



at

**Cork City Libraries**

Friday 23 September



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CORK CITY COUNCIL | COMHAIRLE CATHRACH CHORCAÍ

## **The City Library, Grand Parade**

### **The Slow Camera Exchange**

**5.00 – 7.30 pm**

The Slow Camera Exchange Pop-up Studio with Artem Trofimenko and Marcin Lewandowski

Ireland's first analogue camera exchange is inviting members of the public to view, explore and engage with a range of interesting photographic processes and curious cameras from the collection used by artist Hermann Marbe during his lifetime. Funded by Creative Ireland.

## **The City Library, Carnegie Courtyard, off Tuckey Street**

### **'Magic Books and Juggling Balls'**

**5.00 - 6.00 pm**

It's time to write your own adventure... with juggling balls!

In partnership with the Circus Factory Cork, we invite kids to join us for Culture Night at the opening of The Carnegie Courtyard at The City Library for a fun, creative juggling workshop. Make your own juggling balls to bring or borrow some at the library. It's about time we have a juggling story book here, right?

### **Cork Academy of Music live performance**

**6.30 - 7.15 pm**

### **Cork Barrack Street Band**

**7.30 - 8.00 pm**

The one and only! What better way to launch this new creative space?!

### **'The Carnegie Courtyard'**

**8.15 pm**

Official Opening by The Lord Mayor of Cork, Cllr. Deirdre Forde of the City Library's new outdoor performance space.

*In a tiny car park of the City Library...Which is really only a builders' yard left behind in 1978...* Thomas McCarthy

Thomas McCarthy wrote *Bells* in the space which is launching on Culture Night as the City Library's new outdoor space The Carnegie Courtyard. To celebrate the launch, Rosie O'Regan will read McCarthy's poem in the space where it was inspired. She will be accompanied by harpist Ruth McDonnell.

Rosie O'Regan is a member of BrokenCrow theatre company, a freelance Actor, an Early Years Artist with Graffiti theatre company and a member of Outlaw Studios where she holds an art studio.

Ruth McDonnell has performed on international stages and has commissioned poetry and harp pieces. She will play her own compositions, O'Carolan airs and other Irish music.

## **Douglas Library**

### **A Rockin' History**

**4.00 – 5.00 pm**

From Rory Gallagher and Taste to Microdisney and the Sultans of Ping....

A multimedia presentation on the history of rock in Cork, from as far back as the 11<sup>th</sup> century up to modern times. With Ben Hussey in our Listening Lounge.

### **An evening with "The Reflections"**

**6.00 – 7.30 pm**

The Reflections have been playing music for many years, supporting local charities and social and community groups such as Tidy Towns. Their music style is easy listening and singalong including country and western, ballads and popular music from the 50's, 60's and more recent.

## Hollyhill Library

### Gamelan Workshops

5.00 – 5.45 pm  
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Come and enjoy a session of relaxed, inclusive music-making with the Cork Community Gamelan– a collection of Javanese metallophones and gongs, at Hollyhill Library. Presented by Music Generation Cork City and UCC. Booking advised. 021 4924945/ 4924928. Workshop for adults and teens ages 16+. Admission Free.

### Shared Memories photography exhibition

6.00 – 7.00 pm

Ireland's first analogue camera exchange, *The Slow Camera Exchange*, is inviting members of the public to view, explore and engage with their maiden exhibition running from the 8th-30th September. Funded by Creative Ireland.

### Concert City in Flames

7.00 pm

City in Flames is a recording commemorating Cork's Contribution to the War of Independence and features original songs written by John Murphy, Tim O'Riordan and Cliff Wedgbury. Booking advised. 021 4924945/ 4924928. Admission Free

## Mayfield Library

### Book Launch

7.30 pm

Launch of "Faeries, Felons and Fine Gentlemen: A History of the Glen, Cork 1780-1980", by Gerard O'Brien