

# Phizzfest – Phibsborough Community & Arts Festival

An Accelerating Action Tool Assessment



# Info

**Name:**

Phizzfest – Phibsborough Community & Arts Festival

**Owner:**

Gerry Wardell, Phizzfest Board

**Owner Type:**

Community

**Overview:**

Phizzfest is a voluntary arts organisation, placing arts and community at the heart of what it means to live in Phibsborough. As a legal entity, Phizzfest is a Company Limited by Guarantee (CLG), reg. no. 509737 and it is a Registered Charity, reg. no. 20081720.

**Objectives:**

The aim of Phizzfest is to create space for people to connect through arts and cultural engagement. A main objective of Phizzfest is to produce the annual Phibsborough Community & Arts Festival – this year on the weekend 10–12 May 2024. It endeavors to provide a wide range of event and to make them accessible to as many people as possible. Tickets are priced keenly to ensure access to events across age and affordability levels. Arts and culture, canal ways, urban village life, multiculturalism and football – these are some of the features that mark out Phibsborough as a community. The programme for Phizzfest 2024 reflects this distinct identity, in over 50 events across music, literature, art, drama, comedy, film, history, architecture and more.

**Type:**

Event / Workshop

**Status:**

Being implemented

**Location:**

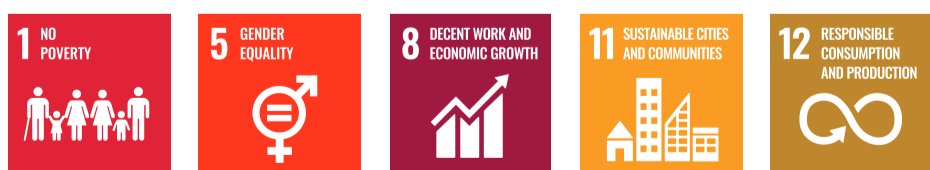
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## Tags

- children
- youth
- older persons
- persons with disabilities
- vulnerable people
- marginalized communities
- companies
- equity
- equality / inequality
- inclusive
- gender
- sustainability
- resilience
- tourism
- culture
- health and well-being
- mental health
- strategies / plans / programmes
- non-discriminatory laws and policies
- participation
- capacity building
- awareness raising

## SDGs

Contributing to 5 SDGs



# SDG Targets

Contributing to 11 SDG Targets



## 1.3 – Implement social protection systems

+ positive impact   ○ indirect impact

### Collaborate in Social Infrastructure Development

Collaborate with social protection authorities to develop social infrastructure that supports the delivery of social protection services, such as community centers and outreach facilities.

Indicators:

- Number of social infrastructure projects supported by built environment professionals.
- Evaluation of the impact of social infrastructure on service delivery.

### Advocate for Social Protection Integration in Urban Development

Advocate for the integration of social protection considerations in urban development plans, ensuring that the built environment caters to the needs of vulnerable communities.

Indicators:

- Number of urban development projects with integrated social protection features.
- Feedback from vulnerable communities on the accessibility of urban facilities.

### Expand Coverage of Social Protection Programs

Expand the coverage of existing social protection programs to include more vulnerable groups, ensuring that the support reaches those who need it the most.

Indicators:

- Percentage increase in the coverage of social protection programs.
- Impact evaluation of social protection programs on targeted beneficiaries.

### Develop Comprehensive Social Protection Systems

Establish comprehensive social protection systems that encompass various measures, such as cash transfers, food assistance, and healthcare coverage, to protect the poor and vulnerable from economic shocks and poverty.

Indicators:

- Percentage of population covered by social protection systems.
- Change in poverty rates among the covered population.

### Performance Art – 'The Birthday Party'

Friday 10 May 2024. 16.00 Mater Hospital Lobby, NCR The Birthday Party is a celebration and memorial, by performance artist Aine O'Hara, for the sick, disabled, D/deaf, chronically ill, neurodiverse people of Ireland, for those of us living and those we have lost to institutional and other forms of violence. Join us for a participatory performance arts experience.

Indicators:

- Number of attendees

### Theatre for Expansion of Social Protection – 'The Dead House'

'The Dead House', by Martin Beanz Warde. Friday 10 May 2024. 18.00 McGeough's Bohemian Lounge Patrick is an Irish Traveller who hasn't been home in 10 years but returns from self-exile for his grandfather's funeral. The Dead House is a powerful and moving dark comedy that explores complex themes of family, tradition, and self-acceptance. Set in the house of the deceased, the play is a testament to the resilience of the human spirit and the importance of finding one's voice and identity.

Indicators:

- Number of attendees



## 1.5 – Build resilience to environmental, economic and social disasters

+ positive impact    ⊙ direct impact

### Advocate for Sustainable Urban Planning

Advocate for sustainable urban planning practices that consider climate resilience and vulnerability, ensuring that urban areas provide safe and supportive environments for the poor and vulnerable.

Indicators:

- Number of sustainable urban planning initiatives supported by built environment professionals.
- Assessment of vulnerability reduction in urban areas.



## 5.1 – End discrimination against women and girls

+ positive impact    ○ indirect impact

### Incorporate Gender-Inclusive Design Principles

Incorporate gender-inclusive design principles in built environment projects, ensuring spaces are safe, accessible, and meet the needs of all users.

Indicators:

- Number of projects with gender-inclusive design principles.
- Perception of safety and inclusivity among users.



## 8.9 – Promote beneficial and sustainable tourism

+ positive impact    ⊙ direct impact

### Engage with Local Communities

Engage with local communities to understand their needs, aspirations, and concerns regarding tourism development, and incorporate their input into project planning.

Indicators:

- Number of engagements with local communities during the project design phase.
- Perception of local communities about the benefits of tourism projects.



## 11.2 - Affordable and sustainable transport systems

+ positive impact   ○ indirect impact

### Promote Active Mobility

Encourage active mobility options such as walking and cycling by creating pedestrian-friendly infrastructure and bike lanes.

Indicators:

- Increase in walking and cycling infrastructure.
- Percentage change in active transportation usage.

### Promoting Active Mobility - Phizzfest Family Fun Cycle

Saturday, May 11. 13.00 Dalymount Park This is your invitation to a fun cycle through and around the Phibsborough area in the safety of a large group. You are encouraged to dress up or decorate your bike to stand out! Gathering at 1pm and rolling shortly after that, you will set off as a single group and the emphasis will be on 'leisurely'. This is an all-weather event and includes music bikes to entertain you and a free raffle draw

Indicators:

- Number of participants



## 11.3 – Inclusive and sustainable urbanization

+ positive impact   ○ indirect impact

### Implement Integrated Urban Planning

Implement integrated urban planning that considers social, economic, and environmental aspects, fostering inclusive and sustainable urbanization.

Indicators:

- Number of integrated urban planning projects.
- Evaluation of the impact on urban development.

### Promote Participatory Urban Development

Promote participatory urban development processes, involving citizens and stakeholders in decision-making and planning.

Indicators:

- Number of participatory urban development initiatives.
- Assessment of the impact on community engagement.

### Develop Sustainable Human Settlements

Develop sustainable human settlements that prioritize environmental preservation, efficient resource use, and social inclusivity.

Indicators:

- Number of sustainable human settlement projects.
- Improvement in environmental and social indicators.

### Collaborate with Local Authorities on Urban Management

Collaborate with local authorities in the management of urban development projects, ensuring their alignment with sustainable and participatory principles.

Indicators:

- Number of collaborations with local authorities.
- Assessment of the impact on urban development management.

### Advocate for Inclusive Urban Policies

Advocate for urban policies that promote inclusivity, sustainability, and community involvement in human settlement planning.

Indicators:

- Number of advocacy initiatives for inclusive urban policies.
- Implementation of policies supporting participatory planning.

### Self Organised Architecture

Self Organised Architecture (SOA) & Aisteach Queer Housing Co-operative Saturday, May 11, 2024. 11.00 McGeough's Bohemian Lounge In the context of the current housing market and homelessness crisis, join us to discuss alternative housing strategies. SOA is a research collaborative working to establish community-led housing in Ireland. Aisteach Queer Housing Co-operative provides housing and housing support for the LGBTQI community.

Indicators:

- Number of attendees

### History & Architecture

What Would Herbert Simms Do? Saturday, May 11 2024. 15.00 McGeough's Bohemian Lounge Dublin city architect Herbert Simms designed durable, people-centred and iconic housing at a time of economic hardship in the city. Seventy-five years after his death, we ask if his vision for the city could inspire planners today. Joining Dublin historian Donal Fallon to discuss what makes good housing are Rory Hearne, housing policy commentator and author of Gaffs, and artist Mandy O'Neill, whose research considers themes of place, belonging and perception. Performance by poet Roxanna Nic Liam.

Indicators:

- Number of Attendees



## 11.4 – Protect the world's cultural and natural heritage

+ positive impact   ○ indirect impact

### Preserve Cultural Heritage Sites

Strengthen efforts to preserve and safeguard cultural heritage sites, promoting their importance for local identity and tourism.

Indicators:

- Number of cultural heritage sites protected.
- Visitor numbers and tourism revenue.

### Festival of Football History – 'Bohemian Way Walking Tour'

Sunday, May 12 2024. 12.00 Meet at Dalymount Lane The Bohemian Way is a journey through Dublin 7, examining the social history of Phibsborough through the lens of Dalymount, the home of Irish Football and Bohemian FC, which sit at its heart. You will hear the interwoven stories of the history of our football club and the wider social, economic and revolutionary history of our city. The tour will be led by Bohemian FC historian Gerard Farrell and will take between 60-80 minutes – beginning and ending at Dalymount Park.

Indicators:

- Number of participants



## 11.7 – Provide access to safe and inclusive green and public spaces

+ positive impact   ⊙ direct impact

### Promote Community Participation in Public Space Planning

Promote community participation in the planning and design of public spaces, ensuring that the needs and preferences of different groups are considered.

Indicators:

- Number of public space projects with community involvement.
- Assessment of the impact on community satisfaction.

### Family-friendly Afternoon by the Canal

Sunday, May 12. 14.00 Shandon Gardens Join us for a fun-filled afternoon of outdoor family activities with the amazing Pure Magic Watersports for demonstrations and lessons in stand-up paddleboarding. Our canalside stage will host a range of performance acts including the Walkaleles ukulele band, the Finglas Concert Band, Sea Sharps barber shop group, and Member of the Inner Magic Circle, Magician Quentin Reynolds. There's biodiversity and canal history walks, children's games, and – it goes without saying – the must-have annual Duck Race.

Indicators:

- Number of entries in the annual Duck Race



## 11.A – Strong national and regional development planning

+ positive impact   ⊙ direct impact



## 11.B – Implement policies for inclusion, resource efficiency and disaster risk reduction

+ positive impact   ⊙ direct impact



## 12.1 - Implement the 10-year Sustainable Consumption and Production Framework

+ positive impact    ⊕ direct impact

### Establish Sustainable Consumption and Production Programs

Implement the 10-Year Framework of Programs on Sustainable Consumption and Production (10YFP SCP), ensuring that all countries, particularly developed countries, take action to promote sustainable consumption and production patterns.

Indicators:

- Number of countries implementing the 10YFP SCP.
- Progress in sustainable consumption and production practices.

### Community Clothes SwAP

Saturday, May 11. 1st Floor Phibsborough Shopping Centre Drop off time 14.00-14.30 Swapping 15.30-16.30 Phibsboro Village Tidy Towns, in collaboration with Phizzfest and The Spark. Live more sustainably, swap men's, women's and children's clothing, shoes, bags and costume jewellery. Maximum 10 clean good quality items per person.

Indicators:

- Number of participants