

Belfast Maritime Weekender

4-5 September 2021



Welcome to the Belfast Maritime Weekender, bringing the city's maritime and industrial history to life with pockets of exciting seafaring activities stretching across the entire Maritime Mile from Sailortown to Titanic Quarter.

Enjoy daytime and evening activities including live music and dance, nautical themed street performers, playful art and heritage installations, dance picnics for children, walking tours, a treasure trail, a pop-up street food market, lights and illuminations, and much more.

Designed with space and safety in mind, the programme of activities will stretch across the entire Maritime Mile, with something for everyone to enjoy.

Here's a flavour of what to expect!

On the water

Enjoy a spectacle of 'on the water' boat displays and demos with some visiting vessels arriving into port to join us for the weekend. Come on down to catch a glimpse of them.



Quayside family fun

An array of nautical themed street performers and shows will bring the Maritime Mile to life.



Live music and dance

Enjoy an array of local music talent along the quaysides as well as pop up dance performances daily.



Ticketed events and tours

This year's programme includes a range of bookable activities, from guided tours and music events to a parkrun and children's yoga. Small charges may apply.



Street food

Head down to the historic slipways and check out the Pop-up Maritime Street Food Market, with food trucks, stalls, music and plenty of picnic tables.



Lighting and illuminations

Discover the Maritime Mile by night with special light and illumination displays.



Exhibitions

Check out the National Geographic Society's touring exhibition 'Planet or Plastic?' brought to you by SSE Airtricity in partnership with not-for-profit Sick of Plastic.



Maritime mile treasure trail

Fold out our Maritime Map and have a go at answering the questions. Submit your answers online at maritime-mile.com/treasure for the chance to win some amazing prizes! Tread the Boards will bring the trail to life at 10 stops along the way.



Maritime Mile Treasure Trail questions

Do you know when the giant yellow cranes (Samson & Goliath) were constructed?

What is the name of Belfast's oldest remaining Docks?

What Quay does the AC Hotel sit on?

How many seal sculptures did you count?

What is a nautical mile?

You're now on a new Quay, what is it called?

As you walked to the Odyssey, how many circular mosaics did you find on the path?

Look for the Game of Thrones stained glass window, what is the first letter of the name of this stop?

What does W stand for in W5?

What year was Lagan Search and Rescue established?

Can you find the answers to the 20 questions below?



What is the target time to launch a LSAR lifeboat?

Belfast had a crystal palace in the 1850s, where was it?

Who do the statues represent?

What is the name of the dry Dock that the SS Nomadic sits in?

When did Titanic Belfast open?

What date did Titanic launch from the slipways?

What were the film studios formerly used for?

How many lighthouses are there located around Ireland?

What famous battle in 1916 was HMS Caroline involved in?

Where on the Maritime Mile was the last place you could see Titanic from in 1912?

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- Vessels
- Waterfront Illumination
- Artemis Technologies W5 demo
- Heritage Spaces
- Traditional Boatmaking Demos
- Yoga and Music
- Water Displays
- National Geographic, 'Planet or Plastic?' exhibition supported by SSE Airtricity
- Pop-up Street Food

- Treasure Trail Locations
- Victoria Park Run (Sat 4 Sep)

Performance
Music and street performers will be popping up across the Maritime Mile from 11am-8pm. Check website for times.

Tours
There are photo, walking and under the lagan tours to help you explore the Maritime Mile. All are bookable online.



For more festival info, a full programme and all the events find us online.

maritime-mile.com

