

Welcome to Cork!

Dear Singers and Friends

Here is some more information about what's in store for you when IDC visits on 21st-24th November.

We look forward to welcoming most of you on Thursday evening. Please make your way to UCC campus in time for registration and tea or coffee at 6.30pm.

Our main rehearsal venue is in the Brookfield Healthcare Sciences Building. This is well sign-posted and Olivia's weekend timetable will confirm which room we will be in. We will also explain how to reach the café nearby where we have reserved tables for light lunch on Friday and Saturday. Brian's first rehearsal is a short one and afterwards we plan to gather informally at the Kingsley Hotel. They are providing complimentary mulled wine for us just after 9pm. On Friday evening, we will be heading off to the Franciscan Well for beer and pizza. Check out the espresso martini festival that is taking place there during our visit. On Saturday evening we will be holding our choir dinner in the informal Rossini's restaurant. We will be asking you to sign up for this no later than Friday lunchtime; a sign-up sheet will be available at our rehearsals. Of course family and friends will be very welcome at all these events. The more the merrier!

For those who are not hard at work rehearsing, there will be plenty going on in the city. The Quiet Lights Festival will interest new wave folk and trad music lovers. For Foodies there is an irresistible weekend chocolate event <https://www.corkbakingandchocolate.com>

If you have requested accommodation for this event, we will be in touch with you separately. Please also let us know if there is anything else that we can do to help your stay. The timetable and our event map are going up onto the website members page shortly.

We are looking forward to seeing you very soon

With best wishes from

Aislinn

Eoin

Mairead

Maureen