

Making Maldron Memories



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Free in Limerick

The Hunt Museum

The Hunt Museum exhibits one of Ireland's greatest private collections of art and antiquities, dating from the Neolithic to the 20th Century, including works by Renoir, Picasso and Yeats. There are artefacts from Greece, Rome, Egypt and the Olmec civilisation. There is also an important collection of Irish archaeological material ranging from Neolithic flints and Bronze Age material, including a Bronze Age shield and cauldron, to later Christian objects such as the unique 9th century Antrim Cross. 18th and 19th century decorative arts are also represented with fine examples of silver, glass and ceramics. Artists' works in the collection include Pablo Picasso, Pierre Auguste Renoir, Roderic O'Connor, Jack B. Yeats, Robert Fagan and Henry Moore.

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Limerick City Gallery of Art

Limerick City Gallery of Art is one of the leading contemporary art galleries in Ireland and home to an important collection of Irish 18th -21st century art in all media. LCGA also holds the National Collection of Contemporary Drawing, the Michael O'Connor International Poster Collection. Artists included in our collections are Seán Keating, Jack Yeats, Paul Henry, Grace Henry, Sir William Orpen, John Shinnors, Donald Teskey, and many more. Exhibitions from our Permanent Collection are exhibited along with our contemporary exhibitions. LCGA is housed in the Carnegie Building which is a two storey building with 650 square meters of exhibition space between the two floors. Also within the building is a café area which looks onto the People's Park at the rear of gallery.

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The Peoples Park

The People's Park, in Pery Square, is the principal park in Limerick City. It was formally opened in 1877, in memory of Richard Russell, a prominent local businessman. Items of interest in the People's Park include the refurbished drinking fountain, the Limerick City Gallery of Art, children's playground (toddlers - 10 years old), a band stand and two park shelters. The park has a large selection of mature, deciduous and evergreen trees plus, of course, a wonderful display of flowers during the summer months.



Limerick Milk Market

Here you'll discover the very best of fresh, natural produce from great farmhouse cheeses and chutneys, just-caught fish and artisan meats, organic fruit & vegetables, to delicious healthy breads and fresh pressed juices. You'll also be able to snack on gourmet sandwiches, wraps, pastries, chocolates, delicious crepes, soups and freshly brewed teas & coffees or buy fresh flowers and vibrant plants. But it's not just the variety and quality of food and horticultural produce on offer that makes the Market so special – it is also about the people and the place. This market hosts a community of remarkable individuals from throughout the province, all of whom care deeply about the offering to their customers.



St Mary Cathedral

The Cathedral of Saint Mary Blessed Virgin has had a long and eventful history. It was founded in 1168 on the site of a palace donated by Donal Mor O'Brien King of Munster. Experts believe that parts of the palace are incorporated into the present structure of the Cathedral. The most prominent is the West Door which tradition has it was the main entrance to the palace. The palace had been built on the site of the Viking meeting house. This had been the centre of government in the early medieval Viking city. The Cathedral has seen many changes as the city expanded around it and it remains today the oldest and most historic building in Limerick. While the Cathedral is a beautiful and historic building, it is still used today for its original purpose, as a place of worship and prayer. If the walls of the Cathedral could talk to It would include the exploits of Kings and Princes, feasts and famines, military victories and defeats and Civic triumphs and disasters.

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Local attractions

King Johns Castle

The stunning new exhibition at King John's Castle brings to life over 800 years of dramatic local history. 21st century touch screen technology, 3D models and discovery drawers are among the exciting techniques that will connect you to tales of siege and warfare in the visitor centre. Children will love the dazzling array of computer generated animations and ghostly projections as they travel back through time. The Education and Activity Room is bustling with tasks to stimulate curious minds.

In the busy courtyard, you will discover a medieval campaign tent, a blacksmiths forge and scenes from a seventeenth century siege. The sights, scenes and sounds of King John's Castle and its environs all combine to recreate the atmosphere of the era with amazing views over the river Shannon.

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The Frank McCourt Museum

A vivid reconstruction of life in the lanes of Limerick and at school at Leamy School, with memorabilia from the life and time of Frank McCourt, as depicted in Angela's Ashes, the first of his autobiographic memoirs and one that was rewarded with the Pulitzer Prize. Inside, the museum showcases a classroom of the 1930's and the McCourt home, as described in "Angela's Ashes". A collection of memorabilia is seen in display cases. Items, such as, school books of the period and old photos all bringing you back to the life of Frank McCourt in the lanes of Limerick.

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Thomond Park Museum

Thomond Park Stadium has incorporated a spectacular interactive museum that showcases the proud history and heritage of Munster Rugby including an impressive range of memorabilia such as the match ball from the famous victory against the All Blacks in 1978 and the 2006 Heineken Cup trophy. The Museum also contains fantastic interactive displays and touch screens suitable for all ages with a specially commissioned film titled "We are Munster" that portrays the tradition & history of the club and the unique bond that it shares with its loyal supporters. The stadium tour takes you to places that are only accessible to the players and officials on match days, so from a walk down the tunnel to a seat in the home dressing room, the stadium tour gives you the unique opportunity to experience how the Munster players feel on big match days.

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Limerick Civic Walking Tours

We'll bring you through the castles and graveyards, the cathedrals and market squares. We'll tell you about murders, rebellions and victories, about battles, loves and losses. We'll open up today's streets, bridges and urban art, introduce you to the city's quirks, secrets and personalities.

Englishtown - The walls of Englishtown were built during the 12th and 13th centuries, and this area is therefore steeped in history and many landmarks from the time are still in existence, the best preserved being King John's Castle and St Mary's Cathedral.

Irishtown - The Norman leaders at the time did not like the fact that their people were adopting the Irish customs and fashion. Thus, the native Irish were expelled from the city and formed a settlement on the southern bank of the Abbey River known as Irishtown. The walling of the city started in 1310, but it was 1495 before it was completed.

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Vitality Breakfast



Carvery Lunch



Bar Menu



Sunday Roasts



grain & grill

Nearby

Bunratty Castle & Folk Park

The most complete and authentic medieval castle in Ireland. Built in 1425 it was restored in 1954 to its former medieval splendor and now contains mainly 15th and 16th century furnishings, tapestries, and works of art which capture the mood of those times.

At evening time Medieval Banquets are held in the castle and are open to the public to enjoy.

Enjoy the sights, sounds tastes, scents, of this enchanting place as you stroll from house to house or around the charming village street complete with school, post office, doctors house, hardware shop, printers and of course McNamara's pub!

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Basecamp Action Adventure Park

Ireland's newest and most exciting adventure park. We offer action packed full or half day, single or multi activity packages; we have the perfect adventure experience for everyone!

Located in the heart of Co. Limerick, our 80-acre outdoor adventure park has been custom-designed to cater for a wide variety of groups, offering a range of activities including forest 3D archery, adult paintball, teenage paintball, splatball, survival challenges and bushcraft.

Our paintball adventure is one of the best in Europe. Set in a 25-acre zone deep in our forest our movie set missions contain the Black Hawk down helicopter mission, a Vietcong village, the famous D-Day, an adrenalin pumping Lockdown mission and many more high octane missions!

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The Crescent Shopping Centre

The biggest and most successful shopping complex outside of Dublin. On Limerick's Dooradoyle Road, the Crescent is just two miles from Limerick city centre. Stores include occupiers such as Next, Zara, H&M, River Island, Monsoon, Jack and Jones, Gap Outlet, Heaton's, Diesel, Superdry, Tommy Hilfiger, sports shops Elvery's and Lifestyle, Shaws, Penneys, Argos & Boots.

Other facilities include restaurants, a 12 – screen cinema, a free standing McDonalds, banks, a crèche, numerous food outlets and 2,500 free parking.

Dooradoyle, Limerick

Curraghchase

Curraghchase Forest Park is a fantastic amenity for all the family to enjoy. The Park covers 313 hectares of mixed woodlands, park land and lakes which together provide a rich habitat for a diverse range of animals and plants.

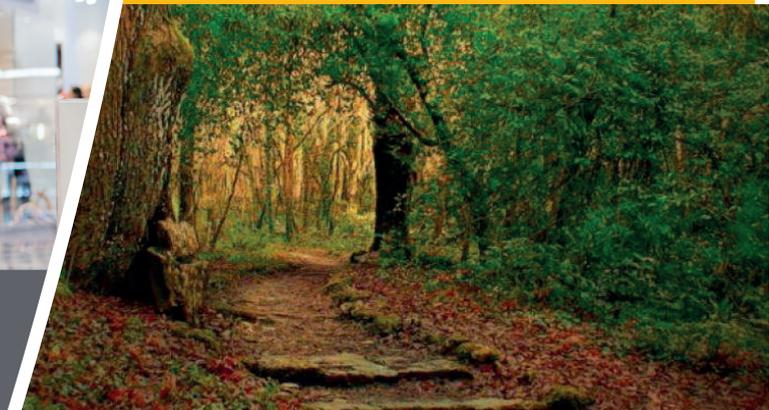
There are a number of looped way marked trails in the park to suit all visitors. They vary from the multi-access trails suitable for wheelchair users and family walkers to the longer Curragh and Glenisca trails suitable for those looking for more demanding walking and cycling options.

Opening: Gates close automatically at 9pm summer time and 6.30pm winter time. It is recommended that you check gate closure times when visiting the Park.

Admission: Pay barrier €5 per car.

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