## **Community & Voluntary Supports**

#### **Men's Group Supports**

Would you like to join a men's group? We can link you with one of over 20 men's groups in Co. Wexford! Do you & your mates want to have a more regular gettogether? We can guide you!

Existing men's groups can access training, advice, funding, referrals & events to link you with other men's groups.

**October:** First Aid 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> October; Excursion to national projects (Details TBC) Committee Skills TBA

Adrienne Redmond 087 2237616 or Sue McMahon 053 9155843

#### **Rural Roadrunner**

Bus routes from: Taghmon, Carne, Crossabeg, Bridgetown, Rosslare and Castlebridge all into Wexford. The routes include many other places too!

Contact Mary or Margaret on 053 9155800 for more information

#### **LGBT**

Awareness-raising with groups working with older people in November

Contact: Adrienne Redmond 087 2237616 or Sue McMahon 053 9155843

#### **County Wexford Age Equality Network**

Full meeting, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, Riverside Park Hotel Enniscorthy, 2pm – 4.30pm. For Older People's organisations county-wide. Guest speakers **Contact Marie Louise Byrne – 053 9155864 or 087 1400 544** 

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# Wexford Traveller Community Health Programme

Traveller Women's Groups take place in Taghmon and Coolcotts. We provide outreach and 1–1 support to Traveller families.

Contact: Valerie O'Flaherty on 053-9155864 or 087-6525159 voflaherty@wld.ie

#### Youth Groups in Taghmon

Traveller Girl's Group meets Monday. Taghmon Youth Group meets Tuesday. Traveller Boys Youth Group meets Wednesday. Supervision provided in Senior Afterschools. **Contact: Valerie O'Flaherty on 053-9155864 or 087-6525159. voflaherty@wld.ie** 

#### **Health Promotion**

The Irish Cancer Society are delivering a Community Health Education Programme to Community groups. This involves a talk and a follow-up visit. October to December.

Contact Sue McMahon @ 053 9155843

#### **Kick Start 2**

A two day Coaching Skills Programme for young people (under 25). FAI accredited. Follow-on from Kick Start 1.November in Enniscorthy. To secure a place please contact Fran Ryan 053 9155800 or fryan@wld.ie

#### Cornmarket

Providing a one to one addiction counselling service in Wexford. **Contact 053 9144931** 



# Forbairt Áitiúil Loch Garman

# Wexford Area Services

Including Taghmon, Curracloe, Castlebridge, Lady's Island, Rosslare, Kilmore, Bridgetown Tagoat

October—December 2013

# **Enterprise**

#### **Back to Work Enterprise Allowance**

Two-day Business Workshop for those interested in moving from welfare to self-employment. They form the application process for the Back to Work Enterprise Allowance and Short Term Enterprise Allowance. They will take place at WLD, Spawell Road throughout Oct, Nov and Dec. Contact: Julie Fox 053 9155800

## **Business Skills Training**

Workshops will take place in the autumn for people who are about to or have recently started their own business. Registrations are now being taken.
Contact **Annette/ Tracy 053 9155800** 

# **Education & Lifelong Learning**

#### Young Women's Programme

Designed for women 18 – 25 years who are in receipt of a social welfare payment. Recruiting now for:

- Level 5 Manicure Pedicure & Waxing
- ♦ Beauty Therapy and Communications Contact Orlaith 053-9155828 / 087-1310805

## **Rural Development**

# National Rural Development Programme (NRDP)

WLD has now allocated its entire project budget for the current NRDP. We wish to continue to help promoters plan for the future and our Project Officers are available to discuss your project, and provide practical help and guidance. For further information on the NRDP check out our website or

contact: Eileen Dake 053 9155812 edake@wld.ie

# **Employment & Training**

#### **Local Employment Service (LES)**

Offers a range of free services to individuals wishing to enter or return to the workforce including one-to-one guidance and support, and a personal career planning service.

Contact: Betty Murphy 053 9155800

#### **Labour Market Training**

Thermal installation/Insulation FETAC level5
Start: 5<sup>th</sup> September 1 day per week for 7 weeks
Venue: Enniscorthy Energy Centre – Transport provided
Contact: **Betty Murphy 053 9155800** 

## **Tús Programme**

The Tús initiative is a community work placement scheme providing short-term work placements for unemployed people. Any local community or voluntary group who may be interested in providing a participant with a one year work placement can submit an application to WLD. For further information and an application form Contact: Aodhan Power 087 7830520 or Vincent Kennedy 083 3918794

#### The Little Jobs Service

This aims to provide small maintenance jobs in the homes of older people throughout the county of Wexford. For more information contact: **087 2499699** 

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# **Employment & Training**Rural Social Scheme (RSS)

RSS provides income support for farmers and fisherpersons who are in receipt of specified payments from the Department of Social Protection. For further information contact:

Eileen Furlong 087 6685290 efurlong@wld.ie

#### The WARM Project

Attic and cavity wall insulation, draught proofing and other energy saving measures delivered free of charge to those who own their homes, constructed before 2006 and are in receipt of either

Fuel Allowance, Family Income Supplement or Job Seekers Allowance for over 6 months with a dependent child under7 years. Contact **Noel Ryan @ 053 9160752** 

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#### **New Youth Network**

Are you aged between 18 and 25? Are you or have you recently been unemployed?

Co. Wexford has the third highest rate of youth unemployment in Ireland. Young people need to have their say on this. WLD is running a series of ten workshops commencing Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> of September in Enniscorthy for young people from across the county.

You will be part of a new network which will advocate for a better future for young people in Wexford and learn how to make your voices heard to decision makers and through the media.

Places are limited so please contact **Siobhán O'Brien** at **053 9155800 or sobrien@wld.ie** to find out how to get involved.