

## **Wexford CYPSC Newsletter**

**April 21st 2023** 

For information on services and supports for children, young people and families see <a href="www.wexfordcypsc.ie">www.wexfordcypsc.ie</a>.

For information on supports for parents, see **Wexford Parents Hub** at <a href="https://www.wexfordcypsc.ie/wexford-parents-hub">www.wexfordcypsc.ie/wexford-parents-hub</a> and on Facebook at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/wexfordparentshub/">www.facebook.com/wexfordparentshub/</a>.

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### **CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE**

## → Get SunSmart! Children's Art Competition



The HSE's NCCP in collaboration with Healthy Ireland have launched of the Get SunSmart! Children's Art Competition. The competition is open to all primary school children and depending on their age category, are invited to complete the SunSmart colouring sheets or draw their own picture showing how to be SunSmart. Get Sun Smart Poster, access <a href="here">here</a>

There are three age categories with a prize for the winner in each category. The three age categories are:

- Junior infants to 1st class,
- 2nd to 4th class,
- 5th and 6th class.

The competition is designed to help educate young people about the importance of protecting your skin while enjoying time outdoors. Children and young people are particularly vulnerable to the damaging effects of the sun's ultraviolet (UV) rays. The competition runs until 17.00 on 31 May, 2023.

For details of the competition rules as well as instructions on how to enter, see the competition webpage at <a href="https://www.gov.ie/getsunsmart">www.gov.ie/getsunsmart</a>

# AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH APRIL 2023



MARIE BYRNE AUTISM EDUCATION CONSULTANT

MONDAY 24TH APRIL
AUTISM SUPPORTS AND INFORMATION TALK
7:00PM-9:00PM
ALL PARENTS WELCOME!
BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL
PLEASE CALL:
051 389 418

ANY QUESTIONS? CALL SINEAD: 087 3605595

## **PUBLIC CONSULTATIONS / INFO EVENTS**

## → AdVIC Information Event – Whites Hotel



We would like to invite you to a very important event, please share this invite to all of your staff, volunteers or anybody you think would benefit from the information below.

AdVIC, an organisation that advocates for victims of homicide, is holding an information events for frontline workers and service providers in Wexford and surrounding areas. The purpose of this events is to increase awareness about the effects of grief that occur after homicide or fatal assault, as well as to provide information on how to direct individuals to AdVIC for various bereavement support services following a homicide.

#### Who should attend?

If you work in any way with the public this event will be of benefit to you.

#### Why should you attend the event?

The event will provide information about grief and loss following the unlawful killing of a loved one and the range of bereavement supports available from AdVIC.

Although this is a free event **BOOKING** is required.

Please circulate the attached **event flyer** to your staff, volunteers and colleagues.

#### **Event details**

Venue: Clayton Whites Hotel Date: Monday, April 24th

Time: 7pm - 8:30pm

Cost: Free

Should you have any queries or to confirm your attendance at this event, please email <a href="mailto:Counselling@advic.ie">Counselling@advic.ie</a>

Best wishes

Marie Percival, Service Director

### → LEADER Consultations

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As you may be aware, a new LEADER Programme will commence in late 2023 and operate until 2027. For this period, County Wexford has been allocated €7.3 million. In order to secure this funding allocation, WLD with the cooperation of Wexford County Council & Wexford LCDC must now prepare a robust, high quality and representative strategic plan outlining how the money can best be used for sustainable development in the county.

WLD are now commencing a wide-ranging consultation process with the business and community & voluntary sectors. This will ensure that the delivery of the next LEADER programme reflects the current and anticipated developmental needs of the county. With that in mind, the LEADER Team at WLD would be delighted to see you at one of our public consultation meetings being held throughout the county during the next two weeks.

All meetings are from 7pm to 9pm with light refreshments available from 6.30pm.

- Brandon House Hotel, New Ross Wednesday 19th April
- Coast Hotel, Rosslare Strand Thursday 20th April
- Ferrycarrig Hotel, Wexford Monday 24th April
- Ashdown Park Hotel, Gorey Wednesday 26th April
- Riverside Park Hotel, Enniscorthy Thursday 27th April

We would also like you to complete one of our short surveys. There are two surveys – one for the business & social enterprise sector and one for the community & voluntary sector.

- LEADER 2023-27 Enterprise & Social Enterprise Survey (surveymonkey.com)
- <u>LEADER 2023-27 Community Survey (surveymonkey.com)</u>

If you wish, you are also welcome to send a written submission to me by email on or before 12th May 2023. All details available at <a href="https://www.wld.ie/leader">www.wld.ie/leader</a>
Kind regards,

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## **TRAINING & WEBINARS**

## → "Healthy Food Made Easy" Tutor Training



24th & 25th April, 9.15am -4.30pm: Waterford Teachers Education Centre

Health Promotion Division are seeking Tutors to deliver "Healthy Food Made Easy (HFME)" courses in the South East (CHO5).

HFME is a six week nutrition education and cooking programme which provides practical information on healthy eating and improves cooking skills by showing participants ways to provide healthy, nutritious, low cost meals and snacks.

The Tutor Training is 2 days in Waterford which aims to provide an overview of the HFME Programme and includes facilitations skills and practical information on the delivery of the programme. A HFME resource pack will be provided to all participants on completion of the training.

To apply complete application form and return to <a href="mailto:southeastHFME@hse.ie">southeastHFME@hse.ie</a>

Closing date for applications: Thursday 20th April

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## → LGB Awareness Training takes places as detailed below with limited spaces available

Type of Training: VIRTUAL PLATFORMS

Title of training module: <u>LGB VIRTUAL AWARENESS TRAINING</u>

When – Date & Time: Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 - 10am to 1 pm

How to attend/register –link Email: <a href="mailto:emma.whitty@fdys.ie">emma.whitty@fdys.ie</a>

- where to find on HSELanD:

#### Information about the event:

South East Community Healthcare's LGBT+ Health Steering Group's Model of LGB Awareness Training is now available for delivery over a three hour on a virtual platform.

The training aims to enhance the development of a welcoming and supportive environment to both employees and service users who identify as LGB+.

There is no fee to take part in the training. Certification of Attendance, LGBT+ Awareness Card and LGBT+ Sticker are provided on completion for display within services.

On completion of this training, participants will be offered an opportunity to train as a Trainer where you will be provided with the tools and knowledge to deliver LGB Awareness Training within your service area.

# → Online Recruitment Event - MSocSc Community Work and Youth Work - Monday, 24th April, 6.30-8pm

We are holding an online recruitment event for the Master of Social Science Community Work and Youth Work next Monday from 6.30-8pm. Flyer attached with the link and more info.

We believe hearing from past and current students and employers, in a participative session, is a much more powerful way to communicate the value base of the Department, the pedagogy that students learn through, the capacity to impact on social change and the fun and creativity that is part and parcel of the programme. No website or flyer can do that!

As always, word of mouth and nudges of encouragement really help to get people there.

We would appreciate if you can forward to your network, share on social media and if you think there is someone who needs to get their professional qualification and do this Masters then please encourage them to join us. There will be plenty of space for Q&A as part of the session.

The link for joining on Teams is here: https://bit.ly/40WThu7

To access the recruitments poster, click <u>here</u>.

## → Gorey Family Resource Centre has moved location





Gorey Family Resource Centre (FRC) has now relocated to 1&2 Mc Dermott Street, Gorey