

## NOVEMBER 2025 CITY HALL FUNCTION APPLICATIONS

NAME OF ORGANISATION	FUNCTION DATE	FUNCTION DESCRIPTION	CRITERIA MET	ROOM CHARGE
Multi-Ethnic Sports & Cultures Northern Ireland (MSCNI)	10 January 2026	<b>MSCNI 10th Anniversary &amp; Launch of Northern Ireland Sports, Cultures and Neighbourhood Stories Awards (NISCANS Awards)</b> The NISCANS Awards aim to shine a light on local heroes, community champions, and organisations who have helped welcome individuals and families who have migrated to NI from diverse backgrounds, contributing to inclusion, cohesion and a shared sense of belonging. Awards, cultural performances followed by dinner and entertainment.  Numbers attending – 100	C & D	Current rate free as charity
Department of Education N.Ireland / Ireland	12 May 2026	<b>Creative Connections Shared Island Pilot Programme– Celebration Day</b> to celebrate the work of young people, Teachers and Creative Practitioners and showcase the value of cross border collaboration in Education. Speeches, showcase of work, entertainment followed by lunch.  Numbers attending – 230	A & D	<i>Event post April 2026 - Charge TBC</i>
Cregagh Wanderers Football Club	22 May 2026	<b>Cregagh Wanderers FC 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration</b> – Formal dinner with presentations and light entertainment.  Numbers attending – 200	C	<i>Event post April 2026 - Charge TBC</i>
Northern Ireland Screen	3 June 2026	<b>Ulster-Scots Broadcast Fund USA 250 reception at the Celtic Media Festival</b> – coinciding with the Celtic Media Festival, Ulster Scots Broadcast Fund would like to celebrate it's 15-year anniversary and showcase the work they have funded for broadcasters including BBC NI and RTE with a drinks reception with light catering, speeches and showreels played.  Numbers attending – 200	A, B & C	<i>Event post April 2026 - Charge TBC</i>

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The Church of Ireland	28 June 2026	<b>Opening Gala Dinner for the 19<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Anglican Consultative Council (ACC-19).</b> The council, which includes Anglican bishops, other clergy, and laity, meets every 2-3 years in different parts of the world. This dinner followed by speeches will see attendees from over 40 countries.  Numbers attending – 180	A & B	<i>Event post April 2026 - Charge TBC</i>
Queen's University Belfast (QUB)	2 July 2026	<b>QUB International Summer School Farewell Event</b> – Drinks reception followed by dinner, speeches and awards to celebrate around 100 international students who will have been studying in Belfast for 3 weeks prior to event.  Numbers attending - 100	A & B	<i>Event post April 2026 - Charge TBC</i>
Heritage Network	28 September 2026	<b>Heritage Network Conference Dinner</b> following main conference day in the assembly buildings. The event is expected to attract 250+ delegates from across the community heritage sector in the UK. Reception, dinner, presentations and cultural performances.  Numbers attending – 300	A & B	<i>Event post April 2026 - Charge TBC</i>
ImageNation NI	17 October 2026	<b>Belfast Diwali 2026</b> – Indian celebration event with dinner and cultural performances to mark the festival of Diwali.  Number attending – 400	D	<i>Event post April 2026 - Charge TBC</i>
Gertrude Star Flute Band	31 October 2026	<b>Gertrude Star 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner</b> – drinks reception, dinner, speeches and presentations followed by flute band performance and live music to end the evening.  Numbers attending 150	C	<i>Event post April 2026 - Charge TBC</i>