

FLEADH Programme 2009

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2009 Launch takes place in Matt McCoys on Wednesday April 8th

The Fleadh by the Feale 2009 commences on **Thursday 30th of April to Monday 4th of May.**

The festival programme for 2009 includes music, singing, workshops, competitions, sessions and a junior art display.

Fleadh Traditional Concert

Fleadh Traditional celebrity concert for 2009 features:

Four Men & a Dog

Sunday 3rd May 2009

For further information on the event & ticket sources see below or: [Click here>>](#)



Website: <http://www.fourmenandadog.com/>

Thursday April 30th 2009

7.30pm Presentation of Art Poster Prizes and Exhibition. Venue - Abbeyfeale Library

9.30pm Gathering Sessions of Music, Song & Dance.

Friday May 1st 2009

8.00pm Traditional Street Busking Competition

[Minimum 3 participants, Max 6] Groups must provide Irish Traditional entertainment.

Categories	Sponsors
Under 9 yrs.	Trophies sponsored by Sheehy's Hardware
Under 11 yrs.	Trophies sponsored by Abbeyfeale Credit Union
Under 13 yrs.	Cash prize sponsored by Eurosaver
Under 15 yrs.	Cash prize sponsored by Bank of Ireland
Senior, over 15yrs.	Cash prize sponsored by Superbites
Cash prizes: 1st Prize €200, 2nd Prize €100, 3rd Prize €60	

Saturday 2nd May 2009

1.30pm Registration for Traditional "Master Workshop Classes" in Convent National School

Classes objectives: Improve technique & skills in Improvers & Advanced categories.

Classes Commence - 2.00pm.

(Students are advised to bring Tape Recorders.)

Registration Fee:

€10 Registration is permissible on the day, but it is advised to book in advance by posting registration details & Fee to: Maureen Murphy, 1 Willowbrook, Killarney Rd., Abbeyfeale, Co. Limerick.

N.B:

(In event of high demand for classes, a first come first served basis will apply.)

Eligibility: Unsuitable for beginners. Open to all ages, Junior or Senior. (Spectators Not Allowed)

Tutors

Concertina: Edel Fox & Michelle Mulcahy

Flute: Louise Mulcahy

Banjo: Matt Griffin

Accordion: Damien Mullane

Fiddle: David Sheridan

Singing: Edel Vaughan

Sean Nos Dancing: Edwina Guckian

8.30pm Traditional Entertainment in the Square with Templeglantine Comhaltas & Maids of Erin

Sunday 3rd May 2009

3.00pm Face Painting for young & not so young. Venue: Abbeyfeale Square town centre

3.00pm Traditional Storytelling with Daisy Kearney. Venue: Convent Secondary School Abbeyfeale

3.00pm Ceili Mor in association with the Community Radio Station - West Limerick 102fm. Venue: Fr. Casey's GAA Club

3.30pm Traditional Outdoor Entertainment & Junior Bone Playing Competition. Venue: Abbeyfeale Square town centre.

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Fleadh Traditional Concert

Four Men & a Dog Supported by **St Joseph's traditional Musicians**
, Commencing: Sunday 3rd May at 8pm. **Venue:** Convent Hall, Abbeyfeale Co. Limerick.



LIVE Sunday 3rd May at 8pm

Tickets €20 are available from:

Maureen Murphy Tel: 086 3265762
 Calling from outside Ireland Tel: 353 86 3265762

Additional contacts for tickets:

Dearbhla Conlon Ahern - 087 6874035
 John O'Sullivan - 086 3165848
 Celine McNally - 087 7697672

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7.30pm Open Air Entertainment with **Scoil Mháthair Dé** followed by **Tournafulla Comhaltas Group**

8.00pm "All-Ireland Bone Playing Competition" on Open Air Platform in Square town centre

1st PRIZE €300 - 2nd PRIZE €200 - 3rd PRIZE €100 Sponsored by AIB

Post registration (contestants name & address) with Fee (€10 cheque) to:

Mrs. Maureen Murphy, 1 Willowbrook, Killarney Rd., Abbeyfeale, Co. Limerick, Ireland.

NB: *Competition open to all over 18yrs.* Entries for Bone Playing competition must be received with fee of €10 before April 30th. 2009.

Fleadh by the Feale Sponsors

The Fleadh by the Feale committee wish to express their sincere appreciation to all the local sponsors for their financial support and ongoing commitment over the years.

Main sponsors: Kostal Ireland GmbH, Diageo-Guinness & Limerick County Council Arts Section.