



Date: 3rd January 2023

**To: The Chairperson and members of
North Central Area Committee**

Meeting: 16th January 2023

**ARTANE/WHITEHALL LEA - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TEAM UPDATE FOR THE
JANUARY MEETING OF THE NORTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE**

Christmas Events:

Dublin City Council Artane – Whitehall LEA Community Development Team supported a number of Christmas events across the area.

Moatview Court, Dublin 17 held their Christmas Event on 12th of December. There was a big turnout from the local community. The Christmas tree was decorated with angel wings in memory of deceased loved ones.

The Team supported the Newbury Enhancement Group as they celebrated their Christmas event on Sunday 18th December. There was a tree lighting ceremony and Santa was there for all the Children.



Christmas Tree, Moatview



Christmas Tree, Newbury Enhancement
Group

Dublin City Council Artane - Whitehall Community Development Team supported the Christmas party event in Woodlawn, Santry which was held in the Astro turf premises on Sunday 12th December. There was a great turnout, with over 120 people at the event. Santa arrived in style with a special escort from the boys in blue.



Dublin City Council Artane – Whitehall Community Development team supported the Santry Resource Centre who held their Christmas party on Wednesday 14th December.



Dublin City Council Artane - Whitehall Community Development team supported the “Get Kilmore Going” and Kilmore Celtic FC which held a Christmas Dinner Event for the senior citizens of Kilmore West on 14th December in the Kilmardinny Inn.



Dublin City Council Artane - Whitehall Community team supported a Christmas Tea in Hampstead Court on Wednesday 14th December.

Dublin City Council Artane - Whitehall Community team supported a Christmas Tea in Kilbarron Court on Thursday 15th December (picture below).



Resident Group support:

Dublin City Council Artane - Whitehall Community Development Team supported many of the Residents Associations / groups in the area including; the Hub in Greencastle Road, Aoibhneas, Gaeltacht Park & Hampstead Court.

We also supported many of our Environmental groups with plants and bulbs.

Intergenerational Quiz:

The team held intergenerational quizzes with Darndale Senior School and the Golden Years in Darndale. There were also quizzes held in many of the ladies clubs and Men's Sheds.

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