



National museum's knitters help secure world record

THE Knitting Circle, comprising dedicated knitters who visit the National **Museum** of Ireland – **Country Life, Turlough**, Castlebar, each month, didn't drop a stitch when they joined over 1,000 other knitters to craft a new Guinness world record in Hyde Park stadium, Roscommon.

They, along with members of the Castlebar Quilter's Group and the Foxford and Kilmovee knitting groups, headed off to Roscommon for some fast and furious knitting.

A new world record was achieved as 1,147 people knitted simultaneously for 15 minutes accompanied by a local band to keep everyone in time!

Congratulations and well done to all those involved from everyone at the **museum**.

The museum's knitting circle meets from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the first and third Friday of each month at **Turlough Park**.

All are all welcome to attend and for more information ring (094) 9031751.



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