



# North Clondalkin Library

## September 2023 Event Guide

All events can be booked at  
[northclondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie](http://northclondalkinlibrary.eventbrite.ie)

### Library Opening Hours

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

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[www.southdublinlibraries.ie](http://www.southdublinlibraries.ie)  
[www.sdcc.ie](http://www.sdcc.ie)

Facebook: NCL-North Clondalkin Library  
Twitter: SDCCLibraries  
Instagram: SDCCLibraries



## Knitting Group

**Every Monday & Friday 10am - 12pm**

Come along for some knitting and a chat

**All Welcome!**



Coffee Morning for Adults

**Every Thursday @ 10.30am**

**All Welcome!**

Music Session for Adults

**Thursday 7th and 21st of September @ 10.30am**

**All Welcome!**

**Informal music session -**  
Instruments welcome

# Adult Education

## ESOL (DDLETB)

Starting Tuesday 19th September - 12th December  
10.00am – 12.00pm

No Classes during Mid-term

Break 30th October – 3rd November

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## **Irish for Beginners/Begin-Againers**

8 weeks starting Tuesday 19th September

6.45pm – 8.00pm

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## **Environmental Sustainability**

(in association with Collinstown Park CC Adult Ed. Centre)

Starting Wednesday 6th September

No Classes during Mid-term Break 30th October – 3rd November

10.00am – 12.00pm

## **Help with Reading /Writing & Spelling (Literacy) (DDLETB)**

6 week course starting Wednesday 4th October

10.00am – 12.00pm

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## **Mixed Crafts (DDLETB)**

8 week course starting Wednesday 4th October

12.30pm – 2.30pm

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## **Using Computers and Smartphones (DDLETB)**

5 week course starting Thursday 21st September

**Registration for this event opens September 14th**

**11.00am - 1.00pm**



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# **Shared Reading Group**

- A friendly trained leader provides a warm welcome and the text of something specially chosen to read. This may be a poem or a story.
- Group members join in the reading and the conversation, or just simply sit back and listen.
- Reading the literature aloud in real-time, means that everyone is involved in a shared, live experience
- The Reader Leader encourages group members to respond personally, sharing feelings, thoughts and memories inspired by the reading.
- Everyone experiences the text in their own way, but the literature provides a shared language that can help us to understand ourselves and others better.
- There's no right or wrong way to enjoy Shared Reading, or pressure to attend every session.

**Tuesday 5th and 19th of September**

**3.00pm - 4.00pm**

**Free Event Open to Adults**



# QUIET TIME IN THE LIBRARY



CHECK OUT OUR SENSORY EQUIPMENT AND SPECIALIST  
TOYS IN A CALM AND QUIET ENVIRONMENT.

GET CREATIVE WITH OUR MAGIC TABLE, EXPLORE  
OUR SENSORY GARDEN, RELAX IN OUR BLACKOUT TENT.

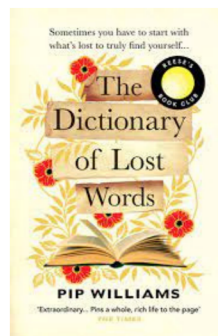
EVERY SATURDAY 10AM-12PM NO NEED TO BOOK

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## NCL Adult Book Club

Tuesday 26th of September @ 7pm

Reading “The Dictionary of  
Lost Words” by Pip Williams



Contact Sallyann on 0868013752  
or email  
[sallyann.alexander@sdcpartnership.ie](mailto:sallyann.alexander@sdcpartnership.ie)

Every Monday @  
10:00am.

Maynooth University in  
association with South  
Dublin Libraries,  
Clondalkin Access Network  
and South Dublin County  
Partnership seek  
participants for a free  
university level course. No  
exam, no essays, all you  
need is curiosity and a  
willingness to learn.



**CALLING ALL EXAM STUDENTS!  
QUIET SHARED STUDY SPACE OR  
ROOMS AVAILABLE AT NORTH  
CLONDALKIN LIBRARY**

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Every Saturday from 9.45am-4.30pm & Weekdays on request.



# Healthy Ireland Programme



## **SAFETalk with Karin Jonssen**

Friday 8th September 10.00am – 12.00pm

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## **Creative Mindfulness Workshop (Secondary school Bookings)**

1 hour workshop for TY Students

Monday 11th September 10.00 – 11.30

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## **Luke Clerkin Mental Health & Music Workshop**

(Secondary school Bookings)

2 x TY groups

Tuesday 12th September 10.00am – 1.00pm

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## **We Can Quit!**

Every Monday 10.00am – 11.30am

from 18th September to 4th December

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## **Irish Heart Foundation**

*Mobile Heart Health Check Unit*

Thursday 31st of August 11.00am - 3.00pm

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## Culture Night 2023 at NCL

### Friday 22nd September



### **Exhibition: A Picture Paints a Thousand Words.**

#### **Friday 22nd September from 5pm.**

Sonas is hosting an exhibition that will feature 16 portraits of victims of Femicide and Filicide.

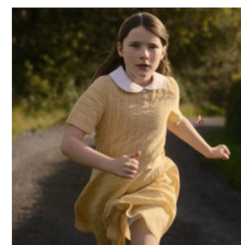
The aim of this event is to raise awareness of the impact of Domestic Abuse and Femicide in Ireland, to promote the collaborative effort for accountability, and to inspire guests that a world without Domestic Violence is possible.

Sonas is 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.



### **Keyboard Magic**

Why not call in and have a go on our keyboard. We encourage all ebony and ivory tinklers, bringers of nocturnes, ragtime, jazz, trad and 'come-all-ye's' to join in the fun.



### **An Cailín Ciúin**

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  
Friday 22nd September at 6pm



# NOISE MUSIC

## The Night Belongs to Us

This event will take place in the library the last Wednesday of every month, commencing Wednesday 27th September and continues through October, when the library is closed.

(8pm-10pm)

Open mic.

DJ sets

Comedy & Improv

**In association with Noise Music.**





