



Library Opening Hours

Monday—Thursday: 9.45am—8.00pm
Friday and Saturday: 9.45am—4.30pm

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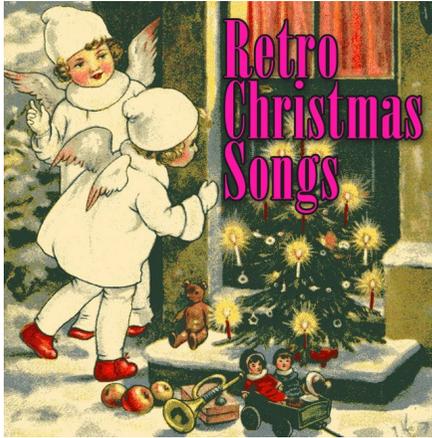
December 2023 Event Guide

*Clondalkin Library closes for Christmas
on Fri 22nd Dec. We reopen on Tue 2nd Jan.*



All events can be booked at
clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie

Adult Events



Christmas with the Local Vocals Choir

Join the Local Vocals choir as they sing all your favourite Christmas songs!

Monday 18th December
6:15pm - 7:30pm

Light refreshments will be served.

Booking opens from 1st December through clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie

Adult Craft Class

Friday 8th December
11.00am—12.30pm

Join Joan for a morning of Christmas crafts.

All materials will be provided.

Booking opens from 27th November through clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie



Children's Events

Lego and Duplo Free Play
Saturday 9th December
12.30pm - 2.00pm
Ages 4+



Booking from 1st Dec through clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie

Self-Led Baby & Toddler Group

Join us for our self-led baby and toddler group. We'll provide the space and toys, you provide the playtime!

10.00am - 11.30am

Tuesday 5th, 12th, & 19th December
Friday 1st, Saturday 9th & Fri 15th December

All Welcome—No Booking Required

Quiet Thursdays

4.30pm - 6.30pm

Join us for a quiet evening every Thursday when we reduce noise and turn down the lights creating a more welcoming environment. Sensory boxes are available to use in our teepees!



Children's Events



Free Bedtime book for all children aged 0-4

Every child deserves the gift of bedtime stories.

As part of our Books at Bedtime initiative, all children aged 4 and under in Ireland now have access to a free book to start their own reading journey. A simple visit to any South Dublin Libraries library branch will ensure you and your little one can create memories to last a lifetime.



Christmas Storytime with Santa

Come along to our special Christmas Storytime where little ones will hear some festive tales, meet Santa and receive a surprise craft bag!

Tuesday 19th December, 3.30pm—4.15pm

For ages 3-6. Booking opens 1st Dec at clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie

STORYTIME for Ages 3+ Tuesday 5th & 12th Dec at 3.30pm

Come along and join in our weekly storytime session

All Welcome. No Booking Required



Adult Events



Basic Computer Skills

Starting soon!



This course is for adults who want to learn basic computer skills and understand technology in everyday life

**Clondalkin Library ~ 01 4593315
Monastery Road, D22.**

Ask at the main desk for more information



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Adult Events

Genealogy and Family History Group

Returns in January

Informal genealogy and family history group which meets monthly.

All Welcome.



The Village Writers Creative Writing Group Tuesday 5th December 6.30pm - 7.30pm



A new self-led writing group meeting monthly on the first Tuesday of every month from 6.30pm - 7.30pm.

New members are welcome.

To register your interest, please contact a member of staff at the library desk or call us on (01) 4593315

Children's Christmas Events

Christmas Eco-Crafts with Rediscovery Centre



**Thursday 14th December
10am—11.30am or 12pm—1.30pm**

During our fun hands-on Eco Christmas crafts workshop, students explore ideas on waste reduction, reuse and recycling, through hands-on arts and craft activities.

The workshop includes a range of age-appropriate Christmas crafts making fabulous Christmas decorations from waste materials, such as making Santa Claus figures, to making plastic bottle penguins, fabric tree decorations and beautiful upcycled Christmas cards.

Suitable for 1st to 6th Class.

Both sessions are the same—please only book one.

Class Bookings Only.

Children's Christmas Events

Christmas Crafts with Kim Jenkinson

Tuesday 12th December
3.30pm—4.30pm

Join Kim Jenkinson for this fun Christmas craft workshop where you'll making Rudolf wall hangings to decorate your home for the season ahead. For ages 7– 12.



Booking open from 1st Dec through clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie

STEAM: Make an LED Christmas Card

Wednesday 13th December
3pm—4.30pm

Join us to design your own light up Christmas card and learn the science behind how it works!

For ages 5+



Booking open from 1st Dec through clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie

Adult Events

Shared Reading

Tuesday 12th December, 6.30pm—7.30pm

A friendly trained leader provides a welcome and the text of something chosen to read aloud - a poem, a story or piece of literature. The leader then will initiate a discussion of what has just been read. There's no need for you to read aloud or speak unless you want to - it's okay to just listen. Shared Reading offers a welcoming space for individuals to form real connections with the literature, themselves and others.

Booking opens from 1st December through clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie



New Adult Book Club

continues **Monday 11th December 6.30pm-7.30pm.**

New Members Welcome

To register your interest please email clondalkin@sdublincoco.ie or ask at the main desk.

New!

Happy Readers Book Club

Thursday Book Club: returns in January
6.30pm-7.30pm

No capacity for new members at this time

Spotlight On

Christmas Books!



Check out our range of specially curated Christmas Books!

From non-fiction, to Christmas tales, to picture books, to your favourite festive movies!

TTRS: Touch-Type, Read and Spell with confidence for children

This is a multi-sensory course for children that teaches typing, reading & spelling.

We have 12 spaces available:

Mondays: 5.00pm-6.00pm 4 spaces

Tuesdays: 5.00pm-6.00pm 4 spaces

Wednesdays: 4.00pm-5.00pm 4 spaces

Please phone or speak to a member of staff to book your place.

Children's Christmas Events

Teddy Bear Sleepover

6th December, 5.30pm

Bring your teddy to the library for a special bedtime story.

Your teddy can have a sleepover in the library with all their teddy friends and you can collect them the next day and see what they got up to.



Pajamas Optional!

Booking Essential from 29th November through clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie



Toddler Time with Sarah Sparkles

Saturday 9th December
10am—11am

For babies, toddlers and their grownups.

Booking Essential from 1st December through clondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie
