

LIMERICK ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL 2022



EVENT GUIDE



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   #LimerickStPatsFestival



THURSDAY 17 MARCH | 12 NOON

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

Limerick St. Patrick's Festival celebrations will burst into life as the much anticipated St. Patrick's Day parade makes a welcome return!

Visual artists Buí Bolg will join Spotlight Stage School, Artastic, the Hit Machine Drummers and hundreds of local participants in a carnival of colour, music and spectacle celebrating this year's theme, Belonging and Identity.

Reigning All-Ireland Senior Hurling Champions Peter Casey and Barry Murphy will lead a 250-strong procession from Limerick GAA as Grand Marshals, with a special guest appearance by the Liam MacCarthy Cup!

PARADE ROUTE: O'Connell Avenue (Roden Street junction) → Rutland Street

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FREE
Family Fun



SUNDAY 20 MARCH | 12 NOON

50TH LIMERICK INTERNATIONAL BAND CHAMPIONSHIP

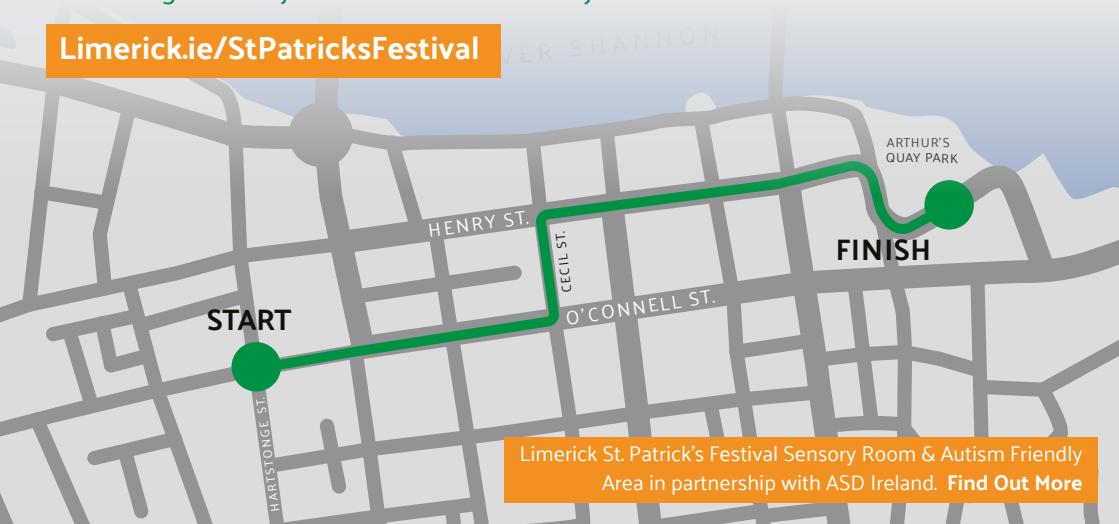
The city streets will be filled with the spectacular sight and sound of talented marching band musicians from across Ireland, Europe and America for Ireland's only International Band Championship. Cheer on the bands as they march through the city, ending with a **free concert** in Arthur's Quay Park where the winners will be announced!



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PARADE ROUTE: O'Connell Street
(Hartstonge Street junction) → Arthur's Quay Park

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COUNTY PARADES

Embrace the celebrations and community spirit at your local parade as towns and villages throughout County Limerick welcome the return of St. Patrick's Day festivities to the streets!



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Location	Time	Starting point
Abbeyfeale	4pm	Mountmahon Industrial Estate
Adare	3pm	Scoil Naomh Iosaf
Askeaton	2.30pm	Church Car Park
Ballylanders	3pm	Tonedale Bedding Grounds
Bruff	2.30pm	Scoil Dean Cussen
Castleconnell	12pm	Scanlon Park
Kilfinane	1pm	McCarthy's Yard
Kilmallock	1pm	Kilmallock Church
Rathkeale	12pm	Tadhg O'Connor's Hardware, New Line

Find full parade details on [Limerick.ie/StPatricksFestival](https://limerick.ie/StPatricksFestival)

FRIDAY 04 MARCH – THURSDAY 21 APRIL | 12PM-9PM

PANORAMIC WHEEL

ARTHUR'S QUAY PARK

Soar above the city and take in the stunning 360 degree views across Limerick's skyline on the spectacular 38 metre panoramic wheel. Sky-high fun for all the family!

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FRIDAY 18 MARCH | 1PM & 3PM

BEAT ON THE STREET

HUNT MUSEUM GARDEN

Drum Dance Ireland welcomes you to the world of drumming where the star of the show is you! Children aged 5 to 13 are invited to play bass drums, congas, shakers and bells resulting in a fully interactive fun-filled percussion performance! Pre-booking essential.

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FRIDAY 18 – SUNDAY 20 MARCH | 8AM-7PM

ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL SCAVENGER HUNT

PEOPLE'S PARK, PERY SQUARE

Join Lumen Street Theatre on a magical journey of discovery on a self-guided scavenger hunt throughout the People's Park.

This project is funded through the Local Live Performance Scheme, Dept. Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport & Media.

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SATURDAY 19 MARCH | 2PM-5PM

ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL STREET SHOW SATURDAY

BEDFORD ROW

Join us on the streets of Limerick for a day of performance, science and spectacle with antics from Strong Women Science, Monsieur Gusto, Galway Community Circus and Master Magicians Steve Spade and Jack Wise!

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SATURDAY 19 MARCH | 8PM

ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL FIRE AND AERIAL EXTRAVAGANZA

POTATO MARKET, MERCHANT'S QUAY

Fidget Feet Aerial Dance Theatre join Ireland's premier fire performance company ROGU to light up stage and sky with a spectacular fusion of flights and fire! Pre-booking essential.

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THURSDAY 17 – SUNDAY 20 MARCH

ST. PATRICK'S WEEKEND AT LIMERICK MILK MARKET

Enjoy the delicious buzz of Limerick's celebrated market across four fun-filled days of food and family friendly festivities!



Thursday 11am-3pm

Outdoor Café

traditional Irish music for all to enjoy

Friday 11am-3pm

St. Patrick's Family Funday

games area 🍀 live music

Saturday 8am-3pm

Famous Food Market St. Patrick's Edition

the best of local organic & artisan producers 🍀
handmade crafts

Sunday 11am-4pm

St. Patrick's Art Fair

live music 🍀 delicious brunch offers



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LIVE MUSIC, COMEDY, THEATRE AND DANCE

FREE!

TUE 15 MAR | 1.15PM

HOUSTON HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

FRI & SAT | 9PM-12PM
SUN-THU | 9PM-11PM

THE BIG LIMERICK SEISIÚN

THE LOCKE BAR

THU 17 MAR | 8PM

POGUEOLOGY

A TRIBUTE TO THE POGUES

DOLANS

THU 17 MAR | 8PM

THE O'MALLEYS

DOLANS

FRI 18 MAR | 8PM

DECLAN O'ROURKE

LIME TREE THEATRE

FRI 18 & SAT 19 MAR | 7.30PM

LIAM O'BRIEN 'RAT PACK' SHOW

THE SAVOY HOTEL

FRI 18 - SUN 20 MAR

LIMERICK EARLY MUSIC FESTIVAL

THROUGHOUT LIMERICK CITY

SAT 19 MAR | 8PM

CROWMAN

GLÓRACH THEATRE, ABBEYFEALE

SAT 19 MAR | 8PM

DES BISHOP: MIA MAMMA

UNIVERSITY CONCERT HALL

SUN 20 MAR | 8PM

REELING IN THE SHOWBAND YEARS

UNIVERSITY CONCERT HALL



FAMILY FUN

THU 17 MAR | 9.30AM

CROOM SPORTS COMPLEX

ST. PATRICK'S DAY FAMILY FUN RUN

The annual 6k Fun Run makes a welcome return with prizes for the best dressed on the day!



THU 17 - SUN 20 | MAR 11AM - 10PM

NICHOLAS ST.

ST. PATRICK'S WEEKEND AT ESCAPE LIMERICK

Work together to crack clues and solve puzzles to escape within 60 minutes! 10% off group bookings 17-20 March. Pre-booking essential.



FRI 18 MAR | 11AM & 1PM

CITIZEN INNOVATION LAB

BELONGING TO THE RIVER ARTS AND CRAFTS WORKSHOP

Join artists Chelsea Canavan and Deirdre Power for a fun-filled workshop of collage, drawing and map-making! Pre-booking essential.

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SAT 19 MAR | 12PM

BELLTABLE

NO HEIGHT RESTRICTION – IT'S KIDS ROCK FROM KYLE RILEY

Get the family stomping, shaking and singing along at a live music concert for rock toddlers, little boppers and cool kids!



SAT 19 MAR | 12PM-6PM

CATHERINE STREET

TOP 8 LIMERICK BLOCK PARTY

Family friendly event showcasing music, breakdance and hip-hop dance battles, DJs and graffiti artists – an epic celebration of street dance culture! Pre-booking essential.



OTHER EVENTS NOT TO BE MISSED

THU 10 FEB – SUN 24 APR

BELONGING

THROUGHOUT LIMERICK CITY

An exhibition featuring 82 works by European artists from all 27 countries of the EU, Belonging explores the place of Limerick in the European Union and Europe's place in Limerick.

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THU 17 – SAT 19 MAR | 1PM-6PM

TREATY BIER BRATZ

TREATY CITY BREWERY, NICHOLAS STREET

Treaty City Brewery has teamed up with Limerick chef Keith Pigott and local producers to bring you the ultimate Limerick Hot Dog! Stop by the food truck serving Outcast IPA battered sausages and Harris Pale Ale mustard – the ultimate beer and brat spectacular! Meat eaters, fish lovers, veggie/vegan fighters and kids all catered for too!

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FRI 18 – SUN 20 MAR

WICKHAM WAY

THOMAS STREET/WICKHAM STREET

Friday | 12pm-10pm | Friday Food Court

Enjoy foods from around the world street food style!

Saturday | 10am-3pm | Food Court and Weekly Market

Locally made crafts, art, food and live music!

Sunday | 1pm-5pm | Food Court

Hip-Hop and Street Dance Festival workshops!

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