

## Film Club: Classic Director Series

A new film club celebrating the work of some of the most revered yet controversial of Hollywood filmmakers, ranging from the 1950's Master of Melodrama, Douglas Sirk, to the 1980's Master of Suspense, Brian de Palma. We will be screening some of the best films of the careers of the five greatest maverick directors one week, followed by a lecture and workshop the following week hosted by film critic Wayne Byrne. The workshop will examine the highs and lows of the respective director's career and their place within the history of the American film industry.

**Wayne Byrne** is a film critic who has been writing about

cinema for several years. He has previously lectured on the history of American Cinema and is currently working on his first full-length book.

The club begins in Jan/Feb, is open to anyone over 18 years and is free of charge. For further information contact participating libraries – **Celbridge, Maynooth, Leixlip and Newbridge.**



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**Leixlip** t. 01 6060050  
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**Maynooth** t. 01 6285530  
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# What's on for you at your local library

[www.kildare.ie/library](http://www.kildare.ie/library)

Kildare County Council  
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January – February 2012

All events are free of charge and are open to everyone.  
**For further information or to book a place at an event please contact the library where the event is taking place or check out [www.kildare.ie/library](http://www.kildare.ie/library)**

## Know IT with FÁS eLearning

A free computer literacy course starting soon in your local library. The aim of the programme is to equip the learner who has no previous computer skills with the knowledge and basic concepts of information technology and the skill and the competence required to operate a computer. This programme offers a FETAC Minor Award at Level 3 in Computer Literacy.

The course is available to everyone over 18 years. The programme is 32 hours in duration, delivered over a 16 week period with one 2 hour workshop each week.

**Anyone who is a FÁS client can register through their local FÁS office. All other interested parties can complete and return a registration form at participating libraries- Athy, Celbridge, Kildare, Leixlip, Maynooth, Newbridge**

**& Naas**



**SCHEDULED TIME**

There is a time **for everyone**  
at your local library...

## Can I Play Too?

A Demonstration of Toys from the Toys Technology and Training Catalogues . Guest Speaker: Dorothy Armstrong, Occupational Therapist who lectures in Occupational Therapy in NUI Galway.

Dorothy will be giving a talk on the importance of play for the development of children with special needs and will be demonstrating the innovative Toys, Technology and Training project. This is a free service that allows parents and teachers to borrow toys and technology specially designed for children with special needs through their local library in Kildare.

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January 6.30pm**  
**Newbridge Library**  
**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 7pm**  
**Celbridge Library**  
**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February 7pm**  
**Naas Library**  
**Contact the library to book**

## Aontas Adult Learners' Festival

Celebrate the sixth annual nationwide Adult Learner's Festival from Feb 20<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> at your local library. Free classes/workshops for adults will take place in Kildare Libraries throughout the week. Contact the library to book. Why not try something new in 2012?

### Capacitor Workshops

Boost your energy and learn to relax using Tai Chi movements, visualisation, breathwork, acupressure points, emotional freedom technique, head neck shoulder release and much more...

**Tuesday, February 21st**  
**Celbridge - 10:00 - 11:00 am**  
**Maynooth - 11:30 - 12:30 pm**  
**Leixlip - 7:00 - 8:00 pm**

### Knitting Workshops – “Knit a Magic Beanie Hat”

Suitable for beginners and more advanced knitters. You will learn a lace stitch and how to use circular needles. Needles, pattern and yarn provided.

**Tuesday 21st February**  
**Kildare Library 10.30am – 12.30pm**  
**Thursday 23rd February**  
**Newbridge Library 10.30am – 12.30pm**

### Creative Writing Workshops with Mae Leonard

This is a taster workshop for anyone interested in joining a creative writing group in 2012. Why not come along and listen to well known published author Mae share her experiences while she guides you in the right direction

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February**  
**Athy Library 11am – 1pm**  
**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**  
**Naas Library 11am – 1pm**  
**Maynooth Library 6 – 7.30pm**  
**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February**  
**Leixlip Library 11am – 1pm**

### A Sense Of Place

If you are interested in tracing your family tree or exploring the history and heritage of your local area, organisation or school etc. then why not come along to an information session with our Local Studies Librarian, Mario Corrigan to help you get started.

**Thursday 23rd February**  
**Athy Library 12pm**  
**Thursday 23rd February**  
**Leixlip Library 7pm**  
**Saturday 25th February**  
**Naas Library 11.30am**  
**Saturday 25th February**  
**Maynooth Library 3pm**

### Art Workshops with Sharon Dunne

An art workshop with all materials provided

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February**  
**Maynooth Library 10.30am**  
**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February**  
**Leixlip Library 10.30am**  
**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**  
**Celbridge Library 10.30am**

