

Rosslare Newsletter

Welcome to the December Edition of Rosslare Newsletter



2024 is coming to a close and on Friday 20th December the Centre will close for its customary two week break, allowing time for everyone to relax and recharge, spend some time with their families – and probably an hour or two with their friendly local bar staff. We look back on this year as being one of quiet and steady progress, the perfect antidote to the turmoil of the early 2020s.

That's not to say work has not been ongoing and plans are not being put in place; like the serene swan, we are always paddling furiously under the water to keep things looking smooth on the surface. Our construction continues, despite regular downpours and the occasional storm coming our way, and we look forward to rehousing our Community groups and our maintenance teams in 2025. We were thrilled to receive two major grant allocations in 2024; the Sports Capital Grant of €157,800 will be invested in the much needed refurbishment of our running track, and thanks to Wexford Council, a €33,000 Community Climate Action grant will fund the installation of solar panels, efficient solar lighting in our public areas and provision for the planting of more trees on our site. Any grant allocation we receive requires that we raise a percentage of the overall cost through our own efforts and we thank you for your support in our recent endeavours including SummerFest, the Christmas Market, our online auction, and most recently, our community raffle for a state of the art Ebike, the Winner of which will be announced on our socials this week!

We have also increased our efforts to adopt a greener approach to the Centre's day to day operations, introducing more sustainable products in our café and installing a Re-turn bin for recycling of cans and plastic bottles. Every little helps. On Friday afternoon, as we lock the doors, check the padlocks and switch off the office lights, the Centre becomes just another building of bricks and mortar. We look forward to seeing you all return in 2025 to breathe life, energy and laughter back into the fabric of that building – until then the Staff and Board at Rosslare Community & Sports Centre would like to wish you all a happy Christmas and a peaceful New Year with your friends and families.

Gift
Vouchers
Available

GIFT IDEA
2025
Family
Membership

XMAS
SWIM 25th
12pm



Keep in touch

To Contact Rosslare Community & Sports Centre
Tel 053 9132202 Email info@rosslarestrand.ie
Website www.rosslareholidayresort.ie

CHRISTMAS OPENING HOURS

New 2 U Charity Boutique - We will be closed from Friday 20th Dec at 12.30 and will re-open on Monday 6th January 2025. Thank you for your support during 2024

Rosslare Tea Room We will be closed from Thursday 19th Dec at 4pm and will re-open on Thursday 9th January 2025. We look forward to seeing you in 2025.

Centra Rosslare - Tel: 053-9173060. Christmas Eve 8 – 5pm. Christmas day – Closed. 26th Dec 10 – 3pm. 27th -31st Dec 8am-8pm. New Years Day – 10 – 3pm.

Boggan's Londis – Tel: 053-9132590 Seating area. Christmas Eve open 8am-6pm. Christmas Day 25th Dec Closed. 26th Dec Open 10am – 3pm. New Years Day 9am-9am for fuel, blocks & gas.

Rosslare Pharmacy - Tel: 053-9173414 Open 9-5 pm Christmas Eve. Closed 25th and 26th Dec. Open 9-6pm 27th Dec. Closed 29th Dec and 1st Jan otherwise normal opening 9am-6pm Mon to Fri. 5.30 closing on Saturdays Please note from 14th December the Pharmacy will close at 5.30pm on Saturdays.

Scoil Mhuire N.S, Rosslare - Closing Friday 20th December @ 12:30pm & Re-opening on Monday 6th January 2025

White House Montessori School - will be closing on Friday 20th December to Monday 6th January 2025. Call Deirdre on 053-9132635/0878268203

Lollitots 9132770 Closing Friday 20th December – re-opening Thursday 2nd Jan 2024

Men's Shed/Women's Shed. We will not be meeting while Community Centre is closed - 22nd Dec to 8th January 2024. Usual meetings will commence from then. For more info, contact Jim on 087 6815029 (Men) Gemma 085 1833251 (Women)

Coast Rosslare Tel: (053) 913 2010. Closed from 9pm on Saturday 22nd December – reopening 12noon on Friday 3rd January

Kelly's Resort Hotel - Tel: 053 9132114 www.kellys.ie Re-opens on 14th February 2025

Kelly's Deli Closed on Christmas Day. Opening hours may vary during the holiday period.

Rosslare Golf Club – Tel: 053-9132203- Closed Christmas Day only.

Redmond's The Bay Tel 087 9829350– Open everyday over the Christmas & New Year period, closed Christmas Day.

Sharkys – 053 9132382- Closed 24th, and 25th Open from 26th as normal. Mon to Thurs 3pm to 9pm. Fri 12pm to 10pm, New Years Eve/

Bai Li Chinese & Thai Takeaway - 053 917 3806 - Christmas Eve 4pm to 9pm, Christmas Day closed, St Stephens day 4pm to 10.30pm. Usual opening hours on all other days.

**Don't forget to
SHOP LOCAL
this Christmas**

LOCAL SERVICES

Grange Launderette Self Service (beside Londis).....	053 913 2590
Blondies Hair & Beauty.....	053 913 2865
★ Rosslare Pharmacy	053 917 3414
Sinnott Plumbing, Heating & Ventilation.....	087 1807 044
★ Strand Electrical Services (Darren).....	085 2309 231
Ger Thomas – Electrician.....	086 8299 967
Fran Kelly – General Maintenance.....	087 9405 233
Austin Codd Groundworks & Plant Hire.....	087 988 6353
Kirwan Maintenance & Construction.....	086 379 8823
Brady Builders.....	086 2368 975
Dave Brady - Garden Maintenance.....	086 232 6908
Taxi:ASAP Cabs.....	087 1322 264
Oz’s Taxi.....	087 1131 340
Peter Brady Cab Hire.....	086 236 8975
Nigel Kelly Driving Instructor.....	087 242 7823
Restaurants: Kelly’s Hotel.....	053 913 2668
Coast Hotel.....	053 913 2010
Wild and Native.....	053 913 2668
Sharky’s Fish & Chips.....	053 913 2382
Izmoo.....	053 913 2373
Kelly’s Deli.....	085 877 1339
The Trough.....	085 749 0957
Scúp.....	087 763 6855
Redmond's The Bay.....	087 982 9350
Rosslare Golf Club.....	053 913 2203
Bai Li Chinese.....	053 917 3806
Fr James.....	083 913 2118/ 087 815 2637
Samaritans.....	01 671 0071
Pieta House.....	053 9122 787
Childline.....	1800 666 666
CareDoc	1850 334 999
Fire Brigade.....	053 917 6585
Garda.....	053 916 5200
Rosslare Medical Centre.....	053 913 2800
Dr. Maeve Hogan: Tagoat Medical Centre.....	053 913 1154

Merry
Christmas
AND HAPPY NEW YEAR

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Rosslare Community & Sports Centre Membership Renewals Jan 2025

Why not treat your family or friends to a gift that gives all year long? Annual family membership gift vouchers can now be purchased for €160 at the Centre. Membership offers unlimited use of the tennis courts, subsidised padel fees, crazy golf courts, bowling green, playground and running track for the whole family. Vouchers are available for a variety of memberships including individuals/couples tennis, bowling and playground. Call us today on 9132202 for more information. We invest all of our income into the development of the Centre, constantly striving to enhance current facilities, introduce new experiences and provide a safe and comfortable environment for all our visitors.

Rosslare Tidy Towns are looking for volunteers. If you are free on some mornings and would like to help keep Rosslare looking beautiful contact Liz on 087 9244 780.

Rosslare Christmas Swim 25th December 12pm In aid of St Mary's Day Centre on Rosslare Strand beach. Call them on 053 913 2624. for sponsorship card or more info

We will close on Friday 20th December 2024 at 12:30pm and will reopen on Monday, 6th January 2025 at 9am.

We wish you and your families a wonderful Christmas and all the very best for 2025

LOCAL INFORMATION POST OFFICE DATES

Rosslare Post Office – Tel: 053-9132101

Don't miss out on posting your letters to your loved ones, here are the latest posting dates for you to ensure delivery before Christmas...

Ireland: Parcels 21st December Letters – 22nd December

Northern Ireland: Parcels 19th December Letters 19th December

Britain: Parcels & Letters – 18th December

Europe: Parcels - 12th December & Letters- 17th December

World: Parcels & Letters – 5th December



MASS TIMES

St. Brigid's Church, Rosslare Mass Times St. Marys Church, Tagoat Mass Times

Sunday 24th Dec/Christmas Eve – 5.00pm 24th Dec/Christmas Eve- 6.30pm

Monday 25th Dec/Christmas Day – 10am 25th Dec/Christmas Day – 11am

