

Cromane Seafest - Sensory Hub “Calm Cove”

A standout feature of Cromane Seafest 2025 was the dedicated Sensory Hub, designed to create an inclusive and welcoming environment for attendees of all ages and abilities. The Sensory Hub provided a calm, accessible space where children and adults could take a break from the busy festival atmosphere. It was thoughtfully equipped with sensory-friendly resources, including tactile toys, soft seating, and visual aids, ensuring that those with additional needs or sensory sensitivities could fully enjoy the festival experience. The hub was decorated with sea-themed artwork created by local schoolchildren during a pre-festival arts day, adding a personal and community-focused touch.

Throughout the weekend, the Sensory Hub was actively used by families seeking a quiet retreat, as well as by children who benefited from a structured, supportive space. Festival volunteers were on hand to offer assistance and ensure the hub remained a safe and comfortable area for all. The positive feedback received from parents and carers highlighted the importance of such an initiative, with many expressing appreciation for the festival’s commitment to accessibility and inclusion. The success of the Sensory Hub has reinforced our intention to continue and expand this offering in future years, further strengthening Cromane Seafest’s reputation as a family-friendly and inclusive event.



**welcome to
calm cove-**



**here is the
outside of
calm cove**



Here is the door where you enter into calm cove



This is calm cove with the sensory lights on



There is a led Tube light to see



There are blue bean bags to sit and relax



here is our
weighted bear
that you can give
a cuddle to or say
hello to



There are
Interactive mats
on the ground
that you can
explore.





**next door to calm
cove is the
sensory tour of
the sea**



**here is the
door to go to
the sensory
tour**



**This is the sensory
tour of the sea!**



**here we can see
jelly led lights
hanging**



At the sensory tour there are Star fish and other sea creatures to see and touch!!



Here is a water play!



Here is a sea turtle with sea weed to explore!



here is water jelly see if you can find some seashells!