



This document is a guide to what will happen at

Our Official Launch

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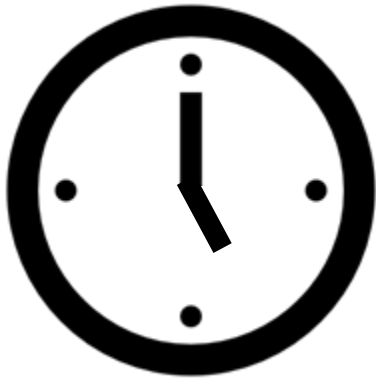
Howth Yacht Club





WHEN IS THE LAUNCH?

Tuesday, **12 NOVEMBER 2024**



From
5 PM



To
7 PM

The event is expected to be
2 HOURS long



WHAT SHOULD I BRING?

Your sensory tools and fidget toys





HOW CAN I GET THERE?



Take the **DART**
Direction HOWTH
Station HOWTH



Take the **Bus** H3 or 6
from Dublin City Centre
Stop HOWTH VILLAGE





WHERE SHOULD I GO WHEN I GET TO HOWTH?





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HOWTH YACHT CLUB

Middle Pier

Howth Harbour

Howth

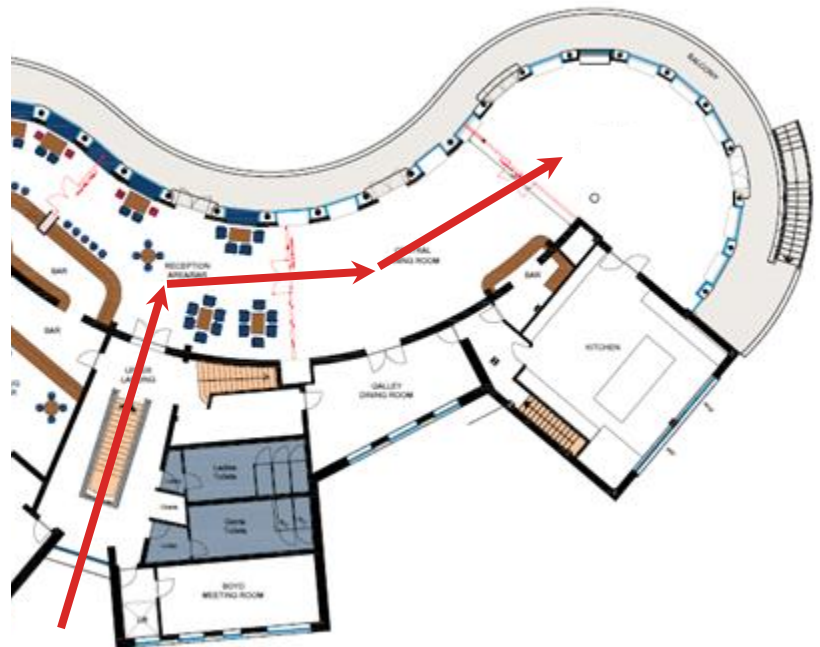
Dublin D13 E6V3



WHERE SHOULD I GO WHEN I'M AT HOWTH YACHT CLUB?



Take the stairs to
FIRST FLOOR



Then go through the
GLASS DOOR
in front of you



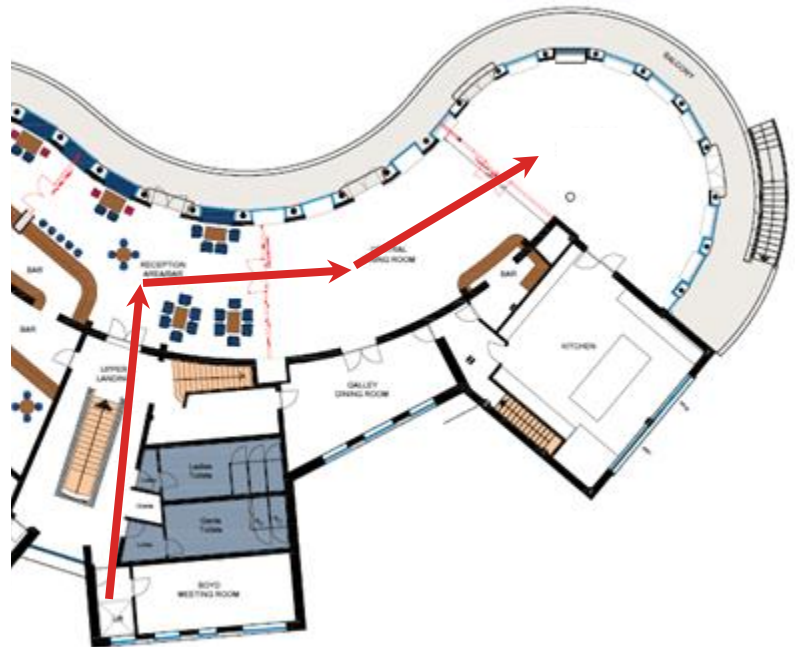
Finally, turn **RIGHT** to
the **ASGARD ROOM**



WHAT IF I NEED A LIFT?



The **LIFT** is located on the **RIGHT TO THE ENTRANCE** beyond the **WOODEN DOOR**



On the **FIRST FLOOR** go straight through the **WHITE DOOR** in front of you and along the **CORRIDOR**

Pass through the **GLASS DOOR**



Turn **RIGHT** to the **ASGARD ROOM**





WHAT WILL HAPPEN AT THE EVENT?

LAUNCH SCHEDULE

Music played by Matthew Taylor Fallon, aged 16, on keyboards

MC Christina Knowles

5.15 pm Welcome and Official Launch by Mayor of Fingal, Brian McDonagh

5.25 pm CEO AsI Am, Adam Harris

- Autism Friendly Communities programme
- Some general info about autism in Ireland
- What AsI Am does

5.40 pm Gillian Molyneux presents

- Background to Howth Sutton Autism Friendly Community
- Our 3 year plan

5.50 pm Voices of our Autistic Community, video created by Adam Greenan

6.00 pm Chairperson of Champions Committee - Dave Crofts

- Our Champions Training Programme
- Presentation by Adam Harris of Autism Champion Awards and Certificates of Completion of Champions Training

6.20 pm CEO Fingal CoCo, AnnMarie Farrelly

- Inclusion in Fingal
- How Fingal CoCo can support local organisations to become more Autism-friendly

6.35 pm Thank you and Presentation of gifts

6.45 pm Finish and drinks reception





WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT?

You can expect **100 PEOPLE**
in attendance, including
ADULTS and **CHILDREN**

You will be **SITTING** with other attendees
facing the **PRESENTERS** and a **SCREEN**



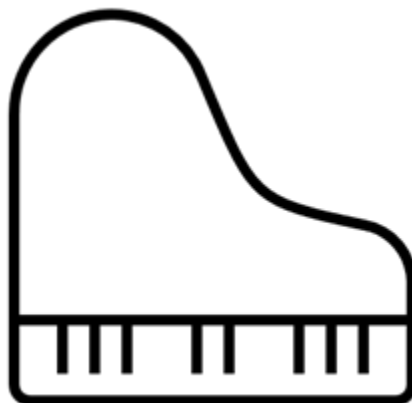


WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT TO HAPPEN FIRST?

FIRST you will tell the organisers you have arrived and **GIVE YOUR NAME**

THEN you will enter the room and there will be **MUSIC** played on a **KEYBOARD** and people chatting and moving around

THEN you can find a **SEAT**





WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT TO HAPPEN NEXT?

There will be **SPEAKERS** in this order



Christina Knowles

MC

Brian Mc Donagh

Mayor of Fingal



Adam Harris

CEO AsIAm

Gillian Molyneux

Chair Howth-Sutton Autism Friendly Community



Dave Crofts

Chair Champions Committee



AnnMarie Farrelly

CEO Fingal County Council





WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT HEAR?

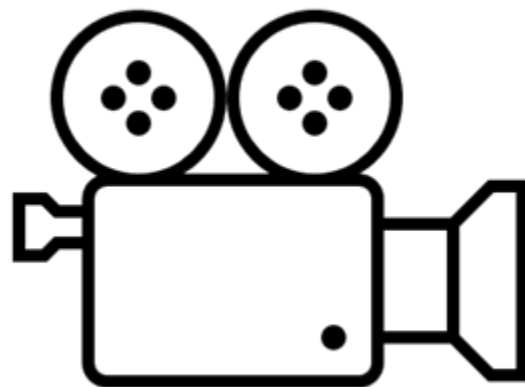
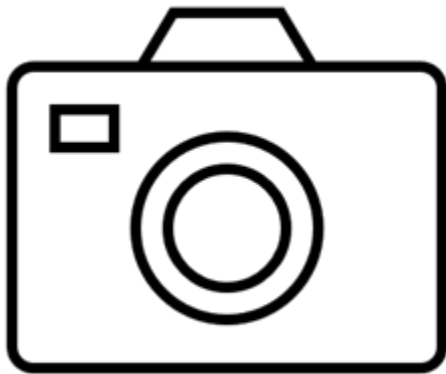
And at the end of each speech there will be a 5-second **APPLAUSE**



WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT TO SEE?

A **PHOTOGRAPHER**

and someone with a **VIDEO CAMERA**
will be on duty, but they won't photograph you
without your consent





WHAT IF I NEED A BREAK?

You can MOVE AROUND and USE FIDGET TOYS

ANYTIME
during the event





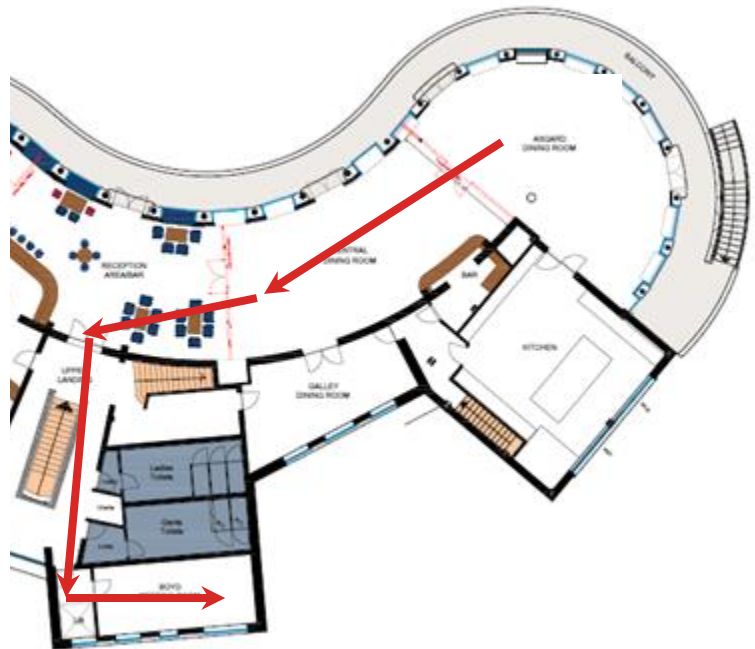
WHAT IF I AM FEELING OVERWHELMED?

Two **SENSORY TENTS** will be available at the back of the conference room



WHAT IF I AM FEELING OVERWHELMED?

A **SENSORY ROOM**
is **ON THE SAME FLOOR** as the event
outside the glass door



Go at the **END OF THE CORRIDOR**
on the **LEFT OF THE STAIRCASE**
to the **BOYD ROOM**



WHAT DO I DO WHEN I AM LEAVING?

There is a **TOUCHLESS DOOR RELEASE**
to the LEFT of the entrance door

WAVE YOUR HAND in front of the button
The door will release

