## **SATURDAY 25 JULY 2015**

## FOUR ILLUSTRATED TALKS ON LOUGH CARRA AT THE NATIONAL MUSUEM OF COUNTRY, TURLOUGH NEAR CASTLEBAR. See details below.

## **BOOKING REQUIRED THROUGH THE NATIONAL MUSEUM:**

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Sun 19th 2-3pm	Talk	Talk: Ladies of the Gentry Where there's a Will Join Olivia Martin for some interesting insights into the lives of mothers and mistresses, spinsters and widows as revealed through a study of the wills of lesser gentry in East Mayo between 1760 and 1880.  Louisa Moore: A Life in Letters Fiona White, GMIT presents the life of Louisa Moore of Moore Hall. A strong-minded, dictatorial woman of great business capacity who combined the role of wife and mother with her role as manager of the estate with great enthusiasm. Booking required.	Adults
2-4pm	Drop-in Activity	On Sight Art Trail: Tour and Documentary Join Gaynor Seville, Public Arts Co-ordinator, Mayo Co.Co. for a tour of the On Sight Art Trail, followed by a documentary on the artworks by artist Mary Henning. On Sight is a collaboration between the National Museum, Mayo County Council Arts Office and Mayo Arts Squad and a number of independent artists. For more info. See www.museum.ie. Booking required.	Adults & children 7yrs+
Thu 23rd	Drop-in	Kids Museum: Young & Old Come Out to Play	Family
11:30am - 12:30pm	Activity	Join the education team to enjoy some of the games played in the past, like 5 slates and skittles. Learn how and where the games were played and have a go for yourself. <b>No booking required.</b>	, 2,
Sat 25th 11am - 3:30pm	Talk	A Day of Illustrated Talks on Lough Carra For the past 15 years, Chris & Lynda Huxley have studied and photographed Co. Mayo's unique marl lake. Their book 'Lough Carra' covers everything from archaeology & art to angling & ecology; illustrated with Lynda's photographs & paintings by Deirdre Walsh.  Talks by: Chris Huxley on Lough Carra's wildlife Cillian Roden on Lough Carra's aquatic ecology Deirdre Walsh on capturing the ever-changing light of Lough Carra's landscape Fiona White on Moore Hall & the Moores Yvonne McDermott on Burriscarra Friary.	Adults & children 14yrs+
		For more information visit www.loughcarra.org.  Booking required.	





