



Comhpháirtíocht Leader Waterford Leader
Phort Láirge Partnership



Walks in Ballyduff and Mocollop

In conjunction with the **Tús** Community Work Placement Initiative, Waterford Leader Partnership CLG is delighted to be involved with **Ballyduff Upper Tidy Towns**, in providing beneficial assistance to the local community, while also boosting the work readiness of its Tús Participants.

There are a number of Tús participants working with Ballyduff Tidy Towns. A lot of work has been taking place in Mocollop on the circular woodland and river walk there. This area is an old unused quarry and during the removal and cutting of the laurels an iron implement was recovered from the ground. Upon investigation by Pad Flynn from the Tidy Towns Committee he found out from a past worker in the quarry that this implement was used for drilling holes in the rock by hand. Not the easiest of work as this crowbar is really heavy and had to be held by one worker while being hit with a mallet by another worker to make a hole in the rock to hold the blasting material. Interesting find!

Great progress has also been made on the Bohereen Walk. A low stone wall has been newly constructed from all the old stone lying around the area from fallen walls. This walk is part of a Managed Wild Flower Area and is being planted after full completion of the wall.

The work being carried out by Tús is making a difference to the look of the village and is free for everyone to enjoy.

Waterford Leader Partnership is proud to be a part of this wonderful community initiative and are inviting applications for Tús involvement, on an on-going basis. An Expression of Interest Form, with the eligibility criteria, can be found on our main website page.



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