

(Sunday 10th continued...)

2pm SOAP BOX DERBY
Homemade Carts take place in a race down the hill to the Playground. Carts must be approved before race.

2pm STREET BUSKING COMPETITION

Traditional groups battle it out to become Champion buskers. All welcome. Meet outside Castle Arms.

2.30pm PUPPET SHOW
(Community Centre)

2.30pm TUG OF WAR BLITZ
(Village Green) Ladies, Kids and Mens events to find the strongest teams around.

3pm ALL IRELAND ROCK PAPER SCISSORS CHAMPIONSHIPS (Village Green)

Take part in this test of timing, dexterity, skill and luck and try to become an All Ireland Champion. Participants must register beforehand.

4.30pm GRAND PARADE

Action packed floats, bands and street performers will keep you entertained as the parade wends its way through the village.

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8pm FESTIVAL QUEEN SELECTION AND ANNOUNCEMENT

(Community Centre) Huge excitement as the Festival Queens are interviewed by MC Senator Mark Daly and the winner is announced. Admission €5

10pm LIVE AT THE MARQUEE - DEUCES WILD

Enjoy the grand finale of the festival for a guaranteed night of entertainment from one of Irelands finest bands. Admission €10



PIG RACING
SATURDAY 9 JULY



FESTIVAL MARQUEE 2011

DEUCES WILD
SUNDAY 10 JULY



YOUTH DISCO
FESTIVAL MARQUEE
FRIDAYDAY 8 JULY
9-11PM

UV BEACH PARTY
FESTIVAL MARQUEE
SATURDAY 9 JULY



FESTIVAL FUN WITH AMUSEMENTS EVERY DAY BY THE COMMUNITY CENTRE



All events are free unless specifically stated. Donations appreciated



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Monday 4th July

12pm CHILDRENS TREASURE HUNT (Costcutters) A tricky test of knowledge for kids of all ages.

2-4pm HB ICE CREAM PARTY (Casement Green) In aid of Downs Syndrome Ireland.

7pm STAR SPANGLED SPORTS (Village Green) Celebrate independence day with a range of All American Activities.

8pm TOPS OF THE PARISH (Community Centre) Part 1- North v West. An evening of entertainment showcasing the best of local talent. (€5/€2.50)

Tuesday 5th July

6pm LADIES & U15 BOYS SOCCER BLITZ (Marion Park) A ladies Soccer Challenge will "kick off" proceedings with an Under 15 Tournament to follow.

7-9pm BALLYHEIGUE ART GROUP EXHIBITION (Community Centre) View a gallery exhibit by the best local talent.

9pm THE BRAIN OF BALLYHEIGUE TABLE QUIZ (Flahives Bar) Enjoy this ever popular fun table quiz in Flahives Bar. (€20 per table of 4)

Wednesday 6th July

7pm SLIP TO SHORE SWIM 2km Open Water Swim (€10) Intrepid swimmers brave the ocean in a test of endurance.

8pm TOPS OF THE PARISH (Community Centre) Part 2 - South v Village: Final evening of local talent and announcement of this year's winner. (€5/€2.50)

10pm MR. & MRS. COMPETITION (Kirbys Bar) How well do you know your partner? Find out in Kirbys Bar!

Thursday 7th July

5pm KIDS FUN AT THE BEACH Take part in our annual feast of fun and games for children of all ages.

7pm MENS SOCCER SHOOTOUT (Marian Park) The local regions of the Village shoot it out in the Annual Blitz for the Timmy O'Reagan Memorial Shield.



8pm BINGO (Community Centre)
8pm BALLYHEIGUES X-FACTOR (White Sands Hotel) *Kids from 8-9pm*

Adult participants only after 9m. Bring your best singing voice to the White Sands hotel and see if you impress our panel of judges enough to lift the crown. Prizes for the best acts.

9pm TEXAS HOLD'EM POKER (Flahives Bar) Take part in the Ballyheigue Poker Championship. Who will win the festival bracelet?

Friday 8th July

11-2pm FAMILY FUN PARTY (Family Resource Centre) Activities, fun and games for children of all ages. BBQ, Bouncy Castle, Face Painting and DJ.

7pm GOLF SCRAMBLE (Golf Club)

7pm KING OF THE BEACH

A pulsating race to Black Rock and back with the mantle of "King (or Queen) of the Beach" up for grabs. Take part in the race or simply enjoy a Fun Run or walk. All participants welcome.

7.30pm TERRIER RACING ON THE BEACH

Who will be Ballyheigues top dog? Have some Grrreat entertainment watching the terriers "ruff" it out in a head to head racing competition.

9pm HISTORICAL TALK (White Sands) "The Cantillons of Ballyheigue: Who do you think they are?" An illustrated history of the family including the world famous economist Richard Cantillon presented by historian Bryan McMahon.

9-11pm YOUTH DISCO & FOAM PARTY (Festival Marquee)(12-17 yrs) Alcohol free, Supervised disco for teens. Enjoy some bubbly sounds. Admission €5

9:30pm DARTS COMPETITION (Kirbys Bar)

9:30pm FATHER TED MINI FEST (Flahives Bar) Come as your favourite Craggy Islander take part in the Lovely Girls Competition and enjoy the "drink, feck and girls"

Saturday 9th July

11am UNDER 10 FOOTBALL BLITZ (Sportsfield)

11am-1pm BEACH FISHING COMPETITION Meet at the lifeguards hut to try your luck. Refreshments and Prize giving in Kirbys Bar.

12pm Treasure Hunt Rally (Castle Gates) This car based treasure hunt will produce much head scratching as you attempt to become the first person home with clues and bonus points.

2-4pm KIDS MEGA-ENTERTAINMENT (Community Centre) Dance your heart out and enjoy activities with our festival DJ. Competitions and prizes galore. Admission €3

3pm BONNIE BABY COMPETITION (Casement Green)

3.30pm BALLYHEIGUE BUTTERBOX BALONEY (Village Green) Speakers welcome to talk on a chosen subject or perform an act

4pm SANDCASTLE COMPETITION Get your spades out and try and build the best sculpture. Age categories apply.

5pm DOG SHOW (Village Green)

7pm PIG RACING (Beach) Enjoy this Sizzling event as champion pigs compete in a series of races. Bet on your favourite or even sponsor a pig to win.

10pm FESTIVAL UV BEACH PARTY(Festival Marquee) Enjoy a "night at the beach" with live DJs providing the best sounds around. (Admission €10)



Sunday 10th July

12pm ROWING REGATTA (Beach) Enjoy a fantastic event as the Ballyheigue Rowing Club host an open water regatta. (weather permitting)

12.30pm HISTORICAL WALKS (KIDS/ADULTS) (Castle Gates) Enjoy a guided ramble along Kerryhead Peninsula and its spectacular views. Walking boots are essential. Bring along a snack.

12:30-3pm HOME BAKED FOOD FAIR (Community Centre)

1pm VILLAGE FETE (Casement Green) Traditional games and activities will keep you entertained. In aid of Ballyheigue Youth Club.

1pm VINTAGE DISPLAY (Beach Car Park) A range of beautifully restored vintage machinery and motors will be on show.

1pm FARMERS MARKET (Village Green) A variety of homemade goods and hand grown produce.

