

January - June 2024

Welcome

We have a great line up of live events for all the family this spring/summer and we look forward to welcoming you to Siamsa Tíre.

Our theatre and gallery are open to the public from 10.00am-5.30pm Monday-Saturday for the spring/summer season, and we are committed to ensuring that your visit is safe and enjoyable.

You can reach us on **066 7123055** or email **boxoffice**@siamsatire.com. If you leave a message or email us, please be patient and we will get back to you as soon as we can.

SUPPORT SIAMSA TÍRE

Many patrons have asked us if there is a way that they can donate to help support the venue. This is possible through our website. We sincerely thank anyone who chooses to donate.

Gift Vouchers

Give the gift of live entertainment...

Give special moments to your friends, family or business with a Siamsa Tire Gift Voucher. Treat your friends, family or work colleagues to a night at the theatre when you purchase a Gift Voucher for Siamsa Tire that can be used to buy tickets for all of our shows.

It has never been easier to purchase gift vouchers. Simply visit our website, call into our Box Office or call us on 066 713 3055 to purchase your voucher and we will be happy to send you the gift voucher for any monetary amount you require.

The Bar at Siamsa Tíre

Our theatre bar is open for patrons to purchase a wide range of beverages and snacks. Our bar includes locally sourced beers and spirits from Kerry and the Munster region, supporting our local sustainability.

You can pre-order your drinks as part of your booking process or order on arrival as normal, to avoid queues at the interval. Pre-order drinks for your arrival, interval or post show and enjoy the relaxing ambience of the Siamsa Tíre bar.

Thank you to all our Patrons

Siamsa Tíre's €1 Development Levy was introduced in 2010 and is included in your ticket price. The levy is just one of a number of ways to support the theatre so that we can provide you with an exciting programme of events as well as investing in improvements and refurbishments to update facilities to make your visit more enjoyable.

Ficino Emsemble with Finghin Collins

Tickets: €18/16

The acclaimed chamber group Ficino Ensemble presents a musical odyssey, performing rarely heard music by Mozart, McKay and Penderecki. Mozart's noble and epic *Divertimento* for String Trio and Irish composer Deirdre McKay's atmospheric *Between* will set the stage for the dynamic and evocative *Sextet* by the late Polish composer Krzysztof Penderecki for which the ensemble will be joined by renowned pianist Finghin Collins.

Programme: Mozart 'Divertimento' K. 563 for String Trio Deirdre McKay 'Between' for Bass Clarinet and Cello Penderecki 'Sextet'

Elaine Clark - Violin, Nathan Sherman - Viola Ailbhe McDonagh - Cello, Macdara Ó Seireadán - Clarinet, Hannah Miller - French Horn, Finghin Collins - Piano













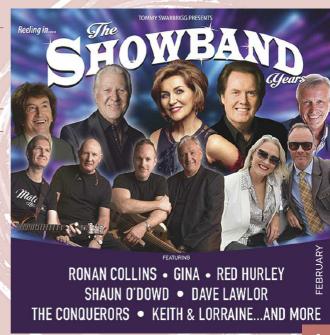
Friday 2nd Feb: 8pm

Reeling in the Showband Years with Ronan Collins

Tickets: €31

All of the stars join in for a medley of songs from the unique showband years! Bringing you back in time to this magical musical period.

The show's exciting finale is an ALL Cast Salute to the Showband Era. It will send you home with great memories of a wonderful and never to be repeated time in Irish popular music. A very special evening, not to be missed!



Friday 9th Feb: 7.30pm €10 (Peview)
Saturday 10th, Monday 12th & Tuesday 13th
Feb: 4pm & 7.30pm €20/18

Wednesday 14th Feb: 12pm €20/18 lonad na Dromoda, Kerry

Taigh/TŶ/Teach

Fishamble: The New Play Company, Theatre Gu Leòr and Theatr Bara Caws

Please note this event takes place at the external venue of Ionad Na Dromoda, Kerry, V23 RK10

Tabhair faoi deara, le do thoil, go mbeidh an imeacht seo ar siúl ag láthair seachtarach Ionad Na Dromoda, Ciarraí, V23 RK10

Written by Eva O'Connor, Màiri Morrison and Mared Llywelyn Williams Directed by Muireann Kelly Taigh Tŷ Teach is a major, tri-lingual co-production of a new site-specific piece written by Màiri Morrison (Scotland), Eva O' Connor (Ireland) and Mared Llywelyn Williams (Wales). The play is performed in Irish, Gaelic and Welsh with English subtitles.

'Taigh' in Gaelic, 'Tŷ' in Welsh and 'Teach' in Irish. The same meaning in three languages: 'House'. The centre of our world, it's a place for family, for gathering, for music.

A place for mourning and for celebration, for playing and for belonging. But it's a place under threat, with second home ownership, rising rents and lack of affordable housing impacting our communities and our languages.

Three houses, three communities and three stories unfolding, each reflecting the challenges shared by the three countries and the people at the heart of them.

Is comhléiriú suntasach, trítheangach é Taigh/Tŷ/Teach de shaothar nua suíomhoiriúnaithe atá scríofa ag Màiri Morrison (Albain), Eva O'Connor (Éirinn) agus Mared Llywelyn Williams (Bhreatain Bheag), agus curtha i láthair i nGaeilge, i nGàidhlig agus sa Bhreatnais le fotheidil Bhéarla.

'Taigh' i Gàidhlig, 'Tŷ' sa Bhreatnais agus 'Teach' sa Ghaeilge. An bhrí chéanna i dtrí theanga. Croílár ár saoil, is áit é an teach don teaghlach, don tionól, don cheol. Áit don chaoineadh agus don cheiliúradh, don spraoi agus don mhuintearas.

Ach is áit é atá faoi bhagairt, le húinéireacht an dara teach, cíosanna ag ardú agus easpa tithíochta inacmhainne ag dul i bhfeidhm ar ár bpobail agus ar ár dteangacha.

Trí theach, trí phobal agus trí scéal á ríomh, gach ceann acu mar léiriú ar thrí thír a bhfuil na dúshláin chéanna acu, agus na daoine atá i gcroílár iontu.



Please note that this event has limited capacity.

Supported by Creative Scotland, Bord na Gàidhlig, the Arts Council, Culture Ireland, Siamsa Tíre, Foras na Gaeilge, British Irish Chamber of Commerce, British Council Ireland, Scottish Government in Ireland, and Welsh Government in Ireland, Arts Council of Wales, and Gwynedd Council Shared Prosperity Fund.

How to Get the Menopause and Enjoy It

with Anne Gildea

Tickets: €23/21 | AGE 16+

brings TMI to a whole new level.

Now's your chance to join Anne on this hilarious, informative rollercoaster through all things menopause and womanly. How to Get the Menopause and Enjoy It is an original, informative, wet-your-pants excursion through one of life's last great mysteries the menopause! What is it? Why does it happen? Is there anything you can do about it? Why is it named after men? And why oh why is so little known about this inevitable phase of lady-life? Anne answers all these questions and more as she

'Amazingly funny and really accurate - loved it!'
Dr. Deirdre Lundy, Menopause Specialist



Thursday 15th Feb: 8pm

Music Network

Tickets: €22/19

Presents Niamh Dunne, Bróna Mcvittie, Cormac Breatnach & Seán Óg Graham LIVE IN CONCERT

This talented quartet of singers and instrumentalists will take us on a musical journey, blending traditional and contemporary music, taking both new and familiar melodies on unexpected journeys and presenting old songs in new ways.

Featuring Niamh Dunne and Seán Óg Graham from the highly acclaimed **Beoga**, whose collaborations with Ed Sheeran on Galway Girl and Nancy Mulligan have been streamed over a billion times, Niamh brings gorgeous vocals and fantastic fiddle playing to the quartet, while Seán adds extraordinary musicianship on both guitar and button accordion.

Legendary whistle-player and creative force behind the iconic Deiseal, Cormac Breatnach completes the line up alongside vocalist and harper Bróna McVittie, one of the most exciting and inspirational artists to have emerged in recent years.





Saturday 17th Feb: 8pm

A Viennese Strauss Gala

Tickets: €25

Theatre Productions Europe Ltd are proud to bring you a sparkling new production of the ever popular Viennese Strauss Gala. The music recreates the romance of a bygone age of glamorous soirees, glittering ballrooms, jaunty polkas and wonderous waltzes.

The show features highlights from some of the great Operettas and music of the Strauss family plus Kalman and Lehar; including Die Fledermaus, Gypsy Baron, The Merry Widow, Blue Danube Waltz and a rousing finale of the Radetsky March.

The European Baroque Ensemble will accompany four soloists from major Opera companies; including Opera North, English National Opera and Welsh National Opera.

The Legends of American Country

JMG Music Group

Tickets: €26

Now seen by over 350,000 fans live and watched by millions on TV Europe's No.1 multi-award winning show 'The Legends of American Country' returns for another fantastic night of toe tapping country nostalgia.

The show features 3 superb singers all accompanied by a superb live band of musicians with that real authentic Tennessee sound coupled with authentic stage set and state of the art production that is guaranteed to transport you all the way hand clapping and toe tapping to Nashville and back in one night.



One thing is for sure if it's Country music you like then this is the only show in town!

"Fantastic show of nostalgic country at its best with superb vocalists and musicians".

Hot Country TV

Tuesday 20th & Wednesday 21st Feb: 8pm nightly School show Wednesday 21st Feb: 11.30am

The Shadow of Gunman



A Druid Theatre Production

Tickets: €31/28 School show: €15 per student

In the spring of 2024, Druid will tour Ireland with Sean O'Casey's classic play *The Shadow of a Gunman*. Set against the backdrop of the Irish War of Independence, and by turns tragic and comic, O'Casey's *The Shadow of a Gunman* is the tale of an ambitious young woman who dreams of a life beyond her Dublin tenement with the mysterious neighbour downstairs.

Directed by Garry Hynes, The Shadow of a Gunman features Druid Ensemble members Rory Nolan and Marty Rea, alongside Gabriel Adewusi, Clare Barrett, Caitríona Ennis, Bosco Hogan, Sean Kearns, Robbie O'Connor and Catherine Walsh. This five-star production was first produced in 2023 as part of *DruidO'Casey*, Druid's play cycle of Sean O'Casey's Dublin Trilogy, which also includes The Plough and the Stars and Juno and the Paycock.

★★★★ 'Druid triumphs yet again ... spectacular' Irish Mail on Sunday

★★★★ 'A thrilling experiment in epic theatre'

New York Stage Review





Friday 23rd Feb: 7.30pm

Tralee Community Rose Selection

Rose of Tralee International Festival

Tickets: €22/under 12 years: €12

Join us at the first ever Tralee Community Rose Selection for a spectacular night of great entertainment and fun for all of the community to enjoy. A prize for the best dressed on the night and of course we will find out who will be our 2024 Tralee Community Rose! All in the name of raising funds for T.E.A.M. Project.



Monday 26th Feb: 11am

Psycho Spaghetti

Ger Carey Live

Comic Journey Inside the Teenage Mind

Tickets: €12.50 Suitability: TY students or 16+

Back with his hilarious stand-up comedy show for transition year students. Ger has uncovered the weird and frightening world of the teenage! The aim of the show is to get teenagers to laugh at themselves and appreciate the differences of others.

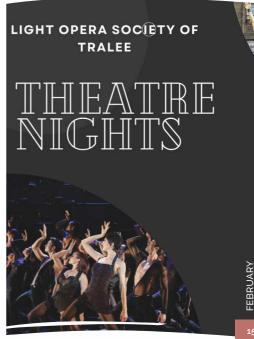
Theatre Nights

The Light Opera Society Tralee

Tickets: €22/20

Fresh off their spectacular run of The Phantom of the Opera, the Light Opera Society of Tralee returns to Siamsa Tire with their variety show Theatre Nights, directed by Clodagh Harrington and choreographed by Aileen Murphy.

LOST will be showcasing a selection of musical theatre delights in this fast past show. Highlights will feature Fiddler on the Roof. The Sound of Music, Billy Elliot, Les Miserables, Chicago, Hamilton and many, many more. It is sure to be a great night of entertainment for all the family.



Austen's Women: LADY SUSAN

Dyad Productions

Tickets: €21/19 | Suitability: 10+

Austen's Women are back - in a brand-new show!

Devil-may-care Lady Susan, the coquettish black widow, hunting down not one, but two, fortunes; oppressed, rebellious daughter Frederica; long-suffering sister-in-law Catherine; family matriarch Mrs De Courcy; and insouciant best friend, Alicia.

Return to the Regency (or rather, Georgian) in this darkly comic tale of society and the women trapped within it their struggles, their desires, their temptations and manipulations - and at the vanguard, Lady Susan, charming, scheming, witty, and powerful; taking on society and making it her own. But has she met her match?

Based on Jane Austen's first full-length work from 1794, and created entirely from letters, the piece is performed by Rebecca Vaughan and directed by Andrew Margerison.

'A towering performance'
The Scotsman

'Quite simply: astounding' Broadway Baby Saturday 2nd March: 8pm

Unguarded

by Anthony Kinahan

Tickets: €18/16

When a father's world falls apart, he must battle through obstacles to ensure a future for him and his son.

Love; Laughter; Loss & Families left behind: UNGUARDED is a touching, and often comedic, new drama - developed by Louth actor/theatre-maker Anthony Kinahan - that uses imaginative physicality, vocal versatility and song, to highlight the vulnerable position many LGBTQ+ and non LGBTQ+ families find themselves in due to the lack of regulation of Surrogacy in Ireland.





Sunday 3rd March: 8pm

Tenor Patrick Feeney Live in Concert

Tickets: €25

Patrick Feeney was born to sing and from the tender age of four he wanted to be on stage with his father who played in a local band. His phenomenal success, especially over the past few years, is summed up in three words from the title of Patrick's first album, back in 2003 - that title says it's all ... *Thanks to You*.

Patrick has legions of fans across Ireland and is a regular guest on TV and Radio. Patrick is known nationally for his remarkable tenor voice. He has won many prestigious awards over the years and is a versatile performer.

Why not join one of our finest for an unmissable night of Country and Gospel!!



Thursday 7th March: 8pm

Dances Like A Bomb

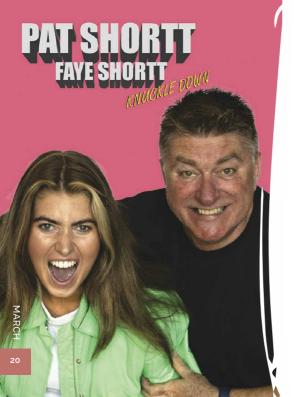
Junk Ensemble

Tickets: €18/16 | Suitability: 12+

Celebrating the strength of mature bodies and challenging the cult of youth, the show is a reclaiming of the ageing body created by dance-theatre innovators Junk Ensemble.

Featuring acclaimed actor Mikel Murfi and leading dance artist Finola Cronin (formerly of Pina Bausch's Tanztheater Wuppertal) the performers are heroic, vulnerable, comedic, and completely themselves in the work. They care fiercely for each other and defend their independence.

As they hold each other up and push each other down, the 'performance' of age is unpacked as a reminder of ourselves: our worst and our best.



Saturday 16th March: 8pm

Knuckle Down

PAT SHORTT & FAYE SHORTT

Tickets: €31 | Suitability: 12+

This father and daughter comedy duo have come together and are selling out venues across the country with their new show 'Knuckle Down'.

'Knuckle Down' shows off the incredible talent of these two performers, as they glide seamlessly from stand up to hilarious characterisation of everyday Irish people. They have the genius of taking everyday ordinary situations and making us laugh at the mundane. Previously described as being indigenously Irish in their approach and observation of characters.

The sharp wit and physical comedy genius of this comedic duo will have you in pain with laughter!



Thursday 21st & Friday 22nd: 7.30pm

Shrek Jr The Musical

Shannonstar Entertainment in association with Bryan Carr School of Performing Arts

Tickets: €18/17/Children under 16: €16 Family of 4: €66 Shannon Star Entertainment Ltd in association with Bryan Carr School of Performing Arts Tralee will be ogre-the-moon when the stage school students present their production of *Shrek The Musical JR*.

The family friendly musical comedy follows the adventures of an ogre named Shrek who sets off on a quest to save a princess from a dragon. However, it turns out that in order to ultimately succeed, Shrek must battle an even bigger obstacle: learning how to believe in himself and open his heart to others.

Act 1 is a licensed 60-minute presentation with Act 2 scenes from Musicals being presented.



Sunday 24th March: 3pm

Joe The Magician Live

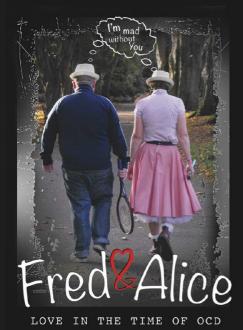
Tickets: €16, Family of 4 €55 | Suitability: 4+

Joe the Magician is back!

His brand new show features an array of impossible spellbinding magic and illusion presented in Joe's unique style that will have the children of all ages roaring laughing one minute and in complete awe the next. The show fuses magic, music, special effects and illusion that will bring kids (and grown ups) on an unforgettable journey.

An afternoon of laughter, suspense, amazement and surprise awaits. Advance booking is advised as all of Joe's previous shows have sold out.

Please note there will be no interval for this performance.



"Come see this joyous celebration of individuality".

Wednesday 27th March: 8pm

Fred & Alice Love in the Time of OCD

CallBack Theatre

Tickets: €16/14.50 | Suitability: 10+ Some strong language

With Over 180 performances to date and sellout runs, Fred & Alice, one of the biggest hits of the last 11 years is delighted to be back on tour for 2024.

Fred & Alice is a quirky love story about 2 amazing mischievous characters who meet in a home. From their days in care, to independent living, Fred and Alice negotiate the perils and pitfalls of life and love. Together they create a fantastical world which spills over into a madcap reality when they decide to move in together.

★★★ "A comedy with a serious heart"
Irish Theatre Magazine

Easter Workshops

Wednesday 27th - Saturday 30th March

Time: 10am - 1.30pm

Cost: €25 per day per child Capacity: 25 | Age 6 - 12 yrs

Presented by the National Folk Theatre and artist, puppeteer and puppet maker, Alex Hindmarch, @handmarch.

We have an incredible range of action packed and fun-filled activities including dancing, singing, drama games and you will learn how to create your very own Easter themed puppet! Designed to keep your child busy during the Easter Holidays.

Come along, it will be egg-celent! Workshops will run in the theatre.

EASTER TREATS AT SIAMSA TÍRE

EASTER SCREENING | Thursday 4th April 2.30pm

WONKA

116 mins | Cert: PG | Tickets: €9/7.50

Willy Wonka - chock-full of ideas and determined to change the world one delectable bite at a time - is proof that the best things in life begin with a dream, and if you're lucky enough to meet Willy Wonka, anything is possible.

Based on the extraordinary character at the center of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Roald Dahl's most iconic children's book and one of the best-selling children's books of all time, 'Wonka' tells the wondrous story of how the world's greatest inventor, magician and chocolate-maker became the beloved Willy Wonka we know today.

The Mysterious Case of Kitsy Rainey

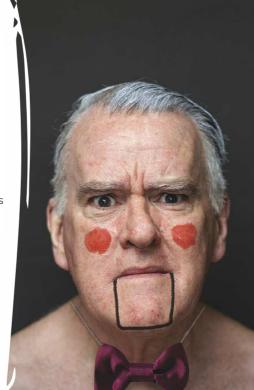
Loco & Reckless Productions

Tickets: €21/18 | Suitability: 16+

The Mysterious Case of Kitsy Rainey is a new one man show written and performed by Mikel Murfi. Following on from The Man In the Woman's Shoes and I Hear You and Rejoice, the new piece, the third in the series, takes us on a very unusual and otherworldly journey.

Having married Kitsy Rainey late in life, cobbler Pat Farnon finally decides to lift the lid on a life previously lived by his wife. And all the while Pat faces down his own reckoning. Tender, heartfelt and joyously funny The Mysterious Case of Kitsy Rainey finishes out Pat Farnon's journey in a most unexpected way.

The Mysterious Case of Kitsy Rainey is a third collaboration between Sligo County Council Arts Service, The Hawk's Well Theatre Sligo, and Mikel Murfi.



Tralee Musical Society

proudly presents

DIVINE MUSICAL COMEDY

Tuesday 9th - Saturday 13th: 7.30pm nightly Matinee Performance Saturday 13th: 2pm

Sister Act A Divine Musical Comedy

Tralee Musical Society

Tickets: €21

When disco diva, Deloris Van Cartier, witnesses a murder, she is put in protective custody in the one place the cops are sure she won't be a found: a convent!

Disguised as a nun, she finds herself at odds with both the rigid lifestyle and uptight Mother Superior. Using her unique disco moves and singing talent to inspire the choir, Deloris breathes new life into the church and community but, in doing so, blows her cover. Soon, the gang is giving chase, only to find them up against Deloris and the power of her newly found sisterhood.

Filled with powerful gospel music, outrageous dancing and a truly moving story, Sister Act will give audiences a reason to REJOICE!

Vivaldi's L'Olimpiade

Irish National Opera

Tickets: €31/28 | Suitability: 16+



INO continues its award-winning exploration of Vivaldi's operas with the work that started the 20th-century revival of the composer's works for the stage. *L'Olimpiade* brims with opportunities for all seven characters, showing their personalities and feelings through arias that range from the explosive, and almost instrumentally virtuosic, to the slow exploration of more tender thoughts.

Four young people, one an Olympic champion. Tangled relationships. Forbidden love, twice over. An unsuccessful assassination. An execution avoided. And a royal father who has to accept his children as they are.

Sung in Italian with English subtitles. Join the conversation online with #INOOlimpiade

CAST Gemma Ní Bhriain as Megacle Meili Li as Licida Alexandra Urquiola as Aristea Sarah Richmond as Argene Chuma Sijeqa as Clistene Rachel Redmond as Aminta Benjamin Russell as Alcandro Irish Baroque Orchestra



Declan Nerney with special guests John McNicholl & John Hogan

Tickets: €26

Declan Nerney returns to Siamsa for one night only in 2024!

Declan was heavily influenced in his youth by the Beatles, Elvis, and the Rolling Stones, and, here in Ireland, the magnificent showband boom.

Drawing from this unique period for music, Declan and guests are not to be missed as they promise a night of nostalgia and entertainment.

This time, Declan will be joined by special guests John McNicholl and John Hogan.



The Whole Wild World Bus Tour:

Laureate na nÓg and Friends

Free Event | Age 5th & 6th Class

Duration 90 minutes Booking in advance necessary

Laureate na nÓg Patricia Forde is bringing a bus full of children's writers and illustrators from Malin Head to Mizen Head, working with young readers to imagine new worlds in words and pictures.

whole world APRIL

Be a part of the adventure and join them for this interactive storytelling event.

Tóg Sos with Mary Conroy & Guests

Radio Kerry

Tickets: €31/29.50 Group of 10+ €29



Radio Kerry's *Tóg Sos* takes to the Siamsa Tíre Stage. The show will be hosted by Mary Conroy who'll be joined on the night for a musical hooley by a number of guests.

Get ready for a night of rousing musical entertainment!

Sunday 28th April: 1pm & 5pm

Born to Dance

Kerry School of Music

Tickets: €21/17

Kerry School of Music Dance Academy celebrates thirty-six years of dance education in Kerry.

Today's performance features the students of RAD accredited teacher Colette Maguire Jensen and ISTD accredited teacher Aileen Murphy who both teach in Tralee, Killarney, Listowel and Dingle.







Saturday 4th May: 8pm

Tom Ollendorff Trio

Tickets: €20/16

The *Tom Ollendorff Trio* embarks on a European tour this spring to celebrate the release of his critically acclaimed album 'Open House'.

Described by Jazzwise as a 'combination of fearsome musical chops, sophisticated compositional sensibility and unashamedly tuneful and upbeat musical personality which is very hard to resist', the new album cements Tom's status as one of the finest emerging quitarists on the international jazz scene.

Joining Tom for this concert are drummer Marc Michel and double bassist Viktor Nyberg.

OLIVER HURLEY

SCHOOL OF MUSICAL THEATRE

presents

Sunday 5th May at 2.30pm & 7.30pm

West End Wonders

Tickets: €18/17, Family of 4: €64

Following on from the successful Christmas Panto 'Beauty and the Beast' the award-winning director Oliver Hurley presents a variety of musical theatre excerpts. This production is full of dynamic dance routines and beautiful musical numbers performed by some of the best up-and-coming young performers around. Featuring excepts from hit musicals from Jesus Christ Superstar, The Wiz , Chicago, Wicked, Grease and much more. A must for all the family.

Saturday 11th & Sunday 12th May: 7pm

Time to Shine

Tickets: €18/17, Family of 4: €64

The students of Oliver Hurley School treat us to performances that will leave you uplifted and full of the joys of the summer when they present their variety show featuring excerpts from High School Musical, Hairspray, The King and I, The Lion King, Mama Mia and more, with fabulous dance routines and glorious singing.

Eitilt

Training Academy's End of Year Show 2024

Tickets: €10/8 Family of 4: €30

A highlight in the calendar each year is the end of year showcase presented by the students of The National Folk Theare Academy.

Through a folk lense, 'Eitilt' sees the students explore the theme of birds in Irish folklore, through the traditional arts of music, song, dance and storytelling. Birds' symbolic meanings are examined, the various roles they play and the superstitions that surround them.

The performance will also aim to raise awareness of how we communicate with each other and through a collaboration with Community K, students will learn sign language and will also be taught to sign song. Sign song uses sign language instead of singing the lyrics of a song. This will make for a very visual presentation, adding a dramatic feel and interactive element to the performance.



Thursday 9th May: 8pm

Dolly and Mick

Heartfelt Productions Ltd

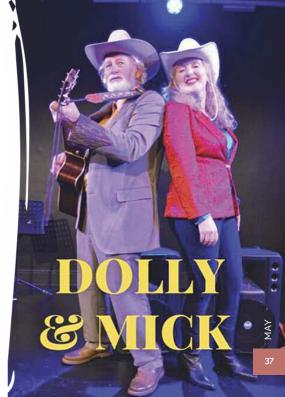
Tickets: €20/18 | Suitability: 14+

Dolly and Mick is a great night out and a funny engaging story, with comedy, drama and several well-known songs, performed live.

He's a widower from Limerick, she's a divorcee from Arkansas and together they tell their story, from their hilarious meeting at the Lisdoonvarna Matchmaking Festival, through to Dolly's final shocking revelation that threatens to rend them asunder.

"...The chemistry of the performance works the magic, along with two equally good singing voices."

Emer O'Kelly, Sunday Independent



Zyber Theatre

Tickets: €21/19 | Suitability: 18+

The Game written by John Fraher is an emotional drama set within the confines of a dysfunctional family and their associates where life becomes a game, 'a purpose, a reason to go on - but this game you cannot play on your own'.

Local Tralee theatre group, Zyber Theatre returns with another wonderful production.

'The Game' is a serious study of what failure, misery, pain is about. It is anything but a laugh, but a play no one should miss'

Michael Commane, The Kerryman





Contemporary Irish folk group Onóir formed in 2020, when Donegal musicians; Tom McHugh, Declan Gaughan, Deane Connaghan, and Diarmaid McGee, joined forces to create a contemporary version of the famous Irish folk ballad; 'The Auld Triangle', the video went on to be seen by over 3 million people worldwide.

These talented musicians with distinctive vocal styles are setting new standards with

incredible musical arrangements and harmonies that mark them out as unique.

Onóir are selling out venues in record time as their impassioned audiences are taken on a musical odyssey. From their new take on traditional Irish ballads all the way through to up tempo modern Irish classics. From tears to laughter, enjoy the onstage chemistry and banter in a show not to be missed.

Tickets: €33

The words of TINA TURNER herself says it all. "Rebecca is so good, it's scary"...

Irelands own International success story, Rebecca O'Connor, is returning to touring following the pandemic and will kick off her new world tour in her homeland in 2024.

With sold out shows throughout Australia, South Africa and Europe over the past 12 years Rebecca just loves to perform and can't wait to bring her new and exciting show to audiences around the world along with her amazing band and dancers.



Be prepared to stand in your seats as Rebecca delivers her flawless rendition of Tina Turner's greatest hits including, Nutbush City Limits, Proud Mary, River Deep, Private Dancer, When the Heartache Is Over, Better Be Good To Me, and of course her anthem, Simply the Best.

A Voice in Climate Change

Inspired Biodiversity Learning Programme

Participants attending Inspired Biodiversity Learning Programme have created an artistic treasure trove of portraits, woodcraft, jewellery and a marine experience all from recycled goods. Each piece has been put together with materials sourced from everyday life, including land and seashore.

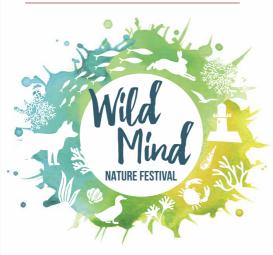
While working on their projects the participants have gained knowledge about biodiversity and sustainability. They are making a difference by taking small actions using their own artistic creativity thus having their own voice in climate change.

Each piece in the exhibition is personal to the creator of the artwork and reflects their understanding of the big issues that our planet is currently facing.



27th March - 1st April

Wild Minds Festival Exhibition



As part of the Wild Minds Festival based in Fenit, it is partnering with Siamsa Tire to bring you an environmental themed art exhibition in the Siamsa Gallery.

The Wild Minds Festival is a weekend to connect, to immerse in our natural surrounds and to foster compassion for our planet. This outdoor festival nestled between the Kerry mountains and the Wild Atlantic Ocean holds space for people to engage with the local environment.

For updated information on the festival programme visit www.facebook.com/wildmind.ie/

Sweet Home Sweet

Jane Hayes' *Sweet Home Sweet* is a body of visual art developed with and for early years audiences (0 to 6 year olds), and commissioned by Sample Studios, Cork.

The work, which includes three 'toddler-sized' installations, offers an intimate and playful peek into the domestic place spaces and worlds of young children and is an outcome of the artist's research-based practice, which tested and challenged the limits & possibilities of visual art for very young children in the gallery context.

The work has been created through an ongoing dialogue with toddlers, ensuring that the work connects with young children in a meaningful way. Jane delivers work that honors young children's right to quality artistic experiences while allowing for early years audiences' unique responses & ways of engaging, which is often with their bodies! Using carefully considered materials and approaches Jane aims to create comfortable & welcoming art-viewing experiences for young children & their adults.

JANE HAYES 'Jiggly House' (2023) Stainless steel wire mesh, tactile rubber toys, cardboard, 113 x 99 x 61cm

30th April - 6th May

Kerry College of Further Education Students Exhibition

An exhibition of work by students of the Creative Department of Kerry College, Clash, showcasing projects from various courses such as Visual Communication, Art/Craft & Design, Animation, Game Design, Wood Work and Music.

This marks a celebration of the students and of their year's endeavour as well as an opportunity for the public to enjoy the innovative products from this new generation of creatives.



Picture This and Imagine That: The Vovages of St. Brendan the Navigator

For the first time in over 20 years the original paintings of Italian artist Daniel De'Angeli will be exhibited in Ireland thanks to the kind permission of Mr Robert and Dr Olive Pierse.

After reading an account of The Voyage of St Brendan the Abbot, which he had bought on a visit to Kerry, this Italian artist made a series of 28 beautiful, contemporary and contemplative paintings inspired by the various encounters on the journey.

The exhibition also includes an installation exhibition consisting of three parts: a series of slides taken from the paintings of Daniel De'Angeli depicting instances of the Voyage of Brendan the Navigator; a continual variety of sounds that amplify and intensify the visual experience and a catalogue essay.

Original Paintings of Italian artist Daniel De'Angeli

Curator and Director: Éamonn O'Reilly Artist: Dr. Nora P. Donnelly





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Looking Ahead

6 - 8 June

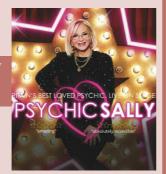
Young Curators Festival 2024



Siamsa Tíre and its partner venues in the NASC Touring Network, with the support of the Arts Council, have teamed up to present a Young Curators Festival programme across all eight venues in the network in early June 2024. Building on the exciting work of previous years, by brilliant young people, this year Young Curators at Siamsa Tíre, Greta Curtin and Máirtín Ó'Cathasaigh, will create an exciting programme of events across theatre, music, dance and film to bring you a festival, created by young people, for young people. Keep a close eye on our website and local media for details of performances, workshops, film screenings and events as part of this years festival.

Psychic Sally Britain's Best Loved Psychic

Tickets: €31



November 30 8pm

DirtBirds presents Girls World Tour

Tickets: €31



September 29 2pm

The Speks

Tickets: €11



November 15 & 16 8pm

Matches and Old Flames

Tickets: €27/25



Ticket Exchange/Refund

Tickets cannot be refunded or exchanged unless the event is cancelled or rescheduled. A Cancelled Event: To claim a refund you must contact the box office where a refund will be issued to you via the same payment method as when the purchase was made. After 12 months any unclaimed refunds will automatically be converted to a donation to Siamsa Tire. Please note: Refunds will include the ticket price only and will not include your ticket booking fees.

A Rescheduled Event: If an event is rescheduled, tickets will be valid for the new date. If you cannot attend the new date, you can cancel your order and a gift voucher will be issued to you for the sale price of your tickets.

For Sold-Out events only: Siamsa Tire will try to 'sell on' unwanted tickets on the day of a performance on behalf of the customer. We regret that this service cannot be offered for events that are not sold out. No refunds or exchanges can take place without the physical tickets being returned.

Box Office Opening Hours

The box office staff are available by phone and in person Mon-Sat 10am-5:30pm and on *Sun from 6pm-7:30pm on evenings of a performance.

Patrons can book online 24 hrs a day on www.siamsatire.com

To book in person during the building opening hours - please see opposite.

Ticket Booking Fee

A \leq 1.50 booking fee applies PER TICKET booked online, at the box office or on the phone.

Latecomers

Latecomers may be admitted if there is a suitable break in the performance, but entry is not guaranteed.

Wheelchair Users

Our building is fully wheelchair accessible and wheelchair spaces area available within the theatre. Please inform the Box Office when you book your tickets, and they will be able to advise you on suitable seating.

Hard of Hearing

An induction loop is in operation in the auditorium for patrons with hearing difficulties. People with hearing aids should set them to 'T'.

Change of Advertised Programme

Siamsa Tire reserves the right to add, withdraw or substitute artists and vary the advertised programme if necessary.

Building Opening Hours

JANUARY - MAY

Monday - Saturday *Sunday 10.00am - 5.30pm 6.00pm - 7.30pm

CLOSED

Monday 6th February Monday 18th March Monday 1st April Monday 6th May

*Only when a performance is scheduled for that night

On evenings when a performance is scheduled for the theatre, the Box Office will remain open until 7.30pm for general and phone bookings, and until 7.50pm for 'in person' tickets for that night's performance.

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JANUARY

2 & 3 Beauty & The Beast
Christmas Panto
5 Paula & PJ Murrihy & Family
6 Johnny's Cottage Alive Oh!
25-27 The Crucible
31 Ficino Ensemble

FEBRUARY

2	Reeling in the Showband Years
9- 14	Taigh/TŶ/Teach
10	How to get the Menopause
	and Enjoy it
15	Music Network: Niamh Dunne,
	Bróna McVittie, Cormac Breatnach,
	Seán Óg Graham live in concert
17	Viennese Strauss Gala
18	Legends of American Country

At a Glance

20 & 21 The Shadow of a Gunman
23 Tralee Community Rose Selection
24 & 25 Theatre Nights
26 Psycho Spaghetti - Ger Carey
28 Austen's Women: Lady Susan

MARCH

2	Unguarded
3	Tenor Patrick Feeney
	Live in Concert
7	Dances Like a Bomb
16	Knuckle Down
21 & 22	Shrek Jr The Muscial
24	Joe the Magician Live
27	Fred & Alice
27-30	Easter Workshops

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APRIL		MAY
4	Wonka Easter Screening	4
6	The Mysterious Case of Kitsy Rainey	5
9-13	Sister Act - A Divine Musical Comedy	7
20	Vivaldi's L'Olimpiade	9
21	Declan Nerney with	11 &
	John McNicholl & John Hogan	22-2
24	The Whole Wild World Bus Tour	25
	(Laureate na nÓg)	
24	Tóg Sos	
28	Born to Dance	

4	Tom Ollendorff Trio
5	West End Wonders
7	Eitilt
9	Dolly and Mick
11 & 12	Time to Shine
22-24	The Game
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