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Edenderry Community Development Association

## ART CLUB

The Edenderry Community Development Association have obtained a grant for a series of art classes commencing on **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2005 at 7.30 p.m. in Edenderry Orange Hall**. The classes will be aimed at the complete novice and no experience will be necessary. Classes will cost £2.00 per session including all materials.

**Anyone interested in joining contact Cardwell McClure on 3833 3988**

## DRUMS AND BANNERS

The Association have just received a grant for this project. They intend start on **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2005 at 8.30 p.m. in Edenderry Orange Hall** to restore Lambeg Drums and Banners the group have already received two old drums and two banners and hope to get some more drums and banners with a view to preserving or restoring them, condition is immaterial. Anyone interested in joining contact Cardwell McClure on 3833 3988. Admission is free for anyone attending the art class otherwise the charge will be £2.00 per session.

**The film show by Fred Cooper** on the 28<sup>th</sup> October in Edenderry Orange Hall was an outstanding success and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Fred presented a two-hour show featuring the Newry Canal, Warrenpoint Railway and Portadown Mayors Show; Tom McDevitt (Barney McCool) was also present to provide some railway anecdotes.

**As part of our ongoing programme of events Fred will present another film show on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2005 in Edenderry Orange Hall at 8.00. The programme this time will consist of archive film of Loyal Order Demonstrations in past years and of The Ulster Workers Strike. Admission including supper will be £3.00.**

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## EDENDERRY CULTURAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY

An address on the History of Edenderry

The Chairman Jim Kane welcomed Mr Garfield England to Edenderry Orange Hall. Mr England gave an interesting address on the history and characters of the Edenderry area. His reminiscences includes his childhood in wartime Portadown, rationing, military and POW's; he also recalled many of the families and living conditions in the forties and fifties and the changes over the years. After a cup of tea an informal discussion took place, the audience adding their personal recollections. At the conclusion Cardwell McClure thanked Mr England for his interesting and amusing talk.

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## Ulster-Scots Cookery Demonstration

By

**Rev Jim Mattison**

**FOLLOWED BY SUPPER OF HAGGIS, NEEPS AND TATTIES  
TEA AND SHORTBREAD.**

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2005 at 8.00 p.m. Edenderry Orange Hall  
Admission £1.00**

The Rev Mattison will give a demonstration of wholesome Ulster cooking and baking using traditional recipes and ingredients. The Demonstration is to promote Ulster-Scots traditions using the medium of Ulster-Scots recipes and at the conclusion we intend to provide a traditional supper of haggis, neeps and tatties followed by tea and Scottish shortbread.

**The Wade factory sub-committee** have started to write the book on the factory, the employees and products. Dr John Wright a leading authority on Wade has agreed to assist the committee and the project will take at least two years to complete. The committee will be grateful any help they can get. If you have an interest in Wade Ireland contact Merle Edgar on 3833 4602

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## CLASSICAL BALLET DANCING

The Cultural & Historical Society are running Classical Ballet Dancing Classes for children from P1 to U6 which are very successful the tutor is Mrs Caroline Robinson For information on the classes Contact Mrs Robinson on 9045 6005.

## MUMS AND TODDLERS GROUP.

Eden-Tots has grown from just 8 tots on our first morning to having an incredible **39** tots on our register!! The success of this group has proved the need for community development with young families in the greater Edenderry area. We even have one mum who travels from Banbridge to be with us! Recently had a member of staff from NIMBA called in with us and she was amazed and very impressed that the group was doing extremely well in just 10 weeks of operation.

Our Halloween and Christmas parties were thoroughly enjoyed by tots, parents, grandparents, minders and visitors, *even the spider chocolate cake disappeared - without a witch's spell.* At Christmas there was a visit from Santa himself and each child made Santa stars for their Christmas trees complete with glitter galore.

Play time has been greatly enhanced by the donation of a large purpose made wooden tunnel, slide and cube from an established play group in the heart of Craigavon and we are indebted to them for their kindness. Story telling and music time has also been introduced and we hope to expand of this in the near future.

Can we take this opportunity of thanking Beryl and Muriel for all the behind the scenes "break time" snacks they prepare. Many Thanks Ladies!!!

The first term ended on Thursday 16th December and we look forward to seeing everyone again in January.

**Everyone Welcome Thursdays 10.30-12.30 (or any time in between)**

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## LOL 322 CHRISTMAS SALE

LOL 322 members held their annual Sale in the Orange Hall on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November. This year they raised a total of £337.58. The Lodge officers and members would like to thank all who helped or contributed in any way.

COMING SOON

### *Art Club and Banner & Drums*

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### Lecture and Address

**ROYAL IRISH FUSILIERS 1ST BATTALION.  
ANGELS AND HEROES**