

### Kanturk Credit Union Schools' Art Competition

Pupils from national schools in Kanturk, Lismire, Kilbrin and Banteer, along with students in Scoil Mhuire and Colaiste Treasa, Kanturk, submitted nearly 300 works of art in this year's competition, kindly sponsored by **Kanturk Credit Union**.

The paintings are on display in shop windows throughout Kanturk town, with the category winners framed and displayed in Percival Street.

### Under 15 and Under 19 Short Story Competitions

Entries were sent in from all over Duhallow. The winners receive a Kanturk Bookshop €50 book token. The winning stories are published on [www.kanturkarts.ie](http://www.kanturkarts.ie) and the Kanturk Arts Facebook page.

### Invited Artist's Exhibition

An exhibition of work by Castlecor resident Stephen Flynn is on display in Kanturk Credit Union for the duration of the Festival.

### Kanturk Library Paintings Exhibition

Paintings from local artists are displayed in Kanturk Library throughout the Festival.

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**Come and Enjoy  
The 7th Annual Kanturk Arts Festival**



ALL EVENTS FREE, EXCEPT WHERE INDICATED

### Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup>

• 7PM – 9PM

#### KANTURK COURTHOUSE

Official opening of Festival by artist **Stephen Flynn**.  
Music by **The Vespertine Quintet** and **Noel Walsh**.  
Kindly sponsored by North Cork Co-op.

### Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup>

• 10AM – 1PM

#### EDEL QUINN HALL

Animation Workshop with **Jane Lee** (€20)

• 11:30AM – 1PM

#### KANTURK CASTLE

"Healing Through Art" with **Susan Fitzgerald**

• 2PM – 5PM

#### TRADE UNION HALL

Portraiture Workshop with **Stephen Flynn** (€10)

• 5PM – 6PM

#### DAILY GRIND COFFEE HOUSE

Teenage hour of music and spoken word

• 7PM – 8PM

#### KANTURK COURTHOUSE

"A Night of Drama" & Recital by The Scoil Mhuire  
Traditional Ensemble.

### Sunday, March 15<sup>th</sup>

• 11AM – 1PM

#### TRADE UNION HALL

Photography with **Mallow Camera Club**

• 2PM – 3PM

#### KANTURK COURTHOUSE

Poetry Reading by **Iggy McGovern**

• 4PM – 5PM

#### KANTURK COURTHOUSE

Author talk by **Hazel Gaynor**

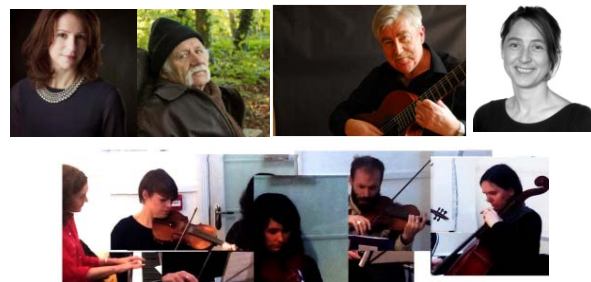
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#### KANTURK COURTHOUSE

Poetry Slam (€5)

Kanturk Arts Festival  
is organised under the auspices of  
Kanturk and District Community Council Ltd.

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## Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup>

**The Vespertine Quintet** is a collection of West Cork musicians, comprising the traditional string quartet and piano with added electronic sounds. Their repertoire mixes sparse, soulful music from the Renaissance and Early Baroque with modern miniatures.

Solo guitar player **Noel Walsh** hails from Mallow and his instrumental set ranges from Classical to Jazz, Latin, Pop and Folk, creating a relaxed, romantic atmosphere.

## Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup>

**Jane Lee**, Paperplane Creations, is an award-winning animation writer/director. Along with giving workshops, Jane creates short animation commissions for a variety of clients. To book a place on Jane's workshop, phone Viv on 087 833 9137

"Healing Through Art" with **Susan Fitzgerald** is an interactive class designed to experience simple yet effective yoga moves and have you feeling more balanced and in harmony with your mind and body. Bring along your yoga mat or picnic rug, and relax!

Festival artist-in-residence, **Stephen Flynn** has exhibited in The Crawford School of Art and Mallow Library. He has permanent paintings in Mallow Town Hall, Kanturk Library and the MPHC, Mallow. To book for Stephen's charcoal / pastels workshop, phone Viv on 087 833 9137

The teenage programme in **The Daily Grind** is being set by local teenagers. Expect an evening of music, poetry, spoken word and surprises!

**"A Night of Drama"** is a new event for the Arts Festival. It promises fabulous acting, great writing and plenty of laughter. Come along and get lost in the drama of it all.

**The Scoil Mhuire Traditional Ensemble** are ten Junior Cycle pupils who qualified for the 2015 All-Ireland Final of The Briery Gap Light Entertainment Festival for Second Level Schools.

## Sunday, March 15<sup>th</sup>

**Mallow Camera Club** was set up in 1986 and has been successful in a number of regional, national and international competitions. The club meets every Monday night, except Bank Holidays, in the Mercy Centre, Fair Street, Mallow at 8pm. No need to book for this workshop. Just turn up with your camera or even your iPhone!

**Iggy McGovern** is Fellow Emeritus in Physics at Trinity College Dublin. His most recent publication is *'A Mystic Dream of 4'* (Quaternia Press 2013), a sonnet sequence based on the life of Irish mathematician and poet, William Rowan Hamilton (1805-65). The sonnets will be read by festival attendees, with a linking commentary by the author.

Novelist, mum and freelance writer **Hazel Gaynor** is originally from Yorkshire, England and her debut novel *The Girl Who Came Home* was a New York Times best-seller. Her second novel *A Memory of Violets* was published in February 2015.

The **Poetry Slam** once again brings our festival to a close. Recite a favourite piece of poetry (your own or someone else's) before our judge, Iggy McGovern. Bring cushions and an open mind! Prizes kindly sponsored by Kanturk Bookshop. 1<sup>st</sup>: €70 book token, 2<sup>nd</sup>: €30 book token