

TUARASCÁIL MHÍOSÚIL BAINISTÍOCHTA MONTHLY MANAGEMENT REPORT Meitheamh/ June



Minister Emer
Higgins TD
Engages with
Local Businesses
in Tullamore as
Part of National
SME Roadshow

Civic Reception in honour
of Offaly's National
Heritage Heroes



Offaly County
Council Hosts the
Age Friendly
Alliance at the Áras

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- National Ploughing Championships Screggan, Tullamore, Co. Offaly 16th-18th September 2025
- Culture Night 19th September 2025

Climate Action Environment Water & Transportation

ENVIRONMENT

Climate Action

Tullamore Decarbonising Zone Launch & Networking Event

Work continued on organising the Tullamore Decarbonising Zone Launch event which will take place on Monday July 14th in the Tullamore Court Hotel. The event is aimed at Tullamore businesses, community groups, public agencies, education practitioners and other interested stakeholders looking to explore opportunities and develop partnerships in decarbonising Tullamore, enhancing biodiversity and driving sustainability.



Energy Retrofit Programme

Work has commenced on both Offaly County Council 'SEAI Pathfinder Programme' which supports energy retrofit of non-domestic public buildings. The buildings under this phase are the most significant energy users, Áras an Chontae and Tullamore Aura Leisure Centre. In partnership with SEAI, OCC aims to complete deep retrofit measures to each building in order to help the organisation meet energy efficiency and carbon reduction targets. IN2 Design Partnership have been appointed as the multi-disciplinary design team for the project and they have already completed initial site surveys and have commenced modelling certain potential energy

saving scenarios. An initial report on high level energy opportunities is due in Q3 which will lead to a detailed design stage thereafter.



Photo: Contract signing between IN2 (Design Team) and Offaly Co. Co.; SEAI & Aura also present.

Energy Management System

Offaly County Council are at an advanced stage in achieving the ISO Energy Management accreditation. The ISO standard provides a practical way to improve energy use, through the development of an energy management system (EnMS).

Our Energy Officer, Jerome Shannon, received the Auditors ISO 50001 Stage 1 Audit report in early June. The report highlighted some minor areas to be addressed before the Stage 2 Certification Audit. The Stage 2 (Certification) Audit is scheduled to take place on site from in September. It is anticipated that this will meet the accreditation standard.

ISO 50001 is based on the management system model of continual improvement so will see energy management integrated into the organisations overall efforts to improve energy and climate action. To support this, we are currently developing a strategy to develop staff awareness of the energy management system.

Sustainable Energy Communities

SEAI held their Nation Gathering 2025 for Sustainable Energy Communities Programme in Portlaoise on 7th June, 2025. The Community Climate Action officers from Laois & Offaly were invited to host a stand for the event.



Photos: Climate Action Community Officer at Nation Gathering 2025 for Sustainable Energy Communities Programme.

Environment

Environmental Complaints

Summary of Complaints Received by Environment Section for June 2025 and investigated - Total number of 99 complaints.

Category	Quantity
Abandoned Vehicles	3
Air Pollution	1
Building Control	0
Control of Dogs	15
Control of Horses	0
Dangerous Places	0
Derelict Sites	1
Litter Control	64
Noise Pollution	4
Waste Enforcement	8
Water Quality	3
Water Services	0
TOTAL	99

CCTV

The Environment Section re-installed the bottle-banks at Daingean Road at the end of May. In order to deter illegal dumping and enforce litter and waste legislation, CCTV was installed at the site in accordance with the Codes of Practice adopted by the LGMA. A press release was issued to make the public aware the banks were in place and the presence of CCTV to monitor illegal dumping. Council staff monitor the site on a daily basis. To date, there has been one incidence of littering and one Litter Fine has been issued. The CCTV and the public awareness by the Council regarding same has proven to be an effective deterrent against illegal dumping thus far.



Photo: Reinstalled Bring-banks at Daingean Road Carpark

Waste Enforcement

Waste Complaints: To date Waste Enforcement has received and investigated 37 complaints relating to unauthorised waste disposal and sites.

Inspections: Waste Enforcement is on target to meet the EPA inspection rate for 2025 regarding the Producer

Responsibility inspections – Tyres, Plastic Bags, batteries, WEEE etc.

Brown Bin Collections:

1. **Householders:** In June, a total of 203 Householders were asked to demonstrate how they manage their waste collection ensuring they are segregating organic food waste from the residual bin, by means of home composting, brown bin collection or using a civic amenity site on a regular basis.
2. **Commercial** were inspected to ensure that food waste from Kitchens, canteens, deli counters are segregated from the residual bin collection by means of brown bin collection only. Some follow up inspections required but in general very good compliance rate.

Deposit Return Scheme

WERLA have contacted Environment to ensure the DRS are contacted in advance of Tullamore Show and National Ploughing Championships for the scheme to be available at both events. Government Agencies will need to see compliance before committing to appearing at Ploughing Championships.

Anti Dumping Initiative

DECC granted €80,000 to Offaly County Council for mattress amnesty and CCTV at dumping blackspots. Mattresses will be collected and processed at Longford plant where the material will be resource material for new mattresses – ensuring compliance with Circular Economy objectives

Civic Amenity sites:

Footfall at all sites remaining steady, slight decrease in Birr.

Mattress amnesty to occur at 3 sites in Summer, it is envisaged this will help advertise Birr Civic Amenity site. Issue with Clothes/Textile Recycling, authorised companies are encountering difficulty with their markets overseas. This has resulted in pausing of clothes collection at the Civic Amenity sites until WERLA/DECC have found alternative processes for companies.

Water Quality

Local Catchment (River) Assessments

The Water Quality Team has commenced LCA's which incorporate desktop studies, chemical and biological sampling to assess targeted rivers. The biological sampling is a kick sample, where the invertebrates that live on the river bed are assessed & quantified. The amount & type of inverts assessed is an indicator of the true health of the river. The LCAs' will support OCC in identifying the sections of rivers impacted and allow these impacts to be investigated and addressed through the implementation of mitigation measures as required. The LCA programme supports OCC in achieving OCC's objectives of the Water Framework Directive & River Basin Management Plan.



Image 1: OCC WQ Team carrying out Kick Sampling in River

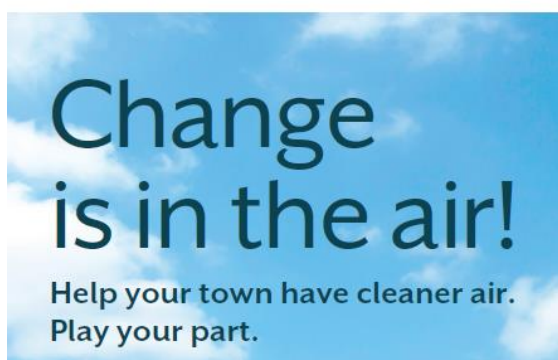


Image 2: Kick Sample SSIS assessment measuring invertebrates

Air Quality

Offaly Co. Co. has been selected for inclusion in the Air Quality Pilot Project 2025, one of only six counties nationally selected. The Clean Air Strategy for Ireland set ambitious targets for ambient air quality across the country, where Ireland committed to meeting WHO interim target 3 (IT3) air quality levels by 2026.

Edenderry has been selected for the Air Quality Pilot Project 2025 with €90k of funding secured from DCEE. This multifaceted project will include a continued programme of air quality monitoring and analysis, communication and public engagement programmes and developing recommendation on options for improving air quality (e.g. such as buildings retrofit).



Flood Relief Schemes:

Portarlinton Flood Relief Scheme

Stage I - Scheme Development and Design of Portarlinton's Flood Relief Scheme (FRS) - is being advanced by Binnies and Nicholas O'Dwyer (B/ NOD), together with Laois County Council (LCC), Offaly County Council (OCC) and the project's Steering Group which consists of members from the Office of Public Works (OPW). Progress is ongoing in terms of development of the scheme design, engineering surveys and environmental assessments.

The Options Development report is being finalised and will be completed in the next period, including a detailed Climate Change Adaptation Plan, updated costing of the Scheme and Carbon Calculator.

Projected Key Milestone Dates:

Date	Milestone	Information
Q3 2025	Completion of Stage I Scheme Design	Development and design of the preferred Scheme Option.
Q4 2025	Appropriate Assessment & Environmental Impact Assessment	Complete the assessments and environmental reports incorporating results from surveys and desk studies
Q1 2026	Planning Submission	Submission of the Planning Application of the Scheme.

Newsletter No. 12 (May 2025) issued at the end of June to the project website and is available in full at link below.

<https://www.floodinfo.ie/frs/en/portarlinton/home/>

Rural Water Services

Capital: We are currently awaiting the Rural Water Unit's Expert Panel decisions on the remaining Multi-Annual Rural Water Programme 2024 to 2026 capital grants.

Burial Grounds

Minor works: We are commencing a series of minor works in 2025, including the construction of additional plinths in St. Michaels Cemetery, Portarlinton, which is nearing capacity. Works on the new driveway and entrance in Killeigh are due to commence in July.



Animal Control

Control of Dogs: So far in 2025 we cared for over 80 dogs in the dog shelter. On average 15% of the dogs are reclaimed by their owners, 15% are rehomed by the Care of Dogs Team and the other 70% are rehomed through animal rescue charities.

Housing & Integration

To assist us in streamlining the delivery of Housing Services we encourage the use of the following email addresses:

Service	Email Address
HAP Enquiries	hap@offalycoco.ie
Rebuilding Ireland Home Loans	homeloans@offalycoco.ie
Housing Inspections – HAP, Leased, Private, etc.	standards@offalycoco.ie
General Enquiries, Maintenance Issues, etc.	housing@offalycoco.ie
RAS & Leasing Enquiries	RAS@offalycoco.ie
Housing Adaptation Grants for Older People and People with a Disability Scheme	HousingAidGrants@offalycoco.ie
Anti-Social Behaviour	ASB@offalycoco.ie

Housing Update:

- There are 573 on the Social Housing Support List at the end of June 2025.
- A further 422 active tenancies are currently being supported under the Housing Assistance Payments (HAP) Scheme, 3 signed up for HAP and 6 exited from HAP in June.

- At the end of June, 38 single people and 15 couples/families comprising of 19 adults and 37 children were supported in emergency accommodation.
- Number of maintenance requests received for month of June was 313.
- Total of housing stock at end of June is 2221.
- 2025 Annual Rent Review, 2,132 LA Rent Letters were issued on Friday 27th June 2025. New rents will be effective from the 12th of July 2025.

Housing Capital Programme Update:

- Dargan Drive, Chancery Lane (20 Units) – Part 8 approved in May 2022. Japanese Knotweed removed. Stage 3 to be submitted to the Department once ESB lines on the site are undergrounded.
- Circular Road, Daingean, Site 2 (10 Units) – Contractor started on site.
- Group Housing, Croghan Road, Birr (4 Units): Completion Q3 2025
- Sycamore Drive, Ballycumber (10 Units) – Department of Housing is evaluating Stage 3 submission.

Approved Housing Bodies Schemes:

- Respond Housing: 77 Units under construction @ Kingswood, Ardan Lane with full completion in 2025. Phase 1 tenancy agreement sign-ups for 31 units occurred 20-02-2025. Phase 2 is due to be completed by Q3 2025.
- Sofia Housing: 37 Units with Stage 2 approval @ Presentation Lands, Portarlinton. Planning Granted in November 2023. Stage 3 (permission to go to tender) being prepared and to be submitted in 2025. Increase in potential units to 45.

- Silverbrook, Tullamore: 15 Units – Complete Q1 2025. Nominations submitted by Housing Officer to the AHB. All tenancies have been allocated by the AHB.

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- Community Liaison Officers are continuing to support established resident committees and the development of their communities, with particular emphasis on LA new estates including the exploration of community facilities and facilitating the Games on the Green alongside Offaly Sports Partnership.

Turnkey Developments/Part V:

- MacRegol III, Birr (12 Turnkey Units) – 8 Completed, with the remaining 4 units to be delivered by the end 2025
- Cois na hAbhainn, Ferbane (2 Turnkey Units) – Completion Q3/2025.
- Forest View, Birr (8 Part V Units) – Completion Q1/2026
- Forest View, Birr (22 Turnkey Units) – Completion 2025/2026.
- Ard Garán, Ballyvora, Ferbane (1 Part V Unit) – Completion Q4/2025
- Tyrrells Brook, Edenderry (8 Part V Units) – 4 units to be delivered in 2025 and 4 in 2026.
- The Elms, Oakwood Lawns, Edenderry (2 Part V units) – Completion Q3/2025
- Ballinagar (1 Part V unit) - Completion Q3/2025

Retrofit Programme

In deciding on a works programme, local authorities are urged to choose a mix of properties across a range of BERs to allow for homes which need significant expenditure to be balanced out by those needing lesser spend so as to achieve the overall average cost of €34,000 per property. A BER rating of B2 must be achieved.

- 35 Units completed
- 24 Units on Site
- 16 Units tender awarded
- 13 Units out to tender

Community Development Programme

- Estate Management Funding allocated in Budget 2025 for Birr, Edenderry and Tullamore Municipal Districts for projects. Projects for all three areas have been agreed.

LAND USE, PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Development Management

	To end June 2025	To end June 2024	Total 2024
Planning Applications	347	327	735
Extensions of Duration Applications	9	4	12
Warning Letters and (Enforcement Notices) issued	64 (14)	47 (19)	71 (36)

During the month of **June 2025**, the following large planning applications were received:

25/60258 Committee of Daingean Naomh Mhuire CLG	Construction of a running track, carparking facilities, associated lighting, vehicular entrance from public road, temporary storage cabin and associated site works. Gorteenkeel, Geashill, Co. Offaly
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Forward Planning

Draft Portarlington Joint Local Area Plan 2025-2031

The Elected Members following consideration of the Chief Executives Report on Submissions received on the Material Alterations of the Draft Portarlington Local Area Plan 2025-2030 resolved to formally adopt the Portarlington Joint Local Area Plan 2025-2031 at the June Council meeting.

Residential Zoned Land Tax (RZLT)

The Council issued letters to landowners on June 26th who requested;

- a change to zoning of lands under Section 653I(4) of the Taxes Consolidation Act 1997, as amended up to and including the Finance Act 2024;
- that their land be excluded from the Residential Zoned Land Tax Map draft map under Section 653E(1) of the Taxes Consolidation Act, 1997, as amended.

7 rezoning requests were received, all of which were rejected by the Council while 4 of the 9 exclusion requests were accepted by the Council.

Just Transition



The **Bioeconomy Demonstration Initiative Call 2** opened on **16th June 2025** and is now accepting applications. €10 million will support the development of two bioeconomy piloting and demonstration projects in the wider Midlands.

There are four indicative topic areas envisaged in the call:

- Developing biochar products to promote its use in agriculture and industry
- Innovative bio-based food and feed ingredients
- Biobased materials for the construction sector
- Bio-based value chains for valorisation of sustainable crops

Stakeholders along the entire bio-based value chain have been invited to apply in a balanced and integrated consortium - including SMEs, research performing organisations, universities, local authorities, clusters, primary producers, bioprocessing industries, and consumer brands.

Closing date for the call: **8 August 2025 at 12pm**

This call is being administered through the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine. Full call information, including call specification and call guidelines, and how to apply can be found on the Department's website.

REGENERATION

TVR Main Project

Shinrone Old Library building

To design the old Shinrone building and site into a multipurpose community space.

- Part 8 advertised on 4th June, 2025.
- Submissions/observations due to close on 17th July ,2025

QS report on pre-liminary design received and being assessed



Market Square, Birr

To develop Market Square into a plaza, outdoor meeting and recreational space with improved parking, pedestrian space, street furniture and landscaping.

Contractor appointed and on site May 2025



Drawing of proposed works to Market Square



Kilcormac Fiesta Hall

The refurbishment of the Old Fiesta Hall into a community green hub

- Final TVR grant with OCC due for drawdown.



Killeigh Community Centre outdoor space

To provide an outdoor marketing & programming space to the front and rear of Killeigh Community Centre.

Tenders closed for works 13th June.
Tenders to be assessed and

contractor to be appointed in the coming weeks.



Ferbane Fairgreen Redevelopment

To develop Fairgreen Old Fire Station site into an urban garden.

- Project design completed
- Part 8 approved
- Contractor appointed and on site since May 2025.



TVR – Project Development Measure

Daingean Town Hall:

Howley
Hayes
Cooney

Daingean Courthouse
Daingean, Co. Offaly



Conservation Masterplan

September 2024

Howley
Hayes
Cooney

- Conservation Architects Howley Hayes Cooney completed Conservation Master Plan
- Draft Business case received in preparation for future funding application
- Ownership investigation



Moneygall, 71 Church St:



- ABN Design Consultants have submitted a Draft Viability Assessment of the property
- The recommendations within the report include a series of options for further development
- Next steps Regeneration Section in consultation with Moneygall Development Association to assess all options.

for the future use of the Co-op Building was also completed in May.

- The next steps will be to work through the viability of the proposed uses and the design team preparing initial design sketches for the space.

Clara Co-op Building



- Helena McElmeel Architects hired as architect led design team.
- Public consultation evening in May 2025
- A children's art competition was held entitled "Imagine the World inside the future Co-op Building" for the children of Scoil Bhride Girls and St. Francis Boys National School. A public survey gathering the opinions on wishes

Offaly LEO Mid-Year Review

124

business owners
have availed of one-
to-one business
mentoring

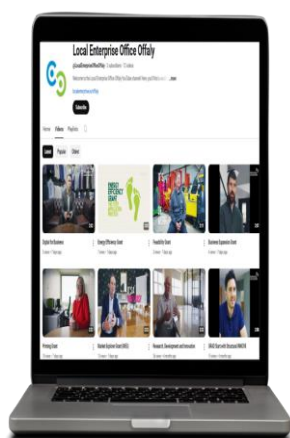
417

business owners
have participated in
enterprise training

4,700

receive our monthly
LEO newsletter

Our mid-year review shows positive uptake across core services and strong feedback from clients. From grant applications to training participation and enterprise engagement, key performance indicators are strong. As we enter the second half of the year, we look forward to continuing our work supporting local businesses and helping new enterprises start, grow, and succeed in Offaly.



**See the impact -
Explore our
YouTube channel
to see how our
supports are
making a
difference.**

As part of our ongoing efforts to promote the services and supports available through the Local Enterprise Office Offaly, we continue to develop our presence on digital platforms.

One of the key tools in this strategy is our YouTube channel, which can be found at youtube.com/@localenterpriseofficeoffaly or by searching Local Enterprise Office Offaly on YouTube. These videos are an effective way to raise awareness and showcase the positive impact our office is having on local businesses.

Minister Emer Higgins TD Engages with Local Businesses in Tullamore as Part of National SME Roadshow

LEO Offaly and Offaly County Council proudly welcomed Minister Emer Higgins TD to Tullamore as part of her national SME Roadshow.

It was a fantastic opportunity for Offaly's business community to share their insights, challenges, and real-world experiences directly with the Minister.



Among the attendees were several prominent local enterprises, including:

- **Decontamination Technical Services Ltd** – represented by Dermot Smyth, recent winner of the Regional Award at the 2025 National Enterprise Awards
- **C & S Sheds** – represented by Alan Spollen
- **TeknaBuild** – represented by Roger Smyth
- **Anser Procurement** – represented by Declan McDonnell and Sharon Byrne
- **Ronan Berry**, presenter of Midlands 103's Taking Care of Business show, also participated in the discussion

Minister Higgins highlighted how vital it is to hear from micro and small businesses to shape better policy and supports. The session offered great insight into the innovation and

resilience that defines Offaly's enterprise community.

Dermot Smyth of Decontamination Technical Services (DTS) Presented with Regional National Enterprise Award Certificate

Offaly County Council proudly celebrated local business success as Dermot Smyth of Decontamination Technical Services (DTS) was presented with the Regional National Enterprise Award certificate.

The presentation took place on 16th June, with Cathaoirleach Cllr. Audrey Hennessy-Kennedy and Chief Executive Anna Marie Delaney congratulating Mr. Smyth on his outstanding achievement. The award recognises excellence in enterprise and innovation across the region.



Decontamination Technical Services continues to set a high standard for entrepreneurship in Offaly, and this recognition highlights the company's significant contribution to the local economy.

Offaly Job Fair – A Great Day of Opportunities

We were delighted to attend the Offaly Job Fair on June 14th, hosted by Tullamore & District



Chamber of Commerce, Offaly Local Development, LEO Offaly, TUS, and LOETB. This annual event welcomed hundreds of job seekers and nearly 50 employers offering exciting opportunities across multiple industries. It was a great day bringing together local employers, job seekers, and support agencies to showcase the wide range of opportunities across the county. Great to see such strong engagement and energy in our local jobs market!

BNI National Conference – Panel Participation

Lisa Molloy, Senior Enterprise Development Officer with LEO Offaly took part in a panel discussion at the recent BNI National Conference. The session focused on business development and the various supports available to businesses and entrepreneurs across the county.



During the session, Lisa highlighted the range of financial supports available to businesses within the county, including grant schemes, start-up supports, and funding opportunities accessible through the Local Enterprise Office. She also emphasised the importance of soft supports such as mentoring, training programmes, networking opportunities, and advisory services that are designed to help businesses grow sustainably and build resilience.

You're Invited: Business Breakfast Series – Network, Learn, Grow

We are pleased to invite you to our Executive Business Breakfast Series – an opportunity to connect with local professionals, share ideas, and gain valuable insights in a relaxed and welcoming atmosphere.

Save the Dates:

- Thursday, September 4th
- Wednesday, October 1st
- Wednesday, November 5th
- Wednesday, December 3rd, 2025



Connect with local businesses and learn about LEO Offaly Supports



This Lunch and Learn Event will highlight the supports available from the Local Enterprise Office (LEO) Offaly for those looking to grow their business in the county.

It will provide information on available supports, tips on how to access them, and how

LEO Offaly can help local businesses to "make it happen."

A light lunch and refreshments will be provided

Lunch and Learn topics will include:

✓ Grant Aid ✓ Green for Business ✓ Lean for Business ✓ Digital for Business ✓ Mentoring ✓ Training ✓ Exports

Industrial Parks

Economic Development continued its work in client engagement and promotion of industrial sites in both Ferbane business and technology park and Rhode Green Energy Park.



This work has led to the completion of the sale of sites 25 and 26, Ferbane Business Park to Mr Tom Curley.

3, further site purchases have been agreed in principle in Ferbane, pending conclusion of contract legalities. This enhanced economic activity will in time lead to the creation of new jobs in the Ferbane area.

Offaly Innovation and Design Centre CLG

Works continued in developing The Junction Business Innovation Centre.

Expenditure of Just Transition Funding to upgrade offices space and extend premises 25J by converting the warehouse is now complete. New features include 9 new offices spaces, 2 new sound pod installations and a new lift to allow for universal access to upstairs office spaces.

Only two of the 12 offices in 25 J are currently vacant and the warehouse facility is also occupied

There is one further office vacancy in the 19H premises and hotdesking and dedicated desk spaces are regularly reaching capacity.



Schedule of Events

Upcoming Events		See All Events
22/07/2025	Generative AI for Digital Marketing - How to use C...	Book online
24/07/2025	Generative AI for Digital Marketing - How to use C...	Book online
31/07/2025	Lunch and Learn about LEO Offaly Supports	Book online
13/08/2025	One to One FREE Marketing Mentoring session	Book online
19/08/2025	How to use TikTok to market your business (Beginne...	Book online
04/09/2025	Start Your Own Business Course Evenings	Book online
10/09/2025	Practical Guide to Income Tax for Businesses	Book online

Community, Culture and Emergency Services



Local Community Development Committee:

Offaly Local

Community Development Committee held its monthly meeting on 12th June 2025. Main agenda items included the following:

Selection of Chairperson & Vice-Chairperson: Nominations were invited from the members for the selection of Chairperson & Vice-Chairperson to serve for a maximum period of three years. Mr. R. McDermott, representative of the local and community interests' sector was deemed to be selected as Chairperson. Ms. D. Arnold, representative of the PPN Social Inclusion Sector, was deemed selected as Vice Chairperson of Offaly LCDDC. Members expressed their thanks to Cllr. J. Leahy & Ms. S. Sweeney for their significant contributions as Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson, respectively, with the LCDDC over the past number of years.

Local Economic Community Plan 2024 – 2029 & LECP Implementation Plan 2024 – 2025:

Members were provided with a very comprehensive overview of the progress to date of the LECP Implementation Plan and the ongoing actions and objectives.

Ms. A. Mangan, Just Transition Officer was introduced and provided the members with a brief of how her role will provide support and guidance to community groups and provide signposting to appropriate supports in

terms of funding, grants, and training under the Just Transition Funding Scheme.

Local Enterprise Office (LEO):

An update was provided to members outlining the role of the LEO and the members were informed of a vast range of supports and opportunities available to business start-ups in the county.

An update on the progress of the Community Recognition Fund 2024 (CRF) and the Local Enhancement Programme (LEP) 2025 were outlined.

Local Enhancement Programme 2025:

The Minister for Rural and Community Development and the Gaeltacht, Dara Calleary TD announced the successful projects under the Local Enhancement Programme (LEP) 2025 on 13th June 2025,

including the awarding of €177,225 to 145 Offaly Groups, as approved by Offaly's LCDDC on 27th March 2025. The Local Enhancement Programme 2025 provides vital support to community groups to help them with ongoing costs and small-scale capital expenses to improve their facilities.

The successful projects can be viewed on the www.offaly.ie website.

Community Recognition Fund 2024:

The Minister for Rural and Community Development and the Gaeltacht, Dara Calleary TD, announced the approval of Community Recognition Fund 2024 Window 3 community projects on 05th June 2025. A total of €250,542 was awarded to 4 Offaly projects, as

approved by Offaly's LCDC on 13th February 2025, see details below:

Clara	Clara Family Resource Centre	Renovation and conservation of Clara Family Resource Centre	€75,542
Clara	Clara Ladies Gaelic Football Association	Provision of changing and toilet facilities	€65,000
Clara	Clara Tidy Towns	Upgrading and extending Clara Community Playground facilities	€50,000
Daingean	Molesworth Bridge Playground Committee	Upgrade of Daingean (Molesworth Bridge) community playground	€60,000

The fund supports the development of community infrastructure and facilities in Offaly in recognition of the contribution being made by communities in welcoming and hosting significant numbers of arrivals from Ukraine and other countries.



Public Participation Network:

The PPN engaged in a number of activities during the Month of June: -



Offaly PPN had a stand at the Midland Regional Active Retirement event in the Tullamore Court. There were a number of presentations on the day including Creative Ireland & Laois Offaly Local Link. A great opportunity to meet with membership and also promote the PPN across the Midlands.

Offaly PPN coordinated the annual Disability Awareness week 9th – 13th June with events taking place across the county.



Thank you to Birr, Clara and Tullamore Libraries for hosting Disability Awareness events. A number of services and supports helped make the week both informative and engaging. These included OLDC and ODEN (Offaly Disability Equality Network) the LOETB Drop in Café, National Learning Network, Darmagh Centre, Chime Deaf Hear and

the Cabin in Edenderry, Offaly Sports Partnership & Healthy Offaly.

ODEN facilitated the Dog Stencilling close to the Cabin in Edenderry as part of the ongoing awareness raising campaign 'Any Bag Any Bin'

Special thanks to John Briody Executive Engineer Edenderry MD for assisting and directing on the stencilling project and Cllr Noel Cribben for showing his support and participating in the stencilling too.

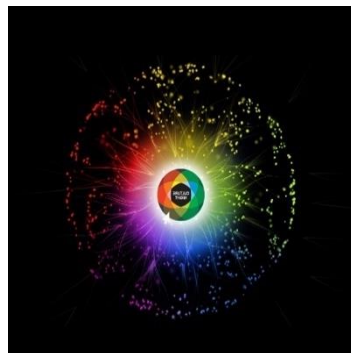
Offaly PPN attended the following event as part of Pride Week. The Spoken Word: This event is a partnership between Offaly Traveller movement (OTM) and the National Action Group for LGBTQIA+ Traveller & Roma Rights. This is an annual event.

The Local Community Safety Partnership

The Local Community Safety Partnership Teams @ the first National in person meeting at the Department of Justice, 3 June 2025. On the 30 June the Policing, Security and Community Safety Act 2024 (Section 114) (Safety Partnership) Regulations 2025 came into operation.



ARTS OFFICE ARTS PROGRAMMING



Culture Night 19th September 2025

The Arts Office team is coordinating the

programme of events in communication with county-based venues and the national Culture Night office. Four Offaly-based artists were offered Culture Night commission funding, and ten event support grants were also allocated across the county following an assessment process.

Call-out for Culture Night marketing co-ordinator has been announce with deadline in early July.

https://www.offaly.ie/occ_news/culture_night/

Hullabaloo! Offaly's Children's Arts Festival - PROGRAMMING

Hullabaloo! partners have met to assess submissions from workshop facilitators (visual artists, dancers, writers and others) for workshops/performances and 'mini camps' during Hullabaloo! Offaly's Children's Arts Festival in Birr, Tullamore Clara, Edenderry, Kilcormac, and libraries across Offaly.

Hullabaloo! Offaly's Children's Arts Festival is an important annual fixture in the county's calendar of culture and arts festival events. Now in its 19th year, the Hullabaloo! focus is on programming engaging and stimulating arts events for 3 – 12-year-olds and their families. The festival runs over four days during the October mid-term break Wednesday 29 October – Saturday

1 November 2025 in Birr, Tullamore, Edenderry, Clara and Kilcormac.



FILMOFFALY

We're pleased to announce that our **Documentary Mentorship Programme** is now open for applications to take part. Those accepted will receive training in the essential skills needed for making documentaries, and they will also receive a professional assignment collaborating with local producer Garret Daly on the short documentary "*Closed For Lunch*".

With peat production no more, the documentary reflects on the good times, and especially the lunch times had with co-workers. In an age where delis and food courts are the new norm, this will be a nostalgic look at canteen craic and the social connections made during lunchtime.

This is a huge opportunity for budding filmmakers from the Offaly area and provides vital professional experience for anyone's CV. This is an inclusive project, and anyone is welcome to apply regardless of their level of experience. Because of the subject matter, we particularly welcome interest from the communities and families directly impacted by the peat factory closures.



We successfully delivered two training workshops this month. Firstly, we held a series of **Podcasting Workshops** at the Kilcormac Development Centre's (KDA)'s new purpose-built podcasting facility. This was a small course designed to help local podcasters turn their ideas into sustainable podcasting projects (including how to use video to complement their work), as well as promoting use of the KDA's new facilities. The professional podcasting trainer also shared a wealth of knowledge with the KDA to help them make the most of this new resource.

Next, we welcomed the National Talent Academy Film & TV and Poca Productions to run an intensive **Smartphone Filmmaking Course**. After some online sessions, the attendees met in Birr. Over the course of four days they were taught the practical aspects of making films with their phones, as well as working together to make a staggering nine short films in and around the town. We are particularly grateful to the Castle and the European Tech Hub for letting us use them as locations. The next phase of the course deals with editing and post-production, but we can't wait to see the results and hope to arrange a screening when everything is complete.



FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES, RESIDENCIES AND BURSARIES

Birr Writers Residency Award 2025

The Birr Writers Residency award call-out closed on May 19th. The call-out has received an unprecedented high number of applications - 43 applications have been submitted by writers and poets from Ireland and abroad. Assessment panel met in June and 4 writers/poets were selected for the residency; all confirmed their dates with Brendan House. Public events will be held in Birr as part of the programme. Birr Writers' Residency offers professional writers' accommodation and workspaces for five nights, at Brendan House in the centre of Birr, County Offaly.



Midlands Professional Development Initiative in Performing Arts

Offaly Arts Office is committed to fostering the growth and development of the performing arts sector within the county, supporting both emerging and established artists. This new initiative presents a unique and valuable opportunity for Offaly-based performing arts practitioners to engage in an exceptional development programme. Offaly Arts Office will support two bursaries of €200 each for Offaly-based practitioners to attend this programme in August, ensuring they have the opportunity to participate in this transformative series of workshops and masterclasses.

COMMUNICATIONS

The Arts Office continues to produce a bi-monthly newsletter *Offaly Arts Alert*, offering updates and information on Arts Office event and opportunities etc. as well as promoting and sharing funding and bursary opportunities that might be of interest to artists and communities that have a shared interest in the Arts. The Newsletter for July - August will be disseminated at the beginning of July by email and on social media.

Arts Office Team continues to be active on social media (Facebook and Instagram), with the number of followers on both increasing by a quarter in the past 6 months.

Creative Places (CP) Edenderry



CP Edenderry have received funding from the Arts Council for the final two-year funding, commencing in July 2025. Their main focus for Year five & six will be to engage people in Edenderry who have not yet been involved in Creative Places, Edenderry and to support the artists and groups we have been working with regularly to become more independent of the project.

Creative Places, Edenderry, a project funded by the Arts Council, led by Creative Lives in partnership with Offaly County Council Arts Office and Edenderry Municipal District was awarded a 4th year of funding by the Arts Council and goes from strength the strength hosting an array of different arts-based activities, workshops and events in a wide range of art forms including Visual Arts, Music, Poetry,

Playwriting, Creative Movement; Dance; Ceramics; Drama; Radio, Photography.

INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

Esker Arts and Lough Boora Percent for Art Commission



The commissioned artist Michelle O'Donnell met with partners to discuss the schedule and the public engagement elements of the commission. O'Donnell is internationally acclaimed for her evocative fuse glass works, her pieces are featured in esteemed collections including those of the White House, Queen Elizabeth II and AIB.

REPRESENTATIONS AND EVENTS



Assistant Arts Officer Alex Rosiak attended the **Bog Bothy** event in Clara where she met with artists participating in this

programme and representative from the RHA and the Irish Architecture Foundation. Bog Bothy is a touring collection of new work, built outcomes, and ambitious proposals toward a new peatlands architecture, presented by the Irish Architecture Foundation and 12th Field. The programme included visit to the Bothy – a purpose-built shelter and gathering space for deep engagement with the bog that builds on

the design language of Ireland's peatlands. The bothy structure has been co-created with communities in Offaly, Louth, and Meath and designed by architects Evelyn D'Arcy and David Jameson of 12th Field.

Exhibition: A curated exploration of labour, trace, and climate in the boglands – exploring the bog as both a historical archive and a future landscape, including photographs by Shane Hynan.

Artist in Residence: New work by multidisciplinary performance maker Luke Casserly, which responds to the peatlands, its people, and the Bog Bothy project through deep engagement.

The Bog Bothy project is a Creative Climate Action II – Agents for Change project, funded by Creative Ireland. The Bog Bothy tour, exhibition, and events programme are additionally funded by the National Parks and Wildlife Service, Offaly County Council, Meath County Council, and The Heritage Council.

HEALTHY OFFALY



Healthy Offaly held their showpiece networking and wellbeing event on Tuesday 10th June in Mucklagh Community Centre, Mucklagh, Co. Offaly. The event was organised by Healthy Offaly based in Offaly County Council to showcase their work over the past three years while facilitating some networking opportunities and taking part in physical activity demonstrations for the large attendance of statutory agencies and community groups. The first part of the event was set aside for attendees to visit the various wellbeing information stands from groups such as

the HSE, LOETB, Offaly local Development Company, the Library Service, Exwell Medical, Bord Na Mona, Kilcormac Development Association, Mucklagh Community Development etc.



Attendees of Offaly Healthy Event viewing information stands



Cycling Without Age Rickshaw Bicycle soon to be commissioned for use in Lough Boora Discovery Parklands

can accommodate two passengers and a pilot cyclist. Bord Na Mona will advertise this service in the coming weeks and months.

The second part of the morning commenced with a brief introduction to the morning's activities by Dermot Egan,

Healthy Offaly were delighted to welcome a selection of Bord Na Mona's Lough Boora Discovery Park staff who brought along their new Rickshaw Bicycle to advertise the soon to be launched 'Cycling without

Age' initiative whereby those with mobility issues can be taken out parkland

Healthy Ireland Coordinator for Offaly County Council. The next speaker was Cllr Audrey Hennessy-Kennedy, Cathaoirleach Offaly County Council who welcomed everyone to the event and gave some information on the Healthy Offaly activities delivered since Round 4 of the fund commenced.

To relax the audience a music for wellbeing performance was delivered by Ruairi O'Shea.

Ruairi is an Offaly-born folk musician and songwriter

working mainly in the area of Arts and Healthcare and facilitating participatory folk music sessions for wellbeing. Ruairi performed a selection of folksongs, with discussion of the rich meaning and history behind them with the audience encouraged to participate by singing along.



After the musical interlude, Healthy Offaly's keynote speaker Dr. Diane Cooper delivered a review of Healthy Ireland Fund Round 4 in Offaly which went into further detail on the 12 projects were delivered in 2023 and 2024 as part of the Healthy Offaly Healthy Ireland Round 4 funding. Projects were aligned to one of two Healthy Ireland Outcome Indicators either (i) increase the percentage of adults and children meeting physical activity guidelines, or (ii) decrease the number of adults who are overweight and obese. The results showed that all the collected data showed that all the wellbeing

interventions delivered on behalf of Healthy Offaly by their implementing partners following an evidenced based approach have worked. The final presentations were delivered by Dr. Diane Cooper and her colleague, nutritionist, Ruth Kavanagh. The 'S.E.L.F. Care' workshop covers Sleep hygiene practices for good health, healthy Eating and Exercise in addition to blue and green exercise for mental health and lots more. Looking after yourself. The team from Edufit spoke about wellbeing, stress management, health checkups etc, and Finding time for you. This covered time journaling to create white space to look after your health and fitness.



Pickleball Demonstration at Offaly Healthy Event by Mucklagh Sports Hub & Offaly Sports Partnership Tutors with Activator Poles and Boccia demonstrations provided to showcase what initiatives are being provided to increase physical activity in the County and where they are happening. The feedback from participants at the end of the event was extremely positive and a great morning was had by all.

Age Friendly Offaly



Age Friendly Ambassador Seamus Dooley is a native of Ferbane and is

currently the Assistant General Secretary of the National Union of Journalists (NUJ).



Seamus pictured with Ann Dillon, DOS; Eileen Hughes, AF Midlands Regional Programme Manager; Rachel Wheeler Pierce, CO Community and Culture; and Gerard Bruton Offaly AF Programme Manager

Seamus recently attended the Age Friendly Ambassador's Day held in Carlow, where he joined the other Age Friendly Ambassadors from across the country, for a day of discussion, reflection and visibility around the theme: **Wellbeing in Later Life — Physical, Mental and Emotional Health.**

The event shone a light on the lived realities of ageing in Ireland, where the over-65 population is expected to double by 2050, and underscores the need to place dignity, purpose and wellbeing at the heart of national policy, community initiatives and everyday conversations. Speaking about the day and reflecting on his new role, Seamus said *"I'm proud to take on this new role as an Age Friendly Ambassador. I've always believed in the importance of helping those who need a voice; this role will help me do that. I would encourage any older person or*

even someone who just wants to learn more about ageing well in Ireland to contact their local Age Friendly Programme by contacting their local council.”

SPORTS



County plans County Sports Plan

Offaly Sports Partnership will be supporting the development of a five-year county sports plan for Offaly for the period 2026 – 2031 inclusive. A consultative meeting on the plan will be arranged with elected members in September.

County Outdoor Recreation Plan

The draft Co Offaly Outdoor Recreation Plan was put out for public consultation in June. 14 submissions were received and assessed.

The plan will now move into the final stages of completion.

Funding

- €6,000 secured from Laois / Offaly Child & Young Persons Services Committee (Laois / Offaly CYPSC) to support the delivery of summer camps under the international protection centre strand
- Application to the value of €3,500 submitted to Sport Ireland Outdoors in support of HER Outdoors Week 2025 which takes place in August

Programme highlights from June include: -

ESF+ Sport 4 Empowerment programme

As part of Refugee Week, Offaly Sports Partnership, in collaboration with the Local Authority Integration Team and the FAI, hosted a soccer blitz in Leah Victoria. With over 70 participants from across the county, representing multiple nationalities, the event was a vibrant celebration of diversity, culture, friendship, and the power of inclusion through the universal language of soccer. A huge thank you to everyone who took part and helped make this event such a huge success.



Community Sports Development Programme

Two programmes commenced delivery in June:



- i. *Social cycling* for Teens in Belmont – a 10k out and back cycle along the Grand Canal Greenway from Belmont to Shannon Harbour, two sessions were

delivered in June with an average attendance of five at each session. Additional sessions will run in July and August.

- ii. *Teens kayaking* – based in Shannon Harbour, four come try kayak sessions for 40 teens were delivered in June. Additional sessions will run in July and August.

Sports Inclusion Development Programme

Three programmes were delivered in June: -

- i. *10-week multi-sport programme* with a focus on fundamentals in the Marian Preschool in Clara. The pre-school offers specialised, tailored support for children with a global developmental delay such as neurodivergences with additional physical and/or complex needs.
- ii. *Eight-week gym programme* with St Hilda's Services in Ferbane GAA. St. Hilda's is a voluntary organisation that provides a comprehensive quality service to people with mild, moderate and severe intellectual disabilities.
- iii. *July provision* – three sports days were hosted in Leah Victoria Park, Tullamore, while a number of schools were also supported individually. In total, 300 pupils across 15 schools (St Marys Edenderry, Tullamore College,

Educate Together Tullamore, St Patricks Edenderry, Clara Boys School, Gortnamona, Mucklagh, Clara Girls School, Ballinagar, Daingean, Ballinamere, Kilcormac, Killeigh, Kileen, Seir Kieran and Offaly Special School Tullamore) were supported to participate in the programme. Thanks to all who attended and our fabulous tutors who assisted on the programme.



For more information on the work of Offaly Sports Partnership, check out www.offalysports.ie or our social media feeds on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

LIBRARY SERVICE

Cruinniú na nÓg, Saturday 14th June



Cruinniú na nÓg is Ireland's national day of free, creative activity for children and young people up to 18 years

of age.



Offaly Libraries, on behalf of Offaly County Council, orchestrated an extraordinary array of **44 events** spanning eight library locations, two International Protection Centres in Birr and Banagher, and Offaly Traveller Movement's Hazel Hub in Tullamore.



A staggering **925 participants engaged in 35 workshops** on the day itself, featuring three notable Nighttime Economy events in Birr, Edenderry and Tullamore Libraries.



Creative workshops in Music, Art, Dance, Drama, Illustration, Sensory Play, and STEM activities, showed a 24% improvement on attendance on the day itself when compared to last year.



Furthermore, Birr, Edenderry, and Tullamore Libraries hosted nine development workshops in the five weeks preceding Cruinniú, culminating in remarkable performances on the day of the event.

Students from St. Philomena's National School also participated in a developmental project led by **Music Generation Offaly**.

They wrote and composed [this beautiful song](#) celebrating the support and friendships formed during their school journey.



On June 14th, children also availed of **Free Craft Kits**, thoughtfully designed to cater to all ages.

All activities, development projects, and craft kits were generously supported by Creative Ireland.

Clár Éire Ildánach
Creative Ireland
Programme



Summer Stars Reading Adventure

As part of the national Right to Read initiative, the **Summer Stars Reading Adventure** encourages children to keep reading over the summer months.



All children are welcome to take part in the adventure, collect their progress stamps and receive their rewards along the way.

Children who complete their Summer Stars booklet will receive a certificate and medal.



Offaly Libraries celebrated the launch of Summer Stars in June with a fantastic array of fun events such as Sarah Sparkles Story Building workshop and Magic Shows with Tony Baloney offered both in branch and out in schools across the county.



Throughout the Summer months, children will be kept busy with plenty of weekly story times, crafts, Lego Freeplay and much more in our libraries,



Offaly Libraries STEAM Programme



Offaly Libraries STEAM programme continues to support and promote STEAM subjects to the young minds of Offaly with coordinated events and

activities planned in conjunction with our Summer Stars programme.

STEM Saturdays at Edenderry Library

STEM Saturdays continue at Edenderry Library over the Summer months with 3 sessions attracting 54 attendees this June.

VEX Robotics Summer Camps in Birr, Edenderry and Tullamore Libraries



Delivered by Offaly County Council's STEM Education Officer, VEX Robotics Summer Camps and events will be on offer around the county this July.

[Booking is essential.](#)

- **Tullamore Library, Ages 8 -12:**
Tues 1st - Thurs 3rd July, 10 – 12.30
- **Tullamore Library, Ages 12+**
Tues 8th - Thurs 10th July, 10 – 12.30
- **Edenderry Library, Ages 8+**
Tues 15th - Thurs 17th July, 10 – 12.30
- **Birr Library, Ages 8 +**
Tues 22nd – Thurs 24th July, 10 – 12.30



Lego Freeplay

Our library branches continue to offer Lego Freeplay sessions every Saturday morning. All children are invited to drop in to make Lego and friends.

Increased Staffed Hours at Kilcormac Library!



Offaly Libraries is thrilled to announce the expansion of staffed hours at Kilcormac Library, enhancing our commitment to serving the vibrant community of Kilcormac.

Day	Staffed Hours
Tuesday	10:00 - 13:00
	14:00 – 17:00
Thursday	10:00 - 13:00
	14:00 – 17:00
	18:00 – 20:00
Saturday	10:00 – 13:00

These hours enable greater access to our Public PCs, printing facilities, and an impressive collection of books and media suitable for all ages.



Kilcormac Library, refurbished in recent years to reflect a modern and bright aesthetic, also provides the convenient

My Open Library service, allowing registered users access from 8am to 10pm, 365 days of the year.

We warmly invite everyone to explore these offerings and take advantage of the library's welcoming environment.



Refugee Week, 16th – 22nd June

Offaly Libraries celebrated Refugee Week with book displays, story times, crafts, movie screenings and free promotional bookmarks offered in all our branches.



Our staff partnered with Offaly County Council's Integration Team to deliver special outreach events to schools. Our staff delivered story times to 30 children from St. Mary's NS in Edenderry, 56 students in St. Brendan's Boys NS in Birr and 30 students in Charleville Primary School Tullamore in celebration of Refugee Week.

Pride Month this June 2025 and Offaly Pride in July 2025



Offaly Libraries put out a fantastic array of inclusive book displays in our

libraries to celebrate Pride Month this June.

This July, we are proud to present a coordinated programme of events in support of Offaly Pride, in partnership with Offaly Local Development Company.

Taking place from Thursday, 17th - Sunday, 20th July, libraries across the county will offer events for all members of our communities, including book displays, crafts, story times and social board game evenings.

For more information, [please view our website here.](#)



Disability Awareness Week at Offaly Libraries



In honour of Offaly's Disability Awareness Week (June 9 – 13), our library branches were delighted to host

Introductory sessions in Irish Sign Language with CHIME.

The sessions were very well attended across four locations: Birr, Clara, Edenderry and Tullamore.

In addition, our libraries have proudly hosted Offaly Disability Equality Network meetings on a regular basis.

Birr Library Knitting Group, Every Wednesday

Offaly Libraries are delighted to support community groups in our branches.

Birr's Knitting group have been meeting in Birr Library every Wednesday afternoon for years.



They are pictured here with over 360 sunflowers which they beautifully and diligently hand knitted in Birr Library in aid of Offaly Hospice Foundation

New! Ciorcal Comhrá to meet weekly in Edenderry Library

We are thrilled to announce an addition to our Irish language offerings in Offaly Libraries!

Edenderry Library will now host a Ciorcal Comhrá group at 19:00 every Wednesday evening, beginning on 16th July!



This is a welcome addition to our other three groups who meet weekly in Birr, Clara and Tullamore Libraries. Offaly Libraries offer a collection of stock in the Irish language for all ages in branch, with a greater variety also available through the [national catalogue](#).



Irish Language titles in eBook and eAudiobook formats are also available through the [BorrowBox](#) service. Borrowers can use [Transparent Languages](#) to assist them in Irish language learning and [LOTE for Kids](#) offers stories through Irish and through Irish Sign Language. [Check out our bilingual Irish Language Supports brochure here.](#)

Birr Art Group present Exhibition of work by the late Frankie Gallagher

Frankie's artistic legacy is a heartfelt celebration of nature, his beloved town, and St. Brendan's Church.



Influenced by the vibrant palette of Van Gogh, whom he admired in Amsterdam. Frankie's keen eye for detail shines in his exquisite drawings and water colours.

Art was his life's cornerstone, with his work featured in nearly every Birr exhibition. Those fortunate enough to own a piece treasure it, as it reflects his kindness and gentleness.



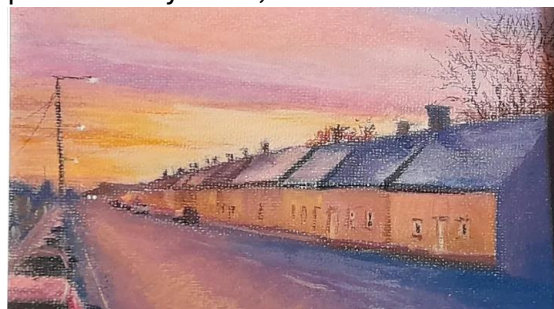
The Birr Art Group deeply feels his absence and honours his passion with this retrospective exhibition.



Launched by Lady Alison Rosse on Wednesday, June 11th, the special showcase saw an attendance of 100 people.

Cintia Roma Exhibition in Tullamore Library

This June, Tullamore Library proudly presented a collection of works produced by artist, Cintia Roma.



The collection showcases Irish Landscapes in soft pastels before diverting towards a collection of quilling focussing on floral and nursery designs.



The collection enjoyed a launch on Tuesday, June 3rd with 23 in attendance.

We now look forward to welcoming the RehabCare group in July for an exhibition of their acrylic works produced in a beginners art class led by Ester Lamb.

Sign up for our Library Newsletters

A quick reminder that the best way to keep up to date with all library programmes, developments and new services is via [Offaly Libraries Newsletter](#) and by following our [social media channels](#).

Currently we have **10,659 subscribers** to the general newsletter and **136 teachers** subscribed to the school newsletter.

Book Clubs at Offaly Libraries



Read Offaly Libraries [blog post](#), which is all about our book clubs.

A key aim of the National Public Library Strategy is that “*Every library user has access to a book club that is suitable for*

them in terms of age and reading level by the end of 2024”.

Offaly Libraries have **14 book clubs** across the county catering to all age groups. See below for a taste of what our book clubs are reading this month!



If you would like to join any of our existing clubs, [please check out the details for each here](#).

Alternatively, should you wish to **establish your own book club** in one of our libraries please get in touch by emailing **askthelibrarian@offalycoco.ie** and staff will be happy to help!

Finance

Offaly County Council					
Revenue Account Grant Income & Payroll Summary					
To 30th June 2025					
OFFALY COUNTY COUNCIL	Full Yr Budget 2025 €m	Preliminary Value to June 2025 €m	% Year To Date		
Payroll costs	40.01	18.33	45.8%		
Grants and Subsidies Income	56.55	16.53	29.2%		
OCC to 30th June 2025	<u>Rates</u>		<u>Rents</u>		<u>Loans</u>
	<u>€m</u>		<u>€m</u>		<u>€m</u>
Opening Balance Jan 1st, 2025	1.92		0.49		0.04
Net Invoices & Adjustments, waivers	20.35		4.50		0.26
2025 Cash Collected to 30th June	13.03		4.58		0.28
Closing Balance June 30th, 2025	9.24		0.42		0.02
<u>2024 Cash collected to June 30th</u>	12.57		4.41		0.23
% Collection at this point in 2024	104%		104%		122%
<u>Bank Overdraft to 30th June 2025</u>				% YTD	
Number of days Overdrawn in Bank year to date			25	14%	
Bank Interest and non conforming charges to June 30th 2025 YTD			(Estimate)		€5,432
Bank Administration and transactional charges to June 30th 2025 YTD			(Estimate)		€16,918