

FESTIVAL OF FERNS

Programme of Events 2024

Sunday, June 2nd

All events
are free of
charge!

Time	Event	Location
11am - 12pm	Guided walking tour of Ferns in Japanese with Mika Yakushiji	Meet at entrance to Cathedral graveyard, Eircode: Y21 E176
12pm - 1pm	Guided walking tour of Ferns in French with Rom Bates	Meet at entrance to Cathedral graveyard, Eircode: Y21 E176
12pm - 1pm	Talk & Display on Bees with Joe Kelly	Meet at entrance to Cathedral graveyard, Eircode: Y21 E176
2pm - 6pm	Fuinseog Woodland Craft: Bemusement Games for Kids	Ferns Community Park (behind Ferns Community Centre)
2pm - 6pm	Setanta Challenge: Test your skills	Ferns Community Park (behind Ferns Community Centre)
2pm - 6pm	Medieval Stocks: have fun trying out this medieval form of punishment	Ferns Community Park (behind Ferns Community Centre)
2pm - 6pm	Norman & Gaelic Names Exhibition; project by both local schools	Scoil Naomh Maodhóg
2pm - 6pm	Busking Competition; registration required. Email festivaloffers@gmail.com	Various locations
7pm - 8pm	Celtic Jazz Concert; Premiere of 'Marriage of Two Cultures'	Outdoor stage on grounds of Ferns Castle
3.30pm onwards	Live music in local pubs	Dunbars of Ferns, The Thatch, Doyle's Bar, The Courtyard

Monday, June 3rd

Time	Event	Location
12 noon	Community Parade	Meet at St. Edan's Cathedral
12.45pm - 4pm	Post Parade events: Face Painting; Reenactment; Inauguration of King of Leinster; Contemporary Dance; Chord On Blues Choir, Ragdoll—Wexford music duo	Grounds of Ferns Castle
3pm - 4pm	Guided walking tour in Irish with Bríd Ní Néill	Meet at entrance to Cathedral graveyard Y21 E176
4.15pm - 4.45pm	Tour of Ferns Tapestries by Ferns Tapestry Group	Ferns Castle Visitor Centre
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5pm	Rebel Tour of Ferns with Barry Lacey	Meet at entrance to Cathedral graveyard Y21 E176
5.30pm	Guided Walking Tour in English by Catherine MacPartlin	Meet at entrance to Cathedral graveyard Y21 E176