



NATIONAL
PRINT MUSEUM
Músaem Náisiúnta Cló

EVENT PROGRAMME

September - December 2022



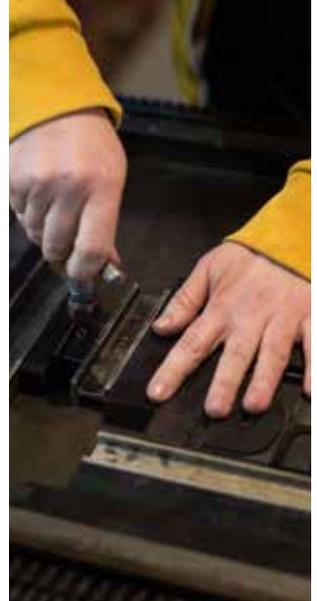
Niall McCormack

GRAND STUFF

Label Art from Ireland

A new exhibition

Opening in November 2022



FREE ADMISSION



GUIDED TOURS

The Museum offers interactive guided tours for individuals, schools, and pre-booked groups.

See the Visit Us section of the website for more information on guided tours and bookings.

About us...

Vision

To champion print and its impact on the world.

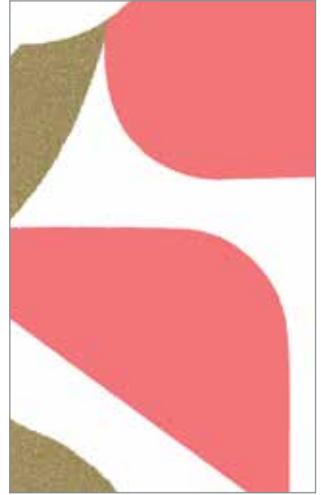
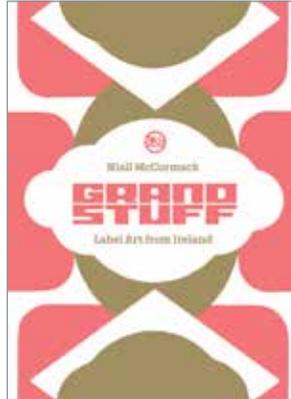
Mission

To promote a greater understanding of the historical significance and the contemporary relevance of printing in Ireland by exploring its heritage, craft and technology.

Values

Integrity | Discovery | Vision | Innovation | Inclusion

UPCOMING EXHIBITION



Grand Stuff, Label Art from Ireland

Curated by Niall McCormack

This winter, the Museum is delighted to introduce a new exhibition of Irish label art from the 1890s to the 1990s. Included are vibrant examples of labels for minerals, beers, whiskies, hotels, linens, groceries, pharmacies, matches, charities and political causes.

This important part of Ireland's material culture has been overlooked and this will be the first exhibition of its kind in Ireland.

Many of Ireland's designers of label art are anonymous artists. It is collections like this one that really preserve their work: their memory lives on in their layouts, in all their lettering, illustration and filigree. Through this exhibition, McCormack aims to inspire people to think about design in Ireland in the early 20th century and how it

was more vibrant, diverse and sophisticated than many might imagine.

The exhibition will be part-funded by the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.

Opening November
Free admission

Visit the Current and Upcoming Exhibition section of the website for more information.



EVENTS

Sept - Dec

2022

Culture Night

This Culture Night, experience history come to life. You will have demonstrations of our working collection and a chance to roll up your sleeves to get a little inky too! Suitable for all ages.

Friday 23 September
16.00 - 20.00

Free admission
First come, first served

Open House Junior

To celebrate Open House, we are hosting an Interactive Children's Guided Tour and Print Experience. Visit our historic building, learn all about the invention of printing, and have a go at making your own print. Recommended age 7 to 12-year-olds. (Adult accompaniment required)

Sunday 16 October
12.30 - 13.30

Free admission
Booking essential

Science Week

In celebration of Science Week, come and experience the buzz of a print shop. The invention of the printing press, and its widespread adoption, was a huge leap forward in the spread of learning and knowledge! To celebrate, we have several events at the Museum.

Saturday 5 November
Curator's Tour of Grand Stuff,
Label Art from Ireland
12.00

Free, booking essential

Wednesday 16 November
Schools Workshop
12.00 - 13.00

Free, booking essential

Thursday 17 November
Schools Workshop
12.00 - 13.00

Free, booking essential

Sunday 20 November
Public Guided Tour
with live demonstration
12.00

Free, booking essential

Visit the Shop section of our website to book your place on any events that require booking.

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Adult

WORKSHOPS

AUTUMN /
WINTER TERM



Modern Calligraphy with Sarah O'Dea

Sunday 2 October,
12.00 - 16.00,
€70, max. 12 people

Mokuhanga – Japanese Woodblock Printmaking with Ann Kavanagh

Sunday 16 October,
10.00 - 16.00,
€90, max. 6 people

Introduction to Woodtype Poster Printing with Dave Darcy (One Strong Arm)

Sunday 23 October,
10.00 - 16.00
€90, max. 6 people

Introduction to Relief Printmaking (linocut) with Caroline Byrne

Sunday 13 November,
10.00 - 16.00,
€90, max. 6 people

Introduction to Bookbinding with Eilis Murphy

Sunday 27 November,
10.00 - 16.00,
€90, max. 6 people

Booking is essential for all adult workshops. Visit the Shop section of the website for more details and bookings. All workshops are subject to cancellations should the minimum number of participants not be met.

Children & Family

WORKSHOPS AND ACTIVITIES



THURSDAY TALES WORKSHOPS

29 September
and 27 October
11.30 - 12.30
Free

Together we will read an exciting picture book and make a fun and easy print to bring the story to life. Drop-in. Suitable for children under 6. (Adult accompaniment required)

LEGO PRINT WORKSHOP

Wednesday 26 October
12.00 - 13.00
€12

Explore the history of print through Lego and make your very own Lego print to take home! Suitable for 8 to 12-year-olds. Booking essential. Max 8 children.

CREEPY CRAWLIES

Thursday 27 October
14.00 - 16.00
Free

Make your own little creature at this Halloween craft workshop. Drop-in. Suitable for all the family. (Adult accompaniment required)

STORYBOOK WORKSHOP

Saturday 26 November
12.00 - 13.30
€15

Love making up your own stories? This is the workshop for you! We will write our own tale and make a small hard-back book to take home! Suitable for 8 to 12-year-olds. Booking essential. Max 8 children.

WINTER WONDERLAND WORKSHOPS

Friday afternoons, 2 and 9
December
15.00 - 16.00
Free

Create some magical Christmas crafts and prints. Drop in. Suitable for all the family. (Adult accompaniment required)

EDUCATION AREA ONGOING

Free

Come and visit our self-guided Education Area at the Museum and try out some printing and crafts. It is open all year round with regularly changing activities to suit the season. Suitable for children of all ages. (Adult accompaniment required)

Booking essential for all children's workshops unless stated as a drop-in activity. Visit the Shop section of the website for bookings. All workshops are subject to cancellation should the minimum number of participants not be met.



COMING Soon

Short stories in print

The National Print Museum will soon announce details of an important print project commissioned to celebrate the Museum's 25th anniversary.

Short Stories in Print, A limited-edition collection of unpublished work by some of Ireland's leading writers

Make sure to sign up to the newsletter on our website to be first to know of its release!

Fighting Words

Over the last few months, the Museum has embarked on an exciting project in collaboration with Fighting Words.

Members of the Chapel have been working with the team at Fighting Words to record their stories in print.

The Chapel's memoir is coming soon!



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MUSEUM OPENING HOURS

Tuesday – Friday
10.00 - 16.00
Saturday – Sunday
12.00 - 16.00
(Closed Mondays)
(Closed Bank Holiday weekends
Saturday - Monday)

CAFÉ PRESS OPENING HOURS

Monday - Friday
08.30 - 16.00
Saturday - Sunday
10.00 - 17.00



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WE ARE HERE



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