



# Fingal Community Facilities Newsletter



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# Holywell Community Centre



## Facilities

- Meeting Rooms
- Large Sports Hall
- Indoor Soccer Pitch
- Badminton Court
- Tennis Court
- Dance Suite
- Childcare Facility
- Activity Mats
- Refreshments

Holywell Community Centre was built in 2013 as part of the Fingal Schools Model.

You can find Holywell Community Centre located on the eastern side of Swords Village, sharing the campus with Holywell Educate Together School, open seven days a week.



Holywell Community Centre aims to be a positive hub for the Swords community, offering a variety of activities from Fitness to Performing Arts. The centre has a comprehensive list of activities available for all ages.

For more information, feel free to call or visit!





# Official Opening of Hartstown Community Centre

Hartstown Community Centre has been newly renovated and extensively upgraded, including essential repairs and upgrades to the all-weather pitch.

This refurbishment has transformed Hartstown Community Centre into a modern, accessible, and an energy-efficient facility.

The official opening took place on the 8<sup>th</sup> of November, with a great turnout from the community.



[Read more](#)

## eCollege training



eCollege offer further education and training available to all, funded by SOLAS, with the aim of enhancing your skills and assisting towards career growth.

Courses are free to those over 18, with all training available and details to register found on the [eCollege webpage](#)



# IPB Pride of Place Awards 2025

## Success for Rivervalley Community Centre!

A huge congratulations to Rivervalley Community Centre for being one of the big winners for Fingal at the 2025 IPB Pride of Place Awards.

Rivervalley Community Centre won the runner-up award for the Urban Neighbourhood & the Housing Estates Category. Rivervalley Community Centre showcased the thriving centre and it's importance within the local community.

The awards were hosted by comedian and broadcaster Dermot Whelan and took place in Limerick's Strand Hotel on the 7<sup>th</sup> of November, with 400 community volunteers in attendance.





# Fingal Inclusion Week

## Event Highlights



20<sup>th</sup> November

### Afro Dance Experience

Flemington Community Centre held an Afro Dance Experience celebrating culture through movement and rhythm.



21<sup>st</sup> November

### Music Bingo

Afternoon Ladies Club held a night to remember of musical bingo in Huntstown Community Centre.



21<sup>st</sup> November

### Water Polo

St. Vincent's Waterpolo club held a taster session for all aged 8-12 in the National Aquatic Centre.



## Carmichael Network training

Dear Network Members,

Places are still available for the online Carmichael courses for 2025.

This will be limited to two courses per person. For more information on the training provided email [Ciaran.Morgan@fingal.ie](mailto:Ciaran.Morgan@fingal.ie) & [Kate.OTOole@fingal.ie](mailto:Kate.OTOole@fingal.ie)

You are encouraged to engage with your boards to see if any of the directors would like to avail of courses on this training schedule.

**Carmichael.**



## Help bring Christmas Magic To Parslickstown House!

Parslickstown House are raising funds to create a free Santa Experience for children and families in the community who would otherwise miss out.

Parslickstown Houses' goal is to bring the magic of Christmas with gifts, treats and a festive space where kids can feel joy, excitement and a sense of belonging.

Every contribution, big or small, truly makes a difference.



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# Job Opportunities



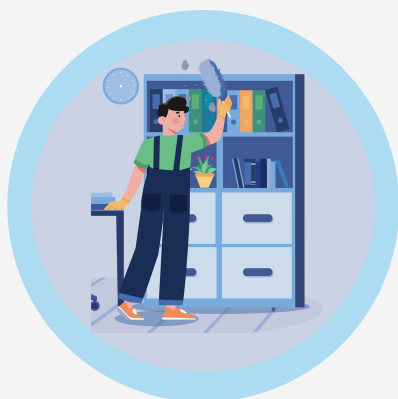
Rivervalley Community Centre

## Childcare Worker

Rivervalley Community Centre have a vacancy for a Childcare Worker under the CE Scheme. This is a developmental opportunity. No Experience needed.

**Closing Date– 31<sup>st</sup> of December**

[Register your Interest](#)



Mulhuddart Community Centre

## Centre Attendant

Mulhuddart Community Centre have a vacancy for a Centre Attendant under the CE Scheme. This is a developmental opportunity. No Experience needed.

**Closing Date– 23<sup>rd</sup> of December**

[Register your Interest](#)



Luttrellstown Community Centre

## Centre Support Attendant

Luttrellstown Community Centre have a vacancy for a Centre Support Attendant role under the CE Scheme. This is a developmental opportunity. No Experience needed.

**Closing Date– 22<sup>nd</sup> of December**

[Register your Interest](#)



# Items of interest



**Free SEAI Audit** – SEAI's support scheme for energy audits (SSEA) offers SMEs a €2,000 voucher towards the cost of a high quality energy audit. In most cases, this will cover the total cost of the audit. Application to the scheme is easy, with automatic approval for eligible businesses.

[Read More](#)

**HSE courses – Free** – These programmes are provided by the HSE National Office for Suicide Prevention (NOSP), as part of its commitments to education and training in Connecting for Life, Ireland's National Strategy to Reduce Suicide (2015–2024). They are scheduled and coordinated locally, by the network of HSE Resource Officers for Suicide Prevention (ROSPs) and in partnership with other training agencies. More information on these programmes is available at [www.nosp.ie/training](http://www.nosp.ie/training).

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**Employability : supporting people with disabilities to find or keep a job**

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# Fingal County Council Development Office

Central to the work of the Community Development Office is the development of strong, self-reliant and sustainable communities. Their role is to support local people through community and voluntary groups to deliver projects and initiatives in their communities. The office can help groups in a number of ways, including training, information & advice, group development and funding toward community activities.



## FUNDING

The Community Development Office provides support to community groups across Fingal County: groups such as residents' groups, Tidy Towns groups, environmental groups and other interest groups. These groups benefit their communities by encouraging integration, inclusion and add to the sense of community which is felt by those living in the area.

Your Community Development Officer will be happy to meet with groups to discuss funding options and other supports available through the Community Development office.

[Funding Point Local Digest PDF](#)

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