

YES, I'd like to support the **Irish Heart Foundation's** goal to reduce death and disability from heart disease and stroke.

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PLEASE RETURN IN AN ENVELOPE TO:
 THE IRISH HEART FOUNDATION,
 50 RINGSEND ROAD, DUBLIN 4

Let's Go Walking...

Here are a few useful tips to enjoy your walk and keep your heart healthy.

- If you're not in the habit of taking regular exercise, start slowly, enjoy being out and about and gradually build up to the recommended 30 minutes a day.
- Drink a glass of water before and after your walk and don't forget, wear good, comfortable shoes.
- Gradually warm up at the beginning and cool down towards the end.
- Loose clothing is more comfortable and in winter choose layers rather than thick, chunky clothes.
- Try to incorporate walking into your daily activities. Walk to work, to meetings or the shops. The list is endless.
- If you have a history of heart trouble or other significant medical illness, talk to your doctor before you start. Stop if you experience unusual symptoms such as chest pain, dizziness or breathlessness and consult your doctor.
- Why not invite your friends, family or work colleagues to join you when you go walking.
- Now that you are a regular walker, get fitter and be active for at least 60 minutes a day.



Supported by The Irish Sports Council and the HSE

Slí na Sláinte

A regular programme of walking...

- Keeps your heart strong
 - Improves muscle strength
 - Helps to manage your weight
 - Makes you feel good
- ...but above all walking is fun!

Physical Activity

- Reduces risk for several chronic diseases including heart disease, stroke, high blood pressure, osteoporosis, anxiety and depression.
- For health benefits you need to walk for at least 30 minutes 5 days of the week. You can accumulate the 30 minutes or more over 2 or 3 shorter sessions a day for optimum health benefits.

Help to maintain Slí na Sláinte
 Please report any dangerous obstacles or missing/damaged signs to:
 Municipal District of Ratoath Office
 01 801 1100

The Irish Heart Foundation
 50 Ringsend Road, Dublin 4
 T. 01 668 5001 F. 01 668 5896
 E. info@irishheart.ie

Heart and Stroke Helpline 1890 432 787
 www.irishheart.ie www.stroke.ie
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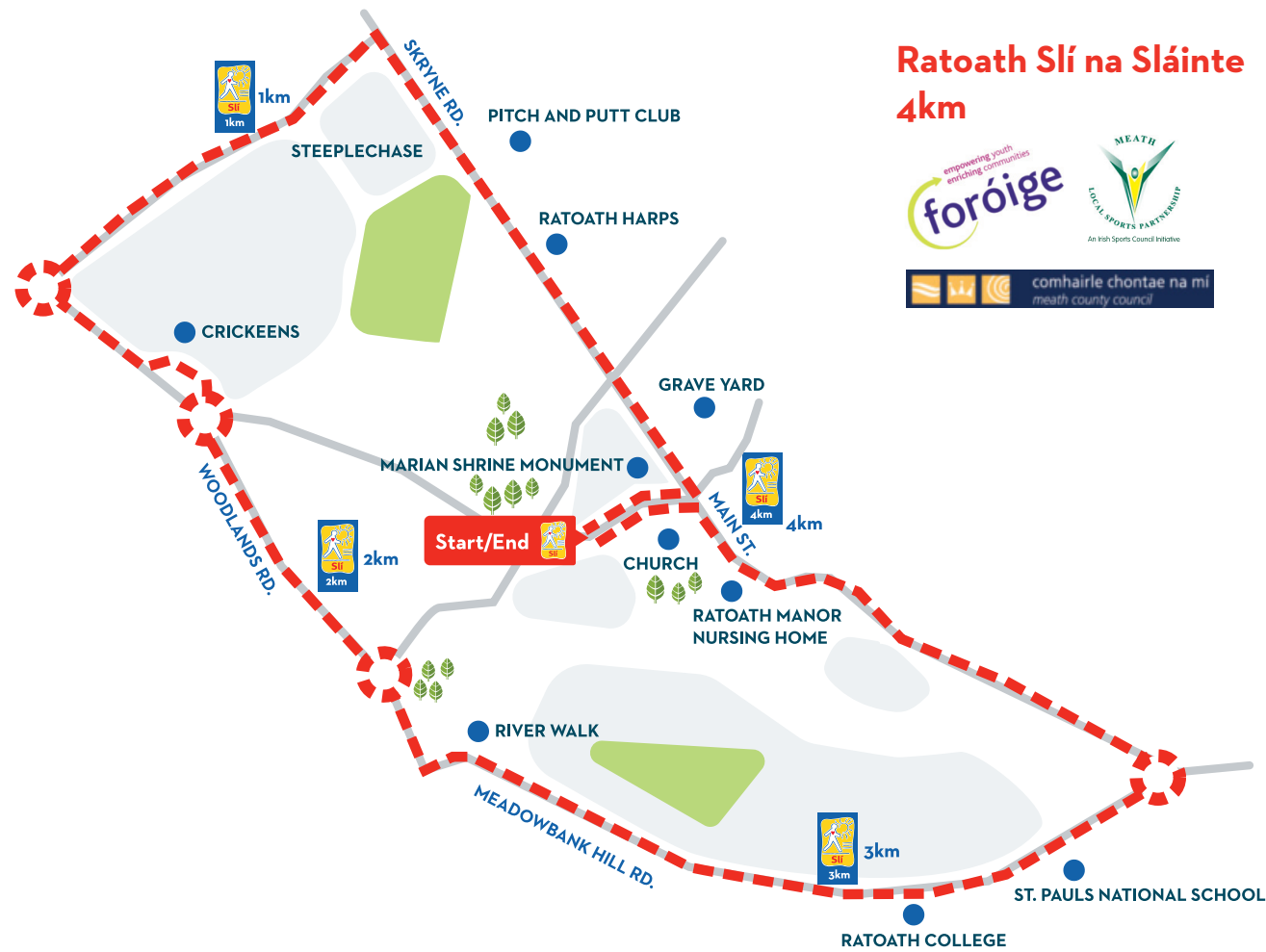


Let's Go Walking...



Ratoath Slí na Sláinte

Supported and co-funded by Ratoath Foróige Youth Club, Meath County Council and Meath Local Sports Partnership. Privately sponsored by local businesses in Ratoath.



Ratoath Slí na Sláinte 4km



Distance-Time	4 kilometres/approx. 1 hour
Difficulty	Easy
Terrain	Road
To Suit	All levels of fitness
Start/Finish Point	Community Centre
Minimum Gear	Walking shoes and rain gear
Grid Ref	53.507477, -6.460390

The Irish Heart Foundation

The Irish Heart Foundation is the national charity fighting heart disease and stroke. We support, educate and train people to save lives, campaign for patients, promote positive health, support research and provide vital public information. We need your support, through donations, as a volunteer or on our training courses.

Slí na Sláinte

Slí na Sláinte stands for 'path to health'. Developed by the Irish Heart Foundation — the national heart and stroke charity — it's a sociable way to make walking far more enjoyable. Already, it's capturing the attention of young and old, not only in Ireland but in Europe and other parts of the world too! And no wonder, because it's a fun, healthy way for the average adult to accumulate the recommended minimum of thirty minutes of physical activity five days of the week. You'll find Slí na Sláinte walking routes all over Ireland. They are marked by bright colourful signposts which are not numbered and are situated at 1km intervals. Simply follow the km signs, set your pace to suit your enjoyment and you'll quickly feel better and get fitter. You will also experience a great sense of achievement.

PLEASE DETACH HERE, PLACE IN AN ENVELOPE AND RETURN TO THE ADDRESS BELOW

THE IRISH HEART FOUNDATION
50 RINGSEND ROAD
DUBLIN 4

Ratoath Foróige Youth Club are delighted to bring Slí na Sláinte (Path to Health) to our village. This is a 4km marked looped route around our village.

It starts at the Community Centre and continues along Main Street towards the Marian Shrine. Take a left here. The old Cemetery can be seen to your right and is situated in the peaceful and tranquil grounds of the ruined Church of Ireland Church at the back of the village. Continue through the crossroads (Barracks Cross) walking by the Coderliss sports grounds to your right containing both Ratoath Harps, our villages' soccer club and Ratoath Pitch & Putt Club.

Proceed along the Skryne Road taking the next left after Steeplechase which is to your left, to your right a crop field. At the next roundabout take a left. Hidden neatly at Steeplechase is the Crickeens ancient burial ground marked by a specially crafted Commemorative Monument. Taking the second left at

the next roundabout, walk down Woodlands Road. Take the second exit at the next roundabout crossing over the Broadmeadow River. You then take a left at the traffic lights passing the Riverwalk on your left hand side. Continue along the Meadowbank Hill Road. Further to your right you can see Ratoath College, the villages second level school and Ratoath Scouts Den.

As you approach the next roundabout St. Pauls National School can be seen to your right. Take a left at this roundabout. Walking back along the winding road into the village you pass Ratoath Manor Nursing Home before passing the Church of the Most Holy Trinity which contains within its grounds a flat topped earthen mound known as the Ratoath Motte and Bailey.

The Ratoath Slí na Sláinte finishes at the Community Centre. We really hope that you enjoy it.

Ratoath Foróige Youth Club