

October 2025 Edition

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Welcome to the October
2025 Edition of Rosslare Newsletter

As we head into the season of 'ghosties and ghoulies and long-legged beasties', we look back on a Summer filled with laughter, ice-cream, the occasional grazed knee – and wonder of wonders, sunshine!! It was lovely to welcome new camps such as Sparks Academy, Vibe Dance and the Brickx Club, alongside our old friends Emil, Shine Bright, Slice of Summer, Wexford Ballet School the FAI, Superstars Academy, Ola Spanish and Nutty Scientists. The blue skies stayed with us for our annual SummerFest and we hope that you enjoyed the day as much as we did.

Though Summer is not long gone, we are already looking forward to our next Community Event – our Christmas Fair will be held this year on Sunday 7th December, with The Annual Christmas lights switch on taking place in the Village Car Park on 30th November. We hope to bring you a lovely family afternoon, with stalls offering an array of seasonal goodies, hot drinks, mince pies and music. Anyone interested in taking a stall can contact us on 053 9132202. Don't delay – we have been oversubscribed for the past two years. In the meantime, we have a number of events to keep your little spooks busy over half-term; Emil's Tennis Camp and Vibe Dance Club will be with us (see back page for details). Indoor activities on offer during the long nights leading up to Christmas include Badminton, Volleyball, Pickleball and Walking Football. For all you creatives out there, the Strand Stitchers, Noeleen's sewing classes, and Men's/Women's shed might just be the outlet for you. If you'd like to concentrate on keeping mind and body in sync, we offer Pilates, Yoga, Chair Yoga and DanceFit classes. For details of these and other classes on offer, contact us at the Centre on 9132202. A new addition to our calendar for 2026 will be a Creative Writing workshop presented by local published author Anita Freeman. Anita will hold a taster session in December so keep an eye on our social media pages for updates. With all that's going on indoors at the Centre, let's not forget what's available to you on those cold, crisp days we enjoy so often. If you are a regular attendee at the Centre, then a Family membership might be for you. Offering super value at €160 for a family of up to 6 (plus grandparents), our Annual membership makes a great gift for friends and family. Membership gives free and unlimited use of our green and hard tennis courts, crazy golf course, bowling green and running track. Subsidised padel charges apply to members. Join now for 2026 and enjoy 14 months membership for the price of 12! Call us on 053 9132202 or drop into the Centre where staff will be happy to help.

 Rosslare
Community & Sports Centre



New 2 You
Charity Boutique
Open: Mon – Sat
10:00am – 5pm

Centre Opening Hours
Monday to Friday
9am – 9pm
Saturday 9am -5pm
Sunday 10am – 3pm

Office Admin Services
❖ Printing
❖ Photocopying
❖ Scanning
❖ Word Processing
Available in office at reasonable prices



Happy
Halloween





Keep in touch

To Contact Rosslare Community & Sports Centre
Call us on 053 9132202 Email info@rosslarestrand.ie
Website www.rosslareholidayresort.ie

What's Happening...

Monday

Sewing Class 10am to 12.30pm
Portrait Art Group 2pm to 4.30pm
St Paul's Running Club 6pm to 7pm
CAN Youth Club 6pm to 7pm (every 2nd Mon)
Rosslare Boxing Club 7pm to 9pm
Wexford Volleyball Club 7pm to 9pm

Tuesday

Sewing Class 10am to 12.30pm
Walking Football 11am to 12 noon
Shine Bright Drama Class 3pm to 6pm
Soccer Under 9s 6pm to 7pm
Social Evening 7pm to 9pm (2 per month)
Rosslare FC 7pm to 8.30pm

Wednesday

Women's Shed 10.30am to 12 noon
Rosslare Bowling Club 12.30pm to 4.30pm
Under 10s Soccer 6.00pm to 7.00pm
St Paul's Running Club 5.30pm to 7.30pm
Soccer U10s 6pm to 7pm
Badminton 7.30 to 9pm
Rosslare Boxing Club (Snr) 7.30pm to 9pm

Thursday

Strand Stitchers 10am to 12 noon
Art Class 11.30am to 1.30pm
Men's Shed 2pm to 4pm
Kids' Dance classes 4.30pm to 6.30pm
Under 11s Soccer 6pm to 7.00pm
Menapians 7pm to 8pm

Friday

Hatha Yoga 8.15am to 9.30am
Rosslare Tennis Club 10am to 11am
Pilates 10am to 11am
Emil's Kids Tennis 4pm to 7pm
St Paul's Running Club 6.30pm to 7.30pm
Rosslare Youth Club 7 to 9pm
Rosslare Strand FC Men 7pm to 8.30pm
Rosslare Boxing Club 7.30pm to 9pm

Saturday

DANCEFIT Amanda 9.45 am
Active Dance 50+ 11am
Yoga on the Beach 10:30am
(weather Permitting)
Kids Judo 11am to 12pm
Soccer Academy 10am to 11am
Badminton Club 11pm to 12.30pm
Rosslare Bowling Club 12pm to 4pm

Contact Numbers

Art Class: Jane Meyler 086 1647255

Badminton: Isobel 087 919 2550

Beach Yoga: Eileen 087 680 4279

Forever Fit: Amanda 087 9713339

Kids Judo: Fabiola 083 033 5866

Men's Shed (Jim) 087 681 5029

Pilates :Theresa 089 4620552

Portrait Art Group: John 087 283 3530

Rosslare Bowls Club: Leo Murphy 085 167 9902

Rosslare Boxing Club: Tracey 083 831 5334

Rosslare Schoolboys/girls: 087 7185712 (Sarah)

Rosslare Youth Club: See Facebook page

Sewing: Noeleen 086 4057567

Shine Bright Theatre Drama Classes: Lisa 085 1532705

St. Pauls: Leo 086 3103417

Strand Stitchers: Sue 085 286 6983

Tennis Club: Val 086 8273212

Tennis Lessons: Emil 085 723 9738

Wexford Volleyball – contact Community Centre

Women's Shed: Gemma 085 1833251

Yoga: Sharon 086 1943527

Local Groups



Halloween Kids Tennis Camp Improve your game and play fun games with Emil. From 28th to 31st Oct. Contact emiltenniscoach@gmail.com or call 085 723 9738 to book

Dance Workshop with Vibe Dance Club. Wednesday 29th 10am to 12pm. Learn lyrical, acro and other fun styles with Andria. Call 083-0733048 to book your child's place.

Community Centre Opening hours In November the centre will be open Mon to Friday 9am to 9pm, Saturday 9am to 5pm and Sundays 10am to 3pm

Scoil Mhuire RossLare The school will close for half term break from Monday 27th October to Friday 31st October (incl). We hope all the children and staff enjoy their holiday

Christmas Market 2025 This year's event will take place on Sunday 7th December at the Community Centre. If you would like to book a stall, give us a call on 053 9132202 or email info@rosslarestrand.ie. All stalls will be located in the Main Hall at the Centre.

Youth Club Meeting every Friday to all of secondary school age. (7-9pm) Facebook page (RossLare Youth Club) for contact/information. As part of 'Youth Club Culture Night' RossLare Youth Club will hold an open night at RossLare community centre on 21st November, giving the community an opportunity to drop in to a showcase of the group's activities; members and leaders will be on hand to chat. Prospective leaders and helpers are very welcome.

Creative writing course for 2026 Presented by Anita Freeman, published author and RossLare resident. Tap into your creative juices and produce that memoir, essay or epic novel that's bubbling in there. Anita will hold a taster/introductory session in December – keep an eye on our social media/notice boards for details.

Tai Chi on the Beach Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 9.30am to 10.30. Meet at main entrance to the beach.

Good Time Padel A regular session is held each Thursday morning. To register interest contact Bev on 087 967 8149

Walking Football A fun way to keep fit, meet friends new and old – and enjoy a cuppa. 11am each Tuesday morning at the Community Centre.

RossLare Tea Room Our November opening hours are 9am to 4pm from Thursday to Saturday and 10 to 3pm on Sun. Treat yourself to a coffee and a sweet treat to brace against the Autumn winds.

Social Nights This really popular event runs twice monthly (every 2nd Tuesday) from 7 to 9pm; an initial registration fee of €5 applies (to include refreshments) and thereafter a €3 charge is made for refreshment/rental costs. November's events take place on 4th and 18th– all are welcome. Contact the Centre on 9132202 for more information

Admin Service We offer a full admin and secretarial service at the Centre including photocopying, printing, scanning and typing, at very competitive prices. We will contact you when work is ready for collection. We can also offer a number of indoor spaces catering for gatherings such as training sessions or classes. To discuss your requirements or for more information, please contact us on 053 9132202.

RossLare Bowls All welcome. www.rosslarebowls.com The club meets every Wednesday afternoon and Saturday morning at the Bowling Green. New members always welcome

Badminton The group meet every Saturday at 11am and on Wednesday evenings at 7.30. New members of all ages and abilities are welcome. Contact Isobel on 087 9192550

New 2 U Charity Boutique Now stocking a lovely range of winter coats and jackets. Open Monday to Saturday from 10am to 5pm

Community Book Shelf €1 per book from our Community Shelf. All proceeds go towards the Centre's development. We are always grateful to receive second hand books, especially fiction, history and biographies/autobiographies.

Access for All Garden At any time of year our Garden is worth a stroll through, thanks to the efforts of the Friends of RossLare, who volunteer their time and expertise. While you're there, why not pop into **RossLare Tea Room** for a warming drink and a naughty treat!



Useful numbers

Local Services

Grange Launderette	053 9132590
Blondies Hair & Beauty	053 913 2865
Rosslare Pharmacy	0539173414
Kirwan Maintenance & Construction	086 3798823
First Choice Energy Plumbing & Heat	086 6670448
Nigel Kelly Driving Instructor	087 2427828
Fran Kelly – General Maintenance	087 940 5233
Austin Codd Groundworks and Plant Hire	087 9886353
Ger Thomas – Electrician	086 8299967
Strand Electrical Services (Darren)	085 2309231
Brady Builders	086 2368975
Morris Maintenance	085 2879891
Jock McMahon (Painting/Decorating)	086 8975979
SD Maintenance (Stephen) General	085 8173089
Dave Brady – Garden Maintenance	086 2326908
Padraig Pierce Tree Surgeon	0858350393

Restaurants

Kelly's Hotel	053 9132114
Coast Hotel	053 9132010
Wild and Native	053 9132668
Sharky's Fish & Chips	053 9132382
Izmoo	053 9132373
Kelly's Deli	085 877 1339
Redmond's The Bay	0879829350
Rosslare Golf Club	053 913 2203
Bai Li Chinese	053 9173806
The Trough	085 7490957
Scúp	087b7636855

Taxis

ASAP Cabs	087 1322264
Oz's Taxi	087 1131340
Peter Brady	086 2368975

Societies & Organisations

Fr James	053 9132118/ 087 8152637
Samaritans	01 6710071
Pieta House	053 9122787
Childline	1800666666
CareDoc	1850334999
Fire Brigade	0539176585
Garda	0539122333
Rosslare Medical Centre	0539132800
Dr. Maeve Hogan Tagoat	0539131154