General Information/Eolas Ginearálta

Free admission to The Music Makers of West Clare for students.

Students and visitors must arrange their own accommodation and transport. There is a wide variety of accommodation in the Miltown Malbay area.

See www.oac.ie www.visitmiltownmalbay.ie



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Registration

Name:
Email:
Phone:
Grade:
Adult Beginners:
Master Class:

Register and pay online at www.oac.ie or *forward cheque to:*

OaC, Flag Road, Miltown Malbay, Co. Clare

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BUÍOCHAS

ls iad Oidhreacht an Chláir a eagraíonn an Cruinniú Consairtín bliantúil, le tacaíocht uathu seo a leanas:

Comhlacht Forbartha Áitiúil an Chláir/ Clare Local Development Company, trí Scéim TÚS na Roinne Coimirce Sóisialaí

Oifig Ealaíon Chomhairle Contae an Chláir Shannon Images

Scoil Samhraidh Willie Clancy

Gabhaimid buíochas ar leith freisin le Aidan Looney (Príomhoide) agus foireann eile Bhunscoil Naomh Iosaf, le Cumann Trádálaithe Shráid na Cathrach agus le Stephen Chambers.

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CLARE INSTITUTE FOR TRADITIONAL STUDIES

5th Annual

CONCERTINA CRUINNIÚ

Féile Mhór an Chonsairtín



in Miltown Malbay Co. Clare



FRIDAY, 17 FEBRUARY

6.00 pm - 7.00 pm

Registration at Westbridge Bar & Restaurant

7.30pm

Official Opening by Siobhán Mulcahy

(Arts Officer, Clare County Council)

followed by A Tribute to Dympna O'Sullivan:

Ceiliúradh ar Consartín Chorca Baiscinn, hosted

by Michael Tubridy, with music from Gerald Haugh, Jacqueline McCarthy, Mairead Considine, Sharon O'Leary and others.

Venue: Westbridge Bar & Restaurant

Admission €5. Free for registered students.

10.00pm

Conair an Chonsairtín

(Concertina Trail) in selected pubs. Sessions with some of the leading concertina players in

the country, joined by friends and families. Admission free.

SATURDAY, 18 FEBRUARY

9.00am

Registration for classes at St. Joseph's National School, Mullagh Road.

9.30am Grading will commence

10.00am - 1.00pm (Short Break 11.30am) Classes for all grades, beginner, intermediate and advanced at National School, Mullagh Rd. including Adult-only Beginners class.

Master class with Noel Hill

All classes will be overseen by Master Tutor Noel Hill and conducted by a panel of experienced musicians and tutors: Jacqueline McCarthy, Edel Fox, Hugh Healy, Mary MacNamara, Jack Talty, Cormac Begley, Liam O'Brien, Claire Keville, Caoilfhionn Ní Fhrighil and Francis Cunningham.

SATURDAY, 18 FEBRUARY

2.30pm - 4.00pm

Lecture: Pakie Russell 1920 - 1977,

A Friend Remembered, a Talk and Reading by Author

and Poet, Michael Coady. Venue: Malbay Hotel

Admission €5. Free for registered students.

 $3.00 \, \text{pm} - 5.00 \, \text{pm}$

Open Junior Session, led by Sorcha Curtin and

Tara Comber.

Venue: Central Hotel All Welcome

Admission free.

6.00pm - 7.30pm

Recital: Tríréad Dísréad (A Trio of Duets)

Concertina and companion instruments with Liam O'Brien and Alisha McMahon, Claire Keville and John Weir, Hugh Healy and Sean Vaughan.

Venue: Westbridge Bar & Restaurant

Admission €10. Free for registered students.

8.30pm

'Concertina' (Noel Hill, Jack Talty and Cormac Begley IN CONCERT)

Venue: Westbridge Bar & Restaurant Admission €15.

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Conair an Chonsairtín (Concertina Trail) in selected pubs.

Admission free.

SUNDAY, 19 FEBRUARY

10.00am - 1.00pm (Short Break 11.30am) Classes at National School.

2.00pm - 3.30pm

Final Notes

Short recital from each class with review and wrap-up of classes at Westbridge Bar & Restaurant.

SUNDAY, 19 FEBRUARY

4.00pm - 5.00pm

Concertina repair workshop

Concertina repair & maintenance with Stephen Chambers.

Venue: Central Hotel, Main St.

Admission €5. Free for registered students.

4.00pm – 5.30pm **Open Session** led by

Mick Kinsella and Josephine Marsh.

Venue: Westbridge Bar & Restaurant All Welcome.

6.00pm - 8.00pm Farewell Concert

Noel Battle & Róisín Broderick

Róisín White (Gradam Ceoil TG4, Amhránaí na Bliana 2015)

Mary Bergin, Tony Linnane & Mick Conneely

Venue: Westbridge Bar & Restaurant Admission €10. Free for registered students.

10.00pm

Conair an Chonsairtín (Concertina Trail) in selected pubs.

Admission free.

Stephen Chambers will be available on Saturday 18th, 11am - 5.30pm in The Music Makers of West Clare to consult about concertinas and to carry out running repairs in addition to workshop on Sunday.

Fee: €70 for two days tuition and admission to all events, except Concertina Concert.

Early Bird Registration: €50. Students must register and pay by 31st January 2017 to avail of this.

Booking and further details:

Contact eolas@oac.ie or 065-7085785 The Concertina Cruinniú is an annual community non-commercial event organised by Oidhreacht an Chláir to promote the musical and cultural heritage of Clare.