Tallaght Library

Event Guide March 2023

South Dublin Libraries

For further information and booking please visit
talib.eventbrite.ie

Children and Parents

Storytime with Arts & Crafts

Tuesdays from 3:30pm

Tallaght Library is delighted to invite you to a weekly storytime session followed by arts and crafts. This special storytime will be held every Tuesday at 3:30pm. Suitable for ages 3+

No Booking Required.

Musical Tots with Karen

Wednesday 8th 10:30 - 11:30am

Join Karen Donnellan from Musical Tots for a fun and lively musical workshop that your little one will love! Children learn tunes and rhymes before they learn to speak. Singing is invaluable for the development of children from a very young age. The focus of these 45-minute classes is learning through song, developing confidence and self-esteem through interaction, and motor skills through action and dancing songs.

No Booking Required.

Junior Gymboree

Wednesday 15th 10:30 - 11:30am

Join us for this music and play session with Agata, for babies and toddlers up to 2 years old.

No Booking Required.

Junior Book Club

Attention all Junior Readers!

Tallaght Library is looking for new members for our Junior Book Club!

Thursday 16th 3:30 - 4:30pm

Our next book is the thrilling *Dragon Rider* by Cornelia Funke.

To book in just ask at the library desk or phone us at (01) 462 0073. We look forward to seeing you there!

No Booking Required.

Sarah Sparkles

Wednesday 29th 10:30 - 11:30am

Join Sarah Sparkles for toddler time, giving babies, toddler and pre-schoolers and interactive and exciting introduction to libraries.
Parents and guardians must accompany their children for the duration of the event.

No Booking Required.

Music Generation: Early Starters Music Classes

From Thursday 2nd

In these six sessions you and your baby will learn some new songs and musical activities along with revisiting some old one. These music sessions are led by an MGSD music educator. There will be a session every Thursday until the 6th April.

For children ages **0 - 18 months**, there is a session from **10:30 - 11:00am** and for children aged **18 months - 3 years** the session will be from **11:15 - 11:45am**

Please note that you must be able to attend all 6 sessions.
Booking essential at talib.eventbrite.ie

Music Generation

Stories From Around the World

Thursday 2nd 15:30 - 16:30

As part of World Book Day : celebrate the many wonderful cultures of the world with this unique storytelling event. Join storyteller Róisín Murphy as she recounts traditional fairy tales and folklore from every corner of the earth. Stories include tales from Africa, North America and Asia.
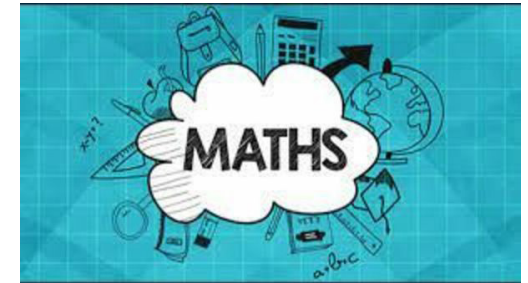
Suitable for ages 7 - 10

No Booking Required .

Project Sums Maths Grinds

Tuesdays from 18:00

As part of Tallaght Library's programme for Senior Cycle Students, we are delighted to offer free Leaving Cert maths grinds. These sessions will take place every Tuesday in our Maths support centre where experience tutors will deliver grinds to Senior Cycle Students.

MATHS

Study Spaces

Tallaght Library would like to remind all students that we have dedicated spaces for studying in the library. These study desks are located around the ground floor of the library with limited seating also available upstairs. We also provide a WiFi, Computer and Printing services, all that is required is a library card.

We have a wide range of Curriculum Support books along with past exam papers and study support books, such as *ReviseWise* & *Less Stress More Success*. To peruse any of these items simply inquire at the library desk.

Senior Cycle Support

Exhibitions

Engineers Week : Build a Geodesic Dome with MakerMeet

Saturday 4th 11:00 - 12:00

In this workshop kids will use engineering to emulate one of the most elegant forms in nature - the sphere. Together they'll construct a dome twenty foot in diameter. Concepts imparted through fun, hands-on activity include structural integrity, geometry, practical mathematics and 3D design thinking.

Suitable for ages 12+

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Shirley Morgan

From Mon 6th March

Tallaght Library is delighted to invite you to this exhibition from Shirley Morgan.

Shirley usually paints acrylics, landscapes and oil pastels. To see the full range of Shirley's art come to Tallaght Library between the **6th and 20th of March.**

Ashwin Chacko

Ashwin Chacko (he/him) is an illustrator and motivational speaker that specializes in positively playful, visual storytelling.
His mission is to champion creativity and empower people to find their inner spark.

From Wed 22nd March

Ashwin's work will be on display in Tallaght Library from **Wednesday 22nd March To April 10th**.

Exhibitions

Courses and Workshops

International Womens Day Exhibition : "A Picture Paints a Thousand Words"

From Wed 8th March

Sonas are the largest provider of the front-line services for victims of domestic abuse in the country. They provide Refuge, Safe Homes, Transitional Housing, Outreach, Crisis Intervention, Helpline, and Court Accompaniment services to victims of Domestic Abuse. They support approximately 1,250 women and children in our services each year.

Sonas are hosting an exhibition for international Women's day against Gender-Based Violence in the Month of March that will feature 16 portraits of victims of Femicide and Filicide. The aim of this event is to raise awareness of the impact of Domestic Abuse and Feminicide in Ireland, to promote the collaborative effort for accountability, and to inspire guests that a world without Domestic Violence is possible.

International Women's Day

This exhibition will be on display in Tallaght Library from the 8th March to the 24th March.

At the launch of the exhibition there will also be an information stand on Domestic Violence between 12:00 and 15:00.

Community Coffee Morning

Tuesdays from 10:30 - 12:30

Enjoy a relaxing morning with some tea & coffee, biscuits & croissants and plenty of newspapers, magazines and books at our special Community Coffee Morning.

No need to book. Just drop in.

An Cailín Ciúin

Wednesday 1st 18:30 - 20:00

Join us for a screening of the Oscar nominated Irish language film *An Cailín Ciúin*.

This debut film by director Colm Bairéad is adapted from the short story, Foster, by Claire Keegan and is one of the most celebrated Irish films of recent years.

No Booking Required

International Womens Day

Wed 8th 14:30 - 20:00

Join us for a performance by up-and-coming girl band **HEX** on Wednesday the 8th of March, time TBC. On Thursday 9th of March at 6.30pm. **Women's Collective Ireland** will run a panel discussion on the theme of Embrace Equity: a celebration of women in Tallaght library.

IWD 2023's campaign theme aims to get the world talking about why "equal opportunities are no longer enough."

Womens Collective Ireland - #EmbraceEquity

**Thursday 9ᵗʰ
18:30 - 20:00**

As part of our International Women's Day celebrations, Women's Collective Ireland - Tallaght, present a fantastic line up of speakers for a panel discussion on women's rights, looking beyond equality to #EmbraceEquity.

Refreshments will be provided and there will be Gift Bags for the first 30 attendees.

Tallaght Does Trad

**Saturday 11ᵗʰ
12:00 - 14:00**

In collaboration with Artscope, Tallaght Library are cerebrating seachtain na Gaeilge this year with a series of events showcasing traditional Irish music and dancing. For more information ask at the Library Desk or find the Seachtain na Gaeilge brochure on the library floor.

No Booking Required

Adult Arts and Crafts with Kim Jenkinson

**Tuesday 28ᵗʰ
11:00 - 12:00**

Join Kim Jenkinson for this Easter themed workshop where we will be creating an Easter bunny figure using a paper decoupage process.

Booking essential at talib.eventbrite.ie

Seachtain na Gaeilge le energia

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