

EVENTS FOR TEENS

CREATIVE WRITING GROUP

Meets monthly.

Next meeting: Tuesday 16th December,

7.00pm - 8.00pm.

Ages 12 - 14.

Booking essential.

YOUNG ADULT BOOK CLUB

Continues Monday 22nd December

6.30pm - 7.30pm

For Ages 13 +

Booking essential.

Be sure to check out our blog for Young Adults,
www.yaps.ie

SOUTH DUBLIN VOLUNTEER CENTRE

The South Dublin Volunteer Centre offers a recruitment and placement service to volunteers in South Dublin and they will be here between 10.00- 12.00 on Wednesday 10th December in the library.

This brochure is also available digitally.
To receive it directly to your inbox, please sign up at our website. The sign up facility can be found at our "I Want To" drop-down menu on the right-hand side.



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Ask at the library desk for your PIN number to access this service or use www.borrowbooks.ie to search across the entire Irish public library system.

Check out South Dublin Libraries online language learning service. Available from our library website. There are over 80 languages to choose from.

Library Membership: To join the library, simply register your details on our website (www.southdublinlibraries.ie) and then bring both photo i.d. and proof of address (e.g., utility bill) to the library desk where you will be issued with your card straight away.

We hope you & your children enjoy the library but in the interest of all our library patrons, please ensure that small children do not stray into the adult library

Housebound Home Delivery Service
Books delivered to your door. A free and confidential service for ill or incapacitated members of the community.

Please remember to bring your library card on every visit to access our services!

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Ballyroan Library

Library Opening Hours

Monday – Thursday 9.45am - 8.00pm

Friday and Saturday 9.45am - 4.30pm

Phone: 01-4941900

Email: ballyroan@sdbublincoco.ie

CHRISTMAS CLOSURE DATES:

The library closes on **Tues 23rd Dec @ 8pm** and re-open on **Friday 2nd Jan @ 9.45am**
Have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

www.southdublinlibraries.ie

EXHIBITION

IRELAND AND THE GREAT WAR

Ballyroan Library will be hosting an exhibition of artefacts from the First World War, from the 1st to the 23rd of December. The exhibition will include timeline panels charting the course of the war from the assassination of Franz Ferdinand through to the Armistice, along with panels explaining aspects of the war that uniquely affected Ireland.

There will also be personal items and medals, and their stories, from both sides of the conflict. These stories will help to give visitors an idea of the human cost of the Great War. Also on display are examples of weapons used. Some items on display were kindly lent by residents of South Dublin.

A slideshow will also be displayed showing the names and additional details of South Dublin's 1914-1918 war dead. This will be displayed in the library for the duration of the exhibition.

Exhibition runs from 1st—23rd December

REGULAR EVENTS FOR CHILDREN

STORYTIME

Tuesdays @ 3.30pm. All welcome.

TODDLER TIME

Fridays @ 10am. All Welcome.
Finishes 12th Dec, Resumes 9th Jan.

JUNIOR CHESS CLUB

For Ages 8+ Beginners Welcome
Saturdays @ 10am. Booking essential.
Finishes 13th Dec, Resumes 10th Jan.

JUNIOR BOOKCLUB

Thursday 18th December, 3.30pm – 4.30pm.
Ages 9+, Booking essential.

CODER DOJO

Wednesdays from 6pm – 8pm, weekly until 10th Dec.
Please note, due to the Christmas Fair, there will be no dojo on the 3rd December.
Dojo resumes on 14th January.
Booking opens every Thursday at 9.45am
<http://zen.coderdojo.com/dojo/439>
Suitable for ages 7—17.

CHRISTMAS AT BALLYROAN LIBRARY

For Children

CHRISTMAS ARTS AND CRAFTS WITH JOAN

For ages 8 – 12.

Monday 8th December, 3.30pm.
Booking Essential.

NUTCRACKER DANCE WORKSHOP

with the Kate Buckley School of Dance
For ages 5 –7.

Wednesday 17th December, 3.30pm
Booking Essential.

For Adults

MAKING CHRISTMAS DECORATION FOR ADULTS

Join Eleanor for this fun, festive class about how to make patchwork Christmas decorations that will be your tree's star attraction!

Thursday 4th December, 6.30pm.
Places very limited. Booking Essential.

A CHRISTMAS MISCELLANY

An evening of festive poetry and stories.
Monday 8th Dec, 7pm
Booking Essential.

LOUGHLINSTOWN WORKHOUSE

A talk by Liam Clare
Presented by the Rathfarnham Historical Society.
Tuesday 9th December, 7.30pm.
Booking Essential.

For Everyone

BALLYROAN FESTIVE FILM CLUB

Join us for a special festival double bill, screening
White Christmas and *Holiday Inn*.
All Welcome.
Monday 15th December @ 5.30pm (please note early start time due to double bill).

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

Join us for our Christmas craft fair and market featuring Christmas stalls, a live nativity scene, warm mince pies, mulled wine, carol singing, festive treats and crafts and Santa Claus himself!

Come along and show off your best Christmas jumper!

Make sure to arrive early to see the switching on of Christmas Lights with our very special guests.

Wednesday 3rd December, 6.30pm
Ballyroan Church Grounds.
Hosted by Ballyroan Library, Church and Community Centre.

All Welcome!

REGULAR EVENTS FOR ADULTS

COMPUTER CLASSES FOR ADULTS

Designed for absolute beginners.
Five week course on Wednesday mornings
11.00am – 1.00 pm.
Booking essential.

COMPUTER CLASSES WITH AGE ACTION IRELAND

Booking essential.
For more information please ask at the library desk or contact 01 4756989.

CROCHET GROUP

Mondays at 10.30am.
Booking Essential.
Participants must bring a 4mm crochet hook and a ball of light-coloured wool.

UKELELE FOR BEGINNERS

Thursdays, 6.45—7.45pm.
Booking Essential.
Participants must bring their own ukulele.