

Successful year for Chocolate Garden

The chocolate garden has celebrated its first birthday and has enjoyed a very successful year. They have recently been added to the Good Food Ireland map, being one of only two food companies in Co Carlow to fit their very strict criteria.

In recent weeks they have taken part in an event in the new Irish Convention Centre in Spencer Dock in Dublin along with 20 other Irish food companies in which they served their top quality hot chocolate to incoming tourism operators in association with Fáilte Ireland.

The event started at 6am and Chocolate Garden's products

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were very well received.

They run regular chocolate workshops and training days where the participants can design and make their own chocolate bars. In June they joined with two other local companies, Rathwood and Woodlands Falconry in the website www.fundaysout.ie.

At Tinahealy show they won best food company and in Tullow show most innovative product, so its been a fabulous first year for Jim, Mary and their staff.

NIGHT CLASSES

Booking for Tullow Community School night classes is taking place this week, Tuesday-Friday, 21-24 September from 10am-3pm. Also tonight 21st from 7.30-9pm. Classes start on Tuesday 28 September and continue on all relevant Tuesday nights.

Classes are: FETAC level 5 child development, €180 12 weeks tutor M Delahunt. 7.30-9.30pm. Nutrition and healthy eating, €120 8 weeks, tutor Margot Kenny, 8-

10pm. Computers for beginners €100, tutor P Glynn, 8 weeks 8-10pm. FETAC level 4 horticulture €150, tutor C Connolly, 10 weeks 8-10pm. ECDL €500, 20 weeks, 7-9pm. Aromatherapy for home use €50, tutor P Walshe, 3 weeks 8-10pm. Everyday cooking €150, tutor G Courtney, 5 weeks 8-10pm, pottery €120, tutor A Corrigan, 8 weeks 8-10pm. Oil painting/Acrylics, €100 materials not included, 8 weeks 7.30-9.30pm. Smart sewing €100, tutor T Keogh, materials not included, 8 weeks 8-10pm.

All fees payable on enrollment social welfare recipients discount applies.

AUCTION

Tullow rugby club are organising an auction on 1 October at 7pm. All donations welcome. Items can be collected. Contact Luke on 087 2316183.

VINTAGE RALLY

Castledremot vintage rally is on Sunday 26 September. Corn threshing, funfair, pony rides etc. A great day out for all the family.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to the Dewhurst Family, Shilleagh on the recent death of their mother Delorous Dweherst. RIP.

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Coffee morning for Korle-Bu hospital

A coffee morning in aid of cancer patients in the children's ward in Korle-Bu hospital, Accra will be held in Hacketstown Christian Centre, The Green on Friday next, 24 September 24 at 10.30am. All money raised will go towards buying basic supplies like cot and bed sheets etc for the children on the ward.

Please support this worthy cause.

TIDY TOWN

Hacketstown once again gained points in the tidy towns competition. Well done to the committee and everyone that made an effort to keep the town tidy. A copy of the results will shortly be available for everyone.

COME DANCING

Come dancing in Slate Row Hall, Hacketstown on Friday 24 September. The music will be supplied by Knockout and the usual raffle and refreshments will be served.

LINE DANCING

Line dancing every Tuesday night in Knockananna Hall starting Tuesday 21 September for beginners and 28 September for all dancers.

Please come along and have fun and get fit.

PAINING CLASSES

The Hacketstown Woman's Health and Development Group are having a six-week painting classes which will start on Tuesdays at 8pm in St John's Hall. The class will be given by Lar Griffin. Please bring along pencils and sketch pad. All are welcome for this class for more information contact 059 6471237.

TRACTOR RUN

Our annual tractor run in aid of

KARE services in Tinahely takes place on Sunday 10 October. The tractor run is to raise funds to provide services for adults with learning disabilities in the surrounding areas. For sponsorship cards or for more details contact Johnny Carroll 086 8416901 or Sean Connolly 059 9156123. All money raised will to KARE Local Service, Tinahely new building fund.

The tractor run will start in Tinahely before touring the highways and byways and returning to Tinahely.

Please support this worthy cause which supports adults with learning disability in Tinahely and surrounding areas.

SOCIAL DANCING CLASSES

Every Tuesday night 7-9pm in the Seven Oaks Hotel, Carlow. No partners needed and all are welcome.

Just turn up with €10 for two hours dancing classes. Contact Debbie at 086 3701301.

AEROBIC CLASSES

Aerobic classes in Hacketstown - County Carlow Women's Network in conjunction with the Healthy Hacketstown project have organised aerobic classes. Classes are on Monday nights from 8-9.30 pm in Hacketstown Community Hall.

Contact Catherine Delaney at 059 9143696 or 086 3757137.

EVENING CLASSES

The following further education and training courses are available at Coaiste Eoin, Hacketstown: E-Business, furniture making, and childcare. A limited number of places are still available.

Please contact Colaiste Eoin at 059 6471198 for further information.

John Spillane agus ASPIRO i gCeatharlach

Mar chuid d'Fhéile an Fhómhair 2010 cuirfidh Glór Cheatharlach i gcomhar le hAmharclann GB Shaw ceolchoirm an-speisialta i láthair le John Spillane agus Cór ASPIRO, artists in residence na bliana i VISUAL, ar an Aoine 8 Deireadh Fómhair 2010 ag 8.00i.n.

Is ceolchoirm dhátheangach í seo leis an gceoltóir/amhránaí/cumadóir aitheanta as Corcaigh agus é ag déanamh comhoibriú leis an gcór rathúil áitiúil ASPIRO faoi stiúir Mary Amond O'Brien. Beidh John agus an cór ar an stáitse i dteannta a chéile chun roinnt amhráin ón dá albam le Spillane 'Irish Songs we learned at school' agus 'More Irish Songs we learned at school' a chasadh go spráúil, snasta, gairmiúil.

Tá clú agus cáil ar John timpeall na tíre dá scéalaíocht, fhilíocht agus don fuinneamh a chuireann sé isteach ina seóanna beo agus tá an gradam Meteor do 'Best Irish Male' buaite aige faoi dhó anois. Bhain John an-cháil amach le cúpla bliain anuas le hamhráin cosúil le Dunnes Stores Girl agus Hey Dreamer agus bhain na sluaite taitneamh as an dá albam Gaeilge atá déanta aige le hamhráin cosúil le Dilín Ó Deamhas, Baidín Fhelimí, Siúl a Rún agus An Poc ar Buile. Is as Gaeltacht Chorcaí dó agus bhí tionchar an tsean-nóis i gcónaí le cloisteáil in a chuid ceoil ach le fuaim nua aimseartha chomh maith. Bhí roinnt cabhrach ag John ó dhaltaí Ghaelcholáiste Choilm i mBaile an Chollaigh, Co. Chorcaí agus é ag déanamh taifeadaidh ar na halbaim Ghaeilge. Tá



John Spillane

amhránaithe óga ASPIRO ag súil go mór le bheith ar an stáitse céanna le John Spillane ag an seó beo speisialta seo a bheidh i gCeatharlach d'aon oíche amháin i rith Fhéile an Fhómhair 2010. Is léir go mbeidh an-éileamh ar an gceolchoirm seo agus ní foláir áiteanna a chur in áirithe roimhré. Tá ticéid ar díol anois ag VISUAL ar phraghas €15 / €10 ar (059) 9172400 nó ar line ar www.gbtheatre.ie

Sceideal Nua Seolta don Fhómhar ar TG4!

Sheol TG4 Sceideal an Fhómhair 2010 le déanaí agus tá an tsraith nua faisnéise 'Hector i gCeanada' i measc na mbuaicphointí chomh maith leis an Sobalchlár Ros na Rún atá ar ais don 15ú séasúr i mbliana.

Léiríonn an gclár 'Hector i gCeanada' an láithreoir cáiliúil ag taisteal trasna na n-ocht cúige i gCeanada ag bualadh le daoine áitiúla agus ag éisteacht le scéalta suimúla ar an slí.

Beidh fear mór le rá eile ag taisteal arís i mbliana chomh maith mar chuid de chláracha an fhómhair. Beidh Daithí Ó Sé ar ais i Meiriceá le 'Daithí ar Route 1' agus é ag taisteal síos cósta thoir na Stáit Aontaithe ó Nua-Eabhrach chomh fada le Florida. I measc na n-eachtraí ar an slí beidh Daithí ag canadh leis an mBuachaill Bó Nocht i Times Square, Nua Eabhrac,



Hector

ag foghlaim siamsán leis na Cheerleaders ó na Miami Dolphins agus ag tabhairt cuairte ar theach an scríbhneoir cáiliúil Stephen King.

Beidh an t-aisteoir Brendan Gleeson le cloisteáil mar scéalaí ar an sraith nua '1916 Seachtar na Cásca'. Is dráma de sheacht eipeasóid an tsraith nua seo a insíonn scéal gach ceann den seachtar a shígnigh Forógra na Cásca 1916.

Beidh spotsholas ar dhaoine éagsúla a bhí páirteach i Stair na hÉireann le déanaí sa tsraith 'Making a Difference' agus beidh sraith nua de 'Cogar' ar ais chomh maith. Déanann an clár 'An Píoba' mionscrúdú ar an tionscnamh conspóideach ag an Corrib Gas Field.

Beidh roinnt cláracha móra ar ais ó Mheiriceá leis an sraith Vampír 'True Blood' ag barr an liosta chomh maith lena lán lán scannán mhóra. Leanfaidh gealltanais an stáisiúin do spórt den scoth ar aghaidh chomh maith le GAA Beo, Cluichí International Rules idir an Astráil agus Éire beo agus Rugbaí sa Magners League.

Dá bhrí sin pé saghas cláir a bheidh á lorg agat, scannán go spórt, beidh siad go léir ar fáil ar TG4 an fómhar seo.

TG4... Rogha eile! Súil eile!

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