

WORKSHOPS

Please book for each workshop
in advance
For bookings, call 085 1480880

Halloween Arts & Crafts Workshop

(Age 4 - 8 yrs) Tuesday 31st October
10am - 10.45am

Venue: Bookworm
Cost: €7
Bookings 085 1480880



Pumpkin Painting

(Age 4 +) Tuesday 31st October
11am - 11.45am

An alternative to pumpkin carving, may suit younger children. Please book in advance.
Venue: Bookworm
Cost: €7
Bookings 085 1480880



Pumpkin Carving

(Age 9 +) Tuesday 31st October
12pm - 12.45pm

Carve and decorate your own pumpkin for Halloween!
Venue: Bookworm
Cost: €7
Bookings 085 1480880



Special FX Makeup

(Age 6 +) Tuesday 31st October
1pm - 1.45pm

Learn how to make cuts, bruises and wounds using special FX make-up. (Wear old clothes). Please book in advance
Venue: Bookworm.

Cost: €7
Bookings 085 1480880



Trick or Treat Bucket-Making Workshop

(Age 5 +) Tuesday 31st October
2pm - 2.45pm

Make your own trick or treat bucket.
Venue Bookworm
Cost: €7
Bookings 085 1480880



KIDS KIDS KIDS

Thursday 26th October

family

Time:	6pm (Doors at 5.30pm)
Venue:	The Anner Hotel
Admission:	Tickets €10 each, family of four - €30

FANTASIAS MAGICAL KIDS SHOW

Discount Vouchers available in schools, in shops and by presenting this festival brochure.



Saturday 28th October

family

Time:	12pm - 2pm
Venue:	Thurles Town Park
Admission:	€3 per family

SCARECROW TREASURE HUNT

Register at Thurles Town Park from 12pm - 2pm. In aid of Thurles Parents of Children with Autism.

Saturday 28th October

family

Time:	3pm
Venue:	The Bookworm
Admission:	Free

CHILDREN'S STORYTELLING

Childrens Storytelling with Irish Author Peter Kennedy writer of "The Spooky Snickeroo" a series of childrens books. Peter is an award winning stage actor and director.



SPONSORS

The committee would like to thank the following for their generous support and sponsorship without whom our festival could not take place:

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THURLES HALLOWEEN ARTS FESTIVAL 2017



WEDNESDAY 25TH OCTOBER
TO TUESDAY 31ST OCTOBER



WELCOME

Welcome to the 10th annual Thurles Halloween Arts Festival. Once again we have a wonderful festival line up ever, with some of the best national and international acts confirmed to perform this year. Our policy of community participation and enjoyment is very much evident again, and with so many different forms of the arts on offer, there is something for everyone on this year's programme.

I would like to thank my hard working committee for all their time and efforts over the last number of months. I of course, would also like to show my appreciation to all our sponsors, volunteers and festival partners for their generosity and help, without whom this festival could not take place.

Finally I hope that everyone who participates in our festival will both enjoy and remember it. Our aim is to have a festival that is open to everyone and one that will place Thurles on the map as a town with an Arts Festival to envy.

Cllr. Jim Ryan (Chairman)



COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chairman: Cllr. Jim Ryan
Secretary: Cllr. David Doran
Treasurer: Pat Dunican
PRO: Ellen Dunican



Wednesday 25th - 31st October

ART EXHIBITION

For details on venues and times, check facebook page or website www.thurleshalloweenfestival.com.

Wednesday 25th - 31st October

SCARECROW TRAIL

This year we will be having a Halloween Scarecrow Trail around Thurles. With the help of Thurles Mens Shed over 40 Scarecrows will be put on display around the streets of Thurles during the duration of this years festival.



Wednesday 25th October

film

Time: 8pm
 Venue: Source Centre
 Admission: €9 & €5



PERSONAL SHOPPER

A personal shopper in Paris refuses to leave the city until she makes contact with her twin brother who previously died there. Thriller starring Kristen Stewart.

Thursday 26th October

literature

Time: 8pm
 Venue: The Anner Hotel
 Admission: Free



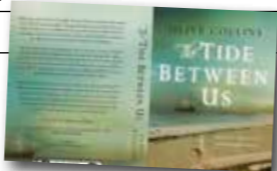
THURLES WRITERS GROUP

Thurles Writers Group will have a special open night in The Anner Hotel. Tea and coffee will be provided. All welcome.

Thursday 26th October

literature

Time: 8pm
 Venue: The Anner Hotel
 Admission: Free



OLIVE COLLINS

Delighted to have Thurles author Olive Collins talking about her new book at the Anner Hotel on Thursday 26th of October at 8pm. Admission free

Friday 27th October

entertainment

Time: 7:30pm
 Venue: Thurles Town Park
 Admission: Free



FIRE SHOW

We have Irelands best 3 person fire show performing. This is not to be missed and as it will be performed in the dark this is really going to be an event not to be missed.

Friday 27th October

dance

Time: 7pm
 Venue: Thurles Town Park
 Admission: Free

DANCE PERFORMANCE

This year we have a wonderful dance performance from some of the towns best dance schools.



Friday 27th October

drama

Time: 8pm
 Venue: Source Arts Centre
 Admission: €12



THE MORNING AFTER THE LIFE BEFORE

Gúna Nua presents the internationally acclaimed and multi award winning, The Morning After The Life Before. A light hearted, playful telling of Ann Blake's true story in Ireland before and after the referendum on Marriage Equality in 2015. The Morning After The Life Before is performed by Ann Blake and Lucia Smyth and directed by Paul Meade. Be prepared for music, cake and equality. Best Production, London Ontario Fringe Best Production, Montreal Fringe

Saturday 28th October

music

Time: 9pm
 Venue: Source Arts Centre
 Admission: €15/€12 Early bird

NO STAIRWAY - LED ZEPPELIN TRIBUTE

No Stairway is Ireland's finest Led Zeppelin tribute act. Fronted by Galway songwriter, Steven Sharpe, he is joined by Shane O'Malley on bass and keys, Ronan O'Malley on guitar and Bill Dunne on drums. They aim to recreate Zeppelin's live presence and studio albums as faithfully as possible. From Plant's soaring vocals, Bonham's thunderous drums, Jones' multitasking, to Page's blistering guitar work; all the parts are treated with the respect they deserve!



Sunday 29th October

family

Time: 3pm - 6pm
 Venue: The Monks, Mitchel St.
 Admission: €20 per table

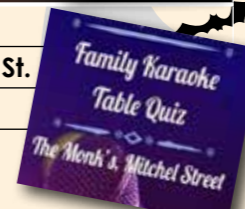


TABLE QUIZ & KARAOKE

Thurles Community Panto Society presents Family Karaoke & Table Quiz. Tables €20.00. Fancy Dress, Spot Prizes, Competition.

Monday 30th October

family

Time: 12pm - 6pm
 Venue: Thurles Town Park
 Admission: €3



GHOST TRAIN

All aboard our Halloween ghost train which will take you on a spooky journey around the recently opened town park in Thurles. Dress up in your Halloween costumes but be warned there will be a scare or two during the journey. From 12pm to 1pm will be an autistic-friendly hour.

Tuesday 31st October

family

Time: 6pm - 9pm
 Venue: Thurles Rugby Club
 Admission: Free

STREET MARKET

Food & Craft Stalls

We will be having food and craft stalls on Tuesday 31st of October from 6pm to 9pm at Thurles Rugby Club.



If you are interested in having a stall please ring 086 2397376

Tuesday 31st October

family

Time: 5pm til late
 Venue: Thurles Rugby Club
 Admission: Free

FUNFAIR

We will have a small number of funfair rides and bungee trampolines at Thurles Rugby club



Tuesday 31st October

family

Time: From 6pm onwards
 Venue: Thurles Rugby Club
 Admission: Free but donations welcome

FIREWORKS DISPLAY

Our fireworks display will take place at Thurles Rugby club. Come along dressed in your Halloween costumes and enjoy the night.

Events on the night include:

- Funfair rides
- Stalls
- Bungee Trampoline
- And much much more...

