

Securing Our Future

Can We Be Friends?

- "In The House"** €96 annually or €8 per month
- 2 complimentary tickets to a show each brochure (Director's choice)
 - Special Friend rate on other selected shows
 - Acknowledgement of support in foyer and on website
 - An invitation to annual Friend's Gala event
 - Exclusive Friends newsletter each quarter
 - Complimentary tea or coffee
- "In The Wings"** €150 annually or €12.50 per month
- All of the "In The House" benefits listed above
 - 4 complimentary tickets to a show each brochure (Director's choice)
- "On The Stage"** €300 annually or €25 per month
- All of the "In The House" benefits listed above
 - 4 complimentary tickets to a show each brochure (Director's choice) along with a bottle of wine to enjoy

Take A Pew

Why not be part of Triskel's long term success. Sponsor a seat for €300 per year for 10 years and receive:

- 2 invitations to at least 6 productions a year for you/your company
- Your name/company name on plaque on entrance to pew in Christchurch for 10 years
- Your name on website for 10 years
- A link to your website from Triskel website
- An invitation to annual Friend's Gala event

Opening Hours

Box Office: Mon-Sat, 10am-5pm

Christchurch: Tue-Sat, 11am-4pm for Heritage and Visual Art Cultural Cinema – Sun Matinées & Evenings Sun-Wed

Live Music concerts 8pm selected Thu / Fri / Sat

Gulpd Café: Mon-Thu: 9.30am-11.30pm | Fri-Sat:

9.30am-12.30am | Sun: 2pm-11pm

Gulpd also evenings for Triskel events, cafe events and cinema

Plugd Records: Mon-Sat, 12-8pm

The Black Mariah: Tue-Sat, 12-8pm

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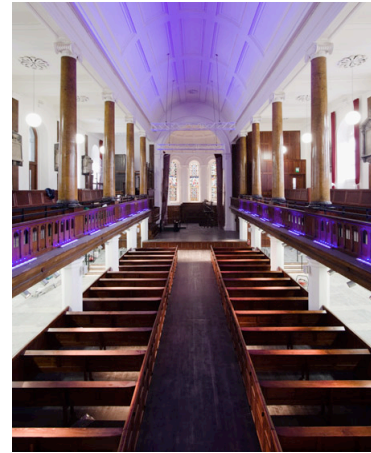
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triskel christchurch



A Pearl in Plain Sight

Then

Christchurch, an 18th Century architectural gem, rests serenely to one side of Bishop Lucey Park on Grand Parade in the heart of Cork City. The front entrance to the church is located on South Main, once medieval Cork's main street, and the present structure sits on the site of previous churches dating back at least that far.

Triskel Arts Centre, founded in 1978, moved to its present Tobin Street home in 1986 and has been in the expanded Triskel Christchurch space since 2011. Following Christchurch's consecration, Cork County Council purchased the building in 1979 and it was home to the Cork Archives Institute until their relocation in 2005. Then in 2008 Cork City Council undertook to restore and develop Christchurch, which included the integration of the Triskel Arts Centre building next door on Tobin Street. Refurbishment of Christchurch was completed in April of 2011 and the resulting space given to Triskel to manage.

Now

With the benefit of the Christchurch extension, Triskel has become a leading venue for Cork's numerous festival programmes including the Cork Film Festival, Cork Choral Festival and Cork Jazz Festival. The summer of 2012 saw Christchurch host its first civil wedding ceremony. Triskel also houses the Theatre Development Centre and The Black Mariah, an artist-led project and exhibition space.

As anyone who has attended a live performance, movie or exhibition can attest, Christchurch provides an exceptional venue for artists and public alike. Triskel's stated mission is to commission and stage the best of contemporary arts for the benefit of the people of Cork and beyond, and their commitment to that mission is evident in the quality of the artistic output.

Now in its 37th year Triskel goes from strength to strength. Add the twin attractions of Gulpd Café and Plugd Records - who regularly run gigs in Gulpd and the upstairs record store - and you have everything you could need in a single venue.

"We are Triskel and we've been waiting for you"

What We Do (quite a lot actually)



Live Music

Everyone will tell you that Christchurch's acoustics are superb. Artists love the intimacy and return time after time, sometimes to launch live albums previously recorded right here. Rock, traditional, roots, instrumental, folk, Broadway, classical - we don't discriminate. Soloists, singer songwriters, string quartets, military bands - all artists are given a warm welcome. A tapestry of styles and formats. And then of course there are the festivals and special events - in addition to being part of larger Cork gatherings such as the Jazz Festival, Triskel hosts the multi-month Pulses of Tradition, featuring internationally known traditional musicians and dancers. You can purchase music event tickets online at <http://triskelarts.ticketsonline.com>

Cinema

A principal purpose of the multi-use Christchurch space has been as the default Cork home for arthouse and world cinema. In addition to participating in the Japanese Film Festival and the larger Cork Film Festival, Triskel hosts the Twisted Celluloid Film Festival, with a programme that can best be described as an homage to the cult horror genre, both contemporary and retro. Lesser-known Oscar nominees are also featured as is a generous helping of the classics. And of course Gulpd is open late serving beer and wine. Individual tickets may be bought online at <http://triskelarts.ticketsonline.com> as can a full cinema membership. Come and see something other than the typical multiplex fare.



Visual Art

Exhibitions are held all year long in the Main Gallery space in the refurbished Christchurch and in the Link Gallery above. The Triskel is truly the spiritual home of modern art in Cork city and regularly features a guest curator. Each month, the centre presents a varied schedule of events, featuring artists from both home and abroad. The Main Gallery is now the home of The Black Mariah - an artist led project and exhibition space, focused on cultivating new audiences for contemporary art.

Literature

Book launches, book readings and writing workshops are frequent, culminating in the multi-cultural and multi-lingual Cork World Book Fest, a celebration over five days each April. Events take place at Cork City Library on Grand Parade and at Triskel Christchurch.

Heritage

Christchurch is the burial place for some of Cork's most prominent citizens. Without doubt Christchurch's - and Cork's - best known tombstone (pictured) is that of Thomas Ronan who served as mayor of Cork in 1537 and again in 1549. Ronan died in 1554 and was buried in Christchurch to be joined by his wife Johanna who died in 1569. His tombstone, commonly referred to as "The Modest Man", is visible in the porch entrance to the Church.



You can enjoy a 360 degree virtual tour of Christchurch online at <http://triskelartscentre.ie/virtual-tour/> but we cannot recommend strongly enough that you book a guided tour by calling the box office or emailing foh@triskelartscentre.ie. Tours last about an hour and include the renovated building's wonderful architecture and storied history, the graveyard, the crypt, and, naturally, an audience with "The Modest Man".

Weddings

Christchurch is the perfect venue for civil weddings, civil partnership and personalised ceremonies. It can be made



available to couples for up to 4 hours, allowing sufficient time both for decorating the venue and for the ceremony itself.

The church seats up to 250 people and the wedding couple can also host their own reception in the gallery above the ground floor of the church. Music can easily be played over Christchurch's PA system and microphones are available if needed.

For further information, pricing and bookings please call or email foh@triskelartscentre.ie. To see wonderful photos of the venue and of previous ceremonies go to <https://www.facebook.com/TriskelChristchurchWeddings>.

"Discover Christchurch, discover Cork"