

Residents and Pupils to plant fruit trees along side the 125yr old School Path

Magazine Rd & Surrounding Areas Residents Association along with boys and girls from Glasheen National School and with the support of the Parks Dept. Cork City Council will be planting apple and pear fruit trees along the side of the School Path on Magazine Road at 11am on Thurs 31st March.

This path has been in existence since 1897, when children created and used the pathway as a short cut to get to the old Glasheen National School which was located at the Glasheen Road end of the path. The children back then would have been delighted to get their hands on some fruit as they headed to and from school.

This tree planting event is a continuation of the tree planting in 2021 by residents and City Council to commemorate all those in our community who passed away at the height of the COVID pandemic and is in keeping with the residents efforts to enhance biodiversity in the community.

The pathway has recently been upgraded by Cork City Council and includes a new improved surface, new public lighting and a bicycle repair station.

The old school was demolished in the late 1960s and today there is a commemorative plaque at the original school site on the Glasheen Rd entrance to the School Path.

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