MERRIMAN SUMMER SCHOOL 2009

Are we there yet?
Facing the future anew
AN FADA UAİNN FÓS TÍR TAIRNGIRE?

A week of discussions, lectures, seminars, song, dance, poetry cur 's cúiteamh, comhrá 's comhluadar

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16-22 LÚNASA/AUGUST

Stiúrthóir/Director: Bob Collins
**DOMHNACH 16 SUNDAY**

17.00 Clárú/Registration at GLÓR Theatre
19.00 Fáiltiú/Reception
20.00 Oscailt na Scoile/Opening of School
20.30 Lecture The Lost Decade? Crisis, Continuity and Change in 1950s Ireland, DIARMAID FERRITER
22.30 Club Merriman in designated local hostelries

**LUAN 17 MONDAY**

[Chairpersons for Seimineáir/Seminars DEIRDRE NIC MHATHÚNA & BRIAN Ó DÁLAIGH]

10.00 Seimineár 1 An Leabharlann san Aois Dhigiteach, AONGUS Ó hAONGHUSA
10.00 Seminar 1 Protecting the Vulnerable in Difficult Times, JOHN-MARK McCAFFERTY
10.00 Renew your Irish 1 with EOGHAN Ó hANLUAIN
11.45 Cúirt an Mheán-Lae/Poetry Reading JAMES HARPUR
15.00 Lecture Global Shifting Sands: Ireland in a Changing World, NOEL DORR
20.30 Lecture Changing Ireland: a Psychological and Social Perspective, MAUREEN GAFFNEY
22.30 Club Merriman in designated local hostelries

**MAIRT 18 TUESDAY**

10.00 Seimineár 2 Forbairt Gaeltachta – An Fhís, PÁDRAIG Ó hAOLÁIN
10.00 Seminar 2 The Future of the Media, CLARE DUIGNAN
10.00 Renew your Irish 2 with EOGHAN Ó hANLUAIN
11.45 Cúirt an Mheán-Lae/Poetry Reading ENDA WLEYE
15.00 Léacht Tír ár Sinsear Feasta, CILIAN FENNELL
20.30 Lecture Challenges to Education in a Time of Crisis, TOM COLLINS
22.30 Club Merriman in designated local hostelries

**AOINE 21 FRIDAY**

10.00 Seimineár 4 Tuaisceart Éireann: ag Máirseáil go Mall. Cá bhfuil a dTriall? POILÍN NÍ CHIARÁIN
10.00 Seminar 4 The Arts: Priorities in a Time of Change, SARA KEATING
10.00 Renew your Irish 3 with EOGHAN Ó hANLUAIN
11.45 Cúirt an Mheán-Lae/Poetry Reading JOHN F. DEANE
12.30 Clare/Polka Sets with BETTY McCOY & JOHNNY MORRISSEY
15.00 Lecture Children as Citizens: a Challenge for Public Policy, EMILY LOGAN
20.30 Lecture Northern Ireland: New Horizons, New Relationships, PAUL BEW
22.30 Club Merriman with the Merriman Céili Band in the Temple Gate Hotel

**SATHARN 22 SATURDAY**

10.30 Symposium The Economy: Prospects and Possibilities FRANCES RUANE, JOHN McHALE & MICHAEL SMYTH

Note A selection of Radharc films broadcast on RTÉ will be screened during the School. These will be shown in GLÓR after the afternoon lectures.