Cork women's fun weekend

1998 is the fifteenth year that women from near and far congregate in Cork for the Women's Fun Weekend. This annual event has a reputation for wild times and entertainments, and it is certainly an opportunity to spend a few days in the company of women on a roll. As one woman said last year "I've died and gone to heaven". Can ceilís really be so much fun? In Cork they can.

Organised annually by a group of local women, and taking place in a series of venues in Cork city, the Fun Weekend has carnival, cabaret and community packed into the three-day programme, as well as sport, storytelling and singing. A crèche will be provided on Saturday and Sunday afternoons, with babysitting on Friday and Saturday night. Please book in advance if you'll need those facilities.

An ISL signer will be available at some events. The organisers are disappointed that again there are no wheelchair accessible toilets at the events, though all are at ground level.

For more information phone (021) 314354 or write to 7 South View Terrace, Ballinlough Rd, Cork.



Programme details

Friday May 8

Ceilí agus Carnivale
8pm–1.30 am
Moore's Hotel, Morrison Island
£6/£4 conc.

Saturday May 9

The Big Breakfast
11am

Opening Circle
12pm

Workshops begin 12.30pm.
palm reading, art, make-overs, children's story-telling and more!

Women's Market:
books, crafts, jewellery...
South Parish Community Centre, Sawmill Street.

Soccer & Softball
Mardyke Pitch
2–5pm

Cabaret & Disco
Dancers, music, comedy – and to get the dancing jiuces flowing – *The Very Good Rock and Roll Band.*
8.30–1.30 am
Moore's Hotel, Morrison Island
£7/£5

Sunday May 10

Pool & Bowling
1–4pm
Mardyke Snooker Club, Sheare's St
Pay as you play!

Pub Quiz & Music
4pm
Loafer's Bar, Douglas Street.

Disco
11pm–2am
The Other Place, North Main Street.
£3/£2 –*Ticket admission only!*