

# The Performing Artists and Workshops

**Latvian Folk Dance Group Karbunkulis:** Started life in the spring of 2006 after a suggestion by the Latvian Society in Ireland (LBI) to form it's own folk dance group. The group is led by experienced teacher and leader Solveiga Slaidina. Meaning of Karbunkulis from Latvian language is a precious stone. This is the third time the group will take part in Enniscorthy Dance Festival, so see you all there. For further information contact Juris 087 2321797.

**Sult Irish Dance Troupe:** A group of girls and boys between the ages of 11 and 21 years, from the O'Neill School of Irish Dance. The group was formed to allow those who love to dance after they had stopped competing to still perform. The group is now open to anyone in the class when they reach the age of 11. The group have performed at functions all over the South East of Ireland, Wales, London and Spain. Last year they successfully held the Charity Jigs and Reels which they are staging again in October. For further information contact Bernadette O'Neill 086 8400847.

**Celtic Roots:** A group of dancers, musicians, singers and storytellers. Based in Bree, they promote Irish Culture both at home and abroad. On the local scene, Celtic Roots hosts 'Seisuin', a full traditional Irish show, during July and August every year. Celtic Roots has expanded its connections by performing in countries such as Sweden, Finland, Norway, Germany, Brazil, Holland and Italy over the years. They aim to focus on the traditional qualities of Irish Dancing while at the same time embracing the modern approach to choreography. Above all else their class promotes fun and enjoyment and the development of friendships that last a lifetime. Contact Catriona Leacy 087 7504818.

**The Dowling School of Irish Dancing:** Was established 18 years ago by Claire Dowling ADCRG and is based in Bray, Co. Wicklow. The school has grown impressively and now has over 12 classes a week, teaching students from 3 to 22 years old. The pupils participate at a local, regional and international level, and have won numerous Leinster Championships and All-Ireland and international prizes in recent years. Contact Claire Dowling 087 6601845.

**Bollywood Spice:** have been performing for some time now choreographed by Yasmina who is a respected and accomplished artiste. Bellydance is an ancient art form, and all its current derivations pay respect to the origins. Bellydance performances should be enjoyed and also respected. For further information contact Yasmina on [www.yasminadance.com](http://www.yasminadance.com) or 086 8424314

**The Zoryanna:** A Tribal and Fusion Bellydance group as seen on TV3. The Workshop itself will be designed in such a way to suit everyone who comes - all they need is energy and a sense of fun - the music will be very lively to match the dance and its contagious rhythms will certainly get one and all moving!

**Enniscorthy and Wexford Academy of Dance:** Local dancer and teacher Martina Leacy brings her award winning dancers to the stage in Enniscorthy for the Festival. These talented dancers will perform a variety of dances from Hip Hop, Latin and Ballroom. For further information on contact Martina Leacy 087 9897375.

**Footloose Dance School:** Run by Lisa and Trish, this new dance school has already got 150 dancers on board. They teach Hip Hop, Modern Dance, Break-dance, Street-dance and lots more. It will be great to have this school bring their own form of street dance to the festival. For further information contact Lisa 085 1012412.

**Jive Sensation:** Run by Francis - Jive Sensation brings a fusion of modern Jive, Latin and Blues and more to the festival. A truly thrilling and exciting form of dance to watch and participate in. For information on classes contact Francis 087 6673792. Professional Dance Studio in Wexford also available for hire. Phone Francis on the above number.

**Kenny School of Dancing:** Run by two local award winning dancers. sisters AnnMarie Murphy and Mellissa Kenny bring their original dances in Hip Hop and Latin to the festival, ranging in ages from 3 - teenagers. This colourful young group are lots of fun to watch. For further information on classes please contact AnnMarie on 085 1133311.

**Kyds of Carlow:** A group of 20 dancers are coming to Enniscorthy for the weekend to perform Hip Hop dancing for us. This lively and exciting form of dance is not to be missed. For further information on classes contact Nicola on 085 7070261.

**Liam Sharkey and John Reilly:** Both these guys combine to bring their very unique form of dance to the stage. Performing their own creation of the musical Torn Dreams. These extremely talented performers will also be seen throughout the weekend with Baby Bop and DJ. Contact Liam 087 6791935.

**O'Brien School of Dancing:** Run by two local sisters Roisin and Lyndsey O'Brien. The ladies will bring along their award winning Irish dance group to perform for us on the stages and streets of town over the weekend. For further information contact Roisin 087 7425924.

**The Kilfenora Ceili Band:** 2009 was the centenary celebration of the formation of the band. Not only is this a historic milestone for the band but a reminder that Irish culture and traditions are thriving and have stood the test of time. The current line-up has been together for 17 years under the leadership of John Lynch. The ten piece band features 10 fiddles, 2 flutes, 2 squeeze boxes, banjo, drums and a piano. Their Forte is instrumental music with some harmony and a driving rhythm. Contact John Lynch 065 6842228.

**The Outlaws:** Great Line Dancing group brought together by instructor Pat Doyle. This amazing group of people will perform their dance to both modern and classic line dance music. For further information on classes contact Pat on 087 9171916.

**Mary Greagsbey School of Dance:** Principal M. Greagsbey R.A DIP, teacher Hillary King ISTD (SDI) COE. Range of classes. Ages range from 3years right up to professional level in both ballet and modern/ Hip Hop. Students will be given the opportunity to take exams in Royal Academy in Dance and Ballet and ISTD exam. For class information contact Mary Greagsbey on 087 2673732.

**Kelly Baldonado:** It's a genuine Samba Dance and Kelly has developed the appreciation here in Ireland of dance and many styles of dance found in Brazil. Kelly was the undoubted star of the 2008 St Patrick's Day Parade in Dublin appearing in nine newspapers. Kelly will be accompanied by African drummers and Dende Com Pimta for the Enniscorthy Street Rhythms Festival. Contact Kelly 087 7791420.

**Christ Wonders:** From Christ Alive Church, two dance groups ages 7- 9 and teens. For more information contact Hezy 087 6459410.

**Yoga Dance:** With Deirdre O'Connor. If you're a bit shy about dancing why not try a yoga dance class which is a combination of stretches, movement and breathing using music from many different cultures. Deirdre O'Connor is an experienced yoga teacher who, for many years, has been teaching yoga in the south east, Deirdre enjoys the fusion of dance and yoga and her workshop promises to be gentle, fun and rewarding. Phone Deirdre on 086 2510856.

**Wexford Folk Orchestra:** Formed four years ago, consists of 25 orchestra members with a line up of fiddles, whistles, banjos, drums, keyboards and accordions. The show will consist of music, song, recitation and dance. Contact Tom Hore on 053 9139471

# Enniscorthy Street Rhythms Dance Fest

3-day Spectacular  
event of  
Music and Dance

13th, 14th, 15th  
August 2010



## FRIDAY 13TH AUGUST 2010

### MARKET SQUARE

**8.15pm approx** Dancers will enter the Square from Rafter Street. Come and see the fantastic array of colors and beautiful costumes of participating dancers!

**8.30pm** **The opening ceremony** - a show of spectacular music and dance of some of the participating dance schools who will be performing throughout the weekend!

**9.30pm** **Torn Dreams** - Highlights from the amazing musical Torn Dreams.

**9.45pm** **Light Show**- Spectacular light and laser show makes its first appearance in The South East. There are moments when you're left speechless and this will be one of them, with the incredible light show that is guaranteed to be a sensation you won't want to miss.

## OUR SHOW WILL GO ON!

Enniscorthy Street Rhythms Dance Fest is in its third year this year and we hope that the sun shines. If not all activities will move indoors - so don't let a threat of rain ruin the weekend for you - the show will go on! The programme of events may vary slightly due to unforeseen circumstances.

All events are for you and your family's enjoyment and, mostly free of charge. So come along and enjoy yourselves!

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## SATURDAY 14TH AUGUST 2010

### THE FARMERS MARKET

**10.30 am** Puppeteer- Julie Rose McCormack.

**11am -12.30pm** Dance performances from local and visiting dance schools.

**1pm - 2pm** Drum Circle workshop - join in and learn how to drum. Great fun!!

**2.00 - 2.30pm** Dance performances from local and visiting dance schools.

### MARKET SQUARE

*In the event of wet weather St. Aidan's School will be venue.*

**11.30am - 6pm** Dance performance and street entertainers - Hip Hop, Irish, Ballet, Latin, Gospel and more.

**8pm - 10.30pm** An evening of wild & wonderful entertainment with Irish dance, Line Dancing, Salsa, Bellydance, Jive and Samba with a drumming banaza accompaniment.

**10.30pm** Amazing light celebration with Chinese lanterns.

### THE FAIRGREEN

**10.30 am-12pm** Baby Bop with Barney Mickey & Minnie Mouse and Friends . . .

**12pm-12.30pm** Puppeteer - Julie Rose McCormack.

**12.30-6.00pm** Dance performance and street entertainers - Hip Hop, Irish, Ballet, Latin, Gospel and more.

### WORKSHOPS

**12pm** Yoga Dance - Templeshannon Comm Centre.

**1pm** Drumming workshop - Farmers Market.

**2pm** Line Dancing - Templeshannon Comm Centre.

**3pm** Bellydance - Templeshannon Comm Centre.

**4pm** Ceili - Templeshannon Comm Centre

To prepare yourself for 'Kilfenora'.

**5pm** Drumming Workshop - Market Square

**DISCO** 10.30pm - My Rhythms Disco - Templeshannon Community Centre. Come and express yourself through movement and dance. My Rhythms encourages us to feel grounded and focused, before letting go and expressing our uniqueness within the community of dancers, ending with inner reflection. €10.

**KIDS DISCO** 6.30pm-8.00pm. Vertigo Night Club, The Bailey, Barrack Street. For kids from the performing dance schools

### FRINGE EVENTS

- Bellefield GAA - Dancing to Ray Lynham. 8.30 p.m.
- Craft Market on Rafter Street - pedestrianised.
- Art Exhibitions on the promenade.
- Buskers on the streets.
- Old time fairground including carousel, slide train, hula hoop etc. on the promenade.

## SUNDAY 15TH AUGUST 2010

### MARKET SQUARE

**12.30 - 2.30pm** **Jazz Session**  
Come have your coffee and read your Sunday newspaper in the relaxing ambience of live Jazz music.  
*If raining Jazz session will be held in The Bailey.*

*In the event of wet weather Riverside Park Hotel will be the venue from 2.30 p.m.*

**2.30 - 6.30pm** **An afternoon of performances**, song and music, local, national and international performances including Bollywood Spice, Karbunkulis Latvian Folk Dancers, Kelly Baldonado Samba dancers, Break-Dancers, Modern Jive and Wexford Folk Orchestra.

### RIVERSIDE PARK HOTEL

**3pm - 5pm** **Tea Dance** with the Jimmy Hogan Band. €10  
*In the event of wet weather the tea dance will be held in the Rugby Club, Ross Road.*

**8.30 - 11pm** **Ceili Mor with Kilfenora Ceili Band.**  
€15 booking recommended.

### WORKSHOPS -

**12pm** Zumba - Templeshannon Comm Centre.  
**12pm** Samba - St. Aidans N.S.  
**2pm** Bollywood - St. Aidans N.S.

### FRINGE EVENTS

#### BELLEFIELD GAA

**9.30am - 5.30pm** **Zorbing**  
Try one of the newest extreme sports- **Zorbing**. Go alone or together with friends. Choose the harnessed zorbing experience where you will be strapped in and rolled down hill. This is an unforgettable experience you can't miss.

**9.30am - 5.30pm** **Hamster Ball** - Hydro Zorbing experience on the River Slaney.

**11.00am - 5.30pm** **Bungee Trampoline**  
Do you want to bounce 33ft in the air? Do you want to perform backward and forward somersaults? Do you want to share thrills with up to 3 friends? Do you want to do all this in complete safety? This is for you!!

- Also in Bellefield Horse Shoes Competition.
- Craft Markets on Rafter Street - pedestrianised.
- Art Exhibition on the promenade.
- Walking treasure hunt around the town at 3pm.
- Barmans' race at 4pm.