



# Úna Bhán

Tourism Co-Operative Society

## Newsletter

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## BOYLE TOWN & MORE LAUNCH

Halloween weekend celebrations start with a Shannonside radio Live broadcast from Boyle on Friday 28th Oct.



The official Launch of **BOYLE TOWN & MORE** at 12noon on Fri 28th Oct performed by RTE 'Showcase' presenter and Boyle native Neville Knott by releasing into the air **Balloons Bursting with Boyle prizes.**

Watch local press for more details of other events taking place



## HARVEST SUPPER SOCIAL

BOYLE CHURCH OF IRELAND ANNUAL HARVEST SUPPER SOCIAL WILL BE TAKING PLACE IN ST JOSEPHS HALL, BOYLE ON FRIDAY 14TH OCTOBER. DOORS OPEN AT 9.30PM. DANCING TO BRENDAN KEARNEY AND HIS BAND

ADMISSION € 10 EVERYONE WELCOME.



Úna Bhán is a community services programme funded by Pobal



## Grants Programme 2012

The Heritage Council will be inviting applications for funding from 7<sup>th</sup> October to 11<sup>th</sup> November 2011, under the following schemes in 2012: **Heritage Research** provides assistance for data collection and research relating to Ireland's heritage **Heritage Management** supports projects that apply good heritage practice to the management of places, collections or objects (including buildings) **Heritage Education, Community and Outreach** supports initiatives linking heritage to communities, promoting active engagement with and raising public appreciation of heritage. **Applications must be made through the Heritage Council's online grants system between 7<sup>th</sup> October and 11<sup>th</sup> November 2011 at 5pm. Applications cannot be submitted outside this timeframe.**

Each scheme is open to individuals, non-profit organisations such as environmental NGOs, local community groups, heritage and preservation societies, local authorities, statutory organisations, academic institutions and private companies. An application may be completed by a professional or other advisor on behalf of a client, but the client is deemed to be the Applicant. All communication will be with the Applicant, and the advisor must provide the Applicant with the log-in details for using the Council's online grants. The schemes are open to applicants from anywhere in the world but the project work must be carried out in Ireland. Projects based in the republic of Ireland, in Northern Ireland or in both jurisdictions are eligible, but those in the republic will be given priority. References in this document to institutions and legislation in the republic should be taken as encompassing the equivalent institutions and legislation in Northern Ireland; applicants from outside the republic must comply with Irish tax law. Full details on the

### HALLOWEEN FANCY DRESS



A Fund Raising Fancy Dress in aid of the Boyle Musical Society will be taking place in Dalys Bar, Bridge Street Boyle on Sunday 30th October with prizes for best dressed male and female. Music will be performed by Paddy Fennelley and Out and Outer, followed by a DJ so come along and have a spooktacular night.

### BOYLE GOLF CLUB CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS

A Centenary Buffet and Dance is being held on Saturday October 29th in St Josephs Hall. Tickets €25.00 per person. The Centenary Book will be launched on the same weekend. There will also be golfing competitions on Saturday 29th and Sunday 30th October

### Antiques Fair Lough Key Forest Park

Lough Key Forest Park, Boyle is to host its first quality antiques fair on Sunday 23rd October 2011. Dealers specialising in furniture, ceramics, antiquarian books, art, jewellery, silver, etc are eagerly looking forward to attending at this new venue which is centrally situated in Ireland and approximately a two hour drive from Dublin. A professional picture restorer will also be on hand to give advice. The dateline for exhibits is the 1950s. Conveniently situated on the N4 approximately ten miles north of Carrick-on-Shannon, the fair will run from 10am to 5pm. Admission to the Fair is free. It is worth noting that antiques are now considered as a form of recycling and, with Christmas on the horizon, now would be a good time to buy something special. With the activities at the centre it offers a good day out for all the family. For details contact Susan. Mob: 0876445665.

## ANNUAL PIKE FISHING COMPETITION

Boyle Rambling Anglers are holding there Annual Open Pike Fishing Competition (Boat Only) on Sunday 16th October 2011 at Lough Gara. Entry Fee €30. Fishing from 10am to 5pm. Entries will be taken at Templeronan Pier from 9am

1st Prize €1,000 (Heaviest Pike)  
2nd Prize €500 (2nd Heaviest Pike)  
3rd Prize €200 (3rd Heaviest Pike)

All boats must have suitable holding tanks.

Please Note Boyle Rambling Anglers operate a “Strict Catch and Release Policy” on all pike Fishing and are asking all anglers and angling clubs to please support  
Contact Details: C. J. Greene



## The Launch of the Curlieu Wheelers Cycling Club

The re-launch of the Curlieu Wheelers cycling club will begin with a 50km Leisure Cycle and 10km Family fun cycle on Sunday October 9th at 11.00am in conjunction with the Roscommon Sports Partnership group. The route is planned along some local scenic areas. The start/finish is in Lough Key forest Park and will head out to Cootehall- Knockvicar-Keadue-Ballyfarnon-Corrigeenroe. Registration will be on the day at 10.00am in Lough Key activity centre. Registration fee is €10per person

this will include a refreshment stop and a Beanie hat. Cycle helmets are compulsory. Any enquiries contact Carmel 0861598232  
[curlieuwheelers.blogspot.com](http://curlieuwheelers.blogspot.com)



## Boyle Town & More Expo Extravaganza

A Retail and Trade Expo Extravaganza to showcase ALL that Boyle has to offer, will take place in Boyle Sports Complex on Sunday 30th October. This will be just one of the events that will take place over Halloween weekend to Launch Boyle's new Brand and Logo initiative 'Boyle Town and More'. If you are interested in taking a stand in the Complex on Sunday 30th



October, can you please call Siobhan on 071 9664510 or e-mail [info@roscommonlearninglinks.com](mailto:info@roscommonlearninglinks.com) to express your intention to attend as we anticipate a lot of interest. This event is open to all Boyle Clubs and Associations and all Businesses, from Hairdressers to Retailers, from Plumbers to Publicans, with demonstrations, fashion show, grand prize draw and lots of media exposure.

## **BOYLE BOXING CLUB RECRUITMENT**

Boyle Boxing and Fitness Club are now recruiting fighters who would like the chance to spar in our Annual Fight Night in March 2012....Fight Night has proved to be a very successful event in Boyle...If you are interested in fighting in March you can contact one of our coaches and will have to be training by January 2012 in the Club..The numbers you will need to call are listed below :

Simon : 086 404 1830

Ryan : 086 241 1375

Diarmuid : 086 168 4314

Darren : 086 881 2473



### **Up-skill / Re-train at Roscommon Learning Links Boyle**

Places still available on Counselling Skills Certificate from NUI Maynooth commencing in Boyle on 5<sup>th</sup> October. If you are interested in Digital Photography Courses please come along on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> Oct at 7pm where Tony will determine the most suitable class for you. Places still remaining on ECDL-last chance to get certified before all exams are automated. For further detail on courses, please call 071 9664510 or email [info@roscommonlearninglinks.com](mailto:info@roscommonlearninglinks.com)

### **Growing Trees from Seed**

Day Course for Adults

National Parks and Wildlife Service in association with Teagasc will host a day long course on collecting, preparing, storing and planting seeds from various native tree species. The course will take place Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October at NPWS Education Centre, Ballinafad, Co. Sligo from 10am to 5pm

### **CELTIC LEGENDS**

Gian Castello, Devon MacGillivray and Kitia Benedetti are putting together a magical evening of words, music and song inspired by the bardic tradition, with authentic Italian home made food and wine from the dough to the sauce, on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2011 with supper at 7.30 p.m. and show at 9.00 p.m. at Ballaghboy Lodge Farm, Ballinafad, Co Sligo. The evening is set to be a great start to the Samhain celebrations and the Bank Holiday weekend. Pre-booking necessary. For further details and bookings please contact

*Pop in and see our Range of Fishing Tackle in the Úna Bhán Craft Shop, call in anytime and ask for Roy, including new fly stocks, rods & reels*



### **MORE NEWS?**

*Your news correspondents at Úna Bhán Tourism are always on the look out for interesting items concerning Boyle and its surrounds for inclusion in the local Boyle news columns (we supply Boyle news to six local newspapers) and Úna Bhán monthly newsletter. Please e-mail [unabhan3@eircom.net](mailto:unabhan3@eircom.net) or telephone 071 9663033.*