



IRELAND'S
West

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2007

MAY

4th – 6th May

Heinrich Böll 50th Anniversary Festival Weekend

Dugort, Achill Island, Co Mayo

Official opening on Friday. Presentation of trophy for Student Essay (2nd level). Four lectures and presentations throughout the weekend. Exhibition of artwork and archival material from the Böll family.

Achill Tourism T: 098 47353

E: info@achilltourism.com

W: www.achilltourism.com

4th – 7th May

Féile Chois Cuain

Louisburgh, Co Mayo

Traditional music, song & dance featuring concerts, master classes, music & singing sessions, set dancing workshops and céili.

Máiréad Staunton T 098 66141 / 087 2328460 or Michael

O'Grady T: 098 66276 / 087 2412511

E: feilechoiscuain@yahoo.com

W: www.feilechoiscuain.com

7th May

Bank Holiday Fun at Turoe Pet Farm

Bullaun, Loughrea, Co Galway

Live music on Sunday & Monday afternoons

Mary Corcoran T: 091 841580

10th – 13th May

Fleadh Chéoil Mhaigh Eó

Westport, Co Mayo

Opens with traditional concert. Competitions in Irish traditional music, song and dance (all age groups) and Irish conversation. On Saturday May 12th there will be a céili.

Séamus S O'Dubhthaigh T: 094 936 7009

11th – 13th May

Inishbofin Community Arts Festival

Inishbofin Community Centre, Co Galway

A wide and varied list of events with music, visual arts, workshops, arts & crafts, exhibitions and much more!

Simon Murray T: 095 45861

E: bofindev@eircom.net

W: www.inishbofin.com

13th – 20th May

Walking the Ancient Celtic Way

Inishmore, Árainn, Co Galway

Celtic Heritage: holy places, ancient rituals, old myths and legends, early celtic church, walk & lectures with recognised scholars in Celtic heritage

Elizabeth Zollinger

Jan – June T: 0041 44 2520918 or July – Nov T: 099 61424

E: info@irish-culture.ch

W: www.irish-culture.ch

17th – 20th May

Galway Early Music Festival

Galway City, Co Galway

A unique celebration of Medieval, Renaissance and Baroque music and dance featuring international and national concert performers as well as street music and drama held in the medieval walled town of Galway, Ireland.

W: www.galwayearlymusic.com

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MAY (CONT.)

18th & 19th May

Maureen O'Sullivan Commemorative Event

King House, Main Street, Boyle, Co Roscommon

A two day event remembering the actress Maureen O'Sullivan who was born in Boyle. An exhibition will display photographs and memorabilia. The auditorium will show films demonstrating her acting skills. Please phone for details!

Susan T: 071 9663242

20th May

Garden Open Day

Ardcarraig, Oranswell Bushypark, Galway, Co Galway

4-acre garden with stream, pools, Japanese-style sections, heather & bog garden, fernery, rockery and herb garden - collections of primulas, hostas & dwarf conifers. Plant sale of unusual plants - €5.00. Donations all go to Galway Mental Health Association.

T: 091 524336

26th & 27th May

Féile na Tuaithe - A Celebration of Country Life

National Museum of Ireland – Country Life, Turlough, Castlebar, Co Mayo

Weekend-long celebration of Irish country life, featuring contemporary and traditional music, craft and country market products and family events. Suitable for all the family.

T: 094 90 31773 E: tpark@museum.ie

27th May

Lacken Strand Races

Lacken Strand, North Mayo

Nine horse & pony races, children's amusements, pony rides, food, drink and fun for all the family. A great day, not to be missed!

T: 096 34005

28th May

Bank Holiday Fun at Turoe Pet Farm

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