

Meeting 32: Louth Local Development, John Street, Haymarket Drogheda

Friday 13th December 2024

SportUile, the Driving Change Through Sport initiative which comprises funding of €200,000p.a. for three years was launched by Minister for Sport and Physical Education Thomas Byrne on Wednesday, the 20th of November in Lourdes Stadium.

A 're-launch' of the Ask for Angela campaign was held on Friday the 6th of December, as part of a publicity campaign to raise awareness of this initiative around Drogheda coming into the busy festive season. The campaign is a collaborative effort by the Drogheda Implementation Board and An Garda Síochána, with members of Drogheda Taxi Federation, Vintners Federation and Restaurants Association participating also.

LMETB informed the board of the articulation agreement signed between DkIT and LMETB to strengthen progression routes for Higher Education students in the Northeast. The agreement will allow Further Education students from these organisations who have gained specific mapped qualifications and academic attainments to gain advanced entry into year 3 of certain Degree courses in DkIT. Further pathways to Degree courses are also possible.

The Project Implementation Team for the Moneymore Townland Community Hub have met with the appointed architects, who shared concept drawings of the project.

AGS and HSE Mental Health have continued engagement in relation to Action 2.8 of the Drogheda Implementation Plan with plans to hold a learning day for relevant AGS and HSE members early in the New Year.

10 vacant houses in the Moneymore estate have been allocated, including one which has been allocated to Connect Family Resource Centre.

It has been agreed with the Department of Justice that the term of the Drogheda Implementation Board will come to an end on 31st December 2024.