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Ron Kavana & Friends

On Friday February 5th
Minogue's Bar, Tulla

Ron will be joined by Annie Armstrong (vocals), Dave Harper (banjo, flute, whistles), and Conor Keane (Accordian)

Ron Kavana is a singer/songwriter/composer, multi-instrumentalist, band leader, producer, author, and poet who has been at the cutting edge of the international folk scene for over three decades.

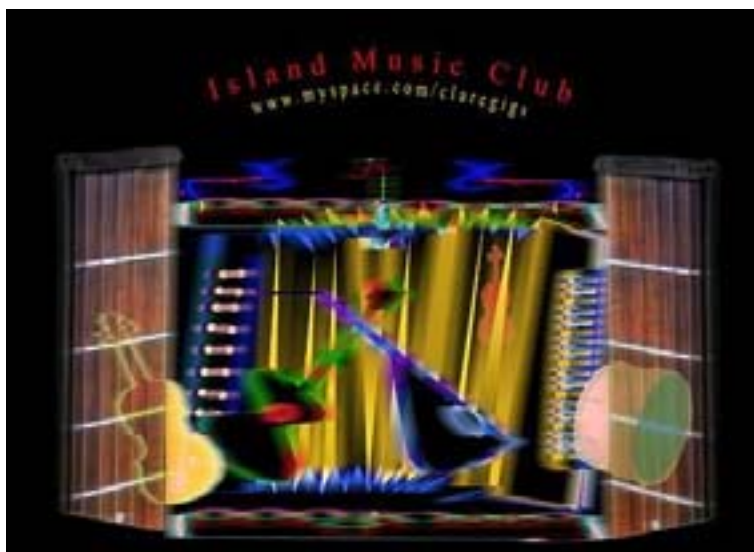
Internationally acclaimed as one of the folk world's greatest performers, writers and storytellers, Ron Kavana is probably Ireland's best kept musical secret. His live performances are legendary, he is coming your way soon – book your seats early and see what the fuss is all about – you won't be disappointed... the legend finally comes home!

The Island Music Club

(bookings contact : 086-8599957)
or email fhayes23@gmail.com.

Crusheen Singers Club

The Highway Bar is also the home of the Crusheen Singers Club who have been in existence for more than 6 years. The singers club runs on the second Wednesday of every month all year round. The session consists of unaccompanied singing of mainly traditional or folk songs. All singers and listeners are welcome. Occasionally instruments are allowed by pre-arrangement and from time to time we have special guest singers/musicians. To contact the singers club call 086-8599957



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Heritage Inchicronan

'Where do you think you're living?'

Come along to the upcoming night on the origin of our townlands, their folklore, stories, local names and field names of the townlands where we live.

Townland night.

February 10th in Crusheen Hall,
Ballyvanna,
Sonnagh,
Knockreddan,
Cappamore
and Ballynagranagh.

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Heritage Grants Scheme 2010

Scéim Deontais Oidhreachta 2010

Notice is hereby given of Galway County Council Heritage Grants Scheme 2010. The objective of the Heritage Grant Scheme is to promote interest, education, knowledge, and pride in, and to facilitate appreciation and enjoyment of the heritage of County Galway. Applications are invited from Community Groups only, for grants for heritage projects which benefit or relate to at least one of the aspects of heritage as set out in the Heritage Act, 1995. Heritage is defined as including: monuments, archaeological objects, heritage objects, architectural heritage, flora, fauna, wildlife habitats, landscapes, seascapes, wrecks, geology, heritage parks and gardens and inland waterways.

Application forms and particulars of the grants scheme are available on www.galway.ie or from: Marie Mannion, Heritage Officer, Áras an Chontae, Galway County Council, Prospect Hill, Galway. Tel 091 509198/509121 or e-mail mmannion@galwaycoco.ie.

Completed application forms should be returned to the Heritage Officer no later than 4.00pm on Friday 26th March 2010.

Tá fógra leis seo maidir le Scéim Deontais Oidhreachta 2010 Chomhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe. Is í aidhm na Scéime Deontais Oidhreachta, spéis, oideachas agus mórtas oidhreachta a chothú agus cabhrú leis an bpobal meas agus taitneamh a bhaint as oidhreacht Chontae na Gaillimhe. Tugtar cuireadh do Ghrúpaí Pobail amháin, iarratais a dhéanamh ar dheontais le haghaidh tionscadail oidhreachta a rachfaidh chun sochar ceann de na gnéithe atá luaite san Acht Oidhreachta 1995, nó a bhfuil baint aige le ceann acu. I measc na nithe a áirítear a bheith mar chuid den oidhreacht tá séadchomharthaí, rud ársa seandálaíochta, ábhair oidhreachta, an oidhreacht ailtireachta, fauna, flora, gnáthóg fiadhúlra, tírdhreachanna, muirdhreachanna, gairdíní agus páirceanna oidhreachta agus uiscebhealaí intíre.

Is féidir foirmeacha iarratais agus chuile eolas faoin scéim deontais seo a fháil ar www.galway.ie nó ó: Marie Mannion, Oifigeach Oidhreachta, Áras an Chontae, Comhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe. Teil: 091 509121/509198 rphost mmannion@galwaycoco.ie.

Ba chóir na foirmeacha comhlánaithe a sheoladh ar ais chuig an t-Oifigeach Oidhreachta roimh 4 i.n. Dé hAoine, 26ú Márta 2010.

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Comhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe County Heritage Awards 2010

Galway County Council County Heritage Awards Programme recognises the positive efforts and contributions of individuals, schools and communities who have furthered the goal of heritage throughout the county. Nominations which have made a positive contribution to the public interest in heritage and are of significance to the community, in which they are based, will be considered for an award.

One award will be presented for each Electoral Area:
Ballinasloe, Connemara, Loughrea, Oranmore and Tuam

In addition, there will be:

One special county award for the most outstanding achievement in Heritage.

An award for the best heritage publication.

An award specifically for primary schools.

If you think that you or your group or school deserves an award or if you would like to nominate an individual, school or group please write or e-mail for a nomination form to:

Marie Mannion, Heritage Officer, Galway County Council, Prospect Hill, Galway or
mmannion@galwaycoco.ie

Nomination forms are also available @ www.galway.ie or phone (091) 509121/509198.

The closing date for receipt of completed nomination forms is
Friday 26th March 2010 at 4pm.

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Comhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe Gradaim Oidhreachta an Chontae 2010

Tá Clár Gradaim Oidhreachta Contae bunaithe ag Comhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe mar aitheantas ar na hiarrachtaí dearfacha agus rannpháirtíocht dhaoine aonaracha agus pobail a bhfuil sprioc na hoidhreachta curtha chun cinn acu ar fud an chontae. Déanfar machnamh ar ainmniúcháin i gcóir gradaim a bhfuil cúnamh dearfach tugtha acu do leas an phobail agus atá fíor thábhachtach don phobal ina bhfuil siad lonnaithe ann

Bronnfar gradam amháin ar gach toghcheantar
Béal Átha na Sluaighe, Conamara, Baile Locha Riach, Órán Mór agus Tuaim

Comh maith leis sin beidh :

Gradam Speisialta Contae amháin don éacht is suntasaí in Oidhreachta.

Gradam don fhoilseachán oidhreachta is fearr.

Gradam sonrath do scoileanna náisiúnta.

Má cheapann tú go bhfuil gradam tuillte agat féin nó ag do ghrúpa nó más mian leat duine aonair nó grúpa a ainmniú scríobh nó cuir ríomhphost le do thoil i gcóir foirm ainmniúcháin chuig:

Marie Mannion, Oifigeach Oidhreachta, Comhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe, Cnoc na Radharc, Gaillimh nó mmannion@galwaycoco.ie . Tá foirmeacha ainmniúcháin ar fáil freisin @ www.gaillimh.ie nó glaoch ar (091) 509121/509198.

Is é an dáta deireanach chun an fhoirm ainmniúcháin comhlánaithe a chuir isteach ná 4 i.n Dé hAoine, 26ú Márta 2010.

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Rith 2010 is a new national festival that will take place between 9th and 17th March 2010 as one of the main events of Seachtain na Gaeilge (Irish language week). A 1600km course has been laid out for a massive relay-race run, running from morning to night, from Belfast to Galway over 9 days with thousands of people taking part in over 250 towns and villages.

A special hand-carved baton has been designed that will carry a hidden message throughout Rith 2010. At the end of the run, the message of support for the Irish language, written by Mary McAleese, the President of Ireland, will be read out as part of the St. Patrick's Day parade in Galway.

Anyone can run on any part of the course. You don't need to pre-register but if you want to be involved you can buy your own kilometre on www.rith.ie and for that part of the run, you and your group will lead the run and carry the baton!

Rith 2010 is a brand new way to celebrate the Irish language and culture in a way that is visual, fun, community based and can be celebrated throughout the island of Ireland. Rith 2010 also aims to raise money to create a new fund for the promotion of the Irish language in the community.

