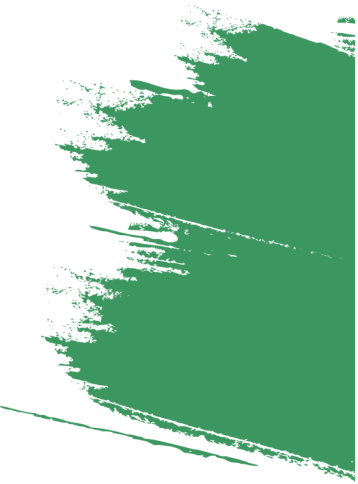




Ballyroan Library

March 2025

Event guide



CHILDREN AND FAMILY

TIME	EVENT	AGE	BOOKING
Every Monday, 3.30pm	Storytime: A fun, interactive storytime for little ones!	2+, adult supervision required	No booking required
Every Saturday, 10am	Junior Chess with Fred: A weekly chess class for children.	Ages 7 - 12 years	No booking required
Mon 3rd, 10th, 24th March 6pm	Sensory time: Lights are dimmed, noise is reduced and additional resources (sensory toys, magic table) are available on request.	All ages	No booking required
Tues, 4th March 10am	Toddler Time: Music and fun activities for little ones	0 - 3 years	Booking essential on Eventbrite from 3rd March 10am
Thurs, 6th March 3.30pm	World Book Day Storytime: A special storytime celebrating World Book Day!	0 - 3 years	No booking required
Sat, 8th March 3pm	Multilingual Storytime: Children with their parents and guardians are invited to meet and read with other multilingual families.	Ages 2+	No booking required
Mon, 10th March 4.30pm	Sensory Explorers: play session for Neurodiverse children and their siblings: A fun play session in a relaxed environment	Ages 6+, adult supervision required	Booking essential Eventbrite from 3rd March, 10am
Tues, 11th March 10am	Toddler Time: Music and fun activities for little ones	0 - 3 years	Booking essential Eventbrite from 10th March 10am
Wed, 12th March 3pm	St. Patrick arts and crafts: Fun craft activities to get ready for St Patrick's day.	6-10 years	Booking essential Eventbrite from 6th March 10am
Wed, 12th March 6pm	Coder Dojo: A fun session of coding in the library.	Ages 8 - 12 years	Booking essential on Eventbrite from 10th March 10am



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Thurs, 13th March 3.30pm	Seachtain na Gaelige: Bi-lingual storytime: Celebrate SnaG for younger children with a fun bi-lingual storytime	4+, adult supervision required	No booking required
Tues, 18th March 10am	Toddler Time: Music and fun activities for little ones	0 - 3 years	Booking essential Eventbrite from 17th March 10am
Wed, 26th March 10am	Baby Reflexology: A gentle (and enjoyable) way of calming and nurturing babies and children and supporting the baby and carer bond. Participants are asked to bring a yoga mat or baby blanket with them.	Up to 12 months	Booking essential Eventbrite from 21st March 10am
Wed, 26th March 3.30pm	Ballyroan Bookworms: Our book for this month is World's Worst Children by David Walliams. Once you have booked your place on Eventbrite the book will be available to collect in the library.	Ages 8 - 10 years	Booking essential Eventbrite from 27th February 10am
Wed, 26th March 6pm	Coder Dojo: A fun session of coding in the library.	Ages 8 - 12 years	Booking essential on Eventbrite from 24th March 10am
Thurs, 27th March 10.30am	Music for Little Ones: A fun 4-week music course for little ones and their adults. Please note you are booking a place for all 5 weeks.	0 - 18 months	Booking essential Eventbrite from 20th March 10am
Thurs, 27th March 11.15am	Music for Little Ones: A fun 4-week music course for little ones and their adults. Please note you are booking a place for all 5 weeks.	18 months - 4 years	Booking essential Eventbrite from 20th March 10am

TEENS

TIME	EVENT	AGE	BOOKING
Tues, 4th March 5pm	Teen Write Club: Come along to our Ballyroan Library Teen Write Club where you'll meet other writers and aspiring writers.	Age 13+	Booking now open on Eventbrite



ADULTS

TIME	EVENT	AGE	BOOKING
Mondays 11am ----- Thursdays 6.30pm	Stitched Together : Come along for our informal, friendly and very crafty meet-up. All crafts welcome.	Adults	No booking required
Every Wednesday 11am	Scrabble: Get your letters in a row and join our casual Scrabble morning	All ages	No booking required
Tues 4th March 6.30pm	St. Patrick.... Probably: Join local historian Tony Duffy for this talk full of twists and turns which will take us on surprising journeys!	Adults	Booking now open on Eventbrite
Fri, 7th March 10am	Ballyroan Gardening Group: Enthusiastic about gardening? Come and share your passion with our gardening group.	Adults	No booking required
Sat, 8th March 2.30pm	Astronomy Week - An Introduction to Astronomical Sketching: A dynamic talk from lecturer Darren Deveraux on sketching the stars!	Adults	Booking now open on Eventbrite

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Mon, 10th March 6.30pm	International Women's Day - Join historian Liz Gillis for this lecture on 'The Most Dangerous Woman in America: The Story of Mother Jones' the Irish-born American labour organiser.	Adults	Booking essential Eventbrite 18th February 10am
Tues, 11th March 7pm	Seachtain na Gaelige: A Journey Throught the Landscape of the Irish Language - Gary Bannister gives some fascinating insights into the Irish language and how the language has changed over time.	Older adults	Booking essential Eventbrite 24th February 10am
Wed, 12th March 11am	Ciorcal Cainte with Tomás Maher: An informal Irish language conversation group where all levels of Irish are catered for and everyone is given a chance to speak	Adults	Booking essential Eventbrite 25th February 10am
Wed, 12th March 1.30pm	History Hub: In honour of International Women's Day join us for the documentary 'Who is Dervla Murphy? Run-time 1 hour 9 minutes. Participants welcome to stay for tea and a chat afterwards.	Adults	Booking essential Eventbrite 25th February 10am
Wed, 12th March 6:30pm	Craic agus Ceol Open Music Session : Singers and musicians of all ages, abilities and levels are welcome to come and join our music session. Bring your instrument, the words of your favourite song, or just join us for some music.	All Ages	No Booking Required

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Thurs, 13th March 4pm	Unveiled: A talk by writer and technologist Niall Austin on how AI can transform the work of legendary Irish artists like Jim Fitzpatrick and Ronnie Drew, bringing Ireland's rich mythology to life for emerging generations.	Adults	Booking now open on Eventbrite
Thurs, 20th March 7pm	The Reading Circle: Read and explore great writing in a relaxed and welcoming environment.	Adults	Booking essential Eventbrite 25th February 10am
Sat, 22nd March 11am	James Joyce Reading Group : This group is dedicated to reading and discussing the writing of James Joyce.	Adults	Booking essential through the James Joyce Reading group Eventbrite Page
Mon, 24th March 5.30pm	Silver Screens at the Library: Our movie club all fans of great film. Watch the movie and have a chat afterwards. Our film for March is the biting classic " All About Eve "	Adults	Booking essential Eventbrite 3rd March 10am
Tues, 25th March 6.30pm	Ballyroan and Rathfarnham Historical Society: "A Most Outrageous Rebel" a talk on Constance Markievicz. Presented by Lyndie Naughton. Lyndie Naughton. Lyndie is a Dublin-based writer, journalist and author of 10 books to date.	Adults	Booking essential Eventbrite 3rd March 10am
Wed, 26th March 6pm	Stella, George & Charles: An Artist, a Writer and an Architect, in a Portrait of Tymon Lodge. This talk by Albert Perris is a story of the arts, romance and ultimate tragedy in Tymon Lodge.	Adults	No booking necessary



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ARE YOU DOOM-SCROLLING AGAIN?



In 2025, Ballyroan Library wants to make it easier for you to put down your phone and (re)ignite your passion for reading! No matter your age, reading level or ability, we're here to get you back to books with book clubs, events and activities throughout the year!

Book Ballyroan Library events here:

Eventbrite

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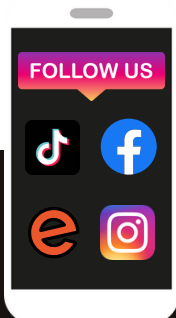




Ballyroan Library will be closed
for staff training on
Friday, 14th March all day

We will be closed for the
St. Patrick bank holiday from
Sat, 15th March
until
Tuesday, 18th March @ 9.45am

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HOURS

Mon - Thur
9.45am - 8pm
Fri & Sat
9.45am - 4.30pm



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