



The 2013 Gathering is fully supported by Fáilte Ireland and Tourism Ireland. Irish Community Groups at home and abroad are encouraged to create local gatherings and invite as many family and friends from abroad to come and visit Ireland during 2013. Gatherings are organised by individuals, families and community groups across the country.

Coiste Cultúr Teanga & Forbartha Thuar Mhic Éadaigh held a meeting before Christmas to discuss the possibilities of organising a Gathering in Thuar Mhic Éadaigh. As a result of this meeting it was decided to extend a Céad Míle Fáilte to all of the past pupils and teachers of the local national and secondary schools in the area and promote the Gaeltacht as a destination for cultural tourism and the Irish Language. It will be a great opportunity to attract people living abroad and people from other parts of Ireland to the Gaeltacht as part of the Gathering Ireland 2013.

Further meetings took place to decide a suitable date and put a calendar of events together. We then applied for funding to Údarás na Gaeltachta and Mayo County Council. We are very grateful to them both for their support to us in organising the weekend. We welcome all visitors from near and afar to Thuar Mhic Éadaigh for the weekend and we hope they will have pleasant memories of their visit with us.

The plan for the Thuar Mhic Éadaigh Gathering is as follows.

Clár Imeachtaí/Calendar of Events

Dé hAoine 31ú Bealtaine: Siúlóid Tríd Gairdiní Drimbaun @ 2.00 i.n.

Friday 31st May:

Walk through Drimbawn Gardens @ 2 pm

7.30 i.n. Dinnéar, Ceol, Damhsa le Beár

7.30 p.m. Dinner with live Music and full Bar

Special Guests Dancers from Atlantic Rythm Productions



Dé Sathairn 1ú Meitheamh: 11.00 r.n. Cuairt ar Scoileanna an cheantar

Saturday 1st June:

11.00 a.m. Tour & Visit of Schools

1.00 p.m. Refreshments at Halla Pobail

2.00 p.m. Drive to remainder of Schools

4.00 p.m. Sheep Dog Demonstrations at

Shanafarghaun

10.00 i.n. Ceol & Sólaistí Tí Mháire Luke



Dé Domhnaigh 2ú Meitheamh: 11.30 r.n.: Aifreann /Mass ag Séipéal Muire

Sunday 2nd June:

Lá Oscailte & Taispeántais 2-6 i.n.

Open Day & Demonstrations

Carding/Spinning/Knitting/Crochet

Patchwork/Woodturning

Buttermaking/Brown Bread Demonstration

Sale of Local Produce

Bouncing Castle

Barbeque



During your stay in Tuar Mhic Éadaigh, there are many activities you can do in the area.

▫ Dreapadóireacht/Hill Walking



▫ Iascaireacht/Fishing

▫ Rothaíocht/Cycling



▫ Marcach Capaill/ Horse Riding

Tóg do scíth agus bain taitneamh as na radhcanna álainn atá le feiceáil san cheantar. Tá ceithre teach tábhairne ann, The Lough Mask Inn, Tí Tuathail, Tí Phaidí agus Tí Mháire Luke, cuirtear *Céad Míle Fáilte* romhat agus castar na daoine áitiúil ort. Cuireann Tí Phaidí agus Tí Máire Luke bia ar fáil freisin.

If you prefer just relax and enjoy the stunning scenery and countryside around you. There are 4 pubs in the area – The Lough Mask Inn, O’Toole’s, Paddy’s and Maire Luke’s, where you will get a great welcome and enjoy the craic with the locals. Paddy’s and Maire Luke’s also serve food.

Further information regarding our Gathering festival can be found on our website www.tourmakeady.com www.thegatheringireland.com discoverireland.ie or Mayo.ie

We can be contacted by phone on 094-9544295, email at eolas@tourmakeady.com or on Facebook.

Buíochas mór do phríomh urraithe na féile Údarás na Gaeltachta agus Co Contae Mhaigh Eo



Céad Míle Fáilte go Tuar Mhic Éadaigh do Imeachtaí Tóstal 2013

31ú Bealtaine-2ú Meitheamh
31st May-2nd June



Deire Seachtaine Ceol, Damhsa,
Craic, Ceardlann, Siúlóidí, Turas
agus Spraioi do chuile aois ghrúpa
ar bhruach Loch Measca i
nGaeltacht Mhaigh Eo.