CREATIVE IRELAND PROGRAMME

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Kilkenny Creative Ireland Strategy

2023-2027

CREATIVE IRELAND ACTION AREAS TO 2027

Creative Youth

Creative Communities

Creativity, Health and Wellbeing

Creative Climate Action and Sustainability

Creative Industries

HIGH LEVEL PRIORITIES FOR LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Making counties great places to live, work, visit and invest in.

Housing

Climate action (including sustainable/ active travel) and biodiversity

Local economic development

Attracting inward investment

Town Centre First (Challenges to retail economy) and our rural economy

Changing population and demographics

Post Covid renewal and resilient communities

Digitalisation and ongoing transformation

REVIEW OF CI PROGRAMME 2017 -2022 STRENGTHS

Collaboration	Inter-generational projects	Online content
Covid measures	Engagement with marginalized communities	Educational Content

KNITTED TOGETHER

Knitted Together Launch 2022 – Grandmother Monica Dunne and her grandchildren Lucy Hayes and Billy Hayes

WRITING HOME

Writing Home 2021 - Award winning poet Colm Keegan and participants from Writing Home project.

Kilkenny County Council were delighted to receive Gold for Best Education/ Training Initiative at the LAMA Awards 2022 with our *Writing Home* project.

TEACH REX LIBRARY EVENT

Teach Rex event, Cruinniú na nÓg 2019- Kilkenny County Council Library Service.

REVIEW OF CI PROGRAMME 2017 -2022 POTENTIAL AREAS OF IMPROVEMENTS

Engagement with Creative and Cultural Sector	Tourism & Festivals	Creative Enterprise
Community and Voluntary Sector	Co-ordination of Resources	Creative Climate Actions

STRATEGY CONTENT

Foreword (KCC)   Creative Ireland Overview (CI)

Culture and Creativity in Kilkenny (KCC)

The Creative Ireland Vision for Kilkenny (KCC)

How we Work – Principles and Values (CI)

The Strategic Priorities for Kilkenny (KCC)

Implementation (CI)

Mapping (KCC)

PROCESS

Outline Vision and Strategic Objectives to SPC

Circulate Draft Strategy for comment to SPC members

Circulate Draft Strategy for comment to creative and cultural sector stakeholders

SPC to Approve Draft Strategy

Submit Final Amendments to CI

KCC to Approve Draft Strategy

CREATIVE IRELAND 2027

Over 7,500 initiatives to-date

Over 100,000 participate in Cruinniu na nOg

New initiatives Creative Industries, Creative Health & Wellbeing, Climate Action, Social Sustainability €3m Creative Climate Action, €3 Creative Enterprise, €6.6m LA

Shared Island €6m