

FRIDAY 12TH AUGUST

HIGH TIDE 17.15 HRS. (4.8 M)

Farmers Market at the Square 12-2PM

Sruthán pier, Carraroe – Loading of Turf Boats 17.00 hrs.

18.30 Children's banner exhibition on the Quay – featuring three local schools.

20.00 Music & Craic in the pubs.

SATURDAY 13TH AUGUST

HIGH TIDE 17.56 HRS. (4.9M)

10.00 Mike Lynskey Memorial Cup. Race from the Claddagh to Parkmore.

15.00 Festival Sounds DJ, Face painting etc at Market Square. Organised by community Council

15.00 Skippers meeting Gleoiteoga Móra agus Beaga.

15.00 Turf Boats from Sruthán to arrive Parkmore Pier for Crew BBQ.

15.30 Heron Race. Dinghy race by Kinvara Bay Sailing Club.

16.30 Gleoiteog Mór race. Starts between Pier and Castle.

16.45 Gleoiteog Beag race.

17.00 Climín (Seaweed Rafts) Display in the Harbour

17.30 Hookers and Leath Bháds depart Parkmore in convoy for Kinvara.

17.45 Arrival of Turf Boats at Kinvara Pier.

18.00 Official opening of the festival by Michael D Higgins.

18.20 Presentation of Mike Lynskey Memorial Cup.

18.30 Jim McKee Big Band on Festival Stage.

20.00 "An tAmhrán Beo" Traditional Singing Concert. Bilingual concert at Community Centre Performing Musicians & Sean Nós dancing. Bean an Tigh Brid Joyce

20.00 DJ Steve. (Finalist on iRadio DJ competition) in Market Square. Organised by Community Council

21.00 Music & Craic in the pubs.

SUNDAY 22ND AUGUST

HIGH TIDE 18.36 HRS. (5.0M)

11.00 Mass and blessing of the boats on the pier. Mass in memory of all deceased Badoiri (Broadcast on Radio Na Gaeltachta)

14.00 Puppet Show by the Little Peoples Puppet Company

14.00 The Rascals on the Festival Stage

14.00 Woodturning exhibition by Mairtin Davy on the Pier

15.00 Skippers Meeting Hookers and Leath Bháds on Pier.

15.30 Childrens Fancy Dress at the Pier

16.00 Bád Mór Race, for the Colm Mulkerrins Memorial trophy.

16.15 Leath Bhad Race

16.30 Sean Slattery and the Connections on the Festival Stage.

16.30 Crazy Raft Display. Organised by Community Council.

17.00 Climín (Seaweed Race) Race Starting – The Murphystore Cup

17.15 All Other classes of boat racing

19.00 Presentation of Prizes on the Pier.

19.30 Cruinniu Raffle draw and Draw for Original Painting by Mark Dwyer used for the 2011 Poster.

19.30 Music & Craic in the pubs

SIDE EVENTS OVER THE WEEKEND

Model Railway Exhibition

Photographic Exhibition "The Whole World around Kinvara" by T. Quinn in unit beside DIY Pursuits.

Exhibition of paintings in Tully's by Peter Dunn.

"Two Halves" Bringing street art to the boreens of the west.
Knitathon on market square at beginning of farmers market.
Attempting to break world record in aid of Somalia Relief Fund.

All times are approximate & subject to change.

Cruinniu Na Mbad shop open all weekend selling Festival Posters, Raffle Tickets, T-shirts and Sweatshirts in aid of the Cruinniu.

Artist Mark Dwyer will sign posters on the Quay on Sunday 3-4pm

We would like to thank our patrons, who have supported us this year,

Thanks also to the boat owners and families and supporters from Connemara and elsewhere.

Cuireann an Cruinniu fáilte roimh bádoiri Chonamara agus a muintir agus fáilte roimh bádoiri agus cuairteoirí ó áiteacha eile in Éireann agus i gcéin.

Finally thanks to all our volunteer helpers over the weekend from Kinvara and elsewhere

We hope you enjoy this Cruinniu na mBad

Tá súil againn go mbainfear sult agus spraoi as Cruinniu 2011.