The Gerard Hopkins Manley Hopkins 36th International Festival

Newbridge College Theatre Friday 19th to Thursday 25th July 2024

In Memoriam

Fr. Denis O'Sullivan; Rosaleen Dunne; John McLoughlin, Jnr.; Gilles Chauvé; Tommy Sullivan; Billy Brophy; John Adamson

celebrating

Gerard Manley Hopkins

(1844 - 1889)

his interests Poetry, Painting, Music, Philosophy, Conservation

and his mentor

John Henry Newman (1801 - 1890)

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FRIDAY 19th JULY

5.00 REGISTRATION begins 7.00 RECEPTION with Music by Conor Mahony GRAND OPENING

Mr. Christian Resch, Chargé d'Affaires, Embassy of Germany The Mayor of Kildare The Mayor of Newbridge Rob Power MCC Koji Katsurayama (Kyoto University, Japan) Music by All-Ireland champions Senan and Cillian Moran MC: William Adamson (University of Bamberg) **ART EXHIBITION** 'The last Surrealist': Desmond Morris Opening: Adrian McGoldrick MC: Derek Egan 9.30 Festival Club: Coffeys Chris Green (Chicago) reads 3 poems. A Favourite Hopkins Poem: Elizabeth Doyle; Elaine Marshall; Michael Allsopp; Anne Doyle;

Koji Katsurayma; Bruno Gaurier; Elaine Murphy MC: Will Adamson

SATURDAY 20th JULY

9.00 REGISTRATION Parallel Youth Programme begins. Director: Derek Egan. Art Exhibitions open to public. (10% deposit; pay, collect on Thurs. evening) **10.00 LECTURES** Thomas Burke O.P. and Hopkins: Seán Bagnall (President, The Hopkins Society) Spied Beauty: Stewart Garrett (University of Iowa) 11.45 WRITING WORKSHOP Newbridge Library conducted by Chris Green (De Paul University, Chicago). Participants may bring 25 copies of one poem for critique. MC: William Adamson (University of Bamberg, Germany) 1.00 Lunch: The Strand, Riverbank Theatre 3.00 RECEPTION, LAUNCH, AWARD An Lon Dubh CD by Diarmuid Johnson (Flute) Launch by Bethan Kilfoil Diarmuid Johnson plays a selection of airs. THE HOPKINS SOCIETY AWARD Rob Power Presentation by Desmond Egan MC: Morgan McCabe 5.30 Dinner (N.B. earlier time): Harrigans













8.00 CELEBRITY CONCERT

World-famous Pianist, Hans Pålsson (Sweden) plays Mozart: Piano Sonata in A Major (KV331); Schubert: Four Impromptus (D 899); Beethoven : Bagatelle 'Fur Elise' version 1 and recently discovered version 2; Piano Sonata op 53 'Waldstein' MC: Morgan McCabe Admission: €25 Advance booking advised. After Concert: presentation by Seán Bagnall (President, Gerard Manley Hopkins Society) 10.30 Nightcap O'Rourke's

SUNDAY 21st JULY

10.30 MASS Newbridge College Chapel Celebrant: Brendan Staunton S.J. Lessons: Derek Egan; Michael Allsopp Prayers of the Faithful: William Adamson; Elaine Murphy; Elizabeth Doyle; Morgan McCabe; Anne Doyle; Megan Yeates; Jim Kelly After Communion: Diarmuid Johnson (Wales): Flute solo MC: Elaine Murphy **MEMORY TREE** College Grounds, immediately after Mass. Remembering: Fr. Denis O'Sullivan; Rosaleen Dunne; John McLoughlin, Jnr.; Gilles Chauvé; Tommy Sullivan; Billy Brophy; John Adamson Poem: Kevin McEneanev Flute lament: Diarmuid Johnson Blessing: Brendan Staunton S.J. Photograph: Jim Kelly (KTWU, Washburn University, USA) 12.15 Lunch Newbridge Silver Restaurant 2.00 LECTURES, MUSIC, LAUNCH, FILM Newbridge Silver Theatre (upstairs) Poetry: What's the Point? Gerard Casey (UCD) Diarmuid Johnson: two poems in Irish and English; Flute solo by Diarmuid Johnson Hopkins on St. Augustine: Lewis Roberts (Cambridge University UK) Moderator: Youngmin Kim (Dongguk Uni., South Korea Film: Desmond Egan, an interview with William Adamson Koji Katsurayama introduces Laptop by Desmond Egan













Moderator: Derek Egan MC: Jenny Adamson 6.30 **DINNER** Hotel Keadeen; followed by: 9.00 RECEPTION, PRESENTATION, CONCERT Three poems: Chris Green (De Paul Uni., Chicago) THE JAMES McKENNA AWARD Martin Connolly presented by William Adamson (Academic Director) Concert with Conor Mahony, Peter Byrne and Nicky Keogh

MONDAY 22nd JULY

PARALLEL YOUTH PROGRAMME

Director: Derek Egan **10.00 LECTURES** Transformative Poetics in Hopkins: Youngmin Kim (Dongguk Uni., South Korea) Hopkins in a Contemporary Context: Monika Reif-Hülser (Uni. of Constance, Germany) Moderator: Patrick Samway S.J. MC: Elaine Murphy 11.00 Coffee 11.45 LECTURES

The Wreck of the Deutschland: Ann Marie Klein (University of St. Thomas, USA) Hopkins as a Jesuit Priest: Brendan Staunton S.J. Moderator: Michael Allsopp MC: Elizabeth Doyle 1.00 Lunch: Chat and Chew Restaurant 3.00 WINE RECEPTION, PRESENTATION, LECTURE Reception, courtesy, The German Embassy THE NEWBRIDGE SILVER LITERARY AWARD

Anthony Johnson. Presented by Seán Bagnall Hopkins, Herbert, and Music Drama: Anthony Johnson

(Abo Academy University, Finland) Structural Anachronism in Hopkins: Rainer Emig (University of Mainz, Germany) Moderator: Youngmin Kim (Seoul University, South Korea) MC: Elizabeth Doyle 4.30 Coffee

5.00 LIVE LINK LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Brian Arkins (NUI Galway) recipient Speakers: Seán Bagnall, William Adamson, Desmond Egan Moderator: Eamon Kiernan MC: Jenny Adamson 6.00 **Dinner** Brasserie 19 (Main Street) 8.30 Festival Club O'Rourke's Three poems: Lena Koster (Sweden) Philip Brady (Ireland)

9.30 **REGISTRATION** continues







Patricia Cleary Miller (Kansas, USA) Noh Theatre songs: Koji Katsurayama (Japan) MC: Anne Doyle

TUESDAY 23rd JULY

9.30 **REGISTRATION** continues

10.00 **LECTURES** The Dendrology of Hopkins: Michael Woods (University of Worcester) Hopkins in the Middle Generation: Brett Millier (Middlebury College, USA): Moderator: William Flesch (Brandeis University) MC: Conor Mahony 11.00 **Coffee** 11.30 **LECTURES**

The Dublin Sonnets of Resolution: Michael Allsopp (Australia and Creighton University) The Transport of the Aim: William Flesch (Brandeis University, USA) Moderator: Brett Millier (Middlebury College, Vermont, USA) MC: Megan Yeates 12.45 Lunch Dubh, 10 Georges St. 2.15 DAY OUT Naas 2.15 Bus departs from the Parish Church 3.00 Visit new County Council building: Reception by Naas County Council 5.00 Visit to historical Town Hall; introduction by Seán Bagnall 5.30 INTERNATIONAL POETRY

CELEBRATION

Music by Conor Mahony Three poems each by poets: Julian Stannard (UK) Gabriel Fitzmaurice (Ireland) Selese Sheil (Netherlands) Kevin McEneaney (USA) Donald Gardner (UK) Chris Green (USA) Philip Brady (Ireland) Lena Koster (Sweden) Michael Woods (UK) Patricia Cleary Miller (USA) Desmond Egan (Ireland) MC: William Adamson 7.15 Bus departs from door, to Killashee Hotel 7.45 Hopkins Society Banquet Killashee Hotel 9.45 Bus departs for Newbridge











10.15 **Festival Club** Cummins's Three poems: Selese Roche (Netherlands) Michael Woods (UK) Gabriel Fitzmaurice (Ireland) MC: Morgan McCabe

WEDNESDAY 24th JULY

10.00 LECTURES

Hopkins's Exercise of Despair: Eamon Kiernan (Magdeburg University, Germany) Bridges and Hopkins: A Victorian Friendship: Julian Stannard (University of Winchester) Moderator: Monika Reif-Hulser MC: Jenny Adamson 11.00 Coffee 11.30 LECTURES Katarzyna Stefanowicz (Uni of Birmingham UK):

Hopkins and Rossetti

- Anthony Burgess and The Wreck of the Deutschland:
- Introduced by Patrick Samway S.J.

(St. Joseph's University, Philadelphia) Moderator: Rainer Emig (Mainz

University, Germany)

MC: Elaine Murphy

1.00 Lunch Lily and Wild, Cutlery Rd. 4.00 RECEPTION, PRESENTATION, THE O'CONNOR AWARD /BARODA CUP

Newbridge Tidy Towns Association Presentation by Desmond Egan BOOK LAUNCHES

Moscow to Hong Kong by Train: Seán Bagnall Please Don't Bomb the Ghost of My Brother: Julian Stannard New Poems: Patricia Cleary Miller Speaker: William Adamson Moderator: Katarzyna Stefanowicz MC: Conor Mahony 6.00 **Dinner** Harrigans 8.30 **Festival Club** O'Rourke's Three poems Donald Gardner (Netherlands) Julian Stannard (U.K.) Neil Donnelly (Ireland) MC: Elizabeth Doyle













THURSDAY 25th JULY

10.00 LECTURES and LAUNCH

Hopkins's 'Andromeda' and the Spoliation of the Church in Italy: Elaine Marshall (UK) Hopkins and Ambiguity: Koji Katsurayama (Kyoto University, Japan) Hopkins: Le Journal (French translation): Bruno Gaurier. Book Presentation and talk. Speaker: Elaine Marshall Moderator: Anthony Johnson MC: Anne Doyle 11.00: Coffee 11.45 TRANSLATION WORKSHOP

Poem for translation: God's Grandeur Director: Will Adamson with visiting translators from Japan, France, Netherlands, Germany, Ireland, Sweden, Cyprus, South Korea MC: Derek Egan 1.00 Lunch Newbridge Silver Restaurant 3.00 YOUTH PROGRAMME CONCLUSION (parents are welcome to attend) President Seán Bagnall presents Certificates The Rosemarie O Connor Award presented by Michael Allsopp (Creighton Uni., and Australia) Moderator: Derek Egan MC: Elaine Murphy 4.15 END OF 2024 PROGRAMME

6.00 (Optional) **Dinner:** Hotel Keadeen 8.30 **Nightcap:** Cummins's







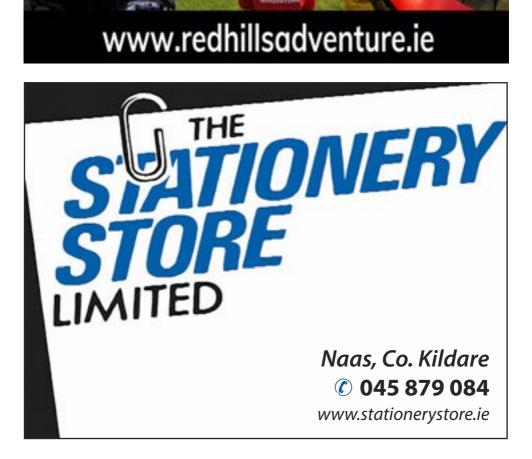














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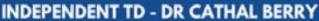


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