

- **Green Scene** is a new summertime initiative aimed at getting more people active through better use of our parks & green spaces in Dublin City. DCSWP Sports Officers will work with partners to organize new, interesting & enjoyable games, activities and coaching sessions.

Complimenting The Green Scene will be the following:

**Seen on the Green** – Efforts will be made to entice well known sporting personalities to attend activities. We will promote these through a ‘Seen on the Green’ segment on social media and other relevant media channels. This will help build the profile of the programme and assist with securing future sponsorship.

**The Green Machine** – Awards/prizes will be presented to participants attending the highest number of sessions.

- DCSWP Sports Officers will be facilitating ‘**Bike 4 Life**’ Programmes in the area throughout July & August, leading up to the Great Dublin Bike Ride in September

### **Football**

- **Walking Football** for older adults takes place every Tuesday from 11am – 12.30pm in Cabra Parkside Community Sports Complex, catering for a number of participants from the Central Area
- **Stoneybatter Youth Service Football Programme** is ongoing each Wednesday in Aughrim Street Sportshall from 3pm – 4.30pm
- **Summer Soccer Camps** for young people commenced on July 3<sup>rd</sup> in Clontarf Road Sports Pitches. Further camps will run throughout July & August in various locations. Please contact the Football in the Community Development Officers for more details.

### **Boxing**

- **Aviva Stadium Tours & Boxing Taster Session:**  
All 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> class pupils and Transition Year students throughout the Dublin City area, including many from the Central Area, who took part in the Startbox Programme have been invited to take part in free tours of the Aviva stadium throughout June & July (which will be guided by DCSWP/IABA Boxing Officers).

Students will also experience a short coaching session and view some famous Irish, International & Olympic boxing memorabilia (this will be coupled with interesting & informative stories/anecdotes to inspire and educate the students!).

### **General**

- **What: Yoga**  
**Who: HSE Mental Health Referrals**  
Where: Ballybough Sports & Community Centre  
Dates: 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> July and 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> August  
Time: 12 - 1pm
- **What: Football**  
**Who: CRC - People with Physical and Intellectual Disabilities**  
Where: Ballybough Sports & Community Centre  
Date: 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> July and 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> August  
Time: 10 - 11am
- **What: Mixed Circuit Fitness**  
**Who: HSE Mental Health Referrals**  
Where: Ballybough Sports & Community Centre  
Date: 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> July and 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> August  
Time: 12 - 1pm
- **What: Walk and Talk Club**  
**Who: Older Adults**  
Where: Clonliffe Community Centre  
Dates: 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> July and 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> August  
Time: 11am
- **What: Swimming Group**  
**Who: Girls 10 - 13 years**  
Where: Sean McDermott Street Swimming Pool  
Date: 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> June and 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> August  
Time: 4 – 5pm
- **What: Lower Limb Rehabilitation Class**  
**Who: People with physical disabilities**  
Where: Ballybough Sports & Community Centre  
Date: 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> July and 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> August  
Time: 10 - 12pm
- **Yoga:** The local DCSWP Sport Officer is linking with Headway Ireland to provide yoga sessions each Wednesday & Thursday from 4pm – 5pm for people with acquired brain injuries. This takes place in the Headway facility on Manor Street.

### **Rugby Development Officer update**

- The local Rugby Development Officer will be rolling out a number of kids summer camps throughout July & August

### **Cricket Development Officer update**

- Liaising with DCSWP Sport Officers to organise the running of summer projects for the area e.g. summer camps, family fun days etc...
- We have a number of players involved in the provincial teams (U11, U13, U15, U17, and U19), both male and female, from 9 - 18 years of age who have training sessions and cricket tours during this period. These sessions take place on a weekly basis at different venues in the Dublin City area. Although all the venues may not be in the area, a lot of the participants will be from the Central Area. These events include:
  - Dublin City Summer Camp, 17<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup> July from 10am - 4pm in the Phoenix Park
  - Dublin City U17 match in YMCA cricket grounds on the 24<sup>th</sup> July from 11am - 5pm
  - Dublin City girls camp from 31<sup>st</sup> July – 2<sup>nd</sup> August from 10am-4pm (venue tbc)
  - Boys U11 training session on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> August from 10.30am - 1pm in YMCA cricket grounds
  - Boys U11 interprovincial match in Pembroke CC on the 14<sup>th</sup> of August from 11am - 4pm
- We will be present at the summer camp in St. Peter's National School in Phibsboro from 12.30pm - 3.30pm on the 12<sup>th</sup> of July.

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