



Clondalkin Library

November 2026

Event Guide



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Images of Clondalkin

This month's cover photo was taken by one of our regular borrowers.



If you have an *Image of Clondalkin* you would like to share, you can email it to us at clondalkinlibrary@sdublincoco.ie



1-to-1 Smartphone Help Sessions

Do you need help getting to grips with your smartphone? Make an appointment with our library staff for some one-to-one guidance at a time that suits you. No problem too small.

To book phone 01-459 3315
or speak to a member of staff in the library.

Library@Home Delivery Service

Library@Home is our popular delivery service designed for people who have difficulty leaving home to visit the library.

If you would like to avail of this service (or if you know someone who would) contact the Mobile Library at **01-459 7834** or email mobilelibraries@sdublincoco.ie and we will take it from there.



Adult Events

The Village Writers - Creative Writing Group

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Tuesday 3rd November

@ 6.30pm

Our self-led writing group meets on the first Tuesday of every month. Develop your writing skills in a friendly and supportive environment.



New members welcome. No need to book.

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Learn English - with Fáilte Isteach

Every Wednesday

@ 11.00am

Practice and improve your language skills in these free conversational English classes. All levels catered for.



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Welcoming Migrants through Conversational English Classes

All welcome (no need to book).

Regular Events:

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= Every Week

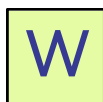
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= Every Fortnight

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= Once a Month

Adult Events



Crochet Classes with Sheidner Gwei

**A six-week course running every
Wednesday from 4th Nov @ 6.00pm**

Sheidner Gwei returns to Clondalkin Library with her ever-popular crochet workshops. Get creative in a relaxed environment. Suitable for beginners and improvers. All materials provided.

Booking now via Eventbrite

Irish Sign Language Conversation Group



Wednesday 11th & 25th November @ 6.30pm

This self-led group meets every second Wednesday. Meet, chat and practice with other ISL users of all levels.

All welcome (no need to book)



Family History

**A four-week course running every
Monday from 16th Nov @ 6.00pm**

Unlock the story of your Irish ancestors in this practical genealogy course for beginners.

Booking via Eventbrite from 2nd November

Adult Events

Picking up the Pieces: A Beginner's Guide to Writing with Louise Phillips

**Tuesday 10th and 17th November
@ 6.00pm**



Is writing something you've always wanted to try? Or perhaps, you used to write, but for some reason, you stopped? Maybe it's time to pick up the pieces. This beginner's course in creative writing is specifically designed for those of you who want to try writing for the first, or perhaps, the second time.

The course runs over two weeks under the expert tutelage of bestselling Irish crime author **Louise Phillips**.

Booking via Eventbrite from 26th October



Genealogy & Family History Group

**Thursday 19th November
@ 6.30pm**

Would you like to research your family tree, but don't know where to start? Our genealogy and family history group meets monthly to share ideas and research.

All welcome (no need to book).



A SUSTAINABLE CHRISTMAS AT CLONDALKIN LIBRARY



This November and December Clondalkin Library will be hosting a slew of events to help you make Christmas 2026 your most sustainable yet.



Puzzle Swap

Sat 14th November @ 11.30am

Pop into the library to swap jigsaws and meet like-minded people. Drop off your used jigsaws and pick up a new-to-you jigsaw to take home and enjoy completing on a cold winter evening.

All Welcome. No need to book!



Christmas Wreath Making with Wicklow Willow

Fri 20th November @ 12.00 noon

Design and create your own Christmas wreath in this relaxed and fun hands-on workshop.

Event for adults. Booking via Eventbrite from 2nd November.



A SUSTAINABLE CHRISTMAS AT CLONDALKIN LIBRARY



Kids Crafty Christmas Morning Sat 21st November @ 10.30am

Help us decorate the library! In this crafty morning drop-in, join us to make eco-friendly Christmas decorations to adorn the library for the festive season.

Event for children and families. No booking required!



Eco Wrapping with Aoife Munn Mon 23rd November @ 11am

Create your own eco-friendly wrapping, from homemade boxes to Japanese wrapping. Crafty, money-saving and better for the planet.



Event for adults. Booking via Eventbrite from 9th November.



Make your own Christmas Cards Fri 27th November @ 12.00 noon

Join our talented staff member, Esther, to make fabulous homemade Christmas cards.

Event for adults. Booking via Eventbrite from 9th November

Adult Book Clubs



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Monday Book Club

Next meeting: Monday 9th November @ 6.30pm

Our Monday Book Club meets on the second
Monday of every month.

Tuesday Book Club

Next Meeting: Tuesday 24th November @ 6.30pm

Our Tuesday Book Club meets on the last
Tuesday of each month.

Happy Readers Book Club

Next meeting: Thursday 26th November @ 6.30pm

The Happy Readers meet on the last Thursday
of every month.

**To register your interest in one of our book clubs
phone 01 459 3315 or speak to a member of staff in the library.**

Children's Events

TTRS:

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**Touch-Type, Read and Spell
with confidence**

Every Monday

@ 5.00pm - 6.00pm

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

Suitable for children aged 8+

**For more information contact the
library on 01-4593315
or email: clondalkinlibrary@sdublincoco.ie**



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Self-Led Baby & Toddler Group

Every Tuesday

@ 10.00am



Join us for our self-led baby and toddler group. For babies who are crawling/mobile and toddlers, we provide the space and toys ... you provide the playtime.

All welcome (no need to book)

Children's Events

Storytime

Every Tuesday @ 3.00pm

Join our library staff for some enchanting stories.
Perfect for little readers and their grown-ups.

Suitable for ages 3+. All Welcome (no need to book)



Mother Tongues Language Explorers

Every Saturday in November @ 2.00pm

Mother Tongues Language Explorer workshops are a creative experience for parents and children based on storytelling, play, visual arts and music. Meet and connect with other families and share your language journey.

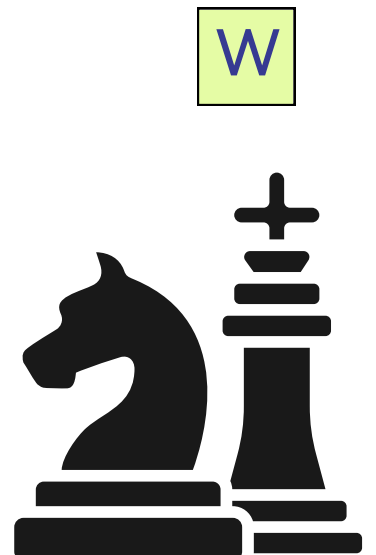
To book email info@mothertongues.ie or scan this QR code

Chess Saturdays

Every Saturday @ 11.30am

Practice your chess skills at our informal and friendly chess group. Please note that this is a self-led group, so a **basic knowlege of chess is required.**

Suitable for ages 10+. All welcome (no need to book)



Children's Events

Comic Book Club

Monday 2nd November @ 5.00pm

Our Comic Book Club meets once a month in the Junior Library. Read and discuss your favourite comics ... and work together to create your own stories.

Suitable for ages 9 - 12

To join, ask at the desk or phone 01-4593315



CLONDALKIN COMIC FEST

Superhero Storytime and Craft

Tuesday 24th November @ 3.00pm

Is it a bird? Is it a plane? No it's our very special Superhero storytime and craft coming to the library as part of Clondalkin Comic Fest!

Suitable for ages 3+. All Welcome (no need to book)



Recycled Comic Collage Craft

Thursday 26th November @ 3.30pm

Turn our old comics into something brand new in this crafty collage session.

Suitable for ages 7-12. Booking via Eventbrite

See Clondalkin Comic Fest brochure for more information on the festival!



Clondalkin Library

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Library Opening Hours

Monday to Thursday: 9.45am to 8.00pm

Friday and Saturday: 9.45am to 4.30pm

Closed on Saturday and Monday of Public Holiday Weekends

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