

28th September 2018

FREE EVENTS

Earthen Building UK and Ireland
presents

EBUKI Conference

This is our 10th annual conference, but the first one to be held in Ireland. This year's theme is:

The Secret Life of Earth

Our Irish and international speakers will present topics such as our hidden earth-built heritage, building a contemporary cob house in Ireland and experiences from the U.S.A.

Friday 28th September 2018
Tickets: €115



Cob Meitheal

Join our free hands-on meitheal to build a cob bench with Thomas and Ulrike Riedmuller (the Hollies, Cork).

*This is a drop-in taster event only. For in-depth instruction in building with cob, see **Upcycled Cob Dome Workshop**.*

Monday 24th
Tuesday 25th
Wednesday 26th
Thursday 27th



EBUKI

Dinner and Céilí

After a week of building with earth, learning new skills, exchanging ideas and forming new friendships, swap your wellies for your dancing shoes and join us for food and a hooley in the atmospheric surroundings of the Irish National Heritage Park's Crannóg.

Friday 28th September
Tickets: €35



Open House Tours

29th September 2018

The southeast boasts the highest density of surviving earthen buildings in Ireland. Join us on the trail to meet the homeowners, architects and builders as they open their doors, show you around and answer your questions. The tours are self-drive. Directions will be available to download from www.ebuki.co and from the Irish National Heritage Park.

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Clayfest! 2018

International Festival
of Earthen Architecture

24 - 29 September

Irish National Heritage Park
Ferrycarrig, Co. Wexford, Ireland

Clayfest! Workshops

24th - 27th September 2018

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Artistry in Clay

Clay plasters can be applied to all types of buildings. Learn decorative techniques, including sculpting, carving and polishing with natural building legends, Bill and Athena Steen of the Canelo Project, U.S.A.

Monday 24th
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Tickets: €85 per day



Mudwall Repair

Traditional earth-built homes are hidden all over Ireland. Learn about the most common causes of mudwall failure and how to fix them with Colin Ritchie and Féile Butler (conservation architect) of Mud and Wood, Sligo.

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Upcycled Cob Dome

Build a cob dome incorporating found objects. Combine contemporary cob construction techniques with waste crisis management, led by Louise Halestrap & Lizzie Wynn, the Centre for Alternative Technology, Wales.

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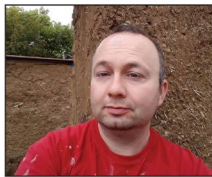


Stone & Earth Mortar

Thousands of our traditional stone buildings were built with mud. Tried & tested for centuries, earth mortars are robust and enduring. Build a stone sculpture under the expert eye of local mason, Brian Tobin (Wexford)

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Earth Block Towers

Why build with concrete blocks, when you can build with earth blocks instead? Join Tom Morton and Becky Little (RebEarth, Scotland) in building a series of round towers exploring a broad range of materials and natural building techniques.

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Wattle and Daub

Learn how and when to harvest hazel and willow, how to prepare it, how to build a wattle wall, and how to mix and apply the daub, guided by Leitrim-based woodsmen, Niall Miller and Joe Gowran of Muintir na Coille.

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Reed & Earth Plaster

This is an ancient Spanish tradition, being brought to Ireland for the first time by Anna Altemir of Base-A, Spain. Design and build a pavilion by sewing reeds together and applying a naturally waterproofed clay plaster.

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Turf Walls & Roofs

Daniël Postma (ArchaeoBuild, The Netherlands) will look at variations in turf and how different types have distinct roles to play. Harvest your own turf with an array of specialised tools, build turf walls and a turf roof.

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Clay-Hemp Walls

This cutting-edge technology combines clay's health benefits with hemp's insulating properties. Play with mixes and build experimental thermal walls with natural building expert, architect and author, Tom Woolley (Co. Down).

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