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Heritage Festival

Programme of events

Thursday 17th	Kilcoole Golf Club	Centenary Lecture @ 8.00pm Rev. Patrick Comerford, Canon Robert Jennings
Thursday 24th	Kilcoole Golf Club	Centenary Lecture @ 8.00pm Dr. Ruan O'Donnell (and a guest), Sandra Heise
All Weekend:	Kilcoole Shop front Competition	
Saturday 26th July		
11.00am to 4.00pm	St Patricks Hall	Kilcoole Historical Maps Display Photographic exhibition of old images from Kilcoole by local photographer Chris Dobson The Gun Running Pictorial by Mick Kunz Gunrunning Museum
10.00am – 6.00pm	Koole Coffee	Genealogy Station
11.00am to 6.00pm	Convent Grounds	Re-enactment Base camp / Living history World War 1 British Army Camp Scouts Camp
2.00pm	Convent Grounds	Parade Assembly All welcome to join in with period clothing (essential)
2.30pm	Parade	Parade from convent, down Main Street via Sea Road Led by the Army Colour Party & UN Veterans
3.00pm	Old Graveyard Lott Lane	Ecumenical Service
3.20pm	Parade	Parade continues to Beach Car Park with Traditional Music at the Car Park
4.00pm	Beach Car Park	An introduction to the Gun Running
4.15pm	Beach Car Park	Kilcoole Gun Running Re-enactment from some of Ireland's award winning re-enactors
5.00pm	Beach Car Park	Closing ceremony with Aer Corps Casa CN235
5.15pm	Off Kilcoole Beech	Greystones and Wicklow Coast Guard RNLi Wicklow Lifeboat Air Sea Rescue Demonstration (Subject to availability)
Evening entertainment		
6.30pm	Byrnes Irish House	Mia Parsons & Her Band
9.00pm	Lees of Kilcoole	Traditional Music
10.00pm	The Mollys	Live Band
Sunday 27th July		
11.00am to 6.00pm	St Patricks Hall	Kilcoole Historical Maps Display.

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10.00am – 6.00pm	Koole Coffee	Genealogy Station
11.00am to 6.00pm	Convent Grounds	Re-enactment Basecamp / Living History World War 1 British Army Camp Scouts Camp
12.00pm – 6.00pm	Main Street	Kilcoole Craft and food market The main street will be closed to traffic, please follow diversion signs.
1.00pm – 6.00pm	Mollys Car Park	Traditional Heritage Demonstrations to include Blacksmith , Pottery Throwing, Pole Lathing, Hurley Making , Wood Turning, carding, spinning & hand made bobbin lace and more
2.00 – 6.00pm	Mollys Car Park	Children’s Hand Painting Pottery Workshop - €4 With Christien Van Bussel
2.00pm - 5.00pm	Convent Grounds	Children’s Traditional Games Demonstrations
2.00pm	The Mill Room	Vintage Cake Bake off Homemade baking competition in Brack, Fruit cake, scones or Sponge – information on our facebook page
2.00pm	Main street	Garden of Ireland Vintage Car Club Car rally Beside Lees of Kilcoole
All Afternoon	Main Street	Wicklow Comhaltas Musicians & Local Dancers
2.30pm	Mill Room	Afternoon Tea & cake €2.50
3.00pm	Mollys Car Park	Bray Concert Band performing Music of the Great War
4.15pm	Convent Grounds	Re-enactment of the Kilcoole Rifles in 1916 Reading of the proclamation by Kilcoole Youth Raising of the Irish Republic & Tricolour Flags by The Kilcoole Scouts
Evening entertainment		
6.00pm	The Mollys	Live Band
6.30pm	Byrnes Irish House	Mike from Moodswings
7.00pm	Lees of Kilcoole	The Wild Colonials