

Lets Talk Science Family Fun Day 2015

Ballymun Civic Centre & Plaza
Axis: Ballymun
May 23rd - 10am to 5pm

Exhibitions and Stands, Guided walks



Free interactive workshops, Demonstrations, Talks



Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths

Ballymun's
1st ever
Science
Festival!

Take a look!
Tonnes of fun
inside.

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2015 Lets Talk Science Festival Programme

Thursday 21st May

Secondary school workshops on
Timber Tech, The Evolution of
Revolution and Biomimicry
(Fully Booked)

Friday 22nd May

Primary school workshops on science
& engineering.
(Fully Booked)

Saturday 23rd May (10am - 5pm)

Family Fun Day at Ballymun Plaza,
Axis and Civic Centre. Games, Demos,
Workshops & loads of fun.
(Free for all the family)

Sunday 24th May (11am - 2pm)

Family day. Free activities and
workshops for all the family in Virgin
Mary Community Garden, Ballymun.
(Free for all the family)

Sat May 23rd - Ballymun Civic Centre

Times	Title	Information
All Day	Alimentary Adventures with APC	See, hear & feel what happens to your food in our huge inflatable, interactive, human digestive system tunnel!
All Day	Biodiversity with Presentation Ecology	Join us for fun & games with Animal Guess Who or Make Your Own Food Chain.
All Day	SEEDBOMBS with Bolt Sustainability	Learn all about bees, flowers and all things nature! Make your own SEEDBOMB!
All Day	WACKY SCIENCE with SEAI	What happens when you mix acid with other stuff? Can you make a battery out of a lemon?
All Day	Scientific Threads Fashion Showcase with Rediscover Fashion	Check out Rediscover Fashion's new collection designed for the festival and inspired by science.

Where does food go when you eat it?

*Bubbles!
Explosions!
Seedbombs?*

Sat May 23rd - Axis: Ballymun

Times	Title	Information
1pm & 3pm	Climate Change Music Workshop	Join Enda to learn about climate change and have some fun with music.
All Day	KIDWIND Energy Workshop	Build your own wind turbine. Test it in our challenge to try win the prize!
All Day	MAKEY MAKEY Craft Workshop with ReCreate	Reuse & Create using our warehouse of wonders . Play a game of PACMAN using Bananas or play PIANO using spanners!
All Day	Fabulous Fashion with Rediscover Fashion	Make a dolls outfit or help us make a giant quilt using upcycled material.

Sat May 23rd - Ballymun Plaza

Times	Title	Information
All Day	Me, Myself & I <i>with</i> Global Action Plan	Test your ninja skills and get your fingerprints taken CSI style!
All Day	The Natural World <i>with</i> Global Action Plan	Hop on over to our nature table to explore all about Animals, Birds, Bugs & Plants. Test your skill in our Nature Jenga Game .
All Day	Sensational Science <i>with</i> Global Action Plan	Join the MAD SCIENTIST for hands on science experiments & explosions
All Day	Exciting Engineering <i>with</i> Rediscovery Centre	Make huge bubbles . Build the tallest tower or widest bridge . Test your marshmallow house in a jelly earthquake .
All Day	Energy & Forces <i>with</i> Rediscovery Centre	Get electric with your own circuits. Make your own parachute . Learn about floating and sinking .

Sun May 24th - Virgin Mary Community Garden

Times	Title	Information
12pm & 1pm	Community Garden Tour with Global Action Plan	Join us to learn about why you should compost and how to do it at home & how to enhance bio-diversity in the garden
12pm & 1pm	Mini Beast Hunt with Rediscovery Centre	Lets hunt for bugs & insects and learn about all things creepy crawly .

Lets Talk Science Festival - 2015

Lets Talk Science is Ballymun's first ever science festival. The festival is organised and delivered by the Rediscovery Centre and Global Action Plan with support from Science Foundation Ireland and in association with Dublin City Council.

Both the Rediscovery Centre and Global Action Plan have been actively involved in environmental education in Ballymun and the wider community for the last ten years. This festival is a result of successful collaboration between the two organisations, bringing together complementary skills for the benefit of the community.

The aim of Lets Talk Science is to celebrate and promote the contributions that science makes to society – past, present and future and to encourage and inspire public awareness of science and technology. The festival aims to make science more accessible and meaningful for the local community and the general public through fun and interactive workshops.

The Rediscovery Centre and Global Action Plan would like to thank all their staff and volunteers, as well as the festival contributors, Science Foundation Ireland and Dublin City Council for all their help and support in delivering this festival.

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