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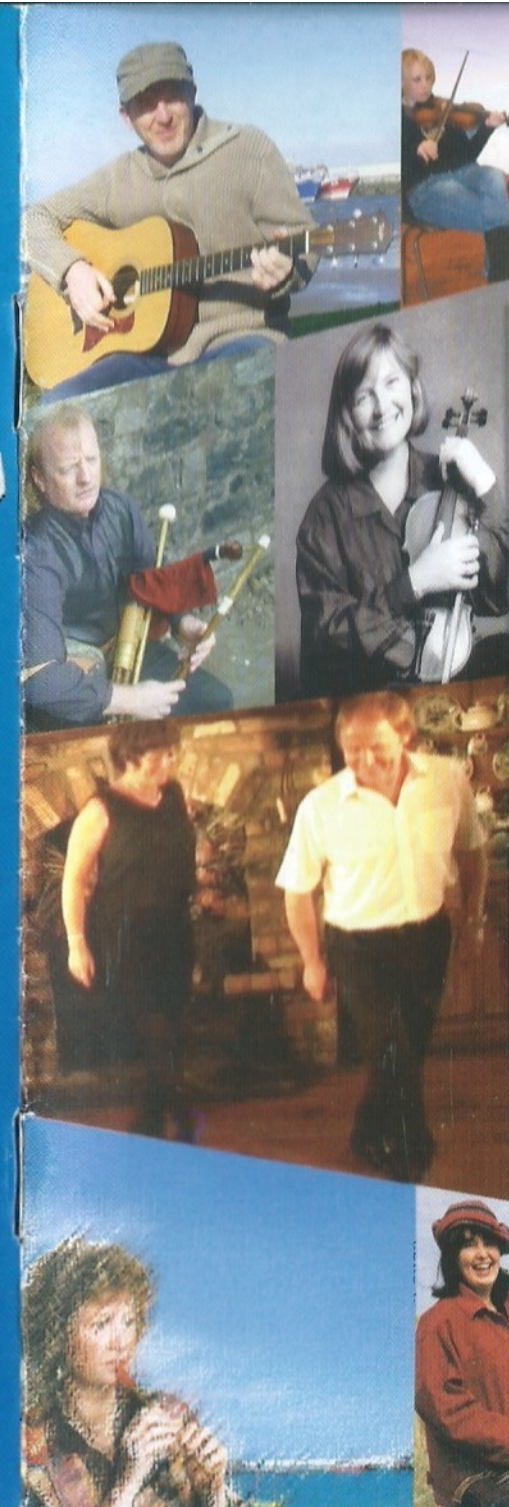
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•16th -18th MAY•  
**2008**

**Skerries Traditional Music Weekend**

in association with

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# Entry form

Adults and Children (age 9 upwards)



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact NO. \_\_\_\_\_ Any Special Requirements \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday 17th May

## MUSIC WORKSHOPS

**Scoil Réalt na Mara** Entry Fee €20 • Registration 9.30am

10.00am to 1.00pm • 2.15pm to 4.00pm **School closed at Lunchtime**

Tick appropriate box

Fiddle  Bodhrán  Accordion  Flute  Concertina   
Tin-Whistle  Harp   Acoustic Guitar\* *\*(Intermediate to advanced players)*

## The Little Theatre

Uilleann Pipes  *NOTE: students please bring tape recorder*

## DANCING WORKSHOPS

**The Little Theatre** Entry Fee €15 • Registration 10.30am

10.45am to 1.00pm • 2.15pm to 4.00pm

Sean Nós and Set Dancing  Two Hand Dances

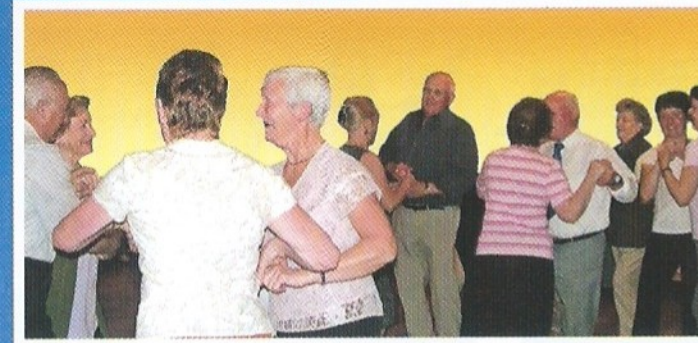
Return completed entry form and appropriate fee to:

Margaret McCarthy, 4 Selskar Road, Skerries, County Dublin • mobile 087 6528643

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## Introduction



The annual Skerries Traditional Music Weekend is now a recognised cultural event which has gone from strength to strength. In 2008, it will run for the seventh time and will be further developed with the introduction of Fingal tunes from the archives taught by tutors from the Fingal area. The workshops have been extended to include the harp.

Once again, many of Ireland's leading exponents of traditional music and dance will both teach and perform in local Skerries venues. A high level of active participation is again anticipated - young and old, novice to advanced - in a wide range of traditional activities.

This year sponsorship by *Fingal County Council's Community Cultural & Sports Department* and by local business is augmented by *The Arts Council*. The local community organising committee is very grateful for this vital support.

Unfortunately, we have had to bid farewell to two stalwarts of our festival, Paul Phillips (bodhrán) and Joe Ryan (fiddle), who passed away in September and in March. We fondly remember their contributions to Irish Traditional Music.

Ar dhéis Dé go raibh a n-anamacha.

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# Events

Friday 16th May



**The Little Theatre**  
**Opening Concert** 8pm  
**Admission €15**

MC Davidine Grimes &  
Matt Connolly

WITH

Inis Rua • Aebh Kelly  
Cór Scoil Réalt na Mara  
Suzy Ní Shúilleabháin  
Banba Nic Gearailt  
and Tutors

FEATURING

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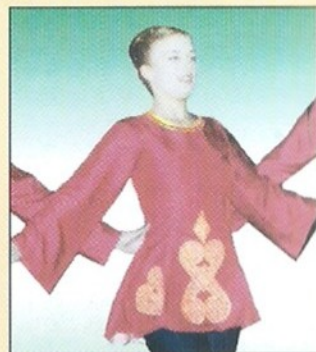
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Suzy Ní Shúilleabháin



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## SESSIONS

10.00pm Carroll's Pier House

Liz Doherty  
Jesse Smith  
Tommy Martin  
Tristan Rosenstock  
Jacqui Martin



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10.00pm Joe Mays

Máire O'Keeffe  
Ben Lennon  
Leo Rickard  
Jacinta McEvoy  
Andrea Gallagher  
Garry O'Briain

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10.00pm Gladstone Inn

Paudie O'Connor  
June McCormack  
Breda Keville  
Cormac Cannon  
Paul Kelly  
PJ Mathews



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10.00pm Parachute Café

Mary Bergin  
Charlie Lennon  
Colm Gannon  
Jim Grant  
Siobhán Breathnach  
Michael Rooney



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Saturday 17th May **WORKSHOPS**



**Scoil Réalt na Mara**

Full Day €20 • Registration 9.30am

**MUSIC** Adults and Children (age 9 upwards)

-not suitable for beginners

10.00am to 1.00pm and 2.15pm to 4.00pm

School closed at Lunchtime

**Tutors**

**Fiddle**

Máire O'Keefe  
Liz Doherty  
Charlie Lennon  
Ben Lennon  
Breda Keville  
Jacqui Martin  
Jesse Smith

**Concertina**

Jacinta McEvoy



Jacinta McEvoy

**Tin-Whistle**

Mary Bergin  
Cormac Cannon  
Andrea Gallagher

**Accordion**

Colm Gannon

**Flute**

June McCormack  
Jim Grant

**Bodhrán**

Tristan Rosenstock

**Harp**

Michael Rooney  
Siobhán Breathnach



Andrea Gallagher

**Acoustic Guitar\***

Garry O'Briain  
*\*(intermediate to advanced players)*

**Special guests in the afternoon are:**

Vincent Harrison  
Roger Sherlock



Jacqui Martin



Ben Lennon



Cormac Cannon

**WORKSHOPS**



**The Little Theatre**

Registration 9.30am

Entry fee €20

**MUSIC WORKSHOP**

10.00am to 1.00pm and

2.15pm to 4.00pm

**Uilleann Pipes**

Tutors Néillidh Mulligan • Leo Rickard  
Tommy Martin



Néillidh Mulligan

**The Little Theatre**

Adults and Children (age 9 upwards)

Registration 10.30am

Entry fee €15

**DANCING WORKSHOP**

10.45am to 1.00pm and

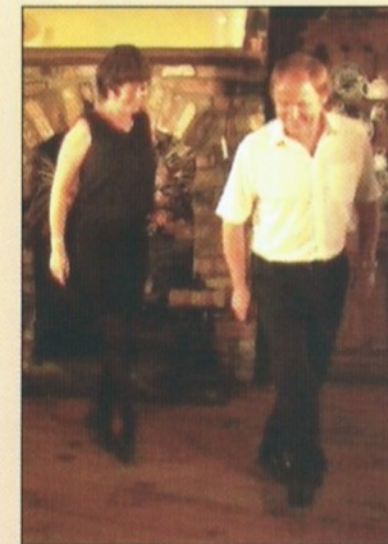
2.15pm to 4.00pm

**Two Hand Dances**

Tutor Marie Garrity

**Sean Nós & Set Dancing**

Tutors Mick Mulkerrins & Mairéad Casey



Mairéad Casey & Mick Mulkerrins



Leo Rickard



Marie Garrity

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### Methodist Church

**Recital 8.00pm Admission €12**

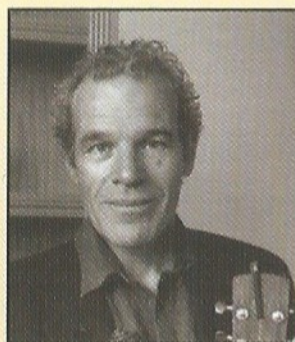
MC Paudie O'Connor

John McEvoy & John Wynne • Fiona Mullaney  
Vincent Harrison & Néillidh Mulligan  
Máire O'Keefe & Garry O'Briain  
Termonfeckin Macra Group

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John McEvoy & John Wynne



Garry O'Briain



Máire O'Keefe



Fiona Mullaney



Vincent Harrison



Termonfeckin Macra Group

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### Parachute Café

9.00pm

### An Intimate Evening of Music & Song

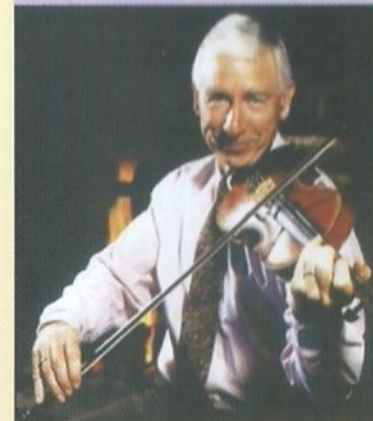
Featuring Charlie Lennon  
Geraldine Pickett • Ben Lennon  
Paul Kelly *And many more . . .*

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Geraldine Pickett

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Charlie Lennon

### Carroll's Pier House

10pm

### Fancy Dress Set-Dancing Competition

Music by  
**Triskell**

For further  
information  
contact  
087 6528643



Sessions in **Joe Mays • The Gladstone Inn**

10.00pm

Sunday 18th May



### Skerries Mills

**Recital** 12.00pm

**Mary Bergin** with  
Inis Rua • Colm Gannon  
June McCormack  
Michael Rooney *and more*  
**SPECIAL GUESTS**  
*Pat & Ronán Loughman*



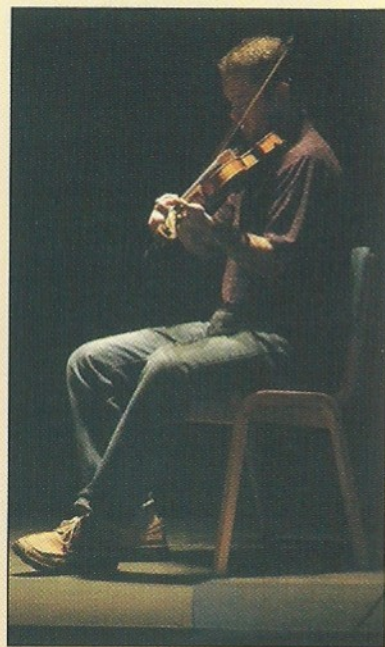
Liz Doherty



Breda Keville



Colm Gannon



Jesse Smith



Tristan Rosenstock



June McCormack & Michael Rooney

Sunday 18th May



### Blue Bar 3.30pm

**Focus on Fingal** MC Dave O'Connor

Traditional and contemporary tunes, songs and dancing associated with the Fingal area

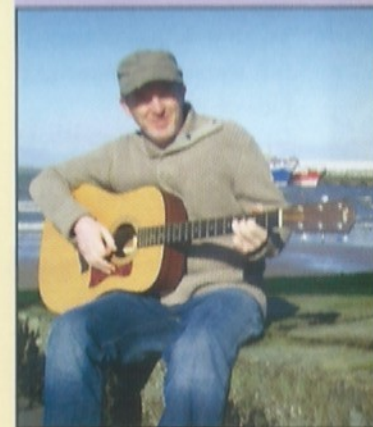
with Paul Kelly • Tommy Martin Jacqui Martin  
Brendan Lynch *And many more . . .*



Tommy Martin



Jim Grant and Siobhán Breathnach



Paul Kelly

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### The Rugby Club 8.30pm

**Skerries Céilí & Set-Dancing Group**

Celebrates end of year céilí with  
**Cathal MacAnulty Céilí Band**

**Admission €9 including refreshments**

MC Seán Clerkin



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