



'Children connecting with the past through embroidery', by children from Limavady Community Development Initiative (LCDI) Afterschool Club. (Photo: Grace McAlister)

Binevenagh and Coastal Lowlands Landscape Partnership would like to invite you to the unveiling of a new textile **'Children connecting with the past through embroidery'** created by the LCDI Afterschool Club and Conflict Textiles.

The textile was created as part of **'The Workhouse Through the Times'** project funded by the National Lottery Heritage Fund, which aims to provide additional engagement in, and awareness of, the Limavady Workhouse. During September and October 2022, eleven children from Limavady Community Development Initiative (LCDI) Afterschool Club took part in workshops facilitated by LCDI, CCGBC Museum Service and Conflict Textiles. They learnt about the experience of children who lived in the workhouse in the 19th century – their living conditions, food, work and clothing. Each child then created a small textile by embroidering their initials in Victorian alphabet style, on off-cuts of linen which was then brought together into a final textile art piece.

The textile will be unveiled on **December 12th** at **4pm** at **LCDI Afterschool Club** (17 Rathbeg Drive, Limavady, BT49 0BB). Please let me know if you will be able to attend by emailing grace@ccght.org.

Kind regards

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