



**Home To Mayo**  
1st – 31st May 2024

**An Turas Mór/Homecoming Kerry**  
18th October – 1st November 2024

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**Global Irish Festival Series**  
**2024**

Building future connections  
from a shared past



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The Global Irish Festival Series is a truly unique opportunity for the thousands of Irish people around the world to reconnect with home. In 2024 the festival is setting up camp along the Wild Atlantic Way, taking place in the counties of Mayo and Kerry. It is sending an irresistible invite to Irish people abroad to make the trip home and celebrate the culture of their own home county, uncover shared histories and forge new, lasting connections.

## HOME TO MAYO (1ST – 31ST MAY 2024)

Home to Mayo is a celebration of all that is great about County Mayo, from its rich culture, history, natural heritage and especially its people. The internationally celebrated Mayo Day makes a welcome return for the 10th year on Saturday 4th of May and will be the opening event for Home to Mayo, which sees a month-long series of festivals and events taking place in locations right around the County.

Whether you are interested in tracing your family history through the The Scattering & The Gathering, experiencing the local culture, or simply taking in the sights of Mayo's wild and beautiful coastline and islands, there will be a wide range of events and activities to encourage Mayo's diaspora to make the trip home and reconnect. Stay connected through:

[www.hometomayo.ie](http://www.hometomayo.ie)

## AN TURAS MÓR/HOMECOMING KERRY (18TH OCT – 1ST NOV 2024)

[www.homecomingkerry.com](http://www.homecomingkerry.com)

An Turas Mór (Homecoming Kerry) has been designed in collaboration with existing festivals and specially curated events, with a focus on heritage, culture, food, and business in County Kerry. Experience the rich heritage of The Kingdom with Clan Gatherings or get active and explore the legendary Kerry landscape.

Once you have worked up an appetite sample the best food and drink sourced locally at food fairs and festivals. The two week-long programme features spectacle events in the major towns and villages across the county during October.

