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**RETURN TO CÉLINE REILLY, KILKENNY ARTS FESTIVAL OFFICE,**

**11 PATRICKS COURT, PATRICK STREET, KILKENNY**

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1. **Personal Details:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Home \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Availability**:

Please let us know your availability – are you available from:

* August 7th to 17th Aug (please circle) Yes No
* Are you available before August 7th? Yes No
* Or please write details of your availability here:
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Are you available (please circle one or both)** During the Evenings During the Day

**How many days are you available to volunteer during the festival? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

1. **Driving:**

Do you have access to a car? Yes No

Do you have a full clean drivers licence? Yes No

Would you be willing to do some driving over the festival period? Yes No

1. **Why Would You Like To Volunteer?**

We would love to know why you would like to volunteer for the festival, in a few words please tell us….

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1. **Previous Experience:**

Have you previously volunteered for Kilkenny Arts Festival? Yes No

If **YES**, when \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, where did you volunteer \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and what did you do?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Interests** (Please circle ANY of the following which interest you)

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Young People**  **Workshops** | **Theatre** | **Visual Arts** | **Classical Music** |
| **Music** | **Literature** | **Street Theatre** | **Administration** |

1. **Orientation:**

Please note that all successful applicants **MUST** attend an orientation meeting. We will be in contact with you regarding time and location. Venue information, volunteer t-shirts etc. will be issued on the day.

**THANK YOU!** for taking the time to complete this application. The Volunteer Coordinator

comes on board in July & will be in touch with you. (Office Phone Number: **056 7763663**)

Signed**:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date**:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Declaration of Suitability to Work with Children/Young People**

**Kilkenny Arts Festival 2024**

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hereby declare and warrant that there is no reason known to me why I would be unsuitable to work with children/young people and that there are no convictions, claims or complaints (past or pending) against me relating to children/young people or my work with children/young people in my professional history.

I understand that my making a false declaration would be grounds for dismissal or the termination of my contract on any project on which I was engaged.

I also give Kilkenny Arts Festival my permission to contact An Garda Siochana and the persons listed below for reference purposes.

Signed:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Referee No 1 Referee No 2**

**Name Name**

**Organisation Organisation**

**Contact number/email Contact number/email**

**Position Held Position Held**

**Nature of Collaboration Nature of Collaboration**

**VOLUNTEER IMPACT SURVEY**

1. **How many years have you volunteered with the festival?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. **Why did you choose to volunteer**? Circle all that apply:
   1. Gaining Arts Experience b. Meeting New People c. Building Community

d. Learning New Skills e. Attending Events for Free

1. **Are you part of any of the following groups?** Circle all that apply
   1. Person with a disability b. New to Kilkenny c. A Migrant

d. Asylum Seeker or Direct Provision e. LGBTQ+ f. Prefer Not to Say

4. **How often do you plan to attend arts events in the next six (6) months?**

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**For the following questions, please CIRCLE one number between 1-5 to show how much you agree or disagree with the following statements:**

1. **I have many opportunities to interact with the Arts**

1 - Strongly Disagree 2 – Disagree 3 – Neither 4 – Agree 5 – Strongly Agree

1. **I am glad that I live in Kilkenny**

1 - Strongly Disagree 2 – Disagree 3 – Neither 4 – Agree 5 – Strongly Agree

1. **The Arts are important to me**

1 - Strongly Disagree 2 – Disagree 3 – Neither 4 – Agree 5 – Strongly Agree

1. **I have friends in Kilkenny**

1 - Strongly Disagree 2 – Disagree 3 – Neither 4 – Agree 5 – Strongly Agree

1. **I have a community in Kilkenny**

1 - Strongly Disagree 2 – Disagree 3 – Neither 4 – Agree 5 – Strongly Agree

1. **I am confident in myself**

1 - Strongly Disagree 2 – Disagree 3 – Neither 4 – Agree 5 – Strongly Agree

1. **I can solve problems**

1 - Strongly Disagree 2 – Disagree 3 – Neither 4 – Agree 5 – Strongly Agree

1. **I want to volunteer more frequently**

1 - Strongly Disagree 2 – Disagree 3 – Neither 4 – Agree 5 – Strongly Agree