

Welcome to our second news brief in June.

## Reminder - Luke Kelly Consultation

Dublin City Council is undertaking public consultation about the commemoration of Luke Kelly and the commissioning of a sculpture of the famous singer. A meeting is being held on the evening of the **13th of June at 7.00pm** in the Housing Conference Boardroom, Block 2, Floor 2, Civic Offices. All are welcome.

If you wish to attend please RSVP to [nina.farrell@dublincity.ie](mailto:nina.farrell@dublincity.ie) by Monday 12th June.

## Have Your Say: New Vision for Temple Bar

Temple Bar Cultural Trust in conjunction with Temple Bar Steering Committee have commissioned Future Analytics Consulting to prepare for A New Vision for Temple Bar. The area contains a wealth of historic assets and contemporary attributes – it is home to residents, businesses, creative enterprises and is a much-visited part of the city.

A key aspect of the work underway is to engage with users of the area to better understand how Temple Bar functions, its relationship to wider areas, the forces for change that are impacting upon it and all the possibilities that exist to re-imagine its future prospects. We welcome the views of all users of Temple Bar, and those who interested in the future of the area.

Your valued input will inform the vision and we encourage you to take 5 minutes before **24th June** to complete this online survey available at this link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/newvisiontb>

# National Bike Week 2017

## StreetVelodrome Dublin City

Dublin City Council presents StreetVelodrome Dublin City, as part of National Bike Week 2017, on Sunday 11th June and Monday 12th June in Smithfield Square, Dublin 7. This free 2-day family friendly event will include live entertainment, music, kids activities, special guest appearances and great cycle sport entertainment!

### **Sunday 11th June:**

Dublin will host the first round of the Viking StreetVelodrome Series, a televised touring competition which sees professional riders competing for gold, silver and bronze medals at events held across the UK and Ireland. Spectators are encouraged to come along and cheer on Team Dublin in the professional race at 2pm. Amateur cyclists of all ages are also invited to participate in competitions running throughout the day. These races are FREE to participate in, with equipment and professional coaching provided, but as there are a limited number of spaces available they will be allocated on a first come first served basis on the day.

### **Monday 12th June:**

StreetVelodrome Dublin City will be open to schools and the general public again at Smithfield Square. All bikes, helmets and training will be provided onsite at Smithfield so all you need to bring is yourself!

For more information visit: [www.dublincity.ie/streetvelodrome](http://www.dublincity.ie/streetvelodrome)

## The Complex - 2 upcoming projects

### **The Gaff:**

Free Gaff, what could possibly go wrong? – Just a small gathering of friends, nothing too wild. Staged in an immersive style, and featuring original spoken-word performances woven through the text, The Gaff is a glimpse into the glory and grimness of the session, and how it helps us to try, to fail, and to grow into adulthood. Devised, written and performed by the young people at the Complex Youth Theatre, this new work for audiences aged 14+ is a portrait of that stronghold of teenage resistance and experimentation that materialises during a free gaff.

The play will be performed downstairs in The Complex, 15 Little Green Street, Dublin 7 on 30th June at 7:30pm, 1st July at 7:30pm and 2nd July at both 3:30pm and 7:30pm. Seats are limited to 35, so booking is advised. Tickets €5

For more information or to buy tickets please  
contact [bernadette@thecomplex.ie](mailto:bernadette@thecomplex.ie) or phone 01-5446922

**Browbeating Assembly:**

The Complex in collaboration with the Abbey Theatre and a number of community partners are hosting an Assembly on Women experiencing intimidation in Dublin's North Inner City, in the Grand Social on Friday 23rd June from 11-1. It hopes to ignite a process of investigative workshops in the projects using forum theatre techniques. The project is supported by Dublin City Council. Tickets are free but places are limited.

For more information or to enquire about tickets please  
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