Healthy Clare Newsletter May 2023



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Slip on clothing that covers your skin, long sleeves, collared t-shirts



Slop on sunscreen on exposed areas using factor 50+ for children



Slap on a wide-brimmed hat



Seek shade - especially if outdoors between 11 am and 3 pm



Slide on sunglasses to protect your eyes



The Get SunSmart! Children's Art Competition is back! The HSE's National Cancer Control Programme (NCCP) in collaboration with Healthy Ireland are calling on all primary school children, depending on their age category to either colour-in our SunSmart images below or draw their own picture showing how to be **SunSmart!**Visit www.gov.ie/en/publication/0704b-get-sunsmart-childrens-art-competition/ for more information.





Healthy Clare in partnership with Clare County Council's Greener Clare and Heritage Offices hosted a Sustainable Gardening Course with expert Aoife Munn at the Limerick and Clare Education and Training Board in Miltown Malbay.



Huge thanks to Éire Óg Inis for hosting Clare's 'Not Around Us' partners last month. We were there acknowledging their commitment to the 'Not Around Us'

Towards a Tobacco & Vape Free Clare campaign.

Visit https://yoursay.clarecoco.ie/nau-campaign?tool=survey_tool for more information and to sign up to the campaign.



Physical Activity

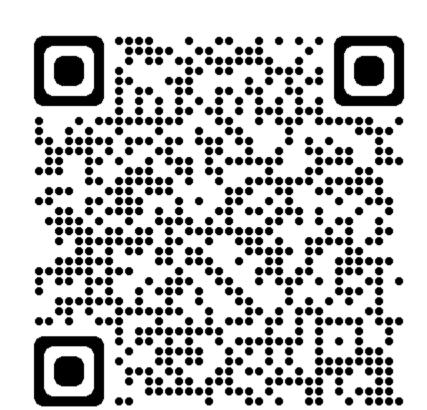


Giving Abusive Behaviour The Red Card! - Clare sporting organisations address negative behaviour towards referees and officials.

Clare Sports Partnership recently launched the Season of Respect campaign, a cause which points the spotlight on the unacceptable culture of abuse on referees which is experienced across all sports. Dr. Una May, CEO Sport Ireland attended the official launch in Ennis along with Clare Sport's supporting organisations like Clare GAA, Clare LGFA, Clare Camogie, Clare District Soccer League and Clare Schoolboys/girls Soccer League.

If your interested in changing the culture towards referees and officials in your club or school in Co. Clare? Contact Clare Sports Partnership for more details on the initiative at 065 6865434 or email lizzy@claresports.ie

Safeguarding 1 – May 15th



15 May @ 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm €16,50



Safeguarding 1 Course – 15th May 2023 from 6 – 9pm – Cost €16.50

This course educates participants on the implementation of best practice in protecting the welfare of children involved in sport and will be delivered online through Zoom. You must be 18yrs + to complete the course.

To register visit https://claresports.ie/event/safeguarding-1-may-15th/



Supporting Brain Health & Wellbeing Workshop at De Valera Library,

Ennis

Tuesday - 9th May from 6:30pm - 7:30pm

Darragh Howley, Performance Psychologist & Fitness Specialist, will share his expertise with adults in de Valera Library, Ennis on the practical ways of supporting brain health and wellbeing through exercise and nutrition. Free event, booking is necessary.

Contact de Valera library to book your place or for more information

De Valera Public Library, Harmony Row, Ennis, County Clare, V95 TY39.

Tel: (065) 6824207 or (065) 6891317 | Email: devalera@clarelibrary.ie

A Healthy Ireland at Your Library event.





Active Ennis are hosting
6 week Adult Swimming Lessons
every Thursday night from the
4th of May 2023.

Spaces for

Beginners (8 – 8:30pm) &

Improvers (8:30 – 9pm)

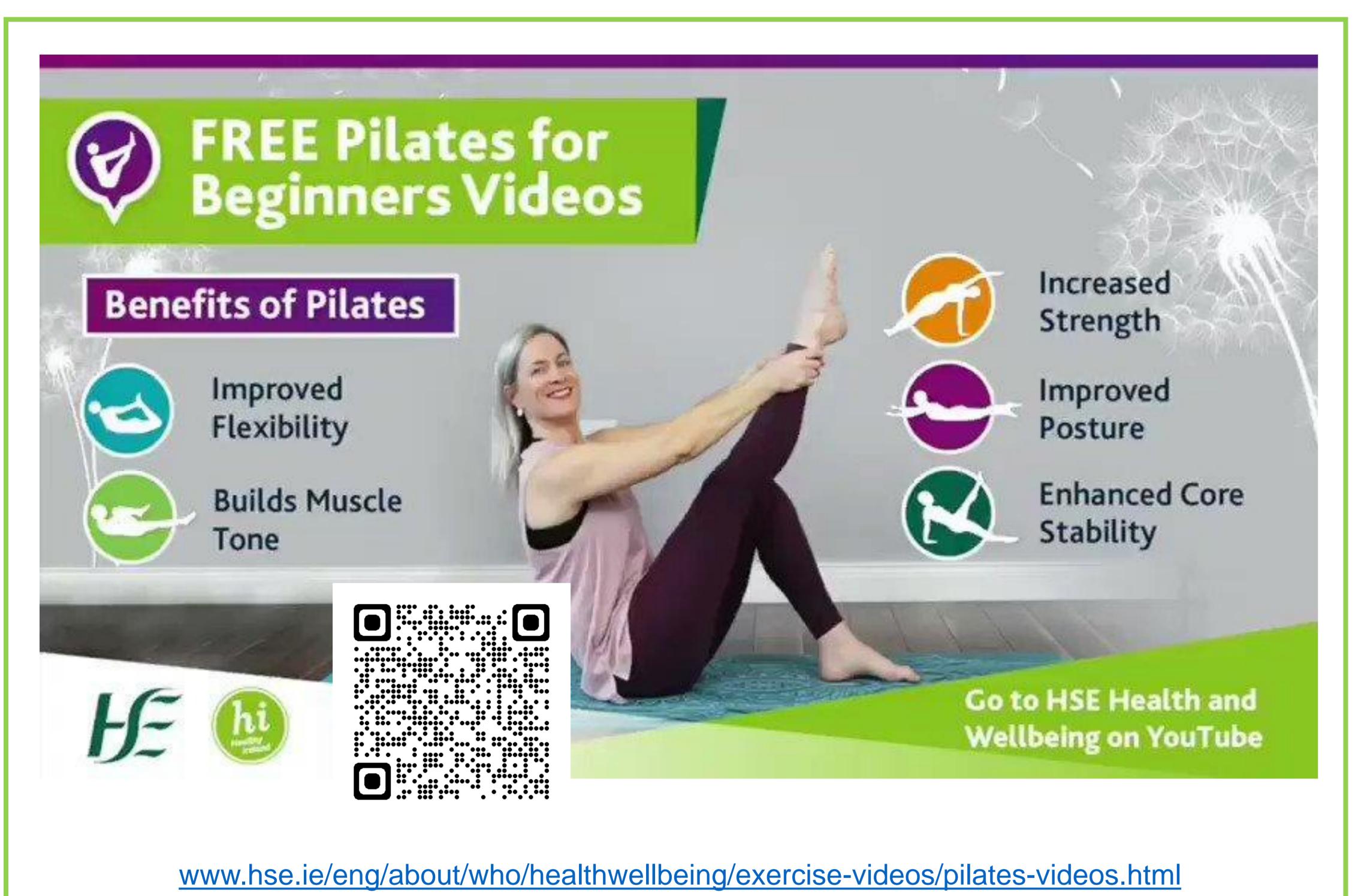
€85 pp

Book your place by contacting 086 342 1042

Physical Activity

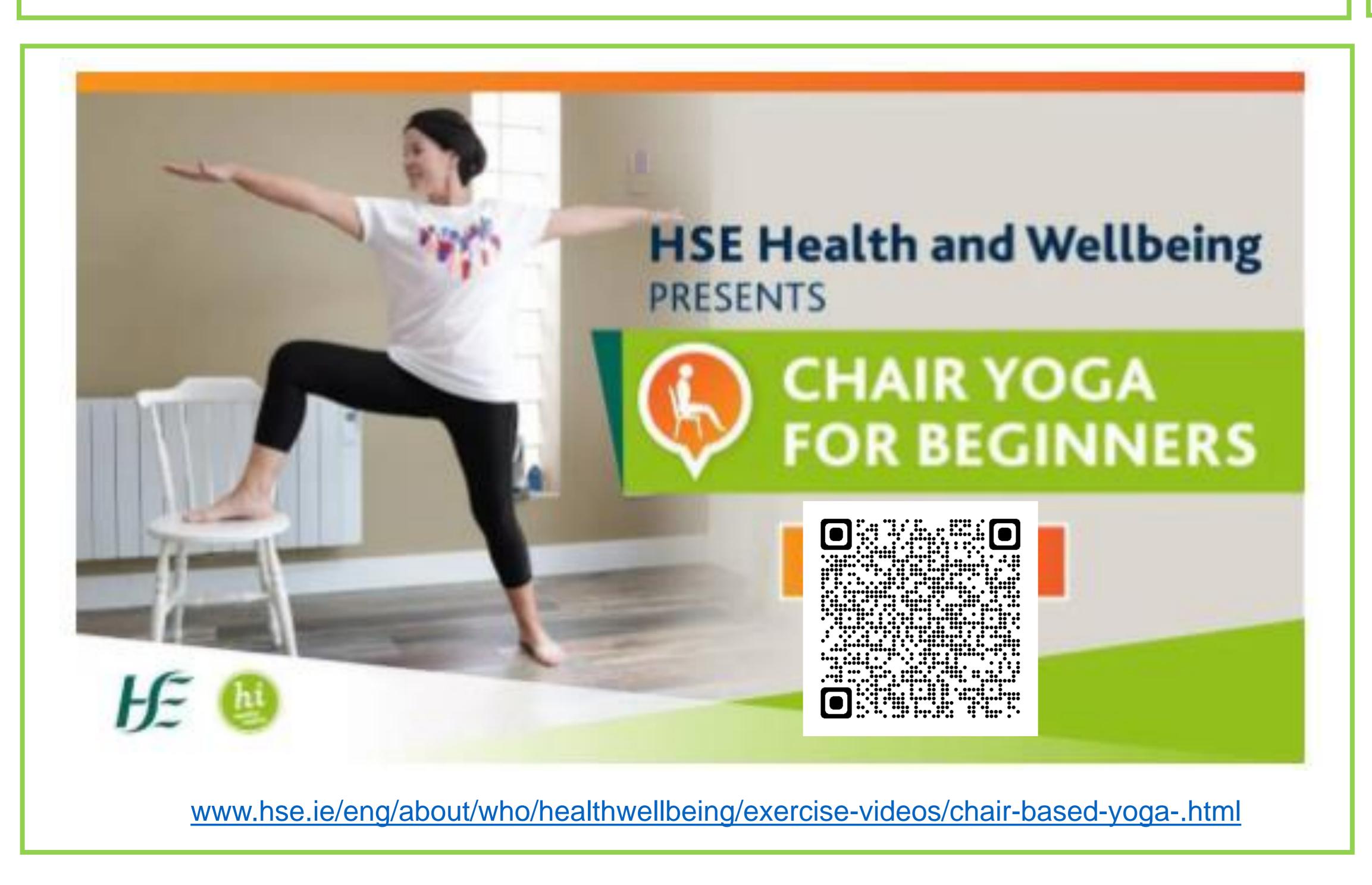
Exercise is a great way of staying physically and mentally healthy. Even a small amount of activity can improve how you feel.

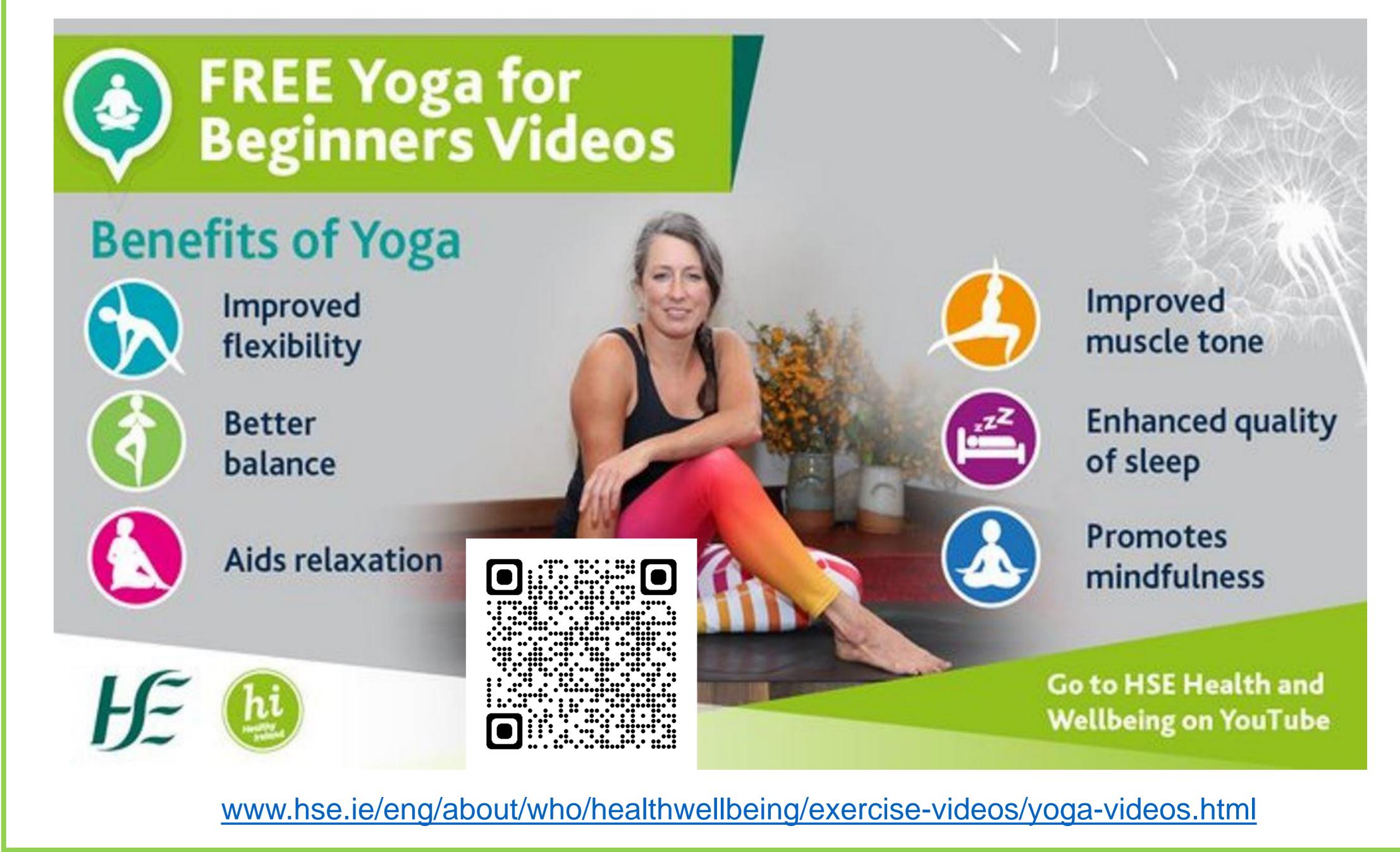
The HSE and Healthy Ireland have put together a suite of Free exercise videos to help you get active. Suitable for beginners, these exercises will improve your strength and flexibility.





www.hse.ie/eng/about/who/healthwellbeing/exercise-videos/strength-and-conditioning-videos.html





Mental Health



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register



- ❖ Tuesday 2nd May 2pm 4pm Managing Wellbeing & Mental Health Recovery
- ❖ Thursday 4th May 10am 12pm Lets Talk Resilience
- ❖ Wednesday10^h May 10am 12pm Creativity for Wellbeing
- ❖ Tuesday 16th May 2pm 4pm How can I find meaning in my Life and feel more empowered
- Thursday 18th May from 10am 12pm Understanding Acute Mental Healthy Services for Families, Carers and Supporters
- ❖ Tuesday 23rd May 2pm 4pm Part 1 Exploring Self Care
- ❖ Wednesday, 24th May 10am 12pm Part 2 Building my Self Care Toolkit
- ❖ Thursday 25th May 10am 12pm Part 3 Building my Self Care Toolkit

For more info and to sign up to the FREE webinars visit https://midwestaries.eventbrite.ie or text 086 287 3526 or email Margaret.keane9@hse.ie





Mental Health Ireland and Family Carers Ireland have partnered to coproduce a five-week online programme starting Friday, 12th May from 10:30am. The program aims to support the supporters of people with mental health challenges. This programme will support families in building skills to look after their own wellbeing whilst supporting or caring for a person living with a mental health challenge.

To register for this FREE event please visit https://bit.ly/3K8Rlal



https://alzheimer.ie/creating-change/research/teamup/about/

TeamUp for Dementia Research is a service where people living with dementia and their families can register their interest in participating in dementia research. It connects you with researchers who are conducting studies in the area of dementia (e.g. prevention, diagnosis, treatment, care, cure).

To learn more visit <u>www.teamupfordementia.ie</u>

Email: teamup@alzhemier.ie Call: 1800 341 341

Mental Health



Pieta. Ending Suicide. Beginning Hope supported by **Electric Ireland** are organising the Darkness into Light walk on Sat 6th May 2023. Join them for the most important sunrise of the year and help raise funds for suicide prevention. For more info or to sign up contact https://www.darknessintolight.ie/sign-up



HSE - Resource Officer for Suicide Prevention

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Jenny Blake

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Email: jenny.blake@hse.ie





Listen to the latest episode of the HSE Talking Health and Wellbeing Podcast, hosted by Noreen Turley with Mark Smyth, HSE Senior Clinical Psychologist, who discuss some of the signs of mental health problems and the new HSE Mental Health Literacy Campaign. The episode focusses on stress, anxiety, low mood and sleep as common signs of mental health problems and what we can do to help ourselves and others. HSE resources and support information are available on yourmentalhealth.ie



www.youtube.com/watch?v=CWSj_rKcdqc

Eating Well

Living Well

A programme for adults with long-term health conditions
Your toolkit for better health

Are you living with a long-term health condition or caring for someone with one?

Examples include (but are not limited to): COPD, asthma, diabetes, stroke, heart conditions, multiple sclerosis (MS), parkinson's, arthritis, cancer, crohn's disease, chronic pain, fibromyalgia and depression.



What is the Living Well programme?

Living Well is a free group programme, delivered over six workshops (2.5 hrs per week for 6 weeks). It is delivered by trained leaders, most of whom are also living with long-term health conditions.

Living Well can help you to develop the skills and confidence to manage your health condition(s).

For information on programme dates and contact details in all areas please see www.hse.ie/LivingWell

Upcoming dates for Co Clare:

Dave	Start Date:	Finish Date:	Times	Locations
Monday	12th June	17th July	11am-1.30pm	Ennistymon
Thursday	14th September	19th October	10.30am-1pm	Shannon
Wednesday	1" November	6th December	10.30am-1pm	Ennis PCC
Wednesday	1" November	6th December	2.30pm-5pm	Ennis PCC







Sláintecare.





Living Well is an SMRC Evidence Based Self-Management Programme originally developed at Stanford University.



www.hse.ie/LivingWell

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Spring & Summer Workshops

April

- Soil & Nutrition 15th
- Creating an Orchard 15th

May

July

• Bird Watching - 13th

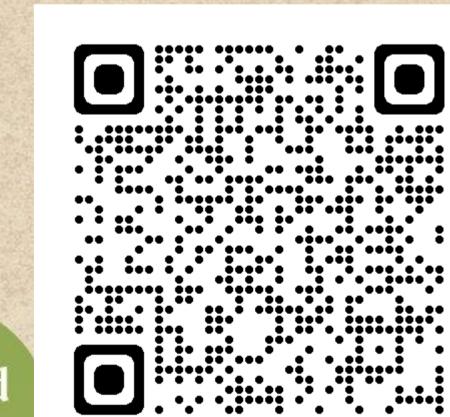
Wild Food Foraging-1st

- Composting & Green Manures-13th
- An Introduction to Scything 27th
- Sustainable Beekeeping & Log Hives 27th

Design Your Own Permaculture Garden-1st

June

- Rewilding your Garden 17th
- Herbal Medicine Making- 17th
- Creating an Orchard 17th
- The Art of Fermentation 18th
- Making the Most of Your Polytunnel 18th
- Growing, Restoring & Regenerating Soils 18th
- Biodiversity: From Your Garden to Community





Fabulous food by The Night Orchard pop-up café for workshop dates

Book Now.

Workshop prices from €80 with 10% discount for supporters

Irish Seed Savers Association . Capparoe . Scariff . co. Clare . V94 V6W0

www.irishseedsavers.ie // Tel: 061 921856 // Email: info@irishseedsavers.ie

The Irish Seed Savers are hosting a series of Spring and Summer Workshops including Scything and Rewilding Your Garden.

For more information visit

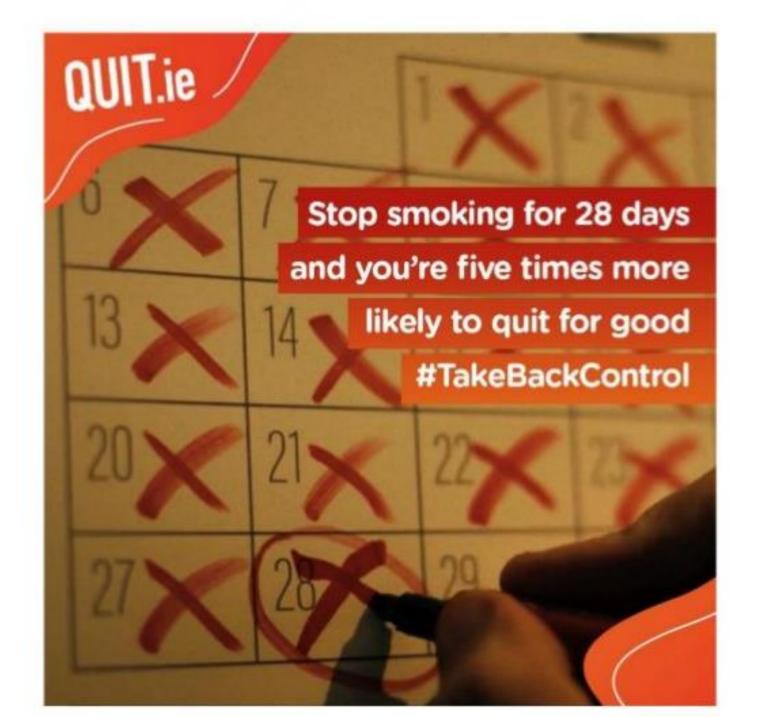
https://irishseedsavers.ie/product-category/workshops/summer-workshops/

Tobacco Free, Reducing Drugs & Alcohol Related Harm

Take Back Control

with

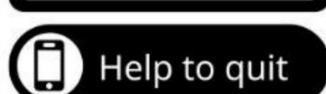




Quit for 28 days and start taking back control.

Quit Mid West Call: 0656865841 Email: quit.midwest@hse.ie











To book an appointment, or to find out more, please ring the Quit Mid West Team on 065 686 5841 or email Quit.midwest@hse.ie

HSE DRUG AND ALCOHOL HELPLINE

1800 459 459 helpline@hse.ie

The HSE Drugs & Alcohol helpline provides support, information and guidance to anyone with a question or concern. For more information on standard drink measurements and your drinking patterns visit www.askaboutalcohol.ie



Coming Together through

Music and Song

Supporting Recovery



Social Music and Song Circle for People in Recovery



All Experience Levels Welcome Refreshments Provided

Join us and share a song, tune, story, dance, poem or simply enjoy listening and friendly conversation

North-West Clare Family Resource Centre, Ennistymon 7:30pm – 9pm

Every Thursday for 8 weeks starting 26th April

DRUG & ALCOHOL SERVICES IN THE MID-WEST



Support is available



Scan Me

www.mwrdtf.ie/supports/



CO-ORDINATING &
SUPPORTING A
REGIONAL RESPONSE
TO SUBSTANCE MISUSE



Drug Related Intimidation Reporting Programme

Drug Related Intimidation Reporting Programme is a national initiative between an Garda Siochana and the Family Support Network to address drug related intimidation

Ask for the **Inspector** nominated to the Drug Related Intimidation Programme Ennis Garda Station - Clare: (065) 6848100

www.garda.ie/en/crime/drugs/drug-related-intimidation-reporting-programme-leaflet.pdf

Sexual Health





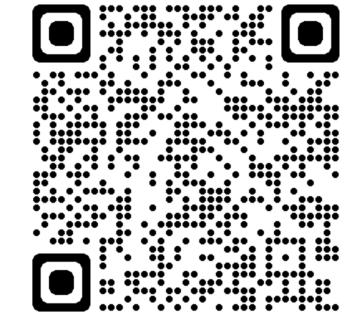
sexualwellbeing.ie

Find out more at www.sexualwellbeing.ie





We are looking for new members!





Become a member of National Screening Service PPP Network and use your experience to improve our four screening services









You can participate in a variety of ways







@PRACTICENURSES

www2.healthservice.hse.ie/organisation/nss/

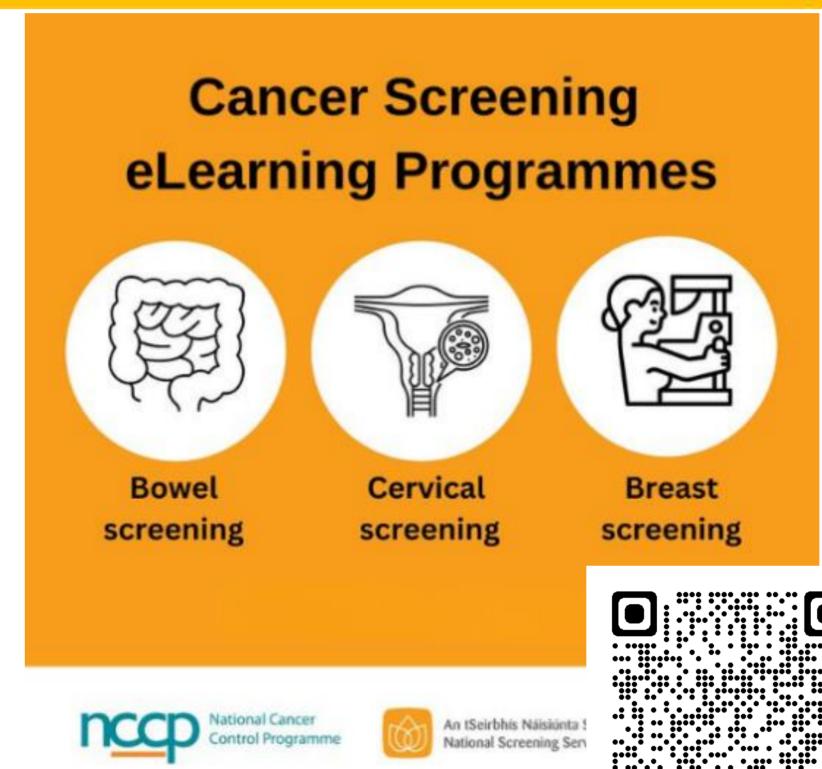
The National Screening Service (NSS) delivers four national population-based screening programmes, for cervical, breast and bowel cancer, and for detecting diabetic retinopathy! Become a member of National Screening Service PPP Network and use your experience to improve the four screening services. For more information on PPP and how to join, contact PPlead@screeningservice.ie.

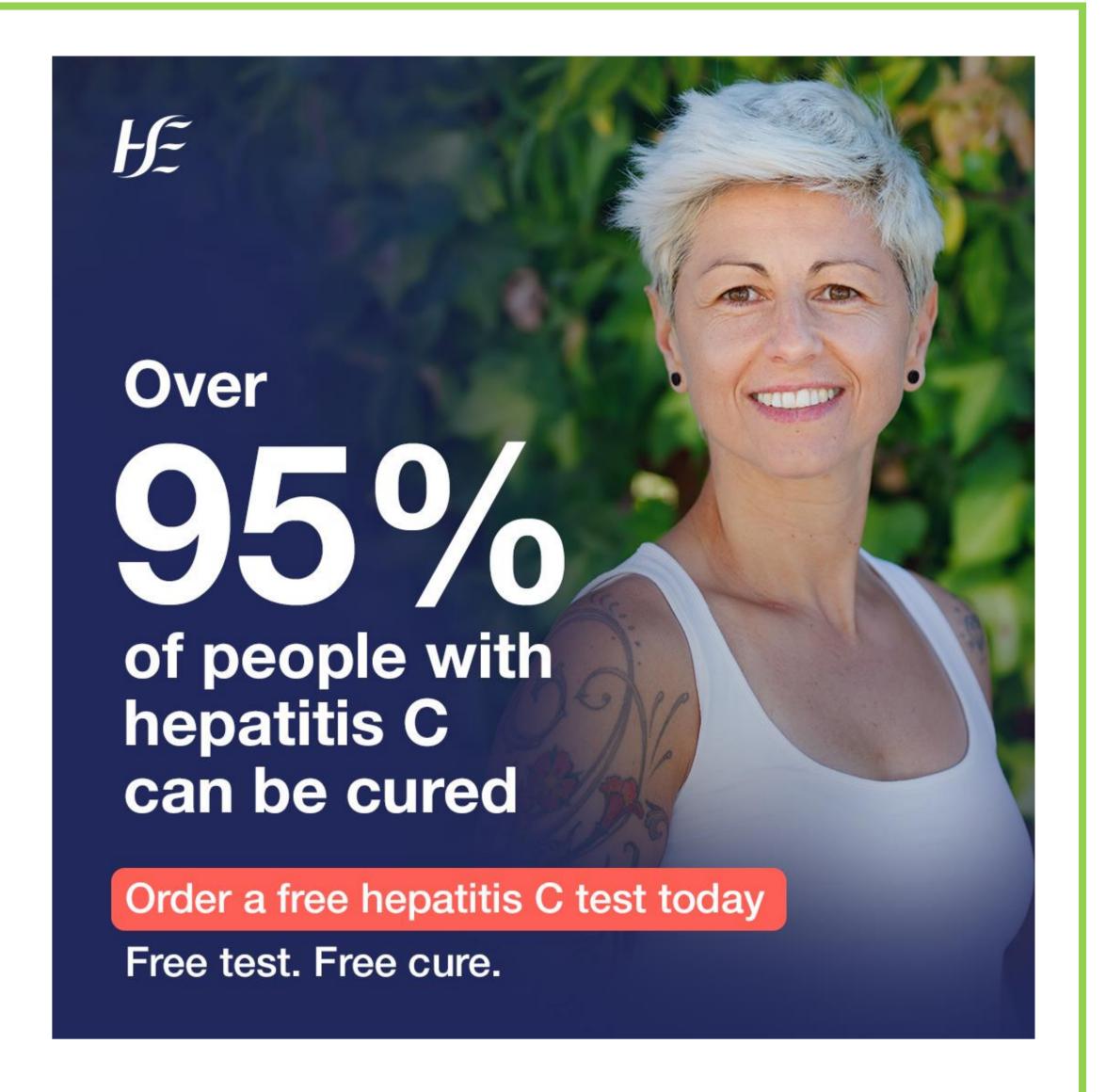


Learn more about the population-based cancer screening programmes in a new eLearning course from the HSE on reducing cancer risk.

Check it out at

www.hseland.ie





Thousands of people in Ireland are living with hepatitis C and don't know it. Testing is the only way to find out if you have hepatitis C.

Order your free hepatitis C test today on http://hse.ie/hepc



In episode 9 of the HSE Talking Health and Wellbeing Podcast, Moira Germaine from the Sexual Health and Crisis Pregnancy Programme, discusses the resources for parents to support their children's relationships & sexuality.

Listen now on www.youtube.com/watch?v=CRrq-GPUstc

Other News



The Nurture Fund is a pilot scheme that will support youth-led cultural, artistic and creative engagement by young people aged between 6 and 24 years. It is looking to support individuals and organisations that can reach specific groups of young people that are too often seldom heard, to nurture their creative passions and ignite their creative potential. Grant funding between €50,000 − €90,000 per project with a duration of 18-24 months will be provided up to a total of €500,000.

Proposals are invited from organisations, individuals or partnerships with experience of working with the following groups of children and young people:

- 1. Living with physical or intellectual disabilities
- 2. Refugees and asylum-seekers
- 3. Living with mental health issues
- 4. LGBTI+
- 5. Traveller and Roma
- 6. Those within, or transitioning from, the care system
- 7. Engaged with the youth justice system/ incarcerated persons and ex-offenders (up to age 24)

Applications must be completed online and submitted via submit.com by Friday 9th June 2023 at 5pm.



Bealtaine Festival

An Age & Opportunity arts initiative

To celebrate, Clare Libraries will be hosting a range of activities in libraries around the county throughout the month.



Description	Library Location	Date / Time	Contact
Introduction to Creative	Kilrush	Wed 10 th & 17 th May,	(065) 905 1504
Writing		11:00am - 1:30pm	<u>kilrush@clarelibrary.ie</u>
Memoir Writing Course	Ennis	Every Monday in May,	(065) 689 1317
		10:30am - 12:30pm	devalera@clarelibrary.ie
	Ennis	Thurs, 18 th May,	(065) 689 1317
The Road That Rises,		6:30 - 7:30pm	devalera@clarelibrary.ie
Reading and Talk	Scariff	Thurs, 25 th May,	(061) 922 893
		6:30 - 7:30pm	scarriff_library@clarecoco.ie
	Ennistymon	Tues, 30 th May,	(065) 7071245
		6:30 - 7:30pm	ennistymon@clarelibrary.ie
Nan Hogan,	Shannon	Tues, 9 th May,	(065) 689 1317
Her Life in Cumann na		at 6:30pm	devalera@clarelibrary.ie
mBan Among Women of			
the Irish Revolution			
A Box Full of Memories	Tulla	Tulla Library,	(065) 6835919
		during library opening hours	tulla@clarelibrary.ie
An intergenerational art			
exhibition in Tulla.			

OTHERNEMS



www.clareimmigrantsupportcentre.com

Opening Times

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:30am → 4pm

Pre-booked appointments available on

Tuesday & Thursday 10:00 - 13:00

Outreach Clinics

Tuesday 9:30 - 11:00 - Lisdoonvarna Tuesday 11:30 - 13:00 - Ennis

Ukrainian Drop-in Clinics

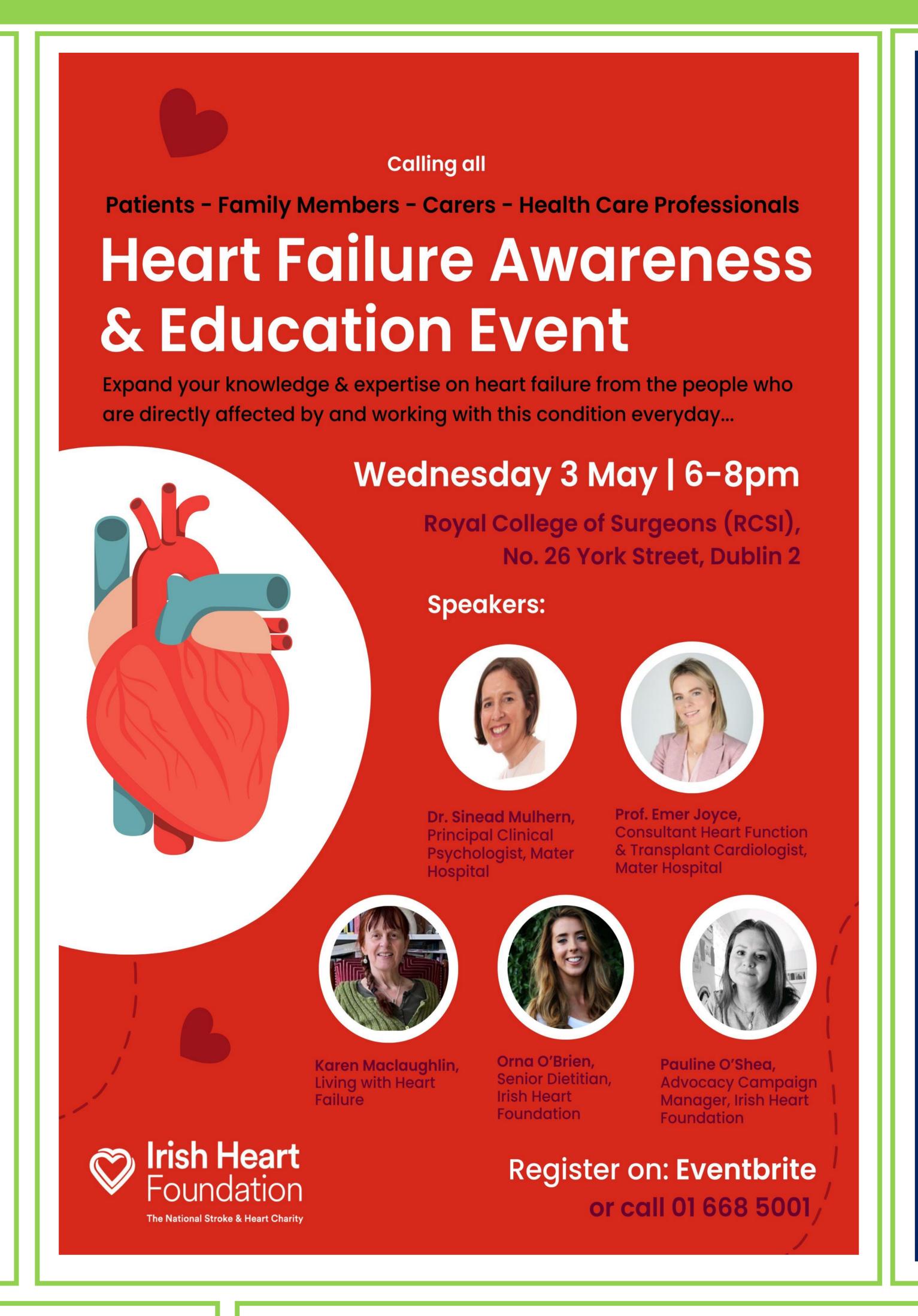
CISC office, Clonroad Business Park, V95 CV06

Tuesday 10:00 - 13:00

Wednesday 10:00 - 13:00

Telephone - 065 682 2026

Email - ciscennis@gmail.com





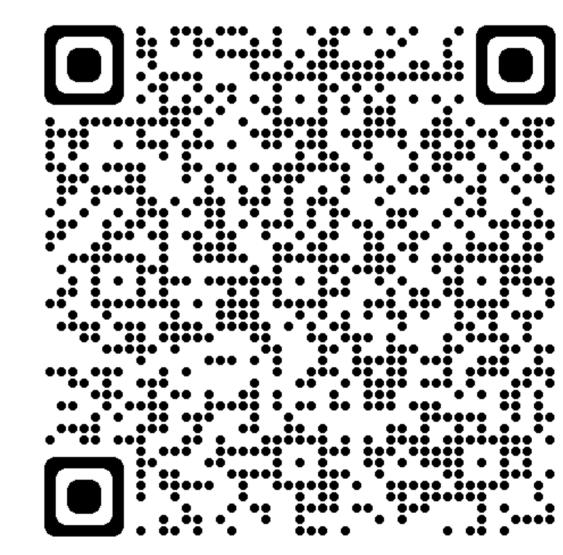
Age Friendly Mornings at Scariff Library

Scariff library have services in place to enable and support older people in our community. You are welcome to join us every Tuesday morning from 10.30am to watch a film, read the papers, have a chat with friends, enjoy a cuppa or just relax and enjoy the space.

Starting on Tuesday 25th April we are showing
The Quiet Man at 10.30am







https://alzheimer.ie/getinvolved/fundraisingevents/alzheimers-teaday/about-tea-day/

For more info call 061 922 893 or email scariff_library@clarecoco.ie

Other News



What's on in May 2023

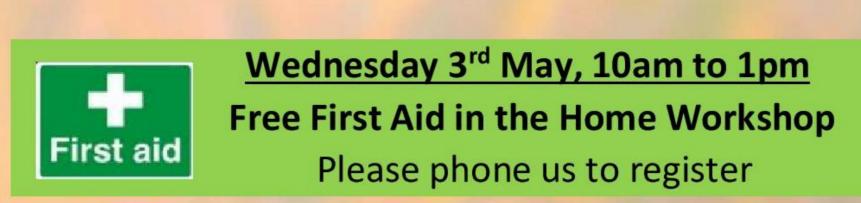
Phone us: 065 707 1144

Parliament Street, Ennistymon, Co.Clare

Private Groups Groups hosted by NWCFRC osed to new entrants Contact us to join Feel free to walk-in and meet us

MONDAY	9.30-12.30	Baby Massage	Barbara	
	10.30-12.30	Drop-in Service (Parliament Street)	Barbara	0
	12.45-1.30pm	Traveller Women's Exercise	Eva	
	1.45-3.45	Improvers Sewing Course	Barbara	
	4-6pm	Ukrainian: Teen Drop-in	Jenny, Anastasiia	
	7-8pm	Yoga Class	Sue	
	9-11am	Ukrainian: Teen Drop-in	Jenny, Anastasiia	0
	11.30-1pm	Traveller Parent & Toddler	Eva	
	12-1pm	Arabic Class	Asmaa	
	2.40-3.45	Homework Club	Deiric	
	4-6pm	Youth: Integrated Ukrainian Drop-in	Deiric	
	7.8pm	Yoga Class	Kaye	
WEDNESDAY	10-1pm	Textile Crew (Parliament Street)	Barbara	0
	10-12pm	Active Ukrainian Play Sessions (Lisdoonvarna)	Anastasiia, Jenny, Steve	
	11-2pm	Community Garden Group	Deiric	0
	11-12pm	Food Cloud	Barbara	
	1:15-2:45	Men's Traveller Exercise Class	Eva	0
	2.40-3.45	Homework Club	Deiric	
	4-6pm	Youth: Youth Programs / Drop-in	Emma	0
	6.15-7.15	Fitness class	Killian	
	6.45-7.30pm	Irish Class	Deiric	
	7pm	Men's Shed	Deiric	0
THURSDAY	10-1pm	Garden Course	Deiric	
NEWE	10-12.30	Parenting When Separated Programme	Barbara	0
	10.30-12.30	Kids Club (Lahinch Leisure Centre)	Jenny, Anastasiia	0
	1pm-1.30	LCETB One-to-One Literacy Drop-In	Mary	
	1.30-3.30	LCETB - Literacy Class	Mary	
	2.40-3.45	Homework Club	Deiric	
	4-6pm	Youth: Clare Youth Action	Emma	0
	4-6pm	Youth: Integrated Traveller Girls Group	Emma	0
	6-8pm	Youth Shack Youth Club (Parliament Street)	Emma	0
RIDAY	9.30-12.30	Parent and Toddler Group	Deiric	0
DELVE	10-12pm	Kids Club (The Pavilion, Lisdoonvarna)	Jenny, Anastasiia	0
	11-12.30pm	Breastfeeding Group (every second week)	Deiric	0
	1.30-3pm	Youth: Integrated Traveller Boys Bike Maintenance	Deiric	0
	1.30-3pm	Youth: Youth Programs / Drop-in	Emma	0
	3-4.30	Youth: Football (gender mixed, Parliament Street / The Yard)	Deiric	0

We also offer: -Childcare (Little Deers) -Counselling & Play Therapy



LIMERICK BEREAVEMENT NETWORK

IN CONJUNCTION WITH





Mental Health Association





Date 8th May: Living with Loss, a bereavement and support evening

Location CERC building UHL:

7:00pm-9:00pm

This event is for all people who are bereaved. All are welcome to join regardless of how long ago your loss occured or where your person

To book your place please go to: www.eventbrite.com/cc/limerick-bereavement-network-1761579 or Scan the QR CODE



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