

Tuesday 20 September

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11.45am – 12.00pm	Native Irish Pedigree Dog Breeds Intangible Cultural Heritage	Learn about Ireland's Native Pedigree Dog Breeds, which are inscribed on Ireland's National Inventory of Intangible Cultural Heritage. A number of the dogs will be on stage during the talk and afterwards members of the public will have the opportunity to meet the dogs in the demo area.
12.00pm – 12.30pm	Adult Literacy for Life Strategy: A Personal Story Dept. FHERIS	Two students from the NALA literacy programme speak about their experiences of their learning journey,
12.30pm – 1.00pm	Junk Kouture Creative Ireland	Junk Kouture is a year-round programme for secondary schools that challenges students aged 13-18 to create couture fashion from 100% recycled materials, before ultimately showcasing their creations to a global audience.
1.00pm – 1.30pm	From Idea to Action: A Q&A with OPW Flood Relief Engineers OPW	An insight into the work of an OPW engineer and the impact their projects have.
1.30pm – 2.00pm	Native Irish Cattle Breeding Intangible Cultural Heritage	Join Greg Walsh for a talk on Native Irish Cattle Breeding, which is inscribed on Ireland's National Inventory of Intangible Cultural Heritage. The Native Irish cattle breeds are Kerry Cattle, Dexter Cattle, Irish Maol/Moiled Cattle and Droimeann Cattle.
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1.30pm – 2.30pm	Skills Up Close: OPW Furniture Restoration OPW	Meet with the various disciplines that make up the OPW Furniture Department and see up close how they restore pieces and bring them back to life
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11.30am – 12.00pm	Agri- Network : Business Supports and Mentorship Dept. FHERIS	Skillnet Manager speaks about low cost and specialised training for organic food producers
12.00pm – 1.00pm	Creative Climate Conversations and Workers Villages (Dingle) Creative Ireland	Workers' Villages is a commemoration of the legacy of three Bord na Mona villages in the Irish midlands. Dingle farmers: Corca Dhuibhne Inbhuanaithe – A Creative Imagining: This project creatively looks at ways in which farmers on the Dingle peninsula can diversify to address climate change.
1.00pm – 1.45pm	Irish Traditional Music Intangible Cultural Heritage	Come join us for a lively performance by Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann. This performance will include an interactive demonstration of Sean Nós Singing and include bodhrán and fiddle playing. Irish Traditional Music is inscribed on Ireland's National Inventory of Intangible Cultural Heritage https://nationalinventoryich.chg.gov.ie/
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11.45pm – 12.45pm	Straw Making Workshop Creative Ireland	Modern Day Mummies will use the demo area to show the public how the mumming costumes were made traditionally, using locally harvested straw.
12.45pm – 2.45pm	Letterpress Printing Intangible Cultural Heritage	Join the National Print Museum for an interactive workshop on letterpress printing. Participants will learn all about letterpress printing and have the opportunity to try it out for themselves. The workshop will also include some crafts for children to enjoy. Letterpress Printing is inscribed on Ireland's National Inventory of Intangible Cultural Heritage https://nationalinventoryich.chg.gov.ie/
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11.00am – 11.30am	Headford Lacemaking Intangible Cultural Heritage	Join archivist Ger Hasset for a talk on the founding and practice of Headford lacemaking. The talk will be followed by an interactive workshop taking place in the demo area. Headford Lacemaking is inscribed on Ireland's National Inventory of Intangible Cultural Heritage.
11.30am – 12.00pm	Generation Apprenticeship Dept. FHERIS	Gary Kelly HR Manager, Grant Engineering, Birr, Offaly and Christopher Leonard, Romaquip, Offaly speak about apprenticeship opportunities, With thanks to Laois Offaly ETB
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1.00pm – 1.45pm	Field Exchanges Creative Ireland	Field Exchange is a series of farm based creative events supporting farmers to implement agricultural practices that combat climate change (supported by the Creative Climate Action Fund).
1.45pm – 2.30pm	Explore Understand, Conserve: A Behind the Scenes Look at the National Botanic Gardens, with Curator Darach Lupton OPW	Darrach will speak about the role of the National Botanic Gardens to explore, understand, conserve, and share the importance of plants.
2.30pm – 2.45pm	The Swiss Cottage: Working at a National Heritage Site OPW	A behind the scenes look at working at the Swiss Cottage, Cahir, Co. Tipperary

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