

Wild Nephin National Park

COUNTY MAYO



Summer Events 2023

GUIDED NATURE WALKS | JULY & AUGUST

Wednesdays | Claggan Mountain Coastal Trail | Times*

*Times vary due to tides | Appropriate footwear & rainwear is essential



WILD CHILD CLUBS | JULY & AUGUST*

Tuesdays & Thursdays | Ballycroy Visitor Centre | 2.30pm

*Booking required to guarantee place. Full programme overleaf

POLLINATOR & WILDFLOWER WORKSHOP*

July 8th & August 12th | Ballycroy Visitor Centre | 12 noon

Learn about pollinator diversity & the wildflowers they feed on; how to identify & record them.

*Booking required to guarantee place. +16 years recommended

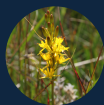


CELEBRATING INTERNATIONAL BOG DAY

July 22nd | Brilliance of our Bogs | Learn about the beautiful wildflowers and plants of our bogs | Drop in sessions

July 23rd* | Bog Walk with Wild Atlantic Nature | 9.30pm

*Strenuous walk & booking required as spaces are limited



RANGER LED HIKE FOR WORLD RANGER DAY*

Nephin Beg | July 30th | Full day hiking | *Booking essential as spaces limited. Strenuous walk and high level of fitness is essential.



HERITAGE WEEK | 12th - 20th AUGUST

*event times to be confirmed

Night Walk | Letterkeen | August 13th

Siúil Linn! | Siulóid ar Chosán Cósta Sliabh an Chloiginn | 16 Lúnasa

Ranger Led Hike | Jamsie's Well, Letterkeen | August 17th

Boxyt at the Bothy | Vary's Cottage, Letterkeen | August 18th

Pollinator Workshop | Ballycroy Visitor Centre | August 19th

MEADOW MAKING & SEED COLLECTING

August 26th & 27th | Ballycroy Visitor Centre | Drop In

Learn about the meadow and grassland management at the Visitor Centre. Find out about harvesting different types of seeds and how you can make your own meadow.

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WILD CHILD CLUBS

Tuesdays & Thursday | 4 July - 24 August | 2.30pm

Booking required to guarantee place

Venue: Ballycroy Visitor Centre*

July 2023

Tues 4th July

Myths and Legends of the Park

Thurs 6th July

Minibeast of the Meadow

Tues 11th July

Our Native Woodlands

Thurs 13th July

Animal Life in the National Park

Tues 18th July

Life in a Bog Pool

Thurs 20th July

Wildflowers of the Bog

Tues 25th July

Seashore Safari*

Thurs 27th July

Beneath the Bog*

*These two events will take place at Claggan Mountain Coastal Trail.
Times to be confirmed as access is dependent on tides.

August 2023

Tues 1st August

Butterflies & Moths

Thurs 3rd August

Tracks & Signs

Tues 8th August

Myths and Legends of the Park

Thurs 10th August

Half the Park is After Dark!

Tues 15th August

Life in a Bog Pool

Thurs 17th August

Our Blanket Bogs

Tues 22nd August

Wildflower Pressing

Thurs 24th August

Wildflowers and their Seeds

AUTUMN PROGRAMME 2023

More details to follow, see www.wildnephinnationalpark.ie for updates



Culture Night - September 22nd

Event at Ballycroy Visitor Centre - details to be confirmed



Space Week October 4th-10th

Stargazing and dark sky themed events



Halloween Mid-Term Break from October 28th

Guided walks including night-time safaris and Wild Child Clubs



Mayo Dark Sky Festival November 3th-5th

See www.mayodarkskyfestival.ie and www.mayodarkskypark.ie



Mayo Dark Sky Park

Weekly dark sky walks from Nov. - see www.mayodarkskypark.ie

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