

Date: 2nd June 2023

To: The chairperson and members of North Central Area Committee

Meeting: 19th June 2023

DONAGHMEDE LEA & CLONTARF LEA - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TEAM UPDATE FOR THE JUNE MEETING OF THE NORTH CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE

Environmental Enhancements 2023

The Community Development team have contacted active resident/environment groups in the Clontarf & Donaghmede LEA's with a view to providing those groups with plant vouchers to enhance their local public areas. Groups were asked to submit their interest by 31st May and we hope to have the vouchers available in the coming weeks.

Summer Projects 2023

Dublin City Council will support Summer Projects in the Clontarf & Donaghmede LEA's. The projects are run by local volunteers and supported by Crosscare and Community Development. The projects will run during July and August and there will be five voluntary Summer Projects in the Clontarf & Donaghmede LEA's this year. The closing date for non-voluntary Summer Projects is 9th June.

Memory Movers Pilot

The final day of the a six-week Memory, Movement & Mental Health "Memory Movers" pilot programme was held on 26th May.

The pilot was a huge success and we hope to expand it to other areas from September.

Fun Days

The Community Development team are supporting community groups with Fun Days they are running in their communities over the summer period. Some of these Fun Days include:

The Strawberry Fair in St. Anthony's House, Clontarf on 11th June.

Edenmore Street Festival 25th June.

Donaghmede Estate Residents Association Fun Day 23rd July.

Clontarf Yacht & Boat Club

The Community Development team are delighted to support Clontarf Yacht & Boat Club who will host fishing trips for young adults from the Central Remedial Clinic and St. Michael's House around Dublin Bay on 15th and 16th June.

Marino Show & Tell Story Sharing Event

To celebrate the upcoming 100th anniversary of the development of Marino, all are welcome to join Abarta Heritage & the Marino Residents Association at their Story Sharing & Object Recording Event on **Saturday 24th June from 2.00pm to 4.30pm**. You are invited to come along and share stories about growing up in the area or bring along objects from your childhood connected to Marino. This event is part of the Marino Heritage Project which is seeking to find out more about the development of Marino through the centuries..

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