

Thursday 8th October

Fabric of Change Pop-Up Shop

Potato Market Carlow Eircode R93F3X8

Drop in 12 noon to 2.30 pm & 4pm-6pm

Transform Unsold Clothing

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Potato Market Carlow 1.30-2.30 & 2:45pm-3:45pm

A fun youth workshop where you can transform unsold clothing into something unique, wearable and full of personality using creative upcycling techniques.

Booking essential: climate@carlowcoco.ie

Learn to Knit & Crochet!

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Potato Market Carlow

6.30pm-8.30pm

Learn simple knitting and crochet skills.

Booking essential: climate@carlowcoco.ie

Friday 9th October

Repair & Re-Wear!

Fabric of Change Pop-Up Shop

Potato Market Carlow (R93F3X8) 12pm -6pm

Demonstrating easy repair techniques. Upcycling out of date items, knitting from old jumpers, curated charity shop rails, simple stitching, repair & embellishment corner.

Saving Irelands Ash Trees

Teagasc, Oak Park, Carlow Eircode: R93 XE12

2:30pm-4.30pm

Join Teagasc researchers at Oak Park to discover how the AshforFuture project is working to secure a future for Ireland's ash trees. All Welcome

Saturday 10th October

Community Bulb Planting

The Hunters Rest, Fenagh, Eircode R21N562 @ 10am

Join Fenagh Improvement Group for a community bulb-planting event in Fenagh. All Welcome.

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Potato Market Carlow, Drop in 12 pm to 6pm

Clothing Swap (up to 5 items) Stitch & repair, Knitting & Crochet, and embellishment corner. Open to all.

Build a Rainwater Planter

Tullow Mens Shed Eircode: R93 V259 10am

Turn Rain into a Resource! Discover how a simple rainwater planter can help tackle flooding and support local wildlife.

Booking required: tullowmenshed12@gmail.com

Build Your Own Air Quality Sensor

Tullow Youth Project Eircode: R93 E292 @10am

Join us for a fun, practical workshop where you'll build your own air quality sensor.

Booking required : tullowtidytowns@gmail.com.

Sunday 11th October

Community Spring Bulb Planting

The Laurels Estate, Tullow Road, Carlow 11am

Join the Laurels Residents Association for a community bulb-planting event. All Welcome

#CLIMATECAM & Food for Thought

VISUAL Carlow @3pm

Presented by County Carlow Environmental Network, a double screening followed by Q&A. Booking required:

Visit CCEN.ie/events

Check out the wide range of climate events happening all week at [VisualCarlow visualcarlow.ie](http://VisualCarlow.visualcarlow.ie)

Monday 12th October

DIY Rainwater Harvesting workshop

An Gairdín Beo, Carlow. Eircode: R93E1HF 1pm-4pm

A practical workshop demonstrating simple DIY approaches to collecting and using rainwater. Places are limited to 24 participants

Booking essential: climate@carlowcoco.ie

Carlow Climate Action Week 2026



3rd - 12th

October 2026

Check out www.carlow.ie for full details

Contact Carlow County Council
Environment & Climate Department
climate@carlowcoco.ie or 059-9136231 for further information



Saturday 3rd October

Harvest Festival at an Gairdín Beo

An Gairdín Beo, 11am -3pm Eircode: R93 E1HF

An Gairdín Beo's annual Annual Harvest Festival includes lots of activities to suit the whole family. All Welcome.

Food Forest Training for Community Leaders

Brooklawns Estate, Carlow Town R93 A3E9

10:30am -4:30pm

Join County Carlow Environmental Network and learn how to grow, connect and create change! Discover how food forests can boost biodiversity, strengthen community resilience and inspire practical local climate action. For more details text or call Molly on 085-7260278

Baginabstown Energy Expo

10:00am -4:00pm,

McGrath Hall, Baginabstown Eircode R21WR66

This event will feature companies specialising in solar energy, air-to-water heating, insulation, and energy-efficient windows and doors. All Welcome.

Monday 5th October

Fabric of Change Pop-Up Shop

Monday 5th October to Wednesday, 7th October

12 noon to 1.30pm & 4pm -6pm

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Give your wardrobe a new lease of life! Drop in and Swap, repair, craft and get creative at the Made to Last Pop-Up, with inspiring activities all week long.

Styling Pre-Loved

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Potato Market Carlow 2:45pm-3:45pm

Young people are invited to create a one-of-a-kind outfit from pre-loved clothing, combining sustainable fashion with creative style.

Booking essential: climate@carlowcoco.ie

Tuesday 6th October

Cycle to School with Confidence

Fairgreen, Baginabstown 9.30am -11.30am

Join teachers and students from Presentation De La Salle Baginabstown and build your cycling confidence, master quick bike repairs and pick up practical skills to keep you safe and road-ready. Perfect for all ages and abilities. All welcome

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Stitch, Fix & Refresh

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& 2.45 -3.45pm

Young people learn simple clothing repair skills, get creative with alterations and give pre-loved fashion a new life. Booking essential: climate@carlowcoco.ie

From Toy Box to Climate Action

What's a Toy Library?

Online Webinar 7pm -7.45pm

Be inspired by Louise and the Circular Square Hub team as they show how toy libraries reduce waste, support families and turn a simple community idea into real climate action. Booking essential: climate@carlowcoco.ie

Warmer Homes, Lower Bills!

Clonegal Kildavin Veteran Players

Spellman Hall, Kildavin Eircode: Y21 YD43 - 7pm

Meet SEAI energy experts, get trusted retrofit and home energy-saving advice, explore your options, and take the next step towards a warmer, more efficient home. All Welcome

Wednesday 7th October

Green Breakfast Seminar -Energy Supports Made Simple

7 Oaks Hotel Eircode: R93 V4K5- 7.30am -9.30am

Join Carlow Local Enterprise Office to discover grants, energy-saving supports and sustainability opportunities that can help your business save money and reduce its environmental impact.

Booking essential at www.localenterprise.ie/carlow/

Brag a Little - Inspire a Lot

Woodford Dolmen Hotel, Carlow Eircode: R93 N207

4.30pm -6.30pm

Hosted by Carlow PPN, this countywide gathering brings community groups together to share ideas, showcase local climate action, and build new connections for a more sustainable Carlow.

Booking Essential: carlowppn@carlowcoco.ie

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Remaking Jewellery

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Young people are invited to create your own from broken or discarded pieces. Booking essential: climate@carlowcoco.ie

Fashioning a Circular Future

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Potato Market Carlow 6.30pm -8.30pm

Join this focus group discussion on textile waste, repair and reuse, and help shape practical local solutions for a more sustainable fashion future.

Contact climate@carlowcoco.ie

Home Retrofit Grant & Energy Audits

An Gairdín Beo, Carlow. Eircode: R93 E1HF 6.30pm

Hosted by Carlow Town SEC, discover home retrofit grants, the SEAI Warmer Homes Scheme, and community energy opportunities. All welcome.