

SCÉALTA ÁTHA CLIATH DUBLIN STORIES

12–22 DEIREADH FÓMHAIR/OCTOBER 2010



BIDDY JENKINSON ag léamh as
'An tAthair Pádraig Ó Duinnín – Bleachtaire'
i leabharlanna mhórchéantar Átha Cliath...

*Biddy Jenkinson reads from her acclaimed book
'AN tATHAIR PÁDRAIG Ó DUINNÍN – BLEACHTAIRE'
in libraries throughout the Dublin region...*

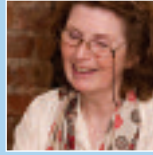
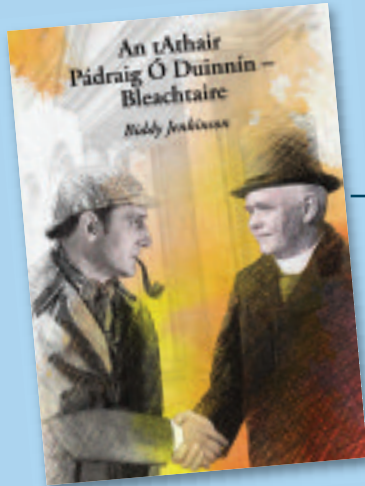
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Fiontar breá nua chun leabhair
Ghaeilge a chur chun cinn.

*A major new initiative to annually promote a chosen Irish language
book in the Dublin region, in co-operation with libraries and book clubs.*



AN LEABHAR...



*An tAthair
Pádraig Ó Duinnín
– Bleachtaire*

le Biddu Jenkinson
(Coiscéim)

Ní gá dúinn a rá cérbh é an Duinníneach. Nach bhfuil sé cois na leapa againn go léir. Ach ar eagla nach raibh a fhios agat é, athionchollaíodh ina bhleachtair amaitéarach é ní fada ó shin agus go leor cásanna suimiúla réitithe aige. Bhí lámh ag Biddu Jenkinson, asarlaí focal, leis an ngnó diamhair seo ar fad. Is í údar *An tAthair Pádraig Ó Duinnín – Bleachtair* í. D'fhéadfá a rá gurb é atá sa Duinníneach nua seo ná Hercule Poirot gléasta mar Father Brown (nó vice versa?). Aon scéal déag atá i leabhar Bhiddy, aon chás déag le réiteach...

The Rev Patrick S Dinneen, was the compiler of the legendary *Foclóir Gaedhilge agus Béarla* – an Irish-English dictionary renowned for its often strange definitions. Biddu Jenkinson's *An tAthair Pádraig Ó Duinnín – Bleachtair* conjures up a world in which Dinneen is not only a lexicographer but an amateur detective in the mould of a Father Brown or Hercule Poirot. The book features eleven spellbinding stories, eleven cases to solve...

Biddu Jenkinson is hailed by Ciaran Carson as 'one of our greatest writers in any language', and her alternative universe evokes Flann O'Brien as much as Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. In a nod to Father Ted, a tea-dispensing Mrs Doyle appears in one story; and in another, Dinneen encounters Sherlock Holmes or Searlach de Hoilm...

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LIBRARY READINGS WITH BIDDY JENKINSON

Imeachtaí don Aos fásta / Adult Events

Tuesday 12 October Clondalkin Library, 7.00pm

Wednesday 13 October Blanchardstown Library, 7.00pm

Tuesday 19 October Dundrum Library, 6.30pm

Wednesday 20 October Cabra Library, 6.30pm

Imeachtaí do Pháistí / Children's Events

Wednesday 13 October Blanchardstown Library, 11.30am

Thursday 14 October Cabra Library, 11.30am

Monday 18 October Clondalkin Library, 11.30am

Friday 22 October Cabinteely Library, 10.00am

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Clondalkin Library, (01) 459 3315

Blanchardstown Library, (01) 890 5560/890 5563

Dundrum Library, (01) 298 5000

Cabinteely Library, (01) 285 5363

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Is maith le IMRAM a bheith in ann comhoibriú go díograiseach le Leabharlanna Chathair Átha Cliath, Dún Laoghaire-Ráth an Dúin, Fine Gall, agus Átha Cliath Theas, agus le ClubLeabhar.com a roghnaigh leabhar Jenkinson don fhiontar breá nua seo – **Scéaltá Átha Cliath** – chun leabhair Ghaeilge a chur chun cinn. Beidh Bidy ag léamh as an leabhar i leabharlanna mhórchéantar Átha Cliath agus is é rogha ClubLeabhar.com do mhí Dheireadh Fómhair é chomh maith.

IMRAM is delighted to join forces with the libraries of Dublin City, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown, Fingal and South Dublin county councils, and ClubLeabhar.com in choosing *An tAthair Pádraig Ó Duinnín Bleachtaire* as the first selection for **Scéalta Átha Cliath/Dublin Stories**, a major new initiative to promote Irish language books.

In October Bidy will read in libraries throughout the greater Dublin area, and ClubLeabhar.com will feature her book as its October choice. The ClubLeabhar.com website will feature a special glossary explaining words and phrases in the book.

Bidy will also read from her children's books in a series of special events for young readers.

