

Useful Info

Where to buy tickets

Tickets for Red Hurley: O'Meara's totalhealth Pharmacy (061 921 028) or Rodgers Off-Licence (061 921 012) or online at www.scariffharbourfestival.ie or www.glor.ie.

Festival wristbands

Scariff Harbour Festival wristbands will be on sale throughout the weekend at a one-off cost of €5. The wristband is required for access to all events and activities over the weekend, with the exception of the Red Hurley concert (tickets €20) and Holy Island Boat Trips (discounted price with festival wristband). This year there will be a limited edition gold wristband on sale for €10. Purchase of a gold wristband will enter you into a draw for a two-night luxury weekend break courtesy of The Armada Hotel, Spanish Point.

Where to stay

Clareville House, Tuamgraney, B & B, All rooms ensuite – (061) 922 925
Hawthorn Lodge B&B, Mountshannon, All rooms ensuite – (061) 927 120
Laccaroe House, Feakle, B & B, All rooms ensuite – (061) 924 150 karenbreen1966@yahoo.ie
Lakeside Holiday Park, Mountshannon – (061) 927 225 www.lakesideireland.com
Loughnane's Hostel and Accommodation, Feakle – (061) 924 200
Piper's Inn Campsite, Ballyheefy, Ogonnelloe, Killaloe – (061) 374 717
Riverbank Cottages, Scariff – (061) 921 354 / (087) 754 7117
Sunrise B&B, Mountshannon, overlooking Lough Derg – (061) 927 343 www.sunrisebandb.com

Where to eat out

Goosers Bar & Restaurant, Ballina, Killaloe - (061) 376 791
The BoatHouse Restaurant, AnnaCarriga, Killaloe – (061) 376 777
Home Café, Scariff – (061) 921 004
Mayflower Chinese Restaurant, Scariff – (061) 921 283 or (089) 250 2365
McNamara's Bar & Restaurant, Scariff – (061) 921 020
Niland's 24/7, Tuamgraney – (061) 640 916
Nuala's Bar & Restaurant, Tuamgraney – (061) 921 249
The Piper's Inn, Ballyheefy, Ogonnelloe, Killaloe – (061) 374 717
Spice of Life Takeaway, Scariff – (061) 640 903
Supermac's, Scariff – Call & collect (061) 640 672

Pub entertainment

There will be live music and entertainment throughout the weekend in the following pubs: Johnny's Bar, The Lough Inn, McNamara's Bar, Rodgers Bar, and Ryan's Bar. Please give them your full support.

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Noel McNamara – 087 225 4325
Minogue's Mini Bus & Cab Hire – 087 931 44 00

Emergencies

ShannonDoc – 1850 212 999
Pharmacy – (061) 921 028

Garda (police)

Scariff – (061) 921 002; Killaloe – (061) 376 242

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3rd — 6th August 2017

Thursday 3 August

8.00 pm
Sacred Heart

An Evening with Red Hurley
Brian "Red" Hurley is an Irish singer whose career has spanned several decades. Principally known as a solo artist, he has performed with various bands, including The Nevada, with whom he enjoyed several number one records in the 1970s. In 1976 he represented Ire-land at the Eurovision Song Contest. A unique opportunity to hear one of Ireland’s great-est voices in the intimate surroundings of the Sacred Heart Church. Tickets €20. Limited spaces, early booking advised. See Useful Info for details.

Friday 4 August

6.00 pm
Scariff Harbour

Festival Opening Ceremony in association with Waterways Ireland
Official opening by Michael Harding, author, playwright and columnist, best known for his memoir, *Staring at Lakes and Hanging with the Elephant*. A former priest, teacher and prison social worker, he is a border man, originally from Cavan, served in Fermanagh dur-ing the Troubles in Northern Ireland and currently lives in Leitrim. 10th Clare Scout Troop with displays and activities and scouting games for kids. Introduction to the Queen of the Waterways Contestants and the Scarlett Princess visitors from the UK.

8.00 pm
Fair Green

Dry Roasted Peanuts
Up and coming artists, guitarist Robert McDonnell and bass player/vocalist Marc Ó Cear-naigh recently won the UCC Battle of the Bands. Hailing from Ennis, they name Joy Division and New Order among their wide range of influences. *Festival wristband required.*

9.30 pm
Fair Green

Little Hours
Donegal duo, John Doherty (piano/lead vocals) and Ryan McCloskey (lead guitar/backing vocals) have had a meteoric rise since their debut single It’s Still Love, nominated for Irish song of the year at the Meteor Choice Awards in 2014. Having signed a major record deal in 2015 with RCA, Little Hours have been busy recording and touring, and their single Water has earned them a huge following across Ireland and Britain. *Festival wristband required.*

Saturday 5 August

10.00 am
Tuamgraney

Connecting with Nature and History – Tree Walk and Talk
Native woodland specialist Andrew St Ledger leads an informative walk through the private Raheen Wood estate, where he will talk about the rich Gaelic forest culture of the past and demonstrate ways to connect with nature today. Approx. 2 hours; walking shoes/boots and raingear advised. *Festival wristband required.*

10 am–12.00 pm
Riverside Park

Fishing for Kids
Children (7–12 years only) are introduced to fishing in a friendly and safe environ-ment. Prior booking necessary at O'Meara's totalhealth Pharmacy, Scariff (061 921 028). Numbers limited to 20 children. *Festival wristband required.*

10 am–1.00 pm
Derg Isle

Derg Isle Fishing Rodeo
Catch ‘em, Clean ‘em and Cook ‘em. Come out and have some fun at Derg Isle Adventure Centre. The holding pond is well stocked with trout waiting to be caught. Fly fishing lessons from the experts and a guaranteed catch await all entries, with prizes for largest fish, longest fish for both girls’ and boys’ categories across several age groups. Bring your own rod and fly or there will be ones available to use. Tour beautiful Lough Derg on our High Speed Racing Rib – free but limited space – leaving every 30 minutes from the dock side at Derg Isle. Space is limited so sign up soon at Derg Isle 087 1254365 *Festival wristband required.*

10 am–5.00 pm
Scariff Harbour

Waterways Ireland Boat Tours
Hourly tours by waterbus of the Scariff River and Lough Derg (departures on the hour; last boat leaves 5 pm). Trips offered free of charge courtesy of Waterways Ireland. *Festival wristband required.*

11 am–12.30 pm
Scariff Rugby Club

A Game of 3 Halves
Developed in Northern Ireland as a means to bring young people from different com-munities together through sport, A Game of 3 Halves combines hurling, rugby and soc-ker. Local U-11 clubs will participate under the guidance of experienced coaches. Visitors welcome to join in. Refreshments available. *Festival wristband required.*

12.00–6.00 pm
Fair Green

Street Arts and Crafts Fair
Craft workers, artists, organic growers and food stalls display their wares in this open-air street market.

12.00–6.00 pm
Fair Green

Traditional Skills Workshops
Watch and take part in displays of traditional skills run by experienced tutors: Copper Leaves, Wooden Rustic Faces, Corn Dollies and Harvest Favours. *Festival wristband required.*

2.00–3.00 pm
Community Co-Op

Guided Foraging for Edible Flowers, Herbs and Assorted Salads
This lunchtime event welcomes families for a guided walk through the Community Gardens at the East Clare Community Co-Op to gather ingredients to be prepared and served *al fres-co* with fresh baked pizza from our traditional wood fired oven. *Festival wristband required.*

2.00–5.00 pm
Mountshannon

Boat Trip and Guided Tour of Holy Island (Inis Cealtra)
Gerard Madden, local historian and author of the histories of Holy Island, Scariff, Mount-shannon and Tuamgraney, offers boat trips to and guided tours of Holy Island from Mountshannon Pier. Trips on the hour; €12 per person (€10 with festival wristband).

2.00–5.00 pm
Scariff Harbour

Discover Kayak Touring
A leisurely introduction to kayaking while exploring the river from a rarely seen vantage point. Suitable for complete beginners (from 10 years of age). Trips on the half hour will be led by expert guides and all equipment is provided. Prebooking required at O'Meara's totalhealth Pharmacy (061 921028). Limited numbers. *Festival wristband required.*

2.00–5.00 pm
GAA Park

Kids Fun Zone
A safe and fun-filled afternoon for kids at Scariff GAA Club with lots of activities and games, including minesweeper, slides, mega arenas of fun and obstacle course. Suitable for chil-dren under 10 years, who must be accompanied by an adult. *Festival wristband required.*

2.30–4.00 pm
Scariff Library

In Conversation with Michael Harding
In addition to four critically acclaimed novels, Michael Harding has written 19 plays, which have been performed at the Abbey and Peacock Theatres and at the Dublin Fringe Festival. He also played the Bull McCabe in the 50th Anniversary production of John B. Keane’s *The Field* in 2015. He will read from his works and engage with the audience. *Festival wristband required.*

5.30–7.30 pm
Scariff Harbour

Trad at the Harbour
Trad session with Liam O'Brien, winner of TG4's Young Musician of The Year 2017, re-nowned fiddle player and singer Eileen O'Brien from North Tipperary and locals includ-ing Seamus Bugler, Rachel Grogan, Mark Donnellan, Andrew McNamara, Lizzie Affloter and stepdancer Ellie Sweeney. Presentation of SCT Music Certificates by Clare Comhaltas chairman, Joe Arkins. *Festival wristband required.*

8.00 pm
Fair Green

Out The Gap
Out The Gap comprises five young musicians who have come together while playing music in Cnoc na Gaoithe Comhaltas Cultural Centre in Tulla, Co. Clare. Coming from Counties Clare and Tipperary and recently returned from Chicago, the group combines many different influ-ences and plays traditional Irish music for sheer pleasure. *Festival wristband required.*

9.30 pm
Fair Green

Delorentos
Since 2007 Dublin-based Delorentos have released three critically acclaimed albums and been nominated for several prestigious awards. As well as their recording success, Delorentos have always been a touring band and play extensively in Ireland, as well as in the UK, Europe and North America. *Festival wristband required.*

Sunday 6 August

10am–12.00pm
Riverside Park

11.00 am
Market House

Fishing for Kids
As on Saturday. *Festival wristband required.*

12.00 pm
Cappabane

Scenic Walk in association with East Clare Way and East Clare Walking Club
Guided two-hour walk on the East Clare Way. Choice of two loops (4.5 miles and 10 miles) Registration from 10 am. *Festival wristband required.*

12.00–6.00 pm
Fair Green

Outdoor Mass at Mass Rock
Festival mass at the historic site where mass was celebrated in secret during the period of repression of Catholic worship in the 17th century. All welcome. Weather dependent.

12.00–3.00 pm
Fair Green

Street Arts and Crafts Fair
As on Saturday.

1.00–6.00 pm
Riverside Park

Busking Competition
Open to all. Cash prizes. Register at Information Desk. *Festival wristband required.*

2.00–4.00 pm
Fair Green

Riverside Park Adventures with Get West
An afternoon of fun and adventure, featuring: Mobile Mountain Bike Course, Archery Tag, Ireland’s Tallest Climbing Wall, Hoverball Archery, Footdarts, Water Walking Zorbs, Stand Up Paddle Boarding, Kayaking and an Obstacle Course. *Festival wristband required.*

2.00 & 4.00 pm
Fair Green

Children’s Art Workshop with Roisin Bent
Join in a fun workshop for kids in the art of needle felting. *Festival wristband required.*

2.00–5.00 pm
Mountshannon

Around the Clock with Circus Outside the Box
A new family aerial show introduces grandmother Yana, a life-sized puppet who has es-caped the retirement home to embark on a new life, touring with the circus. Two shows of 50 minutes each. *Festival wristband required.*

3.00–5.00 pm
Fair Green/Community Co-Op

Boat Trip and Guided Tour of Holy Island (Inis Cealtra)
As on Saturday.

5.00 pm
Fair Green

The Happy Pear on The Square and Cothú Cookery School
Join twins David and Stephen Flynn from The Happy Pear for an inspirational and entertaining cooking demonstration. Followed at 4.00 pm by the launch of Cothú Cookery School at the East Clare Community Co-op, again with the Happy Pear duo cook-ing up a storm. *Festival wristband required.*

5.30 pm
Fair Green

Irish Dancing
Pupils of the Anne Burke School of Irish Dancing perform. *Festival wristband required.*

6.30 pm
Fair Green

Scarlett Princess Showtime
Tune your voices, put on your dancing shoes and get ready to greet the fabulous 'Ice Sisters' and their princess friends in this all singing, all dancing Showtime Spectacular. Scarlett Princess Parties FaceBook. *Festival wristband required.*

8.00 pm
Fair Green

Queen of the Waterways Finale
Contestants in the fifth Queen of the Waterways grace the main stage, where former TV personality Ciana Campbell will introduce and interview them. *Festival wristband required.*

9.30 pm
Fair Green

The Kilkennys
A traditional Irish folk and ballad band, The Kilkennys are noted for their dynamic arrange-ments, energetic performances and charismatic rapport with audiences across the globe. *Festival wristband required.*

The Tulla Céilí Band
Having celebrated their 70th anniversary in 2016, this renowned céilí band continues to thrill with a passion and virtuosity that shines through their unique style and sound. Set dancers of all levels can take to the floor. *Festival wristband required.*