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WELCOME

We have a fantastic line – up for the Autumn / Winter months. We have made a few changes to the programme, which we hope you will like. The film nights have changed to Wednesdays, so we bring you a series of 8 films every Wednesday from 14 September. We also have a wonderful line-up of artists who will perform at the Courthouse, including some great musicians, Palooka, Southern Tenant Folk Union, The Fureys, The RTE Vanbrugh Quartet and new comers Thought Fox, winners of Music Network's Young Musicwide Award 2010-2013.

We are delighted to welcome comedian Colin Murphy, and “the Nualas” to the Courthouse for the first time. We are also very excited to announce a very special event on the 18th of December in St. Kevin's Church, Tinahely. The Dublin Gospel Choir joins the World renowned ANTHONY MORGAN'S INSPIRATIONAL CHOIR OF HARLEM (A.M.I.C.O.H.) New York, to perform world class Gospel music for 1 night only. This is a ticketed event, so be sure to buy your ticket well in advance.

A word to our friends and patrons, we would like to extend a very warm thanks to you for your on-going support during changing times. Due to necessary re-structuring we are no longer able to provide allocated seating for events, so first come first served. We hope these changes won't affect your experience of coming to the Courthouse. Again warm thanks to you all for your on-going support and we hope to see you soon.

Deryn O' Callaghan | Artistic Director

PURE WICKED SHOWCASE EVENING Friday 02 September @ 7pm

PURE Wicked is an animation based training project for 12-16 year olds which was run in the Courthouse Arts Centre during 2 weeks in July 2011. Course participants learned to write, act, shoot, direct and edit their own animations under the guidance of professional animators.

An evening to Showcase the animations created by the participants of the PURE WICKED Summer School 2011. The programme for the evening also includes animation shorts by Eimhin McNamara, Louise Bagnall, Barry O'Donoghue & Pdraig Fagan.

ADMISSION FREE.

PURE WICKED is an initiative of Wicklow County Arts Office and County Wicklow Film Commission in partnership with PURE and supported by The Courthouse Arts Centre



EXHIBITION - 'The Swimming Naked Prophecy'

Launching Saturday 10 September 4pm - All Welcome



As the legendary investor Warren Buffet said: 'Only when the tide goes out do you discover who has been swimming naked.' The Swimming Naked Prophecy is a group drawing exhibition initiated by Mermaid Arts Centre and featuring new work specifically made for the exhibition by twenty five contemporary Irish-based artists. The exhibition offers a range of responses by the invited artists to Ireland's current social, economic and political circumstances, the recent economic crash and the current mood in Ireland.

ADMISSION FREE. ON VIEW UNTIL 30 SEPTEMBER

Invited Artists: Aideen Barry / Stephen Brandes / Alan Butler / Mark Clare / Felicity Clear / Róisín Coyle / Culturstruction (Jo Anne Butler + Tara Kennedy) / Jennifer Cunningham / Clodagh Emoe / Fiona Hallinan / Seán Hillen / Jesse Jones / John Jones / Vera Klute / Sam Keogh / David Lilburn / Sean Lynch / Brian Maguire / Bea McMahon / Tom Molloy / Teresa Nanigian / Sorcha O'Brien / Dominic Thorpe / Saskia Vermeulen

FILM - MY AFTERNOONS WITH MARGUERITTE

Wednesday 14 September @ 8pm



Dir: Jean Becker / France 2010 / 82 mins / Cert: 15A /
Starring: Gérard Depardieu, Gisèle Casadesus, Maurane, Patrick Bouchitey, Jean-François Stévenin, François Xavier Demaison /
Language: French / Subtitled

This is the uplifting story of one of those chance encounters that can radically change the course of your life. Germain (Depardieu) is a large, unmarried and almost illiterate man in his fifties. Margueritte is a tiny elderly woman with a passion for the written word. The only thing the two have in common is a shared fondness

for pigeons. When Germain happens to sit beside Margueritte on a park bench and she reads him extracts from her novels, an unlikely friendship develops

€8 / €6 MEMBERS

WORKSHOP - INTRODUCTION TO SCULPTURE

Friday 16 September 10.30am – 12.30pm

This new 10 week part-time course is an introduction to sculpture facilitated by artist and sculptor Maree Hensey. This course is run in partnership with Co. Wicklow VEC's Community Education Programme. It is for those who have little or no experience of art and wish to explore their creativity through clay modelling, plaster casting and construction (metal, wood and found objects).

For further information or to book please contact The Courthouse Arts Centre.

(This course runs for 10 weeks starting 16 September)

COST: €50 / €15 for Social Welfare recipients (includes materials)

Bookings: T: 0402 38529 / E: bookings@tinahely-courthouse.ie

WORKSHOP - NEW YOUTH THEATRE

Tuesday 20 September (running 10 weeks)

The Courthouse Arts Centre has a long tradition of Youth Drama. This year we are launching a new Youth Theatre Initiative. This is an exciting opportunity to become involved from the get go with a new, innovative group, who will break boundaries and stretch your imagination.

2 Groups

9-12 yrs - 5pm – 6.30pm

13-16+ yrs - 7pm – 8.30pm

**Acting / Improvisation / Theatre Production / Technical Support
Costume Design and Creating / Film Production**

The Youth Theatre is facilitated by **Maggie Gallagher** and **Emma Hill**. Maggie has worked extensively with youth theatre and is currently completing her MA in Drama Therapy. Emma, community artist and facilitator, has worked in community arts over many years.

NB: Current group of Tramps and Poets will run from September for the younger group (Under 9 years). Date to be confirmed. Contact the Courthouse Arts Centre for further details

BOOKING IS ADVISABLE

For further details / TO BOOK YOUR PLACE contact the Courthouse Arts Centre
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€60 per 10 week term (payments can be made in instalments).



FILM - CONGO: AN IRISH AFFAIR

Wednesday 21 September @ 8pm



Dir: Brendan Culleton & Irina Maldea /
Ireland 2010 / 80mins / Cert: CLUB /
Language: English

A penetrating and poignant study of the Irish-led 1961 UN peacekeeping mission to Katanga, a province that wanted to break-away from the newly independent Congo – An Irish Affair pieces together the story of people asked to achieve an impossible goal. A searing indictment of the UN and of European attitudes to Africa but, equally, shows the hopelessness of the situation as armed factions with mutually exclusive desires slip ever closer to war. Congo – An Irish Affair is a historical documentary and is a tragic yet timely reminder that the overused epithet 'Never Again' is destined to make liars of us all.

€8 / €6 MEMBERS

CULTURE NIGHT

Friday 23 September 5.30pm – late...

In association with Wicklow County - Arts Office

Culture Night takes place on Friday September 23rd 2011, a night of entertainment, discovery and adventure across 20 towns, cities and counties in Ireland. At The Courthouse Arts Centre we are delighted to open our doors to all, and invite you to sample some wonderful performance on your doorstep.

5.30pm - Púca Puppets - Storybear

Storybear loves stories, and helps puppeteer Niamh Lawlor tell and draw you one, if you promise to help! An intimate, interactive story-telling session suitable for a family or class audience (7 – 9 year olds the ideal age group) from award winning Púca Puppets.

9pm - GIG - CAROLINE MOREAU

French chanteuse Caroline Moreau performs a gutsy and vibrant new show which will see Moreau apply her powerful vocal sensibility to a range of fascinating and eclectic material – some new, some familiar which she will sing in both English and French.

BOOKING ESSENTIAL

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ALL EVENTS ARE FREE AND OPEN TO EVERYONE

CONCERT - THE RTE VANBRUGH QUARTET

Saturday 24 September @ 8.30pm

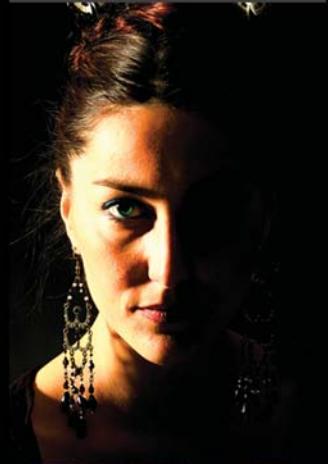
The RTÉ Vanbrugh Quartet is one of Europe's most successful ensembles internationally recognised for its beauty of sound, clarity of texture and integrity of interpretation within an unusually wide and varied range of repertoire. Based in Cork as Resident Quartet to Radio Telefis Eireann; the members of the Quartet are also Artists in Residence to University College, Cork, and founders of the internationally acclaimed West Cork Chamber Music Festival.

Programme includes: Mozart, Shostakovich & Schubert

€17 / €15 - Conc.

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FILM - ORANGES AND SUNSHINE

Wednesday 28 September @ 8pm

Oranges and Sunshine tells the story of Margaret Humphreys, a social worker from Nottingham, who uncovered one of the most significant social scandals in recent times: the organized deportation of children from the United Kingdom to Australia.

Almost single-handedly, against overwhelming odds and with little regard for her own well-being, Margaret reunited thousands of families, brought authorities to account and worldwide attention to an extraordinary miscarriage of justice.



Dir: Jim Loach / UK Australia 2010
105 mins / Cert:15A
Starring: Emily Watson, David Wenham, Hugo Weaving
Language: English

€8 / €6 MEMBERS

Bookings:

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THE COURTHOUSE CAFÉ

Thursday 29 September @ 9pm (doors @ 8.30pm)



A Tribute to the Words and Music of Randy Newman. Fourth in the series of successful tributes in the Café. Each show went on a short tour afterwards.

Performers include Deirdre Starr, Rory Adams Trio, Brian Whelan, John & Bridget Heffernan, Damien Murphy, & Frank Gallagher.

€10 / €9 - Conc.

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FILM - GAINSBOURG

Wednesday 05 October @ 8pm

Best known for “Je t’aime . . . moi non plus,” his racy duet with Jane Birkin, singer/songwriter Serge Gainsbourg packed a lot of life into 62 years. As much provocateur as artist, he delighted in defying expectations, so it is only appropriate that this offbeat biopic should do the same. This imaginative, exuberant and affectionate take on the man, his music and his times is a treasure trove for his fans and a witty introduction to anyone unfamiliar with his legend.



Dir: Joann Sfar / France 2009 /
121mins / Cert: 15A /
Starring: Eric Elmosnino,
Lucy Gordon, Laetitia Casta,
Doug Jones, Anna Mouglalis,
Mylène Jampanoi
Language: French / Subtitled

€8 / €6 MEMBERS. **Friends - Bring a friend for free film

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ALL IRELAND POETRY DAY

Nuala Ní Dhomhnaill

Thursday 06 October @ 8pm



Nuala Ní Dhomhnaill will give a reading in the Courthouse Arts Centre to celebrate All Ireland Poetry Day. Nuala was born in 1952 and grew up in the Irish speaking areas of West Kerry and in Tipperary. She has published four collections of poems in Irish. She was Ireland Professor of Poetry (2002-2004). Her papers are collected at Boston College's Burns Library. She currently lives in Dublin and is a regular broadcaster on Irish radio and television.

€5

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EXHIBITION - FROM SKY TO EARTH

Launching Saturday 08 October @ 4pm

An exhibition of work by Christine Bowen and Jean Usher. On view until Friday 04 November. This exhibition will be launched by the writer and broadcaster Deirdre Purcell.

ADMISSION FREE. ALL WELCOME



CONCERT - THE FUREYS

Sunday 09 October @ 8.30pm



The Fureys make their first visit to the Courthouse Arts Centre on 9th October. After 33 years, they continue to play on all continents where they bring their music, songs and stories to generations who have enjoyed them over the years.

Hear them sing all their hits including 'When You Were Sweet 16', 'The Green Fields of France', 'The Old Man', 'Red Rose Café', 'From Clare to Here', 'Her Father Didn't Like Me Anyway', 'Leaving Nancy', 'Steal Away' etc.

Early booking advised.

€24 / €22 - Friends of the Courthouse

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EVENTS AT A GLANCE

TYPE	NAME	DATE	TIME
SEPTEMBER			
SHOWCASE	Pure Wicked	Fri 02 Sept	7pm
EXHIBITION	'The Swimming Naked Prophecy'	Sat 10 Sept	4pm
FILM	My Afternoons with Margueritte	Wed 14 Sept	8pm
WORKSHOPS	Sculpture	Fri 16 Sept	10.30am – 12.30pm
WORKSHOPS	New Youth Theatre	Tue 20 Sept	5 - 6.30 / 7 - 8.30pm
FILM	Congo: An Irish Affair	Wed 21 Sept	8pm
CULTURE	Culture Night	Fri 23 Sept	5.30pm – late...
CONCERT	The RTE Vanbrugh Quartet	Sat 24 Sept	8.30pm
FILM	Oranges and Sunshine	Wed 28 Sept	8pm
CAFÉ	A Tribute: Randy Newman	Thur 29 Sept	9pm

OCTOBER

FILM	**Gainsbourg	Wed 05 Oct	8pm
POETRY	Nuala Ní Dhomhnaill	Thur 06 Oct	8pm
EXHIBITION	From Sky to Earth	Sat 08 Oct	4pm
CONCERT	The Furey's	Sun 09 Oct	8.30pm
FILM	Life, Above All	Wed 12 Oct	8pm
COMEDY	Colin Murphy	Sat 15 Oct	8.30pm
FILM	Animal Kingdom	Wed 19 Oct	8pm
CONCERT	Thought Fox	Sat 22 Oct	8.30pm
FILM	**Chico and Rita	Wed 26 Oct	8pm
CAFÉ	Ceol agus Caint	Thur 27 Oct	9pm
THEATRE	Redemption Song	Sat 29 Oct	8.30pm

** Friends - Bring a friend for free film.

NOVEMBER

FILM	Of Gods and Men	Wed 02 Nov	8pm
CONCERT	Palooka	Sat 05 Nov	8.30pm
CONCERT	Southern Tenant Folk Union	Fri 11 Nov	8.30pm
THEATRE	Chekhov Shorts	Sat 19 Nov	8.30pm
CAFÉ	Music and Poetry	Thur 24 Nov	9pm
PERFORMANCE	The Nualas	Sat 26 Nov	8.30pm

DECEMBER

FAIR	Christmas Spirit Fair	Sun 11 Dec	11am – 5pm
CONCERT	The Dublin Gospel Choir & Special Guests - Inspirational Choir of Harlem Concert will take place in St Kevin's Parish Church	Sun 18 Dec	8.00pm



Take a bow!

The arts really matter to us in Ireland; they are a big part of people's lives, the country's single most popular pursuit. Our artists interpret our past, define who we are today, and imagine our future. We can all take pride in the enormous reputation our artists have earned around the world.

The arts play a vital role in our economy, and smart investment of taxpayers' money in the arts is repaid many times over. The dividends come in the form of a high value, creative economy driven by a flexible, educated, innovative work force, and in a cultural tourism industry worth €2.4 billion directly a year.

The Arts Council is the Irish Government agency for funding and developing the arts. Arts Council funding from the taxpayer, through the Department of Tourism, Culture and Sport, for 2011 is €65.2 million, that's around 80 cents a week for every household.

So, at the end of your next inspirational encounter with the arts, don't forget the role you played and take a bow yourself!

Find out what's on at

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You can find out more about the arts here:

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FILM - LIFE, ABOVE ALL

Wednesday 12 October @ 8pm



A powerful adaptation of Allan Stratton's bestselling novel *Chanda's Secrets*, 'Life, Above All' is a handsomely produced drama about a courageous young girl Chanda fighting prejudice in her South African village. Chanda's experience is forcefully told through her eyes as we are brought close to the difficulties and hopes facing a generation of Africans.

Dir: Oliver Schmitz / South Africa, Germany 2010 / 106 mins /
Cert: CLUB / Starring: Khomotso Manyaka, Lerato Mvelase,
Harriet Manamela, Keaobaka Makanyane, Aubrey Poolo /
Language: Sotho, Pedi / Subtitled

€8 / €6 MEMBERS

COMEDY COLIN MURPHY

Saturday 15 October @ 8.30pm

Colin has played sell out shows throughout Ireland and at the biggest and best comedy festivals around the world including Edinburgh, Melbourne, Montreal, and of course Kilkenny Cat Laughs. A long list of credits, his highlights have included the five years he was the writer and presenter of the highly regarded and critically acclaimed, *Blizzard of Odd* followed by a six year stint on *The Panel* for RTE. On the BBC he is back as a regular panellist on topical news show *The Blame Game* and his own *Great Unanswered Questions*, which airs on television, BBC Radio Ulster and BBC Radio 4.



€18 / €16 Conc.

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FILM - ANIMAL KINGDOM

Wednesday 19 October @ 8pm



Welcome to the jungle known as the Melbourne underworld. *Animal Kingdom* uses this edgy locale to unspool a gripping tale of survival and revenge. Pope Cody, an armed robber on the run from a gang of renegade detectives, is in hiding. When tensions between the family and the police reach a bloody peak, his nephew "J" finds himself at the center of a cold-blooded revenge plot that turns the family upside down.

Dir: David Michôd / Australia 2009 / 112 mins / Cert: 15A /
Starring: Guy Pearce, Ben Mendelsohn, Joel Edgerton, Luke Ford, Jacki Weaver, James Frecheville / Language: English

€8 / €6 MEMBERS

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CONCERT - THOUGHT FOX

MUSIC NETWORK

Saturday 22 October @ 8.30pm

Thought-Fox, winner of Music Network's Young Musicwide Award for 2010-2013, a serendipitous collaboration of some of the freshest improvisers on the Irish and UK jazz scene.

The quintet takes its name from a Ted Hughes poem, which compares the creative process to a blurry creature that creeps out of the unknown, until suddenly you're confronted by what one critic called the "sharp hot stink of fox". You have been warned.



Lauren Kinsella, voice / Colm O'Hara, trombone / Tom Gibbs, piano / Mick Coady, double bass, Simon Roth, drums

"A star in its ascendancy." BBC Radio Scotland on Tom Gibbs

"An artist in the complete sense..." Kevin Le Gendre on Lauren Kinsella

"Edge of your seat stuff" London Jazz on Simon Roth



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FILM - CHICO AND RITA

Wednesday 26 October @ 8pm

Cuba, 1948. Chico is a young piano player with big dreams. Rita is a beautiful singer with an extraordinary voice. Music and romantic desire unites them, but their journey in the tradition of the Latin ballad, the bolero brings heartache and torment. From Havana to New York, Paris, Hollywood and Las Vegas oscar-winning director Fernando Trueba (Belle Epoque) and Catalan designer Javier Mariscal create a passionate, animated Cuban love story.



Dir: Fernando Trueba & Javier Mariscal / Spain 2010 / 94 mins / Cert: 15A / Starring: Limara Meneses, Eman Xor Oña, Mario Guerra / Language: Spanish / Subtitled

€8 / €6 MEMBERS. **Friends – Bring a friend for free Film

COURTHOUSE CAFÉ

Thursday 27 October @ 9pm (doors @ 8.30pm)



Ceol agus caint mar is gnáth, ach an oíche seo go léir as Gaeilge!

Rory Healy - fíidil traidisiúnta

Catróna Ní Chléirchín - file

Dónal Donohue – cumadóir amhránaí

€6/ €5 Conc.

THEATRE - REDEMPTION SONG

Saturday 29 October @ 8.30pm

Joe is a small-time builder whose marriage to Mary has broken up. Their son has been executed. Work is Joe's answer to every problem. Then one evening, two men call to his door with stunning news - they've given a lift to a hitch-hiker and they swear the man is Joe's dead son. John MacKenna's new one-man play is a warm, moving, often funny and sometimes terrifyingly sad story of Joe, Mary and their son. It's a powerful and gripping contemporary retelling of an old story. **Written by John MacKenna / Directed by Marian Brophy**



€14 / €12 Conc.

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FILM - OF GODS AND MEN

Wednesday 02 November @ 8pm

Eight monks of the same order, have found repose and fulfillment in a small Christian community in North Africa. The monks' quiet lives are disturbed by a massacre perpetrated by local Islamic fundamentalists. The film takes up universal values that, regardless of the god we believe in, cannot be repudiated. And it demonstrates that resigning oneself to one's faith does not bring automatic answers nor the quiescence one expects of them.



Dir: Xavier Beauvois / France 2009 / 120 mins / Cert: 15A / Starring: Lambert Wilson, Michael Lonsdale, Olivier Rabourdin, Philippe Laudenbach, Jacques Herlin, Loïc Pichon / Language: French / Subtitled

€8 / €6 MEMBERS.

CONCERT - PALOOKA

Saturday 05 November @ 8.30pm

PALOOKA features some of the finest young improvising musicians from Australia, UK, Norway and Ireland. Palooka's horn section have toured extensively with Phil Collins, Kylie Mingoue, Kyle Eastwood.



Justin Carroll - Hammond Organ
Graeme Blevins - Tenor Saxophone
Graeme Flowers - Trumpet
Kevin Brady - Drums
Bjorn Vidar Solli - Guitar

(Van Morrison, Jerry Fish)
(Phil Collins, Kylie Minogue)
(Kylie Minogue, Kyle Eastwood)
(Dave Geraghty, Kevin Brady Trio)
(Solid, Seamus Blake)

"A fresh and grooving take on Improvisation by some of Europe's Young Leading Improvisers"
Jazzwise U.K.

€17 / €15 Conc.

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CONCERT - SOUTHERN TENANT FOLK UNION

Friday 11 November @ 8.30pm

The most highly acclaimed folk/bluegrass band in the UK today. Artistically successful as well as being a captivating live act they now sell out arts centres across Europe. A seven piece all acoustic band with banjo, mandolin, fiddle & harmony vocals the STFU perform with 'soul & beauty' on their murder ballads & laments and tear it up with their 'Hootenanny sawdust-kickers' and high energy sound.



€15 / €13 Conc.

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THEATRE - CHEKHOV SHORTS

Saturday 19 November @ 8.30pm

European Arts Company presents a hugely entertaining collection of classic one-act farces by Anton Chekhov. Including 'The Evils of Tobacco', 'The Dimwit', 'The Bear', 'Swan Song' and 'The Proposal', this is Chekhov at his comic best, before Uncle Vanya started shooting, The Seagull got stuffed, The Cherry Orchard was 'car-parked' and The Three Sisters started moaning. The cast have almost as much fun as the audience. This production provides sheer entertainment but also an excellent opportunity for seeing high quality live theatre.

'Chekhov wasn't all doom and gloom... European Arts Company's production of Chekhov Shorts is fast-paced, witty and engaging' - The Stage



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COURTHOUSE CAFÉ

Thursday 24 November @ 9pm (doors @ 8.30pm)



Kenn & Cindy Davis - contemporary composers & performers
Susan Byrne – poet
Eist – traditional band

€6 / €5 Conc.

THE NUALAS

Saturday 26 November @ 8.30pm

3 divorces, 6 children, and 200 botox injections later, they are back! A bit like your favourite brand of washing powder, The Nualas are new & improved yet somehow exactly the same! Expect all the old favourites and lots of new, cracking songs as well. Find out what Nuala, Nuala, and Nuala have been up to...

Expect gob-smacking glamour, exquisite harmonies, endless hilarity and sequined Spanx!



€16 / €14 Conc.

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CHRISTMAS SPIRIT FAIR

Sunday 11 December 11am – 5pm

Think Global – Shop Local / Visit the attractive stalls with quality handcrafts made locally. Pottery & scarves, Christmas Decorations & Jewellery, Home baking & Honey, Tea Cosies & Socks, Cards & Wood Turning, Ornaments and much more.

ADMISSION FREE - ALL WELCOME

CROCHET CLASSES

In the Market Square (upstairs)

Crochet for Intermediates and Beginners from Tuesday 13 September

Beginners: 3 weeks @ €55, materials included.

Intermediates: 3 weeks @ €45, materials not included.

Tuesdays from 10.30am – 12.30pm OR from 8.00pm – 10.00pm

To book contact Irene Lundgaard M: 085 769 1854 E: irene@yarnclasses.com

ART CLASSES

At The Courthouse Arts Centre

Every Monday from 10am – 1pm. €50 for 6 weeks / or drop in rate €10

For further details contact Tina Mouritzen M: 087 6561303

LIFE DRAWING

At The Courthouse Arts Centre

The Life Drawing group meet Thursdays / Sessions untutored - All welcome.

For further details – dates and times contact Roisin Flood

E: roisflood@hotmail.com M: 087 9305180



THE DUBLIN GOSPEL CHOIR **@ ST KEVIN'S PARISH CHURCH, TINAHELY** **Sunday 18 December @ 8pm** **With Special Guests - THE INSPIRATIONAL CHOIR OF HARLEM**

This December's concert at **St Kevin's Parish Church** in Tinahely promises to be a magical night of world class Gospel music. The Courthouse Arts Centre brings together two internationally acclaimed groups for a very special pre - Christmas concert **not to be missed!**

The hand clapping, foot stomping **Dublin Gospel Choir** began 2011 with a real sense of purpose after their latest album 'DOING THEIR THING' became the first gospel album to enter the Top 20 in Ireland. Not too many acts can boast of collaborations with music industry heavyweights such as Stevie Wonder, Rod Stewart, John Legend, Damien Rice, and The Chieftains. Their annual slot at Ireland's internationally-acclaimed boutique festival **ELECTRIC PICNIC** (at which they played the Main Stage again this year) has become known by regular Picnic attendees as Sunday Service!

Joining the Dublin Gospel choir for the very first time are **ANTHONY MORGAN'S INSPIRATIONAL CHOIR OF HARLEM, (A.M.I.C.O.H.) New York**. The group comprises 6 vocalists, gifted singers who have travelled the world singing and performing for people of all ages and cultural backgrounds. **A.M.I.C.O.H's** distinct collaboration of voices, known for its versatile sound, brings their unique and carefully handpicked talent to the stage with a soulful and unique style.

"A must-see – who'd have thought gospel would be this cool?" (Irish Times)
"Gladdens the heart and brings a smile to the face.....Uplifting stuff" (Hot Press)
"Ireland's foremost gospel musicians" (Metro)

This is a **Courthouse Arts Centre** production.

Special thanks to Father Raymond Gahan for making the parish church available to the Courthouse Arts Centre for this concert

€20 / €18 Conc. PLEASE NOTE THIS IS A TICKET ONLY EVENT
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Please note that for all events seating is no longer allocated, so come early to choose your seat!

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