and 30 places

### Leabharlann Cheannais Mhic Sheáin

Ceol as Gaeilge with Comhaltas an Chabháin Amhráin agus ceol as Gaeilge le Comhaltas an Chabháin

**Songs and music as Gaeilge with Cavan Comhaltas**

**Time:** from 6:45pm

**Gaeilge Event**



### "Awhile with Séamus Heaney" le Larry McCluskey

Léamh dramatúil le tráchttaireacht comhnascaithe agus ceol beo ón saothar is fearr agus is cáiliúla den fhile Gaelach a bhuaigh Duais Nobel na Litríochta.

### A while with Seamus Heaney

A personal journey by Irish actor/director Larry McCluskey, through the late Nobel Poet's best and most popular work, a dramatic reading, with linking commentary and live music. The journey moves from Heaney's childhood, through his emergence as Ireland's foremost poet, international eminence and awards. Heaney was not just Ireland's finest modern poet – he was a colossus on the world literary stage.

**Venue:** Johnston Central Library

**Time:** 7.30pm (70 minutes)

### Cavan Genealogy

'Who are you?' Learn about your genealogy and visit Cavan Genealogy Centre to learn more about the resources available to trace your ancestry [www.cavan.rootsireland.ie](http://www.cavan.rootsireland.ie)

**Venue:** Farnham Centre, Farnham St, Cavan

**Time:** 6pm to 8pm

### Behind Closed Doors

Behind Closed Doors has taken a special interest in Francis Sheehy Skeffington. He was a man before his time, and didn't fit in well with many of his peers. As BCD is from Cavan, the group feel the affinity for fellow Cavanman. BCD will chronicle the last three days of Skeff's life, in a twenty minute theatre piece.

**Venue:** Courtyard, Townhall, Cavan.

**Time:** 8pm



## Outdoor screening of Broken Tale by Konik Artists

Broken Tale animation by Konik artists Pawel and Kasia tells the journey of a girl into the heart of the wilderness, to the lake hidden deep in the primeval forest. The story is based on a Swedish folk tale. "Broken Tale" has qualified for the 28th International Film Festival in Girona; Stockholm - Fringe Festival STOFF 2016 and Baboró International Arts Festival for Children in Galway. The screening will be accompanied by the amazing sound of "the Ashgrove Community Drum Bo Fhionn."



**Venue:** Courtyard at Townhall, Cavan  
**Time:** 9pm to 9.45pm

## 'House Party' at Townhall Cavan

Townhall Cavan transforms the space into a living breathing house party. With live music, DJ sets, a new performance art piece from the Gonzo called 'Last Man Standing', the world premiere of a theatre production/ installation 'Dad in the Kitchen' by Philip Doherty, launch of Townhall Cavan's thrilling new Winter Season, including the return of the 'Festival of the Dead'.

Music, theatre, performance art, film, comedy all for FREE!

'Dad in the Kitchen' by Philip Doherty - will premiere on Culture Night before running as a lunchtime show in Townhall Cavan during September. [www.townhallcavan.ie](http://www.townhallcavan.ie)

**Venue:** Townhall Cavan  
**Time:** 10pm till 12 midnight

## Past living in the Present by artist Marilyn Gaffney

Artist Marilyn Gaffney's work is interested in memory and place. This project continues her work on this theme.

**Venue:** Market Square, Cavan  
**Time:** After dark on loop

## The Backyard Presents A family friendly night of Culture

This year the Backyard presents a workshop for children from Bee Creative, 5 to 12 years from 7pm to 8pm, Kyle Riley singing the songs of Percy French, music from Cavan String School and The Aoibhneas School of Music presents a piano performance. The popular Filipino Community group return along with Set & Sean Nos dancing with Marian Crowe and the students from Pascal Lyons Irish Dance School.

**Venue:** The Backyard, Moynehall, Cavan  
**Time:** 7.00pm- 9.00pm

## Cois Tine Launch

Cois Tine is a traditional cottage complete with sound recording equipment situated at the Southern tip of the Cavan/Fermanagh Geo-Park. In partnership with Cavan County Council, Cavan Institute and Music Network, Cois Tine is offering a series of residencies with some subsistence to musicians and their collaborators. Sound artists and storytellers are also welcome to apply. This pilot programme aims to develop, diversify and enrich music culture through providing a resource and sanctuary where artists can work in concentrated harmony.

**Venue:** Derrywinny, Cavan  
**Open studio:** Friday 16th Sept. 1pm – 8 pm & Saturday 17th Sept. 3pm – 8pm. All welcome.

## Lough Oughter Castle

Spend a while at Lough Oughter in the company of Cavan Canoe Centre with a tour guide to take you on the short boat trip from the shore of Lough Oughter to the Island. Members of Killeshandra Comhaltas lead by Enda Mc Dermott, banjo will play tunes as you hear of heroic deeds, bravery and poison!

**BOOKING ESSENTIAL** Tel: 049 4378546

(a complimentary bus will leave the Courthouse Cavan at 6pm sharp and will return to the Courthouse at 8.30pm) **The tour can be joined at the Lake but places must be pre booked.** This trip is weather dependent.

[www.cavancanoeing.com](http://www.cavancanoeing.com)

**Time** 6pm to 8.30pm

## Dowra

### Dowra Exhibition and Music, Co Cavan

Creative hand built pottery workshop  
An exhibition of ceramic work by Jim Fee with a selection of work produced by Jim's students.

A selection of tunes will be played by local musicians and light refreshments available.

**Venue:** Dowra Courthouse Creative Space  
**Time:** 5pm to 9pm

## Maudabawn

### Ed Reavy Remembered

Musicians play Ed's composition Maudabawn Chapel on the grounds of Maudabawn Chapel at 6.00 pm followed by an exhibition of Photographs and memorabilia from Ed's life in Gallonray House. Session featuring local artists and members of Cavan Town CCE. Refreshments will be served.

**Venue: Maudabawn Chapel and Gallonray House,**

**Venue: Maudabawn, Co Cavan**

**Time: 6 pm**

## Milltown

### West Cavan Country Life

This event will centre on the culture of an area which has been shaped by a unique landscape of lakes and hills. An evening of music, history walk and talk and visual art. We will take a walk to Drumlane Round Tower while the light is with us and return to Drumlane to hear about the work of the Irish Beekeepers.

Artists involved: Milltown CCÉ, local artist Seán Cassidy, Irish Beekeepers Association

**Venue: Drumlane Community Centre,  
Milltown, Co Cavan**

**Time: 7:00pm to 8:30pm**

## Mullahoran

### Mullahoran CCE - Traditional Music and Dance Concert

An evening of Traditional Music, Song & Dance: This event promotes Irish music, song and dance, by giving performers an opportunity to perform in a friendly environment.

**Venue: Parochial Hall - Killydoon**

**Time: 7pm to 9pm**

## Virginia

### My Friend Art with artist Kim Doherty at Virginia Show Centre

Participants from St. Joseph's Nursing Home, Virginia Health Care Centre and Ballyjamesduff Community Creche will explore their relationship to art in the culture night project "my friend art" with artist Kim Doherty. Their work will be available at Virginia Show Centre.

Food demonstration and tasting by Zimbabwean and other new communities.

Live music

**Venue: Virginia Show Centre, Virginia**

**Time: 4pm**

### Breffni Photography Club

Club members will host an exhibition and share their experiences and expertise at this open event. They look forward to welcoming the public to view their work.

**Venue: Lakeside Manor Hotel, Virginia**

**Time: 5pm to 11pm**

## The Henry Girls at Ramor Theatre, Virginia

The Henry Girls are three sisters from Co. Donegal. Their music is infused with the rich cultural heritage of their native Donegal but with a transatlantic flavour. Over the last number of years they have become one of the finest Irish exponents of folk/roots music. The Henry Girls are renowned for their captivating, heartwarming and often moving live performances.

Booking Essential Ramor Theatre 049 8547074

[www.ramortheatre.ie](http://www.ramortheatre.ie)

**Venue: Ramor Theatre, Virginia**

**Time: 8.30pm**

## Michelle Boyle Open Studio

The artist welcomes visitors to drop by the studio to see her at work on new large scale canvasses for exhibition in Ireland and India in 2017. Friends and new faces very welcome for tea / cake and chat with the artist about her work.



**Venue: Garryross Old School, Virginia, Co Cavan**

**Time: 6pm to 10pm**

[www.michelleboyle-artist.com](http://www.michelleboyle-artist.com)

[michelleboyle.artist@gmail.com](mailto:michelleboyle.artist@gmail.com)

**Tel: 087 2199145**

## St Kilian's Heritage Centre Easter 1916 by Paul Galligan

An exhibition responding to The Rising by Paul Galligan created in response to the Commemoration events by Cavan Commemoration Committee. The event is organised as part of the local festival Knowing One's Place from the 4 to 17 September.



**Venue: St Kilian's Heritage Centre, Mullagh**

**Time: 10am to 5pm**



**Programme compiled by Cavan County Council Arts Office**

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