

THURSDAY 24th JUNE

Venue: Bracken Court Hotel

8:30 pm Jason Byrne

Jason Byrne appearing live in The Bracken Court Hotel. Supported by Eric Lalor and our very own local talent, Shane Browne!
Tickets €18, available in Bracken Court Hotel.

FRIDAY, 25TH JUNE

Venue: St. Georges Square

7:00pm OPENING PARADE

All those participating in parade should meet at Church Car Park at 6.30pm. Route of Parade: Church Car Park, through the Main Street, turning up Clonard Street, down Chapel Street, back up Main Street and returning to St. Georges Square. Traffic Diversions will be in place. The parade promises to be a spectacular event showcasing all the local clubs, groups and businesses we are fortunate to have in our town. You will be entertained by a variety of characters like Scooby Doo, Barney, Tiger and Spongebob and much more! Live Music till 10pm by local band Gizmo.

8:00pm Official Opening of Festival by Celebrity

Be there early to ensure you meet our mystery Celebrity! Presentation of prizes for our School Art Competition, Credit Union Photo Competition and the Breege Tuite Memorial Trophy Short Story Competition.

8:30pm Barman's Race

Watch the local barmen take part in our annual barman's race. Who can make it to the finish line first without spilling all their drink?

8:30pm Balbriggan Open Darts Competition

Venue: White Hart Lounge, €10 entry fee.

9:00pm Live Music by Rattle and Hum (U2 Tribute)

Venue: Harbour Knights.

9:00pm Live Music in The Millrace

Why not drop in for a drink and some great entertainment after the Parade!

SATURDAY 26th JUNE

Venue: Beach/Quay Street Carpark

10:00am Children's Sandcastle Competition Sponsored by KT Designs

Registration from 9.30am on Front Beach.

You must register in your category before building your sandcastle. Assemble at Front Beach and a committee member will be there to meet you. So come on get out your buckets and spades and win some super prizes!

2:00pm Family Fun Day and Livestage 2010

Venue: Quay Street Carpark

Fun for all the family! Local bands will entertain you with live music all day. Activities for the kids include bouncy castles, go-karts and much more!

3:00pm Duck Derby Sponsored by Mobile Media Store

First race starts at Quay St. Carpark and ends at the harbour. First duck to the net is the winner. Amazing cash prizes for top 5 ducks! Ducks for sale, €2.50 each in Mobile Media Store, Drogheda St. Balbriggan.

Second race is a special Commemorative Duck Derby to mark the Balbriggan Town Council 150 year anniversary celebrations. Each duck is named after a past or present Town Councillor. Money raised will go to local charities.

8:30pm Grand Finale of "Balbriggan's Got Talent" at the Bracken Court Hotel

Come along and support the finalists from the audition stages. They need your support as the public decide on the winning 3 acts! Tickets €10 available from Bracken Court Hotel!

9:00pm Live Music by Stage 2

Venue: White Hart Lounge

SUNDAY 27TH JUNE

Venue: Harbour/Quay Street Carpark

11:00am 5k Fun Run

This year's 5k run is by registration fee of €10. All are welcome to take part as this is in aid of some very worthy local charities. Visit www.balbriggansummerfest.com to register and familiarise yourself with this year's route.

12:00pm Pet Show - Sponsored by The Pet Shop and The Doggy Man

Venue: Quay Street Carpark
Application forms are available from The Pet Shop, The Vets, The Library and The Summerfest Outlet. So come along and bring your pets! Great prizes for the winners!

1:30pm Blessings of the Boats by Fr. Eugene Taaffe

Sponsor a balloon in aid of The RNLI. Balloons €1 each. Balloons will be released in remembrance of all loved ones who have passed. Balloon tickets will be available in the Summerfest Outlet.

1- 6pm Family Fun Day and Livestage 2010

More fun for all the family! Live music by local bands including the Balbriggan's Got Talent Finalists live on stage! There will be carnival side shows, bonny baby and glamorous granny competitions. Local groups will be showcasing their talents, Irish Dancing, Ballet and Boy Scouts. Lots of surprises in store and lots of characters to meet! So come along and join in the fun!

3:00pm Historical Society Slide Show and talk on "The History of Balbriggan"

3:45pm Puppet show by Lambert Puppet Theatre

9:00pm Balbriggan Open Poker Competition

Venue: White Hart Lounge. €30 entry fee

9:00pm The Bowsies live in Harbour Knights!

Have you seen them yet? If not you are guaranteed a great night. Five local lads come together to make one of the best bands you will ever hear! No cover charge!