



A Weekend of Walking amid  
stunning Atlantic Coastal Scenery,  
Crystal Clear Waters, Green Coast

Award Winning Beaches  
Surrounded by a Rich  
Natural, Built and Cultural  
Heritage plus there will be  
Music Nightly!

Weekend Walking Pass €20

For all Travel,  
Accommodation, Island,  
and Festival Information visit:

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**FRI 24th: Festival Launch**

Talk by Author, Tour Leader and Wildlife Photographer  
Anthony McGeehan: 'Birds of the Wild West,  
Inishbofin Island, Co. Galway'

**SAT 25th: 'Down Chorus Walk' with Anthony McGeehan**  
Guided early morning bird-spotting walk

**Lecture by renowned Archaeologist**

Michael Gibbons delivers lecture: 'New Research on  
Inishbofin and the Western Islands of Connacht'

**Guided Archaeological Walk**

'Inishbofin, Knock Hill – from the Bronze Age to the  
Nineteenth Century'

**Photography Walk by Inishbofin Photographer**

Local photographer and historian Marie Coyne will lead  
a 'Visual Walk' around the island.

**'Inishbofin Northern Sunset'**

A guided walk at dusk with Michael Gibbons

**SUN 26th: Lecture and Visit to Inishark Island**

A lecture on the history and archaeology of Inishark  
followed by a boat trip and guided tour of the island with  
local historian Tommy Burke.

*Vibrant, Dramatic and Ready to Explore*

**Inishbofin Island Walking Festival,  
Connemara, Co. Galway  
24th-26th May 2013**

# INISHBOFIN ISLAND WALKING FESTIVAL

## 24TH - 26TH MAY 2013

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### FRIDAY 24TH

20.30 - 21.30      Opening Lecture: 'Birds of the Wild West, Inishbofin, Co. Galway' with Author and Photographer, Anthony McGeehan.

### SATURDAY 25TH

06.30 - 08.30      'Dawn Chorus Bird Watching Walk' with Anthony McGeehan

11.00 - 12.30      Lecture with Michael Gibbons: 'New Research on Inishbofin and the Western Islands of Connacht

13.30 - 15.30      Walk with Michael Gibbons: 'Inishbofin, Knock Hill - From the Bronze Age to the Nineteenth Century'

16.00 - 17.30      'Visual Walk 'of the Island with local Genealogist and Photographer Marie Coyne. Suitable for all ages - don't forget your camera!

20.00 - 22.00      'Inishbofin Northern Sunset' - A Guided Walk at Dusk with Archaeologist Michael Gibbons

### SUNDAY 26TH

10.30 - 11.30      A Talk on the History and Archaeology of Inishark with Local Historian Tommy Burke

12.00 - 15.30      A Guided Trip to and tour of Inishark Island with Tommy Burke  
*(Weather Permitting. Extra Charge €10 for Boat Fare)*

**'Weekend Walking Pass' for all walks costs €20**

All Walks will start from the Inishbofin Community Centre unless otherwise stated.

Walkers are advised to bring rainproof clothing, strong & suitable footwear, water and a snack.

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