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My Cruinniú Wicklow Singer Songwriter Competition

Ages 8 – 18



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Wicklow Arts Office understands that a lot of young people around the county are isolating at home, not able to meet up with friends or participate in their usual creative activities. Normally Cruinniú na nÓg allows us to gather and create in parks, libraries, schools, theatres, woodlands and heritage sites. This year in light of the Covid-19 pandemic this is not possible. So, Wicklow Arts Office is delighted to ask you to create together at apart this year for Cruinniú. We want to you with some assistance from parents or guardians to show us your creative ability and share it with the county.

We are collaborating with well-known musicians in County Wicklow, Music Generation Wicklow and our resident choral group www.mouthfulway.co.uk and want you to write in whatever creative style or music genre you like, an original song as part of our Cruinniú na nÓg My Cruinniú Wicklow competitions for 2020.

What do you do?

Entries can be by individuals or groups / bands. Songs must be under 4 minutes long. They can be written on any topic /subject and in any genre of music. All lyrics and music must be the entrants' original work. The accompaniment / music must be the creative composition work of the entrants, but you can enlist family members in your unit or via Zoom or other video call application to play on the track. Alternatively you can use song writing apps such as garage band and their available sounds. You may submit material you have already been working on a while or completely new material.

Remember this year we are creating together apart and guidelines of the Government and NPHET in relation to Covid-19 must be adhered to at ALL TIMES.

The competition will be judged on the originality, lyrics and melody of submissions.

You will need to submit:

- > An audio recording in MP3 format or video of the composition being performed
- > Up to three images of yourself performing looking into camera
- > The text of the lyrics

Please ensure that you record your video in a living space in your home / residence where possible, and give some thought to the background in your shots as the material will be produced and potentially screened on Wicklow County Council, Music Generation and Cruinniú na nÓg media outlets on June 13th and to promote the work.

Prizes will include iPads, Headphones and National Book Tokens.

To enter submit the above and complete the application form by Tuesday June 2nd at 4pm to wicklowao@gmail.com.



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Please complete all parts of this application form and return it along with your performance, images and lyrics clip wicklowao@gmail.com

Young Artist application details

Name(s):

Address:

Contact Email Address:

Contact Phone Number:

Age(s):

Parent / guardian details

Parent / Guardian Name:

**Contact email address for
Parent / Guardian:**

**Contact phone number for
Parent / Guardian:**



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Creation details

Title of Writing

Description of song: (Tell us in 25 words or less what your piece is about)

Credits:

(Include the camera person, the writer, performers or anyone who helped make the film clip)

What you need to submit with this form

Send to wicklowao@gmail.com

(If you can't email, please upload your film and put a link in box below)

Please also include:

- > Up to 3 pictures of yourself / yourself performing
- > Your video performing it / or using garage band or other app re-creating it
- > A copy of your original lyrics (words)

Link to film

Optional

Signature

Signed

Date

GDPR and Data Privacy

For information on your privacy rights related to this process log on to our privacy statement <https://www.wicklow.ie/Privacy-policy>



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Consent

Cast and broadcast consent

I _____ can confirm that I have received consent for use of filmed footage / images / song material submitted for this competition and they are aware that if other family members are featured that these will be entered into the My Cruinniú singer songwriter competition. I also confirm that I and the cast / crew are happy for Wicklow County Council Arts Office to broadcast / share the completed film, music and images on any medium as part of this competition and promoting the work of Wicklow County Council Arts Office and Cruinniú na nÓg.

Parental / Guardian Consent:

I _____ give my son / daughter / ward (named above) permission to enter the My Cruinniú singer songwriter competition and am happy for Wicklow Arts Office to contact me in relation to their entry.

Signature of Parent/Guardian:

Date:

For further information or clarity on any aspect of this application form please email your query to wicklowao@gmail.com.

Closing date for entries is Tuesday June 2nd at 4pm.



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