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## New Garda Superintendent For Dungarvan

Last Thursday saw the arrival of a new Superintendent for the Dungarvan Garda District.

Catherine Clancy, a native of Donegal, takes up the post of Dungarvan Garda Superintendent from Supt. Pat Quinn who returns to Dublin after eight months of service in the town. One of only two female Superintendents in Ireland, Supt. Clancy comes from the Community Relations Section at Harcourt Square, Dublin.

During her successful career with the Garda Síochána, Supt. Clancy worked for six months on a United Nations peace-keep-

ing mission in Cambodia. As part of the U.N. Transitional Authority Cambodia (U.N.T.A.C.), Supt. Clancy was involved in augmenting local police forces in the run up to elections.

She started her career at Pearse Street Garda Station in 1975/76 and later transferred in 1979 to Divisional Headquarters which were open to female members. Supt. Clancy was subsequently transferred to Naas Garda Station where she spent 12 months. In 1980

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Jerry Kingston retired recently as Chief Agricultural Officer with Teagasc. Jerry is pictured above front centre with his wife Peggy and Teagasc staff members at a presentation function held in the Park Hotel to mark the occasion. (Rory Wyley)

## Demise Of Lismore Music Festival As Committee Disbands

Plans for the continuation of the Annual Lismore Festival of Early Music came to a sudden, unexpected end last Monday week with the surprise resignation of Festival Director, Mary Ryan.

News of the Festival's loss to the heritage town has been greeted with shock and disappointment by local inhabitants who have benefited greatly from the festival's financial spin-offs over the past three years.

The Festival started on a small scale in 1993 and promised to develop into a major cultural event. The brainchild of Dutch born musical director, Jan Van Putten, on its inaugural year, the musical fete attracted almost 4,000 people. Last year's Festival attracted an Arts Council grant and two new major sponsors, Guinness and Waterford Crystal.

### INTERNAL DIFFICULTIES

The first major blow to the stability of the Early Music Festival came last July in the form of two shock resignations from the Festival's organising committee. Instigator and musical director, Mr. Van Putten together with his wife, journalist,

### BY AISLING CONROY

Maureen Fox, who acted as Festival Press Officer, both resigned from the committee because of what they described as "tensions within the group."

In the wake of these resignations, Festival Director, Mary Ryan stated that "those of us that are remaining will strive even harder to ensure that next year's event is just as successful as the three previous ones." Sadly the above hopes did not come true for the Festival, which has now reached the end of the proverbial road. Despite these and other assurances at the time that the Festival would continue to go from strength to strength, its demise was confirmed at a recent meeting presided over by the Chairperson, Mrs. Ryan.

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You should call into your Citizens Information Centre to find out other Budget developments (that will be coming into force during the year), that may be of benefit and interest to you.

(This column has been compiled by Dungarvan Community Information Centre which provides a free and confidential service to the citizen at the Courthouse, Dungarvan. Opening hours — Tuesday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Wednesday — 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Saturday — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Telephone No. 058-44633.)

## FINE GAEL NOTES

### Dungarvan Branch Annual General Meeting

A very successful 1996 Annual General Meeting of the Dungarvan Branch of Fine Gael was held in Lawlor's Hotel on Monday, February 12. Deputy Austin Deasy and Cllr. Richard Power were in attendance.

The first piece of business dealt with at this year's A.G.M. was the election of officers. It was unanimously decided that the position of Honorary Life President by bestowed upon one of Fine Gael's most committed and loyal members, Michael Butler, Mapstown. Michael Butler's family links to Fine Gael goes right back to the foundation of the party.

Other officers elected at this year's Annual General Meeting were:

Chairperson — Damien Geoghegan; Vice-Chairperson — Tom Power; Secretary — Ned Keane; Joint Treasurers — Pat O'Mahony,

Eileen Foley; P.R.O. — Natanya O'Mahony; Branch Organiser — Mrs. Wyer.

The incoming chairperson Damien Geoghegan then addressed the meeting and thanked the members for having confidence in electing him to the position of chairperson. He said he was looking forward to 1996 and working with the new committee in the year ahead. He spoke of the encouragement it gave him to see so many new members at this year's meeting.

Deputy Austin Deasy T.D. then addressed the meeting and wished the new committee well in the year ahead. Deputy Deasy spoke of the need for Fine Gael to have a strong and vibrant branch of the party at local level.

All members present agreed that it was one of the most successful and satisfactory Annual General Meetings with a number of years.

# United Farmers Deputation Meet With County Council

A deputation of the Waterford County Executive of the United Farmers Association (UFA) met with members of Waterford County Council at their February meeting to discuss the disadvantages of blanket afforestation and to request the Council to maintain rural roads.

PRO and former president of the UFA, Paddy Phelan from Ballymacarby was accompanied at the meeting by Chairman of the Waterford UFA William Bray.

The following is the statement Mr. Phelan presented to each Council member in which he outlines two resolutions put forward by the UFA;

"(1) That planning permission be mandatory for all tree plantations of one acre

or more. Blanket afforestation has a major detrimental effect on the environment. Adjoining lands on the western and northern sides of any plantation receive much reduced amount of direct sunlight. In winter this can mean persistent frost, with no thaw, for weeks on end. In summer it means reduced crop quality and poor harvesting conditions.

"Living conditions of local inhabitants who are surround-

ed by trees change drastically. Their view of the countryside and of their neighbours can be shut out as well as their view of the sun. There is evidence that increased pollen count can adversely affect asthma sufferers.

"We in UFA feel that agriculture should take precedence over afforestation for all land that becomes available. Many small farmers need extra land to survive and those small farmers have always been the bedrock of the economic, social and cultural life of our country.

"(2) That teams of workmen should be employed by Waterford County Council,

on a full time basis, to maintain rural roads. The traditional method of cleaning water inlets by manual shovel work can never be mechanised and attempts to do so are futile, shortsighted and very expensive. It makes poor sense and worse economics to have perfect roads with tarred surface demolished by water which should be flowing at regular intervals into existing but untended inlets or gulleys. It has always been an accepted principle that if you want to maintain a road of any description that you first of all divert water from it. Modern ideas, modern technology or modern machinery do not alter this fact. Given the opportunity water will erode".

## Forbairt Continues To Promote Small Business In Lismore

Brian O'Shea T.D., Minister of State, has been assured by the Forbairt Regional Director that small business in the Lismore area is being actively promoted.

Minister O'Shea has been informed that Forbairt have recently appointed a member of staff who will be dedicated to the development of small industry in Waterford County and South Tipperary. At least half of this person's time will be dedicated

to County Waterford.

Forbairt also pointed out that they are represented on the County Enterprise Board, the County Enterprise Board Evaluation Committee, the Waterford Development Partnership Company and LEADER Enterprise Company as well as the Enterprise Sub-Committees associated with these Boards.

The Minister was also told that Forbairt are working with Community Groups in

both Cappoquin and Tallow to provide an enterprise centre in Cappoquin and expand the one in Tallow so as to encourage enterprise in the area. Discussions also took place with the Partnership Company with a view to setting up a Community Enterprise Centre in Lismore. However, to date, no community group has come forward to progress it. Other initiatives under examination for Lismore are the possibility of setting up a craft centre at the old railway station and the consideration of providing workplaces in the old hospital.

Mr. O'Shea, in conclusion, encouraged all the enterprise and employment creating agencies to continue to focus on increasing the level of enterprise in the West Waterford area which is very low when compared with other countries in the Region.



Coolnasmear N.S. quiz team who were runners-up in the Dungarvan Credit Union Inter-Primary Schools Quiz held in the Mercy Convent recently. Front row — Paul Norris, Deirdre Simmons, Coleen Fahey and Sandra Browne; back row — Sean Cleary (Credit Union), Bernadette Walsh, Tony Colbert and Francis Walsh (Credit Union).

(Photo: Jimmy Power)

## Leader Crossword Solutions

### SIMPLEX SOLUTIONS

ACROSS: 1 Reasonable; 9 Spine; 10 Ten; 11 Eat; 12 Hoop; 13 Eyot; 15 Sport; 17 Mends; 21 Teem; 22 Lair; 25 Fee; 26 Ant; 27 Fence; 28 Distracted. DOWN: 2 Evict; 3 Shepherd; 4 Notion; 5 Bunk; 6 Enemy; 7 Asset; 8 State; 14 Terrific; 16 Pretend; 18 Staff; 19 Matter; 20 Steer; 23 Dance; 24 Mats.

### QUICK SOLUTIONS

ACROSS: 1 Cathedrals; 9 Moths; 10 Eel; 11 Ink; 12 Earn; 13 Jeep; 15 Usurp; 17 Snare; 21 Pool; 22 Shoe; 25 Rot; 26 Use; 27 Enter; 28 Deflection. DOWN: 2 Alter; 3 Hostelry; 4 Dreary; 5 Axle; 6 Shine; 7 Smart; 8 Skips; 14 Interest; 16 Spotted; 18 Apart; 19 Cheese; 20 Beard; 23 Motto; 24 Turf.



# Dungarvan Dramatic Club News

Only two more weeks to go before our next production "I do not like thee, Dr. Fell" hits the boards. Our producer, Siobhán Buckley is putting the cast through the ropes and 'relating' very well with everyone.

Siobhán hails from Dublin and has been a member of Dungarvan Dramatic Club since her arrival to Dungarvan. She has played several roles in our productions. This is not her first time producing for us, her first production



**CAST OF "I DO NOT LIKE THEE, DR. FELL".** — Left to right: Peter (Joe Kelly), Maureen (Liz Morrissey), Roger (Brendan Morrissey), Suzy (Padraigin Ní Cadhla), Rita (Brid Nielsen) and Joe (Henry O'Keeffe). Not in photo: Hank Regan who plays Daddy. — (Photo: Pat Crowley).



**Producer**  
**Siobhán Buckley**

being "A view from the Obelisk" was one of a group of one act plays the club put on a couple of years ago.

Siobhán, very successfully runs her own Montessori School, Tír Na nOg in Abbeyside.

This play is quite interesting in that it deals with the interaction between people of various types and up-

bringings all left to their own devices in one enclosed area. It is all very well and good to come across unusual people in our daily lives from time to time but why would anyone really want to 'relate and communicate' with them in a real and in depth level. This is what the play explores, in fact all these people in a way I sup-

pose are beginning a journey of sorts from which we are unsure where they will emerge. From nerves to curves to deep rooted problems, potential disasters, and general typecasters, 'different' people and lovers of animals, the results of this "Encounter Group" could be somewhat explosive !!!

# New Auctioneering Firm For Dungarvan



**PAT MOLONEY**

Local businessman Pat Moloney having recently qualified for an auctioneers licence is pleased to announce the opening of his new auctioneering firm — Pat Moloney Auctioneers.

Pat is probably better known as the proprietor of Pat Moloney's Furniture Shop, Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, one of the leading furniture retail outlets in the South East.

Pat began his working life at the age of seventeen when

he joined Dungarvan Crystal as an apprentice glass cutter. It had always been his ambition to own his own business, and in 1987 he opened a small furniture shop in a rented premises in Scanlon's Yard, Dungarvan. Some months later he moved to larger premises in Western Terrace and in 1991 he built his own 6,000 sq. ft. showroom at Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan.

It is from these premises that Pat, with the help of his wife Fiona, will be carrying out both his furniture and auctioneering business.

Pat believes that he is opening his new practice at a very buoyant time in the property market. Interest rates are very low at the mo-

ment and should remain so for the remainder of 1996.

Banks and Building Societies are currently offering some very attractive financial packages to house buyers and property development in Dungarvan is at an all time high with the proposed new shopping centre in Main Street, the advance factory at Clogherane, new housing developments at Lisfennell, Kiltrush, O'Connell Street and the proposed developments at Davitt's Quay and the Look Out.

Currently on his books Pat has clients for houses in Sea Park and Southways, Abbeyside. He also requires a country residence on two to four acres of land.

Pat can be contacted on (058) 43381 or call to his office at Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan.

## Declan Nerney For The Cats Bar

Few could have predicted the success that was to follow when Longford's Declan Nerney took the bold step and formed his own band in 1988. He was, of course, no stranger to the music business.

From a very young age, Declan had decided his choice of future career. He subsequently came through the ranks from being a session musician, record producer and lead guitarist for other top performers right to the position where he's arguably the most successful country and Irish entertainer apart from Daniel O'Donnell.

In a short space of time, Nerney has become simply one of the biggest drawing cards around. He is undoubtedly a talented musician with a unique voice and is backed by an excellent band. However, these factors on their own do not always point the way to success. More than anything else, the reason for his popularity has been a single minded dedication to succeed. Declan knew what he wanted and he went for it.

Now only a matter of less than seven years on the road with his own band, the Longford singer's achievements have been nothing short of spectacular. Three gold discs, ("Picture Of My World", "Walking On New Grass", and "Three Way Love Affair"), two silver discs, 12 top ten chart entries and numerous prestigious awards, including the 1992 "Longford Person of the Year", have placed Declan Nerney to the very forefront of Irish entertainment. His new album, "Part Of The Journey" marks a further progressive step for one of Ireland's top entertainment stars. His many fans are expected to turn out in huge numbers for the most exciting show on the road when Declan appears for a big night at The Cats, Melleray on Thursday, March 7th.

# 16th WEST WATERFORD DRAMA FESTIVAL

The details of the 16th West Waterford Drama Festival were announced at a reception in The Blackwater Lodge Hotel, Ballyduff on Thursday night last. The large attendance included sponsors, representatives of the participating groups and members of the organising committee. The special guest was Seanachai, Eamonn Kiely who enthralled his audience with his wit, humour and yarns.

The Chairman of the Festival, Mr. Richie Walsh welcomed the attendance. He was lavish in his praise of

the Festival sponsors be they major, nightly or special as their support ensured that the Festival continued to be one of the most successful in the country.

This year's Festival runs from Thursday, March 7th to Sunday, March 17th and includes such well known plays as "The Fires of Midsummer", "Dancing at Lughnasa" and "Philadelphia, Here I come" etc. Adjudicator is the highly experienced Alan Nichol. Booking for the Festival is on (058) 60208. More details next week.

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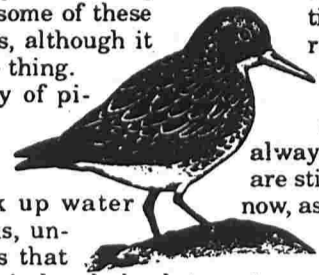
# Junior Encyclopaedia

## PIGEONS

**P**IGEONS can be found worldwide except where it is very cold. These birds are rounded with short legs and soft feathers.

There are up to 300 species of pigeons and some of these are called Doves, although it means the same thing.

The majority of pigeons live on fruits and seeds and all of them can suck up water with their beaks, unlike other birds that have to tilt their heads back to drink.



Pigeons are kept by people for showing or for racing. Domestic pigeons all developed from the wild Rock Dove. This bird lives on ledges and cliffs. The female is responsible for building the nest and she does this by making a shallow twig nest in a dark cave. As I have mentioned, people keep pigeons for racing — they build dovecots for them to live in.

Pigeons were used to carry messages as they nearly always find their way home. They are still bred for racing, but not used now, as much, for messages.

Show pigeons are specially bred for this reason. Their shapes can be changed so much that sometimes they cannot feed their

young.

Wild pigeons are seen in the cities and these are called city pigeons. They come from the domestic pigeons that escaped or were released. They nest on buildings and eat what they can find or are fed in streets and parks. They can be a mixture of colours — black, grey, brown or white.

Wood pigeons live on farms. When the male wants to mate he puffs up the shimmery purple and green feathers on his neck. The male makes a sound (coo) and the pair nibble each other's feathers and caress. When they have done this they are ready to mate.

They build a stick nest together and the female lays two white eggs in it. To feed the chicks pigeons make a type of milk in their crop and the regurgitate this.

## What do you know?

1. In which country is the giant panda found wild?
2. Who wrote the nonsense verse entitled "The Walrus and the Carpenter"?
3. In history, which city was captured by the ruse of the Wooden Horse?
4. In the Bible, what was the secret of Samson's great strength?
5. The First World War began in (a) 1913, (b) 1914, (c) 1918?
6. It has been said of an Italian city: "See . . . and die." What is the name of this city?
7. Which is pommel?
8. A "Treble Bob" is (a) a butterfly, (b) a three-seater bob sleigh, (c) a change-ringing of church bells?
9. Human hair grows faster at night. True or false?
10. Name the patron saint of travellers.

**Answers:**  
 1. China 2. Lewis Carroll 3. Troy 4. His long hair 5. (b) 1914 6. Naples 7. A double cream French cheese 8. (c) Change-ringing of church bells 9. False 10. St Christopher

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## RAIN? WHAT'S THAT? NEVER HEARD OF IT?

Can you imagine living in a country where it very rarely rains? Some countries have so much sun, people wish it would rain.

Take the city of Kano in Northern Nigeria, for example. It is built entirely of baked mud. Rain is so rare that there is little risk of the houses being washed away.

The eastern Sahara has 4,000 hours of sunlight a year — that's nearly 11 hours every day. The town of Calama in the Atacama desert in Chile has never had rain.

Yet, if the earth was flat and all its water was evenly distributed, the whole world would be covered with a layer of water 2.5m. deep. As it is, the seas and oceans cover five-sevenths of the earth's surface.

If all the world's land mass were put together it would still not be as large as the Pacific Ocean. The Pacific is, in fact, a quarter bigger.

And if all the waters in the oceans flowed over the Niagara Falls, 2,000,000 years would pass between the first drop of water falling over the edge and the last.

Although some countries are short of rain, as many as 1800 thunderstorms take place at any time all over the earth.

The temperature produced by giant flashes of lightning can be as high as 30,000°C — five times as hot as the sun's surface.

In one thunderstorm in France in 1968, lightning struck a flock of sheep. It killed all the black ones and left the white ones unharmed.

## EVE WAS ALL FAT

Young chef Pierre de Lorraine borrowed 200 cups of dripping from his mother to sculpture a model of Eve — and won £625 in a Parish exhibition.

The craze for modelling in cold fat brought an entry of 88 sculptures in a Toronto food show. It was a bigger success than a display in New York. The exhibition had to be cancelled when the heat of the hall melted the sculptures.

## DID YOU KNOW?

by AL 782

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THE LARGEST KNOWN CRATER IS IN ARIZONA, USA. IT IS ABOUT 3/4 OF A MILE ACROSS AND WAS ESTIMATED TO HAVE BEEN GOUGED BY A METEORITE AROUND 25,000 B.C.





# Demise Of Lismore Music Festival As Committee Disbands

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Lismore Town Commissioners, Mrs. Ryan made a proposal at the ill attended meeting that the committee disband - a proposal which was grimly accepted without dissent, thus signalling the end of the West Waterford Festival.

## DEEPLY SADDENED

While efforts may yet be made to salvage the Festival, such a massive undertaking to stage the event would be severely hampered by the June Whit weekend deadline.

According to Jan Van Putten, there isn't sufficient time left to save the Festival. The only one of its kind in the country, Mr. Van Putten said the demise of the Early Music Festival and the consequential economic loss to Lismore and the West Waterford region "is nothing less than a tragedy." Admitting that he was "deeply saddened" by the

loss of the Festival, an annual event which he had set in motion, Mr. Van Putten said its loss will cost the region many thousands of pounds.

A well publicised event, the Festival had achieved International recognition while the various musical ensembles had brought music lovers from all over Europe such as Germany and Holland to the West Waterford area.

## HELP AVAILABLE

Confirming the disbandment of the organising committee, Mrs. Ryan submitted that she would be only too happy to lend whatever assistance she could if another group decided to revive the Festival. While the amount of funds "in the kitty" was very small, Mrs. Ryan said they would be happy to hand them over to any new committee that might be formed.

# New Garda Superintendent For Dungarvan

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she was given the opportunity to join the Investigation Section of the Garda Technical Bureau in Phoenix Park, Dublin where she worked as a Detective for 8 years.

In 1988 she went to the Central Detective Unit where she carried out a study on child sexual abuse. A year later in 1989 she was promoted and transferred to Ballyshannon, Co. Donegal as a uniformed Sergeant. 12 months later she was appointed Detective Sergeant in Donegal town.

While in Cambodia Supt. Clancy was promoted to the rank of Inspector and on her return was allocated duties in the Garda Community Relations Section, Harcourt Square where she took responsibility for the Juvenile Diversion Programme and the Schools Programme.

She later worked in the area of neighbourhood watch, business watch,

Community Alert and Crimeline.

Speaking to the "Dungarvan Leader", the new Superintendent said she hoped to meet with community alert committees and neighbourhood watch organisations in the district. The fight against crime, she believes, is based on a partnership between the Gardai and members of the public. Supt. Clancy is adamant that the community, working hand in hand with local Gardai is the best method of crime prevention.

This is her first visit to the West Waterford area and already the new Garda Superintendent has been suitably impressed by what she described as the beautiful countryside and wide range of amenities in the area. A keen golf player, Supt. Clancy is looking forward to playing on some of the beautiful golf courses in the area.

# COMPENSATION TRIBUNAL FOR CERTAIN PERSONS WHO HAVE CONTRACTED HEPATITIS C FROM ANTI-D IMMUNOGLOBULIN, BLOOD TRANSFUSION OR OTHER BLOOD PRODUCTS

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- II The Scheme requires such applications to be made not later than six months from the date of the establishment of the Compensation Tribunal or the date when the claimant becomes aware of such a diagnosis (whichever is the later) except where otherwise provided in Clause 19 of the Scheme.
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# TOURANEENA NOTES

## HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Best wishes to Tommy Morrisson, Touraneena now home from hospital after an operation and who is recovering very well.

## BIRTHDAY WISHES

Congratulations to Margaret Cliffe, Knockboy who celebrated her 50th birthday on Saturday last with a surprise party organised by her family and friends at Dunford's Lounge, Touraneena. We wish Margaret many more happy birthdays.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations also to Gerard Carey, Rockville Estate, Stradbally and Vanessa Power, Kilrush Park, Dungarvan who announced their engagement recently. We wish Gerard and Vanessa every happiness in the years ahead.

## SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to Bridget Ryan and family, Kilmanahan on the unexpected death of her husband, Tom which occurred on Monday night last. Sympathy also to his brothers, Fr. Colm and Kieran, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends. May he rest in peace.

## LUCKY WIN

Congratulations to Fr. Lloyd on winning £200 in the Déise Draw on Friday night last. Mossie Cliffe was the lucky promoter and also to Theresa Fitzpatrick who

won £50. At long last luck seems to be coming to Sliabh gCua.

## UNDERAGE SOCCER TOURNAMENTS

Out of the thirty teams that entered the four sections, Niamh Coffey's Nigeria team are the only team that are left unbeaten. They maintained their 100% record last week when they beat Julia Walton's Israel team by seven goals to one. Helen McCarthy was in superb form scoring all seven goals. Sharon O'Connor's Ghana team remained in second position after beating Edal Halley's team by six goals to two. The Cameroon team, captained by Mairéad Hickey beat Delores Condon's Algeria team by two goals to one. The outstanding performance on the night came from Helen McCarthy while Niamh Coffey, Delores Condon, Mairéad Hickey, Susan Nugent and Sharon O'Connor also played very well.

The table after six games is: Nigeria - 12 pts.; Ghana - 8 pts.; Cameroon - 6 pts.; Israel - 4 pts.; Morocco - 3 pts.; Algeria - 3pts.

In the U-16 section, Gillian Gleeson's Republic of Ireland team stayed top of the table thanks to a 7-4 victory over Michelle Power's Scotland team.

Brigitte Condon's Wales team beat Sharon Cliffe's Northern Ireland team by

seven goals to three. Maria Gleeson's Finland team picked up their first point when they drew 5-5 with Jean Dunford's England team. Gillian Gleeson was the outstanding player of the night, producing some outstanding individual skills and also scoring two goals in her team's 7-4 victory. Others to play well were: Kate Gleeson, Ciara Dunne, Brigitte Condon, Jean Dunford, Avril Grace and Maria Gleeson. The table is: Republic of Ireland - 8 pts.; Wales - 8 pts.; England - 5 pts.; Scotland - 4 pts.; Northern Ireland - 4 pts.; Finland 1 pt.

With only five weeks left in the U-11 boys section, it is virtually impossible to predict what three teams will qualify for the knockout stages. Portugal, which is captained by Diarmuid Walsh produced the best team performance of the night. Six goals by Robbie Power and brilliant performances from Brian McCarthy and Diarmuid saw them beat Greece by eight goals to four. Shiner Troy is proving to be unstoppable in recent weeks. He scored another eleven goals in Germany's 11-1 victory over Norway. Romania produced a brilliant performance to beat Denmark by ten goals to five. Pat Murphy hit six goals in Italy's 7-4 victory over Finnean Grace's Belgium team. Seamus Power's Spain team beat Sweden 5-5 while Holland also beat France by eight goals to five. There were brilliant performances on the night by Pat Murphy, Eddie Condon, Shane Hickey, Robbie Power and Shiner Troy. Others to impress were: Diarmuid Walsh, Brian McCarthy, James Cliffe, Seamus Power and Jason Hodnett. The table is: Holland - 10 pts.; Spain - 10 pts.; France - 8 pts.; Denmark - 7 pts.; Germany - 7 pts.; Sweden - 7 pts.; Romania - 6 pts.; Norway - 5 pts.; Portugal - 4 pts.; Italy - 4 pts.; Belgium - 2 pts.; Greece - 2 pts.

In the U-14 section, John Queally hit five goals in Peru's 7-5 victory over Columbia. Uruguay beat Mexico by five goals to four. After a classic game, Stephen Cliffe's Argentina team lost their unbeaten run when Richie Meehan's Brazil team beat them 8-5. There were outstanding performances from Richie Meehan, Paul Gleeson and Paudie McCarthy. Others to play well were Paul McCarthy, Denis Coffey, David O'Donovan, Colm Geary, Philip Meehan, Darren O'Connor and John Queally. The table is: Argentina - 9 pts.; Brazil - 7 pts.; Peru - 6 pts.; Columbia - 6 pts.; Uruguay - 5 pts.; Mexico - 3 pts.

**RACQUETBALL TOURNAMENT**  
The semi-finals of the U-13 boys racquetball tournament were played last week. The first one was between Jonathan Webster and Paul Gleeson. After an entertaining game, Jonathan went on to win by two games to nil. The second semi-final was a classic game between Denis Coffey and Colin Gleeson. Denis won the first game by 15-4. In the second game, both players produced shots that some of the leading men would be proud of. Colin won this one by 15-12 to even it up and it all depended on the last game. Colin went into a 6-1 lead but a terrific comeback by Denis meant that he went on to win by 15-7 and qualified for the final against Jonathan. The final also proved to be an exciting encounter. Both players produced excellent shots. Denis won the first game 15-9 and the second game 15-8. Overall it was Denis' ability to use the side wall shots and butt the ball that was the difference between the players on the night. After the final, Ned Power presented trophies to both players on behalf of the Touraneena Community Centre who sponsored the tournament.

The remaining matches in the U-16 girls tournament should be played off in the next couple of weeks. This tournament is being sponsored by Jimmy Coffey, Plant Hire.

## St. Mary's Parish Dungarvan

### LENT 1996

Evening Mass for Lent at 7.30 in St. Mary's Church.

During Lent, our spiritual lives will be enriched through a good stock-taking of our daily activities. If our lives are too packed and busy, can we discover why this is so. Slow down, take five minutes for the Lord each day. Reflect on his presence in our world.

This Lent, you don't have to outdo others in piety and sacrifice. Be good to yourself as well as others. Through fasting, prayer and almsgiving, you can begin to simply transform your life.

### SATURDAY, MARCH 9

Bishop Lee will confirm 124 pupils from our schools. Mass is at 11.00 a.m.

## PRAYERS FOR PEACE

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# Ballysaggart Notes

## SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to Dan O'Brien on the death of his aunt, Mrs. Mary Walter (nee O'Brien).

## CARD RESULTS

First: Brian Aherne, Jim Geoghegan; Second: Don Howard, Finola Hynes; Third: Joe Shea, Johnny Cunningham; Lucky Tables: Cassie Hyland, Esther Walsh; Tony and Anne McGrath; Mary Power, Joan Bennett; Raffle: Nellie Devine, Dan Howard, Johnny Cunningham, Eily O'Callaghan.

## G.A.A. NOTES

### Déise Development Draw

We definitely kept the best wine till last in this year's Déise Development Draw. Congratulations to Alice Prendergast who won £1,000 on Friday night last. Our thanks to all those who supported the club by taking part in the draw with us. Well done to Breeda Clancy who did her usual efficient job as Co-Ordinator. The next Déise Development Draw gets underway next month and is still £5 per month which is excellent value. The first draw takes place on March 29th. Brochures and tickets will be available this week.

### Training

Training has commenced on Tuesday and Thursday nights. Anyone who has not yet turned up are urged to do so. The response has been fairly good - still a few bodies missing. So blow away the winter cobwebs and make a start. The format of the championship will be known this week though it looks like it will be a league style competition again this year.

### County Title For James Lenane

Congratulations to James Lenane who, representing Ballysaggart, captured the Scór County Title on Saturday night last. Not just that, James also picked up the McAllister memorial trophy for Best Performance on the night. James now goes on to contest the Munster semi-final in the Green Glens Arena, Millstreet on this Saturday night. We wish him the very best of luck.

Well done also to our set dancers who put up an excellent performance on Saturday night, just failing to win the County Title.

### Club Social An Outstanding Success

All roads led to Mitchelstown on Friday night last when the club held a social evening in the Clongibbin Hotel. There was a packed house to enjoy the festivities. Pat Tangney and staff served up a delicious meal in quick time which left ample time to enjoy the music and entertainment provided by "Slater".

### LADIES CLUB

We were delighted to see such a large attendance at our last meeting. We thank Dr. Beecher for a most interesting and informative meeting.

We have arranged a knitting demonstration for our next meeting which takes place in the Community Centre on Tuesday next, March 5th beginning at 8.15 p.m.

On Friday week, March 8th, the club are holding an evening of music and entertainment at Meagher's Bar. Music will be provided by "Slater" and all are welcome.

### BALLYSGAGGART MACRA NOTES

If you're aged between 17 and 35, it is in your best interest to read this article. On Wednesday night last, February 21st, a meeting was held in the local Community Centre to investigate the possibility of starting a Macra club in the area.

Ms. Breeda Hyland, Training Officer with Waterford County Macra addressed the meeting, explaining to those present what Macra actually does. As all those present were interested in starting a club, it was decided to call a further meeting for Friday next, March 1st at 9.00 p.m. in the Community Centre.

So what is Macra and what does it do? The role of a Macra club is to provide opportunities and a social outlet for its members as well as providing leadership skills through training and an educational programme. So what kind of opportunities does Macra provide? Well, one opportunity is travel; Macra members from Co. Waterford have travelled throughout the world in the past couple of years. We have had members visit countries such as Japan, Russia, New Zealand, Denmark, Canada, United States and Scotland, many of these trips were heavily subsidised. There is also the opportunity of competing in the National Macra Competitions, such as Farm Tasks, Debating, Drama, Macra Capers, Public Speaking and Make 'n' Model to name just a few. So if you're even only half interested and you'd like to find out more, why not come along on Friday, March 1st and then you can make up your own mind. And for those of us who enjoy sport but may not be good enough to make the local team, the County Executive organise soccer (both indoor and outdoor), volleyball, basketball, leagues as well as tug-of-war, pool and darts. So do yourself a favour and join.

## Letter To The Editor

The Editor, "Dungarvan Leader"

## CLOSURE OF DUNGARVAN LEATHER FACTORY

Dear Sir,

The ATGWU wishes to advise that when it came to its notice in October 1995 that the Tannery site at Quay Street, Dungarvan was in the process of being sold, meetings were held with management on October 17th 1995 at which the elected representatives of our membership were in attendance.

The ATGWU 3/87 Branch has always put employment in the Dungarvan locality highest on its agenda and was bitterly disappointed in 1985 when its efforts together with interested parties to have the Dungarvan Plant purchased by a German industrialist with considerable expertise in the Tannery Industry fell through when the Receiver opted to sell the entire Irish leathers group to International Hide and Skin Ltd.

The ATGWU welcomes any help from elected local politicians, County Manager, Forbairt etc. to have this indigenous industry retained in Dungarvan and is available at all times to meet with the new management, the state agencies etc. to that effect and also to highlight the need for replacement jobs in the event of a closure.

Our members employed at Irish Tanners (Swanpool Ltd.) see themselves as the real losers as far as the "Urban Renewal Scheme" is concerned as it is the developers, the owners of the site and the Urban District Council who will be the real beneficiaries of such development works and they quite rightly see themselves as the forgotten party in this major development programme.

The ATGWU welcomes any support which the County Manager and the elected local politicians etc. can provide in impressing upon the developers and the owners of the site when discussing the CPO that the tannery employees should be treated correctly in respect of severance terms.

This particular issue has been referred by the ATGWU to the Labour Relations Commission as per Union/Management Agreement.

Yours Sincerely,

TONY MANSFIELD, District Officer.



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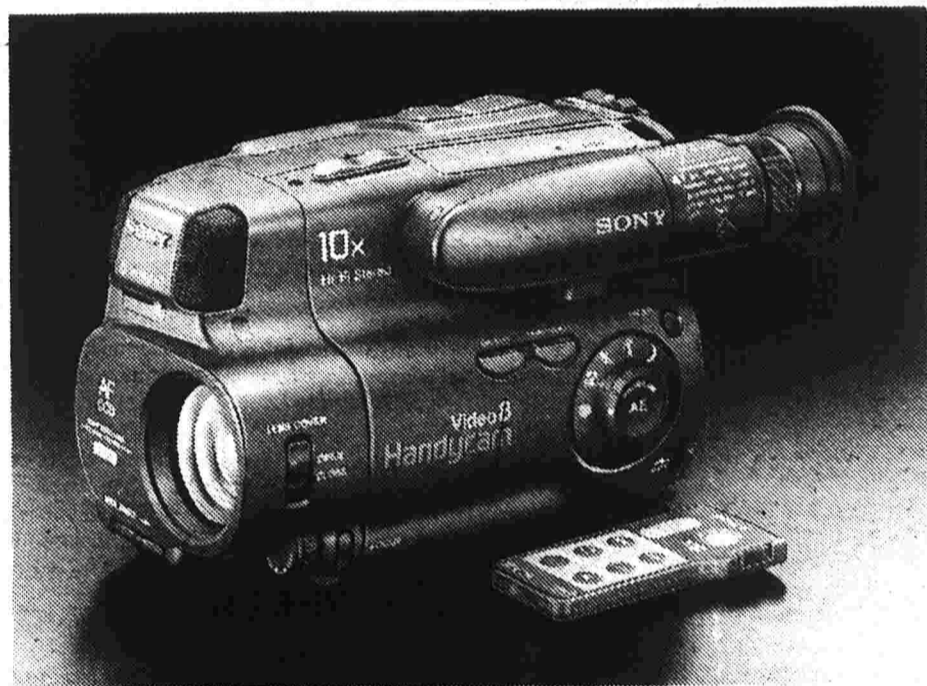


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# BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

## COMMUNITY GAMES ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of Ballymacarbry Community Games took place at the Hall, Ballymacarbry on Monday night, February 12. There was a large attendance present.

Ned Morgan, Chairman, thanked all those who ran the club so well for '95. The secretary, Mary Fenton gave a detailed account of all the activities of the club during the past year and expressed her gratitude to all the helpers and trainers. Treasurer, Sheila O'Flynn gave a detailed account of expenses and thanked all who supported the fund raising events.

The following officers were elected for '96:

President — Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P.; Chairman

— Ned Morgan; Vice-Chairman — Martin Morrissey; Secretary — Mary Fenton; Asst. Secretary — Helen Ryan; Treasurer — Sheila O'Flynn; Asst. Treasurer — Richard Brennan; P.R.O. — Kathleen O'Gorman.

## I.C.A. NEWS

The Ballymacarbry Guild of the I.C.A. are having Mass celebrated for the deceased members of the Guild at St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater on Monday, March 4 at 9.30 a.m. There is a change of guest speaker for the March meeting, Breda Horan of the National Dairy Council will give a talk on osteoporosis and the benefits of milk in children's diet. A fund raising social will take place at the Hidden Inn Roadhouse, Kilmanahan on St. Patrick's night, March 17. Music by Pat Murray.

Next meeting takes place on Monday night, March 4 followed by their own guest speaker. All are welcome.

## BRAIN OF BALLYMAC

The above table quiz will be held at Doocey's Lounge, Ballymacarbry on Monday, March 4th at 9 p.m.

## RAIDERS NET £5,500 FROM CO. WATERFORD GOLF CLUB

Gardai in Carrick-on-Suir are appealing to the public for help to trace the thieves who broke into the Carrick-on-Suir Golf Club in Co. Waterford on Sunday morning and got away with an estimated £5,500 in cash and cheques. A substantial amount of cash and cheques was stolen from the Golf Club after the thieves drilled into a safe in the ground in what Gardai are describing as a well planned operation involving a number of people.

They cut the wires leading to the club's burglar alarm and in all caused around £1,500 damage to the building. Gardai are appealing to anybody who saw anything unusual in the area on the Saturday night or Sunday morning to contact them at 051-640024.

## PROTEST IN MELLERAY AREA

United Farmers Association held a protest in the Melleray area of Co. Waterford on Wednesday, February 21 against the current afforestation policy of the Dept. of Agriculture, Forestry and Food. The peaceful protest was held on the public road overlooking some of the best land in the area, which is part of a complete farm being planted under the Coillte/Farmer Partnership Scheme.

Those who attended could view an excavator mounding soil, in preparation for planting, in the distance. During the protest a second machine arrived but the contractor, having spoken to the protesters, said that he would not pass the protest, and took his machine away.

Soon afterwards a Coillte official arrived and had discussions with Paddy Phelan, Nat. PRO, UFA and Billy Bray, Chairman, Waterford UFA.

Later the group staged a brief protest outside the Coillte offices in the nearby town of Cappoquin.

Six families who live in the Melleray area have lodged an objection to the proposed planting on the grounds of Environmental Impact. These objectors feel that sunlight and view are already very much compromised in the area as a result of earlier afforestation and they are angry at the prospect of being completely surrounded by trees.

UFA will continue its campaign for a Land Use Policy which will give farming precedence over forestry for all land that becomes available and for planning permission to be mandatory for all trees plantations of more than

## CORRECTION

In last week's edition of the Ballymacarbry News re All Ireland Trout Anglers meeting at Athlone, we should have stated that the Nire Valley Fisheries Association were represented at the meeting.

## PRESENTATION TO RETIRED POST MISTRESS

On Wednesday night, February 14 a presentation of some beautiful Waterford Crystal, a travel voucher and a bouquet of flowers on behalf of her many friends in the postal district at Ballymacarbry was made to Mrs. Bridget M. Kearney, Custiswood who served the district as Post Mistress for the past forty five years. The presentation on behalf of the people was made at her home by Tony Doocey and Bridget O'Connor.

## REPLACEMENT BIKE FOR TOP CYCLIST

A Clonmel cyclist Miceal Fitzgerald whose grandfather hailed from Graignagower, Ballymacarbry nearly had to return to his French Club last week end without his most precious piece of equipment — his bike. His custom built Cougar bike was stolen from outside Kavanagh's Sports Shop, West Gate, Clonmel on last Thursday week just five days before he was due to return to the Paris-based A.C.B.B. Club to resume his promising career. But a County Tipperary businessman living in Dublin came to his rescue with a brand new bike that Miceal will use competitively for the first time on Sunday in the first amateur classic of the new season.

## LOTTO

The Lotto draw in aid of the Fourmilewater Hurling Club took place at the Oriol Bar on Saturday night. The numbers drawn were 6, 14, 17, there was no winner.

The winners of the 5 x £20 were — Biddy Ahearn, Mapstown, Dungarvan, Mary O'Grady, Lyre East, Ballymacarbry, Eileen Grant, St. Martin's Place, Ballymacarbry, Roger McCarthy, Knockaun, Ballymacarbry, Pat Dalton, Eagle Hill, Ballinamult. Jackpot this week £300.

## COMMUNITY ALERT

An important meeting of Ballymacarbry Community Alert will take place at Melody's Loft, Ballymacarbry on Monday night, March 4 at 8.30 p.m. You are cordially invited to attend to help to keep the area free from crime.

## RECENT DEATHS

### Late Mr. James Hallinane

Profound and sincere feelings of regret were widely expressed of the news of the death of Mr. James (Jimmy) Hallinane, Scart, Ballinamult, which sad event took place on Friday, February 16 after an illness of some duration.

Deceased, the last surviving member of an old and respected family, was brother of the late Rev. Fr. William Hallinane, Adm. Cathedral Waterford who predeceased him by some twenty five years. A wonderful neighbour, his integrity, courtesy and outgoing sincere nature commended him to young and old alike. A true gentleman in every sense of the word, he made friends with ease by virtue of his easy going nature that marked him out as a true Christian.

All who were indeed privileged to know and respect him will deeply mourn his demise and long cherish his memory. Testifying to the esteem and high regard in which deceased and his family are held, all walks of like were represented in the large concourse of mourners who were present on Saturday evening when his remains were removed from Kiely's Funeral Home, Dungarvan to St. Patrick's Parish Church, Kilbrien.

On Sunday morning the Feast of St. Simeon (Bishop and Martyr) the 10.15 a.m. Mass was celebrated for the repose of his gentle soul. After Mass one of the districts best loved citizens was laid to rest beside the little church where he had worshipped the Lord for so long, again in the present of a large concourse of mourners who were present to say farewell to an old friend whose memory they will cherish.

To his relatives we extend our sympathy. — Solas na soille da na anam. (Undertakers Kiely's, Dungarvan.)

### Late Mr. Thomas O'Ryan

A wave of sadness descended over the entire district on Tuesday evening with the news of the death of Mr. Thomas (Tom) O'Ryan, Kilmanahan, and late Knockalisheen, Ballymacarbry, which sad event took place suddenly on Monday night. Deceased, in his sixth-sixth year was member of a old and respected family, the O'Ryan's of Knockalisheen. He was brother of Rev. Fr. Colm O'Ryan, Good Shepherd Church, Beverley Hills, Los Angeles, U.S.A., and of Councillor Kieran O'Ryan (F.F.), M.C.C. A staunch supporter of the Fianna Fail Party, he was chairman of the Ballymacarbry Fianna Fail Comhairle Dail Ceanntair, he held great republican views. An outstanding Gael, both as a player and as referee, during his time he was an outstanding "knight of the whistle" and took charge of many important games. As a player he had many memorable games with Fourmilewater hurlers. He was a member of the '54 team that contested the county final with his brothers Dermot and Kieran, to be beaten by De La Salle 5-3 to 3-4. He was also an outstanding footballer with Nire, St. Laurence's and Ballymacarbry. He was a gentleman on and off the field.

A man of many charming traits of character, his gentle, good humoured and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition commended him to all fortunate enough to make his acquaintance. He was a wonderful family man, a loving husband and father and his family were his pride and joy. A devout catholic, he rarely missed a function or Mass in Fourmilewater Church and he was present at Mass last Sunday week. He was a true Christian man and an intelligent conversationalist and no unkind or harsh words ever passed from his lips.

For many years he was, until his retirement last April, employed by Telecom Eireann, prior to that he was in the employment of farmers, County Council and a few years in England.

Many tributes have been paid to his memory, but perhaps the finest was provided on Wednesday evening when all walks of life were present in the vast concourse of mourners. His remains were draped in the blue and white colours of Fourmilewater, the club he was so proud of. The rosary was recited by his brother, Rev. Fr. Colm O'Ryan, after which his remains were removed from Condon's Funeral Parlour,

Clonmel, to St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater where they were blessed and received by Fr. O'Ryan. Also present was Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin, P.P., Fourmilewater and Newcastle. A guard of honour was provided was provided by Fourmilewater Hurling Club and by the local Fianna Fail Cumann.

On Thursday morning the Feast of Saint Peter's Chair at Antioch, con-celebrated Mass was celebrated for the repose of his gentle soul and the chief celebrant was Rev. Fr. O'Ryan, Los Angeles, assisted by Rev. Fr. Thomas Morrissey, retired P.P., Burncourt and Clogheen, Rev. Fr. Sean Nugent, P.P., Lisronagh and Powerstown, Rev. Fr. William Ryan Adm. Cathedral, Waterford, Rev. Fr. Brendan Crowley, C.C. Ballybricken, Rev. Fr. Sean O'Dwyer, P.P., Holy Family, Waterford, Rev. Canon Thomas Nugent, P.P., Ballysaggart and Lismore, Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin, P.P., Fourmilewater and Newcastle.

Some beautiful hymns were rendered by Fourmilewater Church Choir. After Mass, one of the district's best loved citizens, a loving husband and gentle father was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. Colm O'Ryan officiated with the other priests at the graveside in the presence of one of the largest gatherings of mourners seen in the district for some time as they united with family, neighbours and many, many friends in a final farewell to a Christian friend whose memory they will cherish.

To his wife Bridget and family, his brothers and sister and his many relatives, to them we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

Leaba i measc na naomh go raibh aige.

(Undertakers Condon's, Clonmel).

### Late Mr. Edmond Crotty

With deep and sincere regret we record the death which sad event occurred after an illness of long duration borne with true Christian fortitude at Melview Nursing Home, Clonmel on Thursday 22nd February of Mr. Edmond (Eddie) Crotty, Castlereagh, Ballymacarbry.

Deceased was member of an old and respected Ballymacarbry family. In his late eighties, for some years he had not enjoyed the best of health. He was truly one of nature's gentlemen, of a friendly, good humoured and generous disposition. He loved recalling events relating to his earlier years. His home was the rambling house for the district and many people assembled there for the chat of a game or cards and to finish the night with the set, as the deceased's father, the late Patrick was gifted on the concertina. He was a man possessed of an old world charm that was refreshing for all. At the weekend he would visit the local for the chat, a drink and a game of 45, at which he was an expert player. He was always welcome in whatever company he found himself. He possessed a most charitable outlook on life and he was an excellent neighbour, always ready with the helping hand as required and he is deeply and justifiably mourned by all who held him in the warmest regard.

The measure of the esteem and high regard in which deceased and his family are held was clearly indicated by the large concourse of mourners who were present on Friday evening when his remains were removed from the nursing home mortuary at Melview to St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater, where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin, P.P., Fourmilewater and Newcastle.

On Saturday morning, the feast of Saint Matthias (Apostle), Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of his gentle soul, the celebrant was Fr. Tobin. After Mass the funeral left for the ancient burial ground at Bennett's Church where he was laid to rest at the rear of the old school house where he received his education many years ago. Fr. Tobin officiated at the graveside in the presence of another large concourse of mourners who joined with family, neighbours and many, many friends in a final farewell to one of the district's best loved citizens.

To his brother Jimmy, his sisters Mary Ann and Anne and his many relatives we extend to them our deepest sympathy.

Cradhbh an ti ar lar grasta agus trocaire ar a anam uasal.





**ST. MARY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL DUNGARVAN** — Pupils of St. Mary's Primary School, Dungarvan, pictured at the school draw. Also included are (front, left to right), Mrs. Una Walsh (Teacher), John Fahey (Secretary Parents Council), Fr. Kennedy (Board of Management), winner of the £100 - Craig Kiely, 43 Kyne Park, Abbeyside, Sr. Mary (Principal St. Mary's School), Noreen Barry (Parents Committee), Mrs. O'Keefe and Mrs. Lyons (Teachers). —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

# February Meeting of Lismore Town Commissioners

## DISCUSSION WITH IDA REGIONAL MANAGER

The meeting began with the Chairman welcoming Tom McAuliffe, Regional Manager IDA. In an address to the meeting, Mr. McAuliffe gave a comprehensive account of the functions and goals of the organisation and included the following points:

The IDA has been split into two bodies, Forbairt for domestic and the IDA for overseas investment.

To-date over 1,000 foreign companies have been attracted here.

Irish industry needed its own focus, which resulted in the formation of Forbairt.

One third of all USA electronic firms investing in Europe locate in Ireland.

Approx. 50 new projects commence each year with over a half going to Dublin.

In the South East, 6 new projects commenced last year with employment projection of 1,300.

Services and the attitude of the community help locate industry in a town.

The West Waterford area has been shown to prospective industrialists.

Lismore is a good centre within striking distance of other larger towns.

The IDA have currently a 2 acre site for development in Lismore.

Other communities have used consultants to point out any areas strengths and weaknesses.

Following the address, a discussion ensued. Mr. J. Heneghan queried the factors that made Cappoquin more attractive to industrialists over Lismore. He felt that the access to the Lismore IDA site was not impressive and was a negative factor in

attracting industry. He went on to say that the quality of life in this area should be highlighted and felt that Lismore was an ideal location as a service centre to the bigger companies in this area.

Mrs. M. Fenton-Morrissey queried the number of prospective industrialists that have looked at this area.

Mr. B. Leddy stated that industrial development on a small scale as a service industry was required, particularly as we are located between two of the biggest electronics firms in the country. It was the unanimous feeling of those present that one small industry here could be the spur for much bigger things.

In relation to a query from Mr. Leddy, Mr. McAuliffe stated that up to 75% of the set-up costs would be available for an Enterprise Centre, providing a firm proposal was made. In addition he felt that there was never a better time to commence such a project as there were a number of agencies willing to help in this regard.

Mrs. M. Ryan requested that the Commissioners be informed whenever a prospective industrialist visited Lismore in order that they could impress on them the advantages of Lismore.

Mr. D. Connolly thanked Mr. McAuliffe for coming to Lismore and gave an undertaking that he would look at possible locations for an Enterprise Unit and in addition would make available the services of the County Development team in this regard.

At the conclusion, Mr. McAuliffe stated that he would take on board the views expressed by the members in particular in relation to access to the Lismore site

and the SCI and Seagate situation.

## VOTE OF SYMPATHY

Before the commencement of the meeting, a vote of sympathy was expressed to Brian McNally, Co. Secretary, on the death of his mother and the meeting was adjourned for a brief period as a mark of respect.

## OLD HOSPITAL

A detailed discussion took place on the need to develop a community group to promote an Enterprise Centre in Lismore. It was felt that the Commissioners should act as a conduit to this group, in particular in trying to secure the old hospital as a centre. It was agreed that Commissioner B. Leddy would organise a meeting in relation to such a group in the near future.

## CORRESPONDENCE

Under the item "Correspondence," the new tourism development initiative, launched recently by Waterford City and County, was discussed by the Commissioners.

Mr. P. Dowd gave a summary of the main proposals in this initiative. He attended the launch of this plan in Dungarvan. Its basic aim was to maximise the potential of tourism in Waterford county and city. A number of workshops are planned and it is hoped to have one in Lismore. It was generally felt that the initiative must come from the business community in Lismore for the plan to succeed.

A letter from Richard Bruton, T.D., re eligibility criteria for Community Employment, was also discussed at the meeting.

The contents of this letter were not accepted by the commissioners who maintained that this scheme

specifically discriminated against married women. The return to work schemes available to married women who wished to re-enter the workforce were only accessible in the major cities and it was difficult to obtain places on them. It was unanimously agreed to write again to the Minister stating that they felt that the scheme was discriminatory and could be explain why it was not.

## TAXATION OFFICE

Mr. Leddy moved on the motion "that steps are taken to improve access to the motor taxation office" and this was seconded by Mr. P. Dowd.

Mr. Leddy stated that from recent experience, he felt that the opening hours at the Motor Taxation Office in Dungarvan were not convenient and should be extended. It was unanimously agreed to write and request Waterford County Council to extend its opening hours to facilitate people who have to travel to the office.

## MOBILE LIBRARY SERVICE

Mr. Leddy also proposed "that the Mobile Library service be re-instated" and this was seconded by Mrs. M. Fenton-Morrissey. He stated that many people around the county were being severely inconvenienced by the loss of the mobile library service.

Mrs. M. Ryan stated that a new van was laid out to cater for a mobile service, but it was her information that it would take nearly a year to re-establish the routes.

Mr. B. McNally stated that the restoration of the service would need additional funding. It was agreed to bring this matter up with the County Librarian at the proposed meeting during the week,

## BLUE PLAQUE

It was proposed by Mr. Leddy and seconded by Mr. R. Canning "that the Town Commissioners consider a 'Blue Plaque' scheme to identify buildings of historic significance."

Mr. Leddy stated that this scheme which gave information of national historical importance by way of a plaque erected on houses should be considered for Lismore. It was agreed that the Commissioners would research the number of possible locations in Lismore which would qualify under this scheme for the next meeting.

"That the Town Commissioners condemn any expansion of Sellafield" was proposed by Mr. Leddy and seconded by Mr. P. Dowd. It was unanimously agreed to write to Mr. D. Spring, T.D., Minister for Foreign Affairs and condemn the continued expansion of Sellafield.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**Public Toilets** — The Clerk informed Commissioner Canning that any opening ceremony in relation to the new public toilets was a matter for Waterford County Council.

**Bro. Rice** — Mr. Heneghan informed the meeting that the beautification of Bro. Rice

was planned for October. As Lismore has had a long tradition with the Christian Brothers, he requested the members to consider over the coming months a suitable form of commemoration here.

**Footpath at Bank of Ireland** — The Clerk informed Mrs. Fenton-Morrissey that with the extensive damage to the county roads, there were no immediate plan to commence this project.

**Library Visit** — Mrs. Ryan gave a detailed account of her meeting with Mr. D. Brady, County Librarian, in relation to the archives. It was agreed to write to the County Librarian and request that the existing reference library remain in Lismore and to refer to the lack of lighting outside the local branch library, in particular in relation to the steps.

**Old District Hospital** — It was agreed to write to the County Council and request what plans they might have for this building.

**Community Centre** — It was agreed on a proposal of Mr. J. Roche to write to the Minister for Sport and thank him for the allocation of £8,000 towards the next phase of the Centre.

**ATM For Lismore** — Mr. P. Dowd again highlighted the need for such a machine in Lismore and requested that pressure be brought to bear on the banks.

## New Classrooms For Scoil Mhuire

Waterford Fine Gael Deputy, Austin Deasy has welcomed the decision by the Minister for Education, Niamh Bhreathnach to approve the provision of additional permanent accommodation to Abbeyside National School (Scoil Mhuire). Details are as follows: Conversion of existing 40 square metre classroom to staffroom; addition of 6 permanent classrooms and Library/Medical Room.



# Lismore Notes



## NO EARLY MUSIC FESTIVAL

As anticipated, there is not now going to be an Early Music Festival this year. The shock news broke last weekend when the Chairperson and committee disbanded.

The Festival which has been running each June since 1993 attracted thousands to the town for the three or four days while taking place and the loss in monetary terms not to mind publicity will be incalculable. It was the only festival of its kind in the country and brought music lovers from all over Europe to Lismore and had, in its short space of time, achieved International recognition.

Last year the Arts Council grant aided the Festival for the first time while Guinness and Waterford Crystal were the major sponsors when the founding member and Musical Director, Mr. Jan Van Putten resigned last July. We

wrote in these notes that while no one person is bigger than a committee or organisation - we speak from years of experience in clubs etc. - we still feel that there is an exception in this case as The Early Music Festival needed the knowledge and expertise only Mr. Van Putten had. Hence we started this article with "as anticipated" for we felt with all due respect to the committee, knowledge and experience was needed to have the Festival maintain the high standard already achieved. Unfortunately the one with all this knowledge resigned.

To all, Lismore is fast becoming a centre for music lovers of all tastes. At present, Lismore Dramatic Society is packing the Courthouse Theatre with "Jesus Christ Superstar". West Waterford Music is presenting various concerts -

Cork City Jazz Band this Friday night, international star, Candy Devine in May and we could have had The Early Music Festival in June. What an opening six months Lismore would have had to 1996.

We accept that time is short but we would appeal for a committee - even at this late stage - to come together and not let the Music Festival die altogether. The thousands that have thronged the streets of Lismore for the past three years and enjoyed the musical ensembles which were a feature of the festival, not forgetting the pageant on the closing day, must be brought back again next June.

We wrote the above on Sunday evening last and on Monday news broke in the national press that the Festival will not take place this year. As we wrote, let a committee at this late stage keep the Festival going and bring back the expertise that is so badly needed. But let's not drop the Festival. Once gone, never to return !!!

### JAZZ BAND IN LISMORE

This Friday, March 15th West Waterford Music, in association with Waterford Crystal continue their series of concerts with the Cork City Jazz Band playing in Lismore Hotel. The band was founded in 1983 and have a following of thousands both in Ireland and abroad. The concert commences at 8.00 p.m. and there is a special jazz menu available before or after the concert. Prior booking is essential. So telephone (058) 54416.

### ST. CARTHAGE'S HOUSE "45" DRIVE

Results of "45" Drive held in Lismore Hotel on Monday night last, February 26th. Winner: Jack Cotter and Josie Curley; Brian Ahearne and Joan Byrne; Eamonn Morrow and Mike Foley. Raffle: Mary Whelan; Jim Hyland; Jo Lineen. Lucky Tables: Johnny Hickey and Cassie Hyland; Eily Callaghan and Tom Humphries.

### ESTABLISHMENT OF AN ENTERPRISE CENTRE

The first meeting of the local group formed to establish an Enterprise Centre at the Old Hospital was held in Lismore Hotel on Thursday last. Bernard P. Leddy, Chairman; Tom Murphy, Treasurer; Peter Dowd, Secretary and N. Twomey, Eric Flynn and Mary Fenton-Morrissey, Committee.

### NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WIDOWS IN IRELAND WEST WATERFORD BRANCH

Holy Mass will be offered for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Roberta Cahill at St. Carthage's Church, Lismore on Tuesday next, March 5th at 7.30 p.m.

The monthly meeting will follow at Lismore Hotel. A vote of sympathy was passed to Mrs. Lily O'Donoghue on the death of her daughter, Kathleen Phelan.

Three members of our branch attended the Annual Seminar held at the Doyle Tara Hotel, Dublin. The theme was "Democracy - is it meaningful in today's world". Our main speaker was Deputy, Tom Kitt T.D., Spokesperson on Labour Affairs who was kept on his toes by many questions put to him from the floor.

A member of the Gardaí Síochána will be at our meeting to give a talk on security etc. which is very much on the minds of all elderly people especially those living alone at the present time. We would like to see 100% attendance of our members to be present and have their questions ready for our speaker. New members are also welcome.

### SPONSORED WAKEATHON AND CYCLE

The Fifth Year class (5C) of Presentation Secondary School, Lismore are fundraising to send two Fifth Year students to do voluntary work in Lourdes for the Annual pilgrimage. Fundraising includes a sponsored wakeathon which will be held at the school from 9.00 a.m. on Friday, March 8th until 9.00 a.m. on Saturday, March 9th. We would be grateful for any support in this event.

Another fund raiser will be a sponsored cycle. The route we will take, will take us from Presentation Secondary School, Lismore via Cappoquin and Boherawillin, Affane. The cycle will come to a total of 15 miles. Twenty students from the class will take part in this event on Friday, March 1st. It is hoped to raise enough money to send two students to Lourdes this coming summer. £620 is our target. We would be very grateful for any contributions to this worthy cause. Anyone is welcome to join in the cycle. Please contact the school for further details at (058) 54412.

### POINT TO POINT RACES

This Sunday, March 3rd, Lismore Point-To-Point Races will take place at The Castle Farm. Let us hope the weather will improve and hope the going will be good.

### LISMORE GOLF NOTES

**Frost Halts Play** — Due to the fact that the course was frost bound on Sunday last, round three of the Dave Feeney and Sons Contractors Spring League is extended to Sunday.

**S.E. League : Lismore 6 West Waterford 2** — On Saturday last, we travelled to Cobh to take on neighbours West Waterford, coming out with an excellent 6 points at the end of the day. Indeed at one stage it looked as if we might well capture the full eight points. Pat Bennett and Noel Foley were first off and played excellent golf to record a one hole victory. Richie Ormonde and Jimmy Hornibrook were next to do battle and fought off a late West Waterford Rally to win 2 and 1. James Bennett and Billy Ormonde led the Purcell quartet they recovered from losing the first to play solid golf only to lose out to the final hole. The last pairing of Pa Morrissey and John Madden had to dig deep to fight off a strong West Waterford challenge and win these six points which put us in third place in the league, just five points behind leaders, East Cork. Next weekend sees the league conclude with Fermoy on Saturday and West Waterford on Sunday.

**Subscription Reminder** — Members are reminded that their club subscriptions are now due or should be overdue. Treasurer, Nicholas Walsh looks forward to receiving outstanding subs by this weekend. You are reminded that subscriptions outstanding by the weekend will be subject to a 10% penalty fine as decided by A.G.M.

**St. Patrick's Weekend Classic** — The timesheet for the St. Patrick's Weekend Classic is now up in the Clubhouse. Entries can also be given to Pat Morrissey - tel. (058) 54706. Team of four (any combination) entry fee just £40. Shotgun starts Saturday, March 16th, Sunday, March 17th and Monday, March 18th at 9.00 a.m. and 2.00 p.m. each day.

### LISMORE LADIES GOLF CLUB NOTES

: First: M. Fives (18) 20 1/2 pts.; Second: B. Henry (15) 18 1/2 pts.; Third: A. Murphy (19) 18 1/2 pts.; Fourth: E. Hornibrook (19) 18 1/2 pts.

Teams - First: B. Henry 149 1/2 pts.; Joint seconds: A. Howard, S. O'Meara and K. Moynihan: 135 1/2 pts.; Fifth: G. Barry: 121 pts.

Fourth round continues on Wednesday, March 6th.

**Mini Classic** — Mini Classic on March 16th, 17th and 18th. Prizes for best all ladies team (team of four). Contact Clubhouse at (058) 54026 for time slot.

### LISMORE DRAMATIC SOCIETY

It is possible to gauge a theatrical success in many ways but perhaps the most reliable is the amount of "bums on seats"! If this is so, then or show can be credited with being a runaway victory. After the four nights, it was a case of "full house". Our patrons came from all over the area, all over the county and also Cork, Tipperary, Wexford and even further afield.

The show was equally a delight for audiences and cast and it was obvious to all that the very well rehearsed cast and crew were in a relaxed mood enjoying themselves with the audience.

Our Chairman, Tom Murphy thanked all our patrons, support the cast, crew and especially our sponsors. It was a wonderful example of collaboration for the common good.

The presentation of the show reflected on the style, imagination and expertise of the Director, Michael Scanlon. His attention to detail is legendary - some nights after rehearsals, the cast felt as though they had undergone the lashings with Christ. He demanded and received much from his apostles - some complied with his request for a luxurious growth of facial fungus. Some are believed to have practised celibacy during rehearsals also but all refused to have the operation - regarded as the unkindest cut of all !!!

Michael's diligence and perseverance was matched by our Musical Director,

Donal Kennefick. His orchestra was believed the finest to have graced a stage in Lismore for many a long day. However, despite his best efforts, Donal could not get Michael Casey to double up, playing keyboard and guitar simultaneously and at the one time (according to our press release and programme, he was expected to do so !!!). John Hughes played his guitar in his own admirable way. The scribe of the press release and programme has joined the Roman Legion for his sins and is believed to be soldiering in Gaul.

### WEST WATERFORD MOTOR SPORTS LTD.

A General Meeting was held by the above club on Monday night, February 26th at Rose's Bar, Lismore. Final arrangements were made for our next information night to be held on Friday night, March 8th at the Clonmel Arms Hotel. Posters have been given out to club members in the surrounding areas. The £1 draw winner on Monday night was Martin Feeney. The next meeting will be held on Monday next, March 4th.

### SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Ann Shanahan, Parks Road, Lismore on the death of her mother, Mrs. Kate Halligan, Swinford, Co. Mayo which sad event occurred last Sunday. May she rest in peace.

### LISMORE SOCCER CLUB NOTES

## Lismore Beaten

Lismore suffered their first defeat of the season when losing to Ballyduff on Sunday morning last in The Red House League.

Played in soft underfoot conditions in Ballyduff, Lismore continued with their persistence of missing chances enough to win two or three games last Sunday. The Lismore strikers once again failed to convert the good work by the defence and midfield into scores. Those missed chances can make the difference of winning and losing the league championship. This was a set back Lismore could have done without as it now increases Ballyduff's lead to six points at the top of the table.

Lismore took the lead in the 37th minute when Barney Prendergast headed home a Kieran O'Gorman free kick. Ballyduff equalised 4 minutes into the second half and took the lead with 25 minutes remaining. Five minutes later Lismore got a penalty but Paul Quinn's spot kick was brilliantly saved by the home keeper. Despite being encamped in the village goal in the last ten minutes, Lismore could not score - or should we say threw the chances away.

Team: M. Fitzgerald, K. Hornibrook, A. Meagher, K. O'Gorman, P. Prendergast, S. Daly, B. Prendergast, A. Dumme, B. Ormonde, P. Quinn, D. Shanahan.

Subs: F. Flynn (for Ormonde), S. Prendergast (for Meagher).

Next Sunday, Lismore play at home when Pinewood Rangers are the visitors. This is a game that must be won by Lismore. Nothing short of three points will do. Anything less and the league aspirations could be over. Kick off is at 11.00 a.m.

### DOWN MEMORY LANE

Last week we wrote of the Lismore team that won the first ever Red House League. It was known then as the East Cork/West Waterford League. The year was 1972 and Lismore won the league by one point from Youghal. Looking up the archives, we discovered a report of the final game which was played in Youghal and reported in the local papers by the late Tony Bolger, who also refereed the game. Lismore needed two points and Youghal one point to win the league. Lismore won by five goals to four goals. Paddy Pollard - three goals; Ronnie Keating and "Happy" O'Connell scored for Lismore. The Lismore team that clinched the title was: Billy Cunningham (goal), Paddy Mason, Noel Keating, J.P. O'Sullivan, John P. O'Sullivan (Capt.), Peter Cooke, Johnny Dunne, Billy Landers, Paddy Pollard, Ronnie Keating, John "Happy" O'Connell. Twelfth man: Paddy Scanlon.



# REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



This week for our Remembering Other Days series we go back to the early 1960's. The occasion was the All Ireland Beet Thinning Championships which were held at Garryvoe in County Cork and at which Ballinacourty man Sean O'Brien was the winner and another local Piery "Moll" Power (now deceased) came third. Pictured above is the winner and a group of local supporters who travelled to the event. Group shows seated front, from left — Gertie Hayes, Peggy Hanrahan, Sean O'Brien, Piery "Moll" Power (R.I.P.), Nuala Dwane (R.I.P.) and Biddy Morrissey. Middle row, Richie Morrissey, Anthony Hayes and Jackie Kenneally. At back, Dick Hanrahan (R.I.P.) and Paddy Joe Dwane.

## Newsbits From Dungarvan

### U.D.C. Meeting

#### HOUSE RAIDED AT CATHAL BRUGHA

The recent vandalism and damage caused to an empty house in the Cathal Brugha Estate, Dungarvan has been slammed by Cllr. Michael O'Riordan. Speaking at last week's Urban District Council meeting, Cllr. O'Riordan said that when Council houses become vacant, new tenants should be found to occupy them as quickly as possible.

County Manager Donal Connolly said he is currently looking at steps for a whole Council management plan. The damage to the house in question was in the region of £6,000-£8,000 which Mr. Connolly concurred was 'very substantial'.

#### SUPPORT FOR NURSES ORGANISATIONS

Following the proposal by Cathaoirleach Cllr. Nuala Ryan, Dungarvan UDC is to call on the Minister for Health, Michael Noonan, to enter into meaningful negotiations with the nurses organisations on matters relating to pay and conditions.

Seconding the motion, Cllr. Austin Flynn said he

hoped the longstanding matter will soon be resolved by the Minister.

Likewise Cllr. Billy Kyne said that it was "only when you were sick yourself" that the important and life-saving role of the nursing profession, truly "comes home to you".

#### PINEWOOD ESTATE

Pinewood resident Cllr. Michael O'Riordan complimented the Co. Manager and Town Clerk Ray Moloney on finally resolving the long-drawn-out matter of the unfinished entrance to Pinewood estate. The formerly pot holed and uneven surface to the Abbeyside estate was a bone of contention for many Council members over the past number of years. The entrance however, has now been fully resurfaced in what Cllr. O'Riordan described as a first class job.

#### HAZARD TO PEDESTRIANS

Under the item 'Any Other Business' at last week's meeting, Cllr. Austin Deasy raised the issue of badly lit and unevenly surfaced right of ways in the town. Cllr. Deasy said a number of these right of ways should

be tarmacaded and have public lighting particularly those paths around the Wolfe Tone Road, Caseyville and Shandon areas. The rugged roads and poor lighting, he stressed, make it very difficult for pedestrians in the darkness.

Supporting Cllr. Deasy, Cllr. Tony Wright pointed to the bad condition of right of ways in Clogherane.

#### CAROUSEL PRODUCTION

Dungarvan Musical and Choral Society's recent production of 'Carousel' was strongly commended at the meeting by Chairperson Cllr. Nuala Ryan. Congratulating D.M.C.S. on what she termed a 'magnificent' production, Cllr. Ryan praised the society for providing entertainment for the people of Dungarvan every year.

#### SHANDON HALTING SITE

It was revealed by Co. Manager Donal Connolly at last week's meeting that the Council is currently considering proposals for the full time employment of a caretaker at the halting site in Shandon. Proposals also exist to divide the site into

two separate units, one catering for transient travellers and the other for permanently based travelling families. Drainage at the site will also be looked at, said Mr. Connolly.

Following the recent killing of a horse on the road at Shandon, Mr. Connolly said the Council will no longer tolerate horses on the public road or on the halting site. Any horses found on the road, he warned, will be taken away.

#### PLANNING PERMISSION

Planning permission has now been granted to Clancy Construction Ltd. Drangan, Thurles, Co. Tipperary to construct 2 townhouses, 29 apartments and 5 retail units at Davitt's Quay, Dungarvan.

Also pertaining to Davitt's Quay, the lands owned by Dee's Brothers Ltd. on the quay are to be acquired for the purposes and functions of Dungarvan UDC under the Local Government (Planning & Development) Act.

#### CIVIC RECEPTION FOR ASST. GARDA COMMISSIONER

A civic reception for the Assistant Garda Commissioner Bernard Curran who has decided to retire later this year will be held in Dungarvan on April 17th next.

Known locally as 'Barnie',

Mr. Curran is a native of Kilrush, Dungarvan and brother of Tom Curran, Grattan Square. As part of the reception the Garda Band will attend in his honour.

In a recent letter to members of Dungarvan UDC who are the main organisers of the event, Mr. Curran thanked the members for affording him the reception. "Naturally I feel very honoured and proud to be considered worthy to receive this consideration from the people of my own hometown", he said. "I am looking forward with great interest to the reception backed up by our own band", he added.

#### £20,000 FOR LOOKOUT IMPROVEMENTS

Dungarvan UDC have received funding of £20,000 under the village and urban scheme to carry out improvement works at The Lookout. These works, which are to be carried out immediately include the provision of cobble-locked area, similar to the footpath design in O'Connell Street, upgrading of public lighting, provision of car parking, delineation of carriageway and improvements to road surface. A further sum of £20,000 is being provided from the Council's resources towards this work.

## Leather Sale This Weekend

A leather jacket is probably the most comfortable, practical and flattering item of clothing anyone could have in their wardrobe, especially in this country where we have nine months of cold weather.

For all leather lovers a treat is in store for you next Saturday at the Ormonde Hotel, Dungarvan, for there you can see the biggest selection of leather garments for ladies and gents ever to be seen in this country. Everything at the sale will be sold at retail price, making this an ideal opportunity for you to purchase that leather garment at a price you can afford.



**DUNGARVAN URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL  
COMPULSORY ACQUISITION OF LAND  
DUNGARVAN URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL COMPULSORY  
PURCHASE ORDER NO. 2 1996**

The Dungarvan Urban District Council (hereinafter referred to as "the Local Authority") in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Section 76 of the Housing Act, 1966, and the Third Schedule thereto, as extended by Section 10 of the Local Government (No. 2) Act, 1960 (as substituted by Section 86 of the Housing Act, 1966) have made an Order entitled as above which is about to be submitted to the Minister for the Environment for confirmation. If confirmed, the order will authorise the local authority to acquire compulsorily the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of the powers and functions of the Local Authority under Section 77 of the Local Government (Planning and Development) Act, 1963.

A copy of the order and of the map referred to in it may be seen at all reasonable hours at the Town Hall, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**SCHEDULE**

No. on map deposited at the offices of the local authority	Quantity, description and situation of the land.	Owners or reputed owners	Lessees or reputed lessees	Occupiers (except tenants for a month or a less period than a month)
1	Single storey building containing boilerhouse and part of open yard at Castle Street, Dungarvan containing 211.81m <sup>2</sup> or thereabouts	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.		Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.
2	Part of two storey Tannery Building to the north of Quay Street, Dungarvan, single storey building to the rear thereof, single storey building to the south of Castle Street, Dungarvan, powerhouse at junction of Castle Street/ Still Lane, Dungarvan, and part of surfaced area on Still Lane, Dungarvan, containing 1795.29m <sup>2</sup> or thereabouts.	Unknown	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.
3	Part of two storey Tannery Building to the north of Quay Street, Dungarvan containing 312.14m <sup>2</sup> or thereabouts.	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.		Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.
4	Part of two storey Tannery Building to the west of Still Lane, Dungarvan and raised concrete platform to the east thereof containing 157.93m <sup>2</sup> or thereabouts.	Unknown	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.
5	Single storey boilerhouse on junction of Quay Street/Still Lane, Dungarvan and part of adjoining two storey Tannery Building to the west fronting on to Quay Street, Dungarvan containing 289.85m <sup>2</sup> or thereabouts.	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.		Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.
6	Yard, Tannery Building and concrete apron at Castle Street, Dungarvan, and Still Lane, Dungarvan containing 1538.42m <sup>2</sup> or thereabouts.	Unknown.	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.
7	Part of Tannery Buildings to the east of Still Lane, Dungarvan containing 1551.43m <sup>2</sup> or thereabouts.	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.		Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.
8	Part of Tannery Buildings to the east of Still Lane, Dungarvan and two storey annex to the south containing 92.90m <sup>2</sup> or thereabouts.	Unknown.	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.	Swanpool Limited, Quay Street, Dungarvan Co. Waterford.

Dated this 27th February, 1996 **RAYMOND MOLONEY, Town Clerk,**  
Town Hall, Dungarvan.

**Kilrossanty Notes**

**LEADER PROGRAMME**

The next meeting of the Leader Programme will be on March 7. This will be the first night of a six week course from 7 to 10 p.m. It will be held in Crotty's Inn. More details next week.

**MEETING**

A Saint Vincent de Paul meeting will take place in Kilrossanty on Friday, March 1.

**CONCERT**

A concert will take place in Kilrossanty Hall on March 8 proceeds for which go to the Kilrossanty Hall Renovation Fund. More details next week.

**STATIONS**

The Spring Stations will be starting this week and will continue for about three weeks.

**MEETING**

Hall meeting next Tuesday night at 8.15 p.m.

**CARDS**

1st Pat Prendergast and Jim Walsh; 2nd Mary Barry and Breda Kiely, Mary Quarry and Babs Murray. Best Last 5 — Tony Coffey and Mick Kirwan. Lucky Table — Tom Casey and Stephen Cunningham. Last Game — Tony and Bernie Butler. Raffle — Ger-tie Hayes, John Mansfield, Bernie Butler.

Cards every Monday night, 8.45 p.m. sharp.

**POKER CLASSIC**

Poker Classic this Friday night in Crotty's Inn.

**G.A.A. NOTES**

**Deise Draw** — The February draw was held in Bohadon last Friday night hosted by the Kilgobinet Club. The club had two winners Joe and Ann Dee, Car-rigeenageragh won £50, while John Kiely (jnr.), Ballingown, won a promoters prize of £100. Well done.

The new draw will be held on March 29. Brochures and tickets are available from all promoters and Mairead Coffey. Money and tickets for this draw to be in the week-end of March 22.

**Clotto** — The Clotto for £100 was not won last Sunday night. Numbers drawn as follows 3, 1, 2, 6, 5, 4. It now goes to £200 on Sunday, March 10.

**Collection** — The collection for Epilepsy was held recently. It raised £153 thanks to the following who took it up — Roger O'Connor and Tom Prendergast, Fews; Tony Coffey, John Power, Liam Brazil, Pat Prendergast and Jimmy Power. Thanks to all.

**Mass** — Mass for deceased members of the club will be offered on this Friday night in Kilrossanty Church at 7.30 p.m.

**Quiz** — Six teams took part in the quiz for M.S. last Thursday night. The winners were — Jim Maher, Tom Keating and Francis Hogan. Thanks to all who took part and to the quiz masters John Kiely and Ger Walsh.

**Sympathy** — Deepest sympathy is extended to the Curran family, Seafield, on the death of Alo Curran recently. Alo's grandfather Joe worked in the Kilrossanty area years ago as postman. May he rest in peace.

**Under-16 Football** — The under-16 footballers played a challenge last Saturday against Naomh Brid in the field. They ran out winners by 2-8 to 1-4.

Team as follows — J. M. Lally, M. Hamey, N. Walsh, C. Foley, P. Hayes (0-2), F. Fahey, L. Fennell, K. O'Connor (0-1), Tony Kirwan (1-0), P. Walsh, T. Kiely, A. Kiely, P. Kirwan, M. Flavin (1-1), S. Casey (0-5). Subs. — B. Lally, A. Power, T. Kirwan, S. McGuire.

They play the first round of the championships this Sunday in Leamybrien at 11.30 a.m. against St. Olivers.

**Under-21 Challenge** — The under-21's played a challenge against Dungarvan last Sunday in Dungarvan. Final score was 2-6 to 2-9 in favour of Dungarvan.

Team as follows — S. Fahey, P. Coffey, B. Lennon, K. Casey, T. Veale, K. Hogan, P. Hayes, J. Kiely, D. Kiely, C. Keating, D. Kirwan, T. Kiely,

K. O'Connor, C. Dee, T. Kirwan. Subs. — B. McGuire, N. Walsh.

**Fees** — Membership fees to be paid to Eddie Walsh as soon as possible.

**Munster Final Under-18** — Best wishes to the Friary College who are playing in the Munster Final next Sunday against Rosscarbery. Cian-ran Keating is a member of the team who scored the winning goal in last week's match against Abbey C.B.S. The match is timed for 2 o'clock.

**Justice** — At last Monday night's County Board meeting Niall O'Connor's suspension of six months which was imposed on him some time ago by the Western Board, was overturned by the delegates on a vote from the floor and at last justice was done to Niall.

**KILMACTHOMAS  
MACRA**

The above will hold a Concert in Kilrossanty Hall on Sunday night next.

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**LOTTO**

Numbers: 12, 15, 19. No winner again this week. Saturday's jackpot will be £400. Go on, treat yourself to a ticket. What easier way could you earn a few pounds and help the community also.

£10 winners: Aileen McCarthy, Churchquarter; Peg Fleming, Cappelquin; Tom Kiely, Lyrattin; Jim Landers, Graigumore; Annie O'Brien, Boherawillin.

**BADMINTON CLUB**

Many congratulations to our mixed team who took part in the County Final on Thursday last. They played with great heart and determination which is a big consolation to them and their band of supporters. Unfortunately it was not to be their night. Touraneena met them and were not willing to concede many points. However our ladies gave them a good rattling by taking two points from them. The first mens also took Touraneena to three sets before they succumbed to the pressure.

Team: Ide Walsh, Joan Cahillane, Breda McCarthy, John Hourigan, Sid Power, Jessie Power.

Meanwhile the juveniles are shuttle deep in competition also. An in-house league is presently being run off and we are seeing some really great badminton. Thanks to Micheál Power who is co-ordinating the matches every Saturday. Thanks also to Deckie and Chrissie Walsh who have sponsored the lovely trophies our young people are hoping to get their hands on. Enjoy the competition and let's hope we see some County competitions soon.

**LENT**

During the feast of Lent, you can participate in the Stations of the Cross and Benediction every Friday night at 7.30. All are very welcome to attend.

This Saturday, March 2nd the usual first Saturday adora-

tion to Our Lady of Fatima can be observed plus Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

**CELI CLUB**

**Munster Scór Semi-Finalists** — Congratulations to our Senior Figure Dancers who qualified last Saturday to take part in the Munster semi-finals. The event will take place in the Green Glens Arena, Millstreet on Saturday next, March 2nd. We wish them every success on the night. Your support would be greatly appreciated by the girls.

Dancers: Karen Denn, Collette Ryan, Gillian Denn, Roseanne Ryan, Gillian McCarthy, Gráinne Foley, Stephanie Coughlan and Martina Tobin.

We also wish the best of luck to our near neighbours, Sliabh gCua who will be represented by their set dancers and ballad group.

**G.A.A. CLUB**

A great night's entertainment was had in Deckie's on Sunday night and thanks to all who supported us on the night. With a big crowd present we held the confined draw for all our members in the Déise Development Draw. First prize of £50 went to Hannah Ahearn, Clashmore. The five prizes of £20 were as follows: J.P. and Marguerite Ryan, Modeligo; Bernie Troy, Graigumore; Josephine McCarthy, Moge-ha; Micheál and Michael Phelan, Cappagh; Frank Nugent, Churchquarter.

A quick reminder that tickets for the present year's Déise draw are available from any committee member. Your continued support would be greatly appreciated.

The club wishes to extend heartiest congratulations to the Modeligo Figure dancers who take part in the Munster semi-finals of Scór Na nOg next Sunday.



# ★ YOUR STAR GUIDE ★



FROM WEEKEND  
MARCH 1

## ★ SCORPIO OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22

In March, a blast from the past could cause havoc. Avoid complicating the present with old issues. Don't invite trouble. Take a cut and dried approach. An important decision will go in your favour — in the meantime you must dangle on tender hooks. This week, a new plan of action excites. **Need to know more? Telephone 1550 151.**

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## ★ ARIES MARCH 21 to APRIL 20

March sees you racing instead of pacing — like the proverbial March Hare. Slow down! You have an important date. Move too fast and you may miss it. This week, beware of a manipulator who can use your soft heart against you. **Telephone 1550 151 for an in-depth analysis of an interesting time.** Your lucky number is 3.

FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 301

## ★ SAGITTARIUS NOV. 23 to DEC. 21

Make March a month of moderation in all things. Avoid excess. Practice self-discipline. Be seen to meet your responsibilities during a period when a mature approach is necessary. This week, beware of devious manipulators in the work place. A windfall is a possibility. **It is also possible to know more. Simple telephone 1550 151.**

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## ★ TAURUS APRIL 21 to MAY 21

Merry March provides a new sense of fun and you feel fancy free. Throw off old inhibitions. Escape outdated fears. An unexpected success makes you happy. This week, avoid excessive spending at all costs in order to avoid financial pressures. **Telephones 1550 151 for further astrological insights.** Your lucky number is 1.

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## ★ CAPRICORN DEC 22 to JAN 20

Magic March sees you dreaming. Your head may be in the clouds but your feet are firmly on the ground. With such an outlook, anything is possible. The sky is the limit. This week, rest assured that you will make the right choices, despite pressures or interferences. **For a more in-depth astrological analysis, telephone 1550 151.**

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## ★ GEMINI MAY 22 to JUNE 21

Don't get caught out by March madness. Take life as it comes. Remain calm and cool — especially when others attempt to provoke a reaction. This week, a family member learns from your advice and gains strength in your support. **For further information on love and luck, work and money. Telephone 1550 151.**

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## ★ AQUARIUS JAN 21 to FEB 19

Much ado about nothing makes you see red in March and may cloud your vision. Try to see what is under your nose rather than remain blind to the obvious. A windfall is a strong possibility. This week, enjoy a family reunion. Blood ties prove strong. **For more on love and luck, work and money, telephone 1550 151.**

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## ★ CANCER JUNE 22 to JULY 23

March is a perfect month for a spiritual spring clean. Throw away worn out attitudes, negative patterns and old habits. Reassess who you are — and more importantly who you are becoming. This week, a windfall is on its way. In the meantime, be patient! You'll soon be counting more than those pennies. **For more astrological news and views. Telephone 1550 151.**

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## ★ PISCES FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20

Make March a month to remember. Surprise yourself and others by acting out of the ordinary. Sometimes it's not safe to play it too safe. This week, thoughts of travel fill your mind whilst romantic feelings fill your heart. You are aware of options but have made your choice. **Choose to telephone 1550 151 for more about what's in store.**

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## ★ LEO JULY 24 to AUGUST 23

"The more the merrier" is the key to a marvelous March that sees you centre stage. Your charm can open doors and your wit a handy exit. During this romantic week, your passions are bound to get the better of you. Affairs of the heart are your priority. **Curious to know more? Then telephone 1550 151.** Your lucky number is 3.

FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 305

## ★ VIRGO AUGUST 24 to SEPT. 23

March mayhem will fizzle out. In the meantime — don't panic! If someone steps on your toes, it's up to you to draw the line. This week, an invitation is likely to interfere with already made plans. Professionally, stop dabbling and make decisions. **Make a call to 1550 151 and find out more.** Your lucky number is 8.

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## ★ LIBRA SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23

Mega March sees you aiming high and falling flat — unless you become clearer about your aspirations. Commitment and dedication are your keys to success. This week, beware of childish outbursts in mature relationships. If this advice comes too late, be sure to kiss and make up! **Telephone 1550 151 for further details.**

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# A Good Time For Lawn Work

IT might be some time before the lawn needs its first mowing of the year but you should start your preparations now.

First of all, aerate the lawn by spiking with a fork. It's a good exercise on a nippy February day, but if you have a larger expanse of green, a specialist aerator or slitter might be easier and more effective.

Secondly, consider a top dressing: the cheapest and easiest is simply to make use of dried worm casts by dispersing them with a spring rake.

Surprisingly, some gardeners still regard casts as an unsightly nuisance and an encouragement to weeds. They may even go to the lengths of applying a worm deterrent to expel what others regard as nature's best soil aerators and conditioners.



### TOP DRESSING

Let the worms carry on the good work, I say, and follow-up with a top dressing of your own at the end of the month.

A typical mix would be one part sharp sand, one part peat and two parts sifted loam.

You can also use one of the many commercial mixtures which may be brushed in or dispersed using containers or gadgets supplied. However, this can be expensive and many gardeners prefer to simply recycle compost from the grow bags used to grow last year's tomato and cucumber crops!

### MOVED

If you've moved into a new house or simply want to establish a new lawn then turves laid before the end of February have a good chance to put down deeper roots.

If your existing lawn has rough or bald patches or collapsed edges, this is also a good time for repair work to allow a strong restoration before summer and the inevitable shortages of moisture.

Cut out bad patches with a spade edge or turf-cutter and replace with a healthy patch from elsewhere.

If 'spares' are in short supply, edges can be repaired by lifting a square with the damaged side and rotating so that a healthy part faces outwards and the rough section can then recover away from 'the front line.'

Finally, check the mower: even if you put it away carefully before winter, it is worth wiping down bare metal with oil to keep rust at bay, oiling and greasing the rotating parts and turning over the engine to discover any possible faults.

These few precautions may save much irritation when you need to use the mower sometime soon!

— ARTHUR HINES



# Cappoquin Notes

## CAPPOQUIN A.F.C. NOTES

### UNDER-16

It was cup day last Saturday and we had a home tie with Ballybridge. Although underdogs, they were in no way overawed by the opposition. A game full of passion and end to end football followed but without the essential ingredient - a goal.

The first half, to be fair was shaded by Ballybridge, who were raiding quick by and sharply down midfield through their wingers but credit to our defence, our goalkeeper had no save to make in this half.

The second half saw us getting to grips better with the opposition. Chances fell to both sides but our keeper, Noel McCarthy was called on to make the best save of the half at the feet of a Ballybridge striker.

However at full time, it was still scoreless and we went to extra time. It was now that Cappoquin came into their own, dominating extra time particularly the

first period. Only bad luck and excellent goalkeeping stopped Cappoquin scoring several goals here. Best chance fell to Stephen Kennedy who was twice denied by the keeper and Anthony Walsh whose superb free kick hit the underside of the bar only to bounce back out. John Crotty was unlucky not to score the resulting rebound. The remainder of the game was played out without the elusive goal that we richly deserved and the tie went to a penalty shoot out.

Unfortunately we lost this lottery and were out of the cup !!! While we accept that there is no better way available to us at present, it is a terrible way to go out especially in schoolboys football. Everybody involved were understandably gutted afterwards. To the unfortunate lads that failed to score their penalties, there is no shame in missing. Remember Robert Baggio on the World Cup Final !!!

Nevertheless it was a great performance. The defence of Karl Mason, Shane Hanrahan, Paul Morrissey and Mark Coffey were superb. A special word about Shane, who was marking their fastest and best forward. After a troubled start, he realigned the task facing him and completely cut out the supply coming down his wing, a truly outstanding performance. Midfield of John Crotty, Anthony Walsh, Justin Dalton, Stephen Kennedy and Aidan McGrath were always alert and worked tirelessly. Thomas McGrath was introduced as a substitute and injected strength when we needed it most. We would also like to welcome Anthony Shasby to the squad. Let's go on from this and win our remaining two games and finish on a high !!! Watch elsewhere in this paper for fixtures.

### DIVISION ONE

The first team were at home to Ardmore on Sunday. They were somewhat understrength due to injury and suspension but we cannot keep making excuses. The result was 2-2. A draw is not enough to bring us up the table. Remember there are three teams going down. It's time to pull out all the stops !!!

### BOYS SCHOOL LOTTO

No winner this week. Winners of £10 were: James Devine, Monwee, Cappoquin; Eleanor Cahill, Monamon, Lismore; Lena Jeffries, Mass Lane, Cappoquin.

## CAPPOQUIN SNOOKER CLUB NOTES

### The Meat Centre Perpetual Trophy

**U-16 Age Group** — The above tournament starts this Saturday, March 2nd. The draw takes place at 8.30 p.m. on Saturday night. Entry fee is £1 to be paid by placing £1 in an envelope provided and posting it in the tournament box. Also write name of trophy on envelope.

Tournament committee meeting takes place this Thursday, February 29th at 8.30 p.m. to re-adjust handicaps from last tournament. Tournament contenders should include: Niall Maher, Derek McLoughlin and Michael Fraher but newcomers will feature more prominent this time with Damien McCarthy, Shane Coughlan and Brian Farrell quickly improving and gaining experience. Damien pushed last tournament winner, Niall Maher to the wire and was unlucky not to come through. Brian Farrell reached the last four in his first tournament in the Hall.

With the members list treble what it was for the last couple of seasons, the Snooker Hall has again become very popular and a facility in which people can pass away a couple of hours seven days a week. Just to remind anyone who would be interested in joining up, the club requires that intending members should be 12 years and over - boys and girls allowed. A membership fee is paid for the entire running time of the snooker year. For 12 years - 16 years it's £5 and 16 years and up it's £10. Games cost 50p per half hour which runs on a coin meter in the Hall.

Also just to remind members that the heating system is connected to a 'token box' in the Hall and one token which costs £1 will run both of the wall heaters for two to two and a half hours. These tokens can be purchased from Mrs. Foley, Mill Street who has kindly offered to hold them. More next week and news of tournament draw.

## DIED IN ENGLAND

The death took place in England recently of Mrs. Josie Tobin (nee O'Donoghue). Josie was a native of Tournaraheen, Mount Melleray.

Sincere sympathy is extended to her brother, James O'Donoghue, Green Street, Cappoquin and to her sister, Mrs. Mary Tobin, Feddaun Upr., Mount Melleray. May she rest in peace.

## AFFANE A.F.C. CLUB NOTES

We made it three games on the trot without defeat when we had a scoreless draw at home against Gortroe last Sunday. This was a very exciting and entertaining game despite the fact there were no goals.

In the first half, it was very close with the best of the chances falling to us and we went close on several occasions while our defence was well on top and coped very well with Gortroe attack.

In the second half, we again played well and indeed with a bit of luck could have taken all the points as we had the visitors defence in trouble but failed to find the net.

We can feel well pleased with this display as Gortroe are in fourth spot in the league and we showed once again we are capable of holding our own with any team in this division.

Team: E. McGrath, R. Prendergast, M. Buckley, F. McCarthy, B. Dunne, T. Hennebery, T. Kiely, C. Cunningham, T. Sullivan, I. Millea, C. O'Mahoney.

## CAPPOQUIN AND DISTRICT DARTS LEAGUE

Last weekend saw the first round of the league cup take place. The holders, Lindsay's are safely through after a good win in the Village Inn against the 'A' side.

Last year's runners-up, Barry's also joined them but had to fight all the way against Tavern 'B'. Tavern 'A' beat The Marine while Castle Lodge had an easy victory over Dunne's. The big upset was the defeat of the Decies by the Cruiscin Lan while The Village Inn 'B' had a good victory over Deckie's. Morrissey's defeated Paddy Mac's 'B' while Paddy Mac's 'A' accounted for Kereen.

Next Friday, the quarter-finals take place. The Village Inn 'B' V Paddy Macs 'A'; Morrissey's V Barry's; Castle Lodge V Tavern 'A' and Cruiscin Lan V Lindsay's. The quarter-finals of the plate also take place.

Deckie's V Kereen; Paddy Mac's 'B' V Tavern 'B'; Dunne's V The Marine and Decies V The Village Inn 'A'. Also next weekend we have world champion, Phil Taylor in Paddy Mac's on Sunday evening.

The final league tables were as follows:

First Division - Lindsay's: 77; Tavern 'A': 75; The Village Inn 'A': 68; Barry's: 65; Morrissey's: 55; Paddy Macs 'A': 45; Deckie's: 34; Kereen: 29.

Second Division - Decies: 71; Paddy Macs 'B': 65; Dunne's: 62; The Village Inn 'B': 62; Castle Lodge: 61; Tavern 'B': 51; The Marine: 34; Cruiscin Lan: 31.

## MELLERAY DRAMATIC SOCIETY NOTES

### "45" DRIVE

Results Of Mission Game For Fr. Coleman and Fr. Broderick Missions - February 23rd

Joint First: James and Betty Devine; Johnnie Coffey and Joe Shea; Third: Billy Houlihan and John Duggan; Lucky Tables: Angela Collender and Pat O'Connor; Johnnie Prendergast and Mick Quinn; Raffie: Tina Power; Joe Shea; Roseanne Ryan; Michael McGrath; Rita Kiely; Dolores Kenrick; Stephen Cunningham; Jimmy McCarthy; Noel Pratt; Maura Murray; Eddie Byrne; Brian Aherne; Roseanne Ryan.

Next game on this Friday, March 1st at 8.30 p.m. Jackpot is £120.

### AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB

Results - February 19th  
First: Lal Costin, Mick Linnen; Second: Betty Kelleher, Bríd Bergin; Third: Eileen Coffey, Eddie Buckley; Fourth: Claire Meaney, Tom Hackett.

## County Waterford Allocated Forty Houses

Chairman of Waterford County Council, Cllr. Oliver Coffey has been informed by the Minister for the Environment Brendan Howlin that the Council has been allocated 40 houses under the 1996 housing programme.

Warmly welcoming this year's allocation, Cllr. Coffey said the 40 houses will go a long way towards easing the pressure on the present housing list. "It's a big improvement from the early '90's when the Council only received 10 or 12 houses for the year", he added.

While there is still a big demand for housing in Co. Waterford, the allocations of the past three years have kept the list under control and at a manageable level, thereby shortening the length of time on the waiting list. Commenting on his Department's allocation, Minister Howlin said that the local authority housing programme has now been brought back up to a sustainable and satisfactory level from the very low levels of the late 1980's and the early 1990's. The expenditure on the programme has stabilised in 1996, he stated, following the significant rate of increase which was necessary in 1993, '94 and again last year in order to expand the programme from its previous low base.

The Minister then urged local authorities to press ahead promptly with preparatory work on their programme so as to ensure that the programme of each authority for the year is achieved.

In notifying the housing authorities of their programmes, the Environment Minister drew particular attention to the need in designing local authority houses, to provide for the security of elderly and disabled residents.

He also urged that in the context of the Village Renewal Programme, particular efforts should be made to identify infill sites for housing. As well as revitalising villages and urban centres, such housing can provide a secure environment for residents, especially those who are elderly or disabled.

## Variety Show



Cast of "Keep Calm": Seated from left: Aileen Fitzgerald (Mrs. Primrose); Maria O'Rourke (Mrs. Grant). Standing from left: Michael Cullinane (The Plumber); Sean Murphy (Mr. Grant); James Devine (Detective). Missing from photo is Carmel Murphy who plays "Jane".

Melleray Dramatic Society's preparation are now nearing completion as all involved are on a countdown to the staging of their Variety Show on this Friday, March 1st and Sunday, March 3rd at St. Mary's Hall, Melleray, opening at 8.15 p.m.

Members of the cast of the one act, comedy play "Keep Calm" have been busy of late polishing their accents. Let's hope they do keep calm as things do not seem to run as smoothly as would be desirable in the household they portray. This play is being produced by James Lenane, who will shortly be appearing in the Ballyduff Drama Festival play, "The Fires of Midsummer."

James will take to the

stage himself when he will entertain the audience with the recitation which won him the Scór County Title last Saturday night. His next appearance will be in the Green Glens Arena, Millstreet when he competes in the semi-final of the Munster Scór competition and we wish him the best of luck there.

A lovely blend of music, song, dance and recitation comes under the title of "Hannigan's Hooley" performed by the local Melleray Adult Group.

The Foróige Club match dance movements to song as they entertain us with excerpts from "Grease." All that remains is to hope you will enjoy your night at the Melleray Variety Show.



# Tender Stage On Horizon For Dungarvan Hospital

In a recent communique to local Urban Councillor Billy Kyne, Programme Manager with the Department of Health, Richard Green revealed that the Health Minister has now given the green light to stages 4 and 5 of the new nursing unit at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan.

Both stages are expected to reach completion in two months time after which the 27 bed unit should arrive at tender stage in summer.

In the letter Mr. Green said Minister Noonan "is fully determined" that the planning of the 27 bed replacement nursing unit in St.

Joseph's would go ahead without delay.

Cllr. Kyne who has been fully involved in the project since its inception warmly welcomed Mr. Green's announcement and said he is looking forward to the project reaching the tender stage as quickly as possible.

# Minister To Review National Salmon Policy

Responding to a recent Dail question raised by Waterford Fine Gael Deputy Austin Deasy regarding the 1989 report of the Salmon Review Body, Minister for the Marine, Sean Barrett said a new Task Force Report on salmon management will be published at the end of March.

The Minister decided last year that the national salmon policy needed to be revised and accordingly, the Salmon Management Task Force was established last October. The aim of the group is to develop practical proposals for the management of wild-salmon stocks. Any proposals put forward by the Task Force would be in line with stated policy objectives on conservation and development and would give full regard to the interest of those with legitimate rights in salmon

exploitation, be they commercial or angling.

In developing these proposals, Minister Barrett asked the Task Force to consult widely with all relevant interest groups and to take account of a number of policy guidelines on salmon management.

These include, the primary goal is the conservation of wild salmon stocks; fishing for wild salmon needs to be managed on a catchment basis; the salmon regulations must make sense and be respected by the majority of the industry to be effective; a new spirit of partnership is needed with coastal communities to manage the wild salmon resources effectively, etc.

A submission by the IFO is being carefully considered by the Task Force along with over 200 other submissions to date. "The level and inten-

sity of interest reflected in the large number of submissions and views expressed," said Minister Barrett, "confirms my own belief that the time was ripe for a renewed national debate on future directions for salmon policy."

## MONOFILAMENT NET

Commenting on the current Task Force, Deputy Austin Deasy pointed out that the Salmon Review Body which consisted of senior personnel from a number of departments such as Marine, Defence, Justice and Finance together with an Assistant Garda Commissioner and a Senior Officer from the Naval Service, recommended that a limited amount of monofilament net be legalised for licenced Drift Net Salmon Fisherman.

The Minister is expected to receive and publish the Task Force Report at an early date (probably end March). A full debate on the reports findings will then ensue in the Dail.

# Ard Scoil na nDeise Student Wins German Government Scholarship



Two students from Ard Scoil na nDeise were among the top 80 German results in Ireland in the Junior Certificate Exam 1995. They were Mary Curran, Windgap, Dungarvan and Deirdre Fitzgerald, Kilrush, Dungarvan. Following this achievement they were invited to an interview conducted in German at the Goethe Institute. Subsequently, Mary Curran was one of the successful pupils who was chosen to travel to Germany next June. Photo shows Mary Curran being congratulated by the Principal of Ard Scoil na nDeise, Ms. Margaret O'Brien (left) on being awarded a three week summer scholarship to Germany sponsored by the German Government. Also included is Mrs. Dorothy Hughes, German Teacher, Ard Scoil na nDeise.

—(Photo: Pat Crowley).

# Teachers Warn Of Marked Deterioration In School Conditions

Teachers at Dungarvan Technical College, spoke out at last week's Co. Waterford Vocational Education Committee about a considerable deterioration in the school conditions.

Former principal of the college and CEO of the Co. Waterford VEC, Kieran Heffernan spoke of a recent decline in conditions in the building and stressed that

the teaching staff were only putting up with the situation on the promise of a new college on a green field site at Quann's.

Mr. Heffernan informed members that some machines in the metalwork and woodwork rooms are now obsolete. The upgrading of equipment in the college is a priority, he stressed.

Paudie Geary (TUI) said

the deterioration in the school was due to recent inclement weather conditions. Mr. Geary said the committee should obtain an Environmental Health Officer's report and a Fire Officer's report on the college and send them to the Minister for Education to highlight the current situation in the school and underline the need for a rapid advancement with plans for the new technical college.



Pictured above are a group of students on the Vocational Training and Opportunities Scheme run by Co. Waterford V.E.C., receiving their N.C.V.A. Certificates. Front row (left to right) — Madeline Landers, Patricia Dunne, Tonya Linsen (VTOS Co-ordinator), Billy Kyne (Chairman Co. Waterford VEC), Kieran Heffernan (Acting CEO, CO. Waterford VEC), Mary Togher, Marie Deegan, Anne Wyer; back row — Stephen Foley, Brendan Klersey, Chay Duff-White, Anne Thayre, Ellen Fitzgerald, Helen O'Sullivan, Anna Downey, Philomena Morrissey.

—(Photo: Pat Crowley).



# Major Fundraising Effort For New Piltown Church



Pictured at the launch of the Buy A Slate Scheme for Piltown New Church were (left to right) — Liam Curran, Majella Nolan, Pat Dalton, Fr. Maurice O'Gorman, P.P., Marty Barron, Betty Coughlan, Bobby Connery and Fr. Gerard O'Connor, C.C. — (Photo: Sean Byrne).

The people and priests of the West Waterford Parish of Clashmore and Piltown are very happy to see the construction of the new Church in Piltown at an advanced stage.

This rural community on the border of counties Waterford and Cork undertook a major project when it was decided to go ahead and rebuild the Church of Saint Bartholomew in Piltown, Kinsalebeg.

The original church was built in 1825 when Fr. Michael O'Donnell was parish priest.

That church fell into disrepair and was demolished in 1989, and since then the old school house has been used as a place of worship, where daily Mass has continued to be celebrated.

A decision was taken to rebuild the church, and having received permission from the Bishop of Waterford and Lismore, Dr. William Lee, the rebuilding started in mid-November.

The foundation stone for the new church was blessed

on December 19 by Bishop Lee.

The steel structure and floors were in place for Christmas and now the walls are completed, with the roof being put on at the moment.

The main building contractors are Hally and Sons Ltd., Ardfinnan, who were also the builders of the new church in Youghal.

The people of the parish can be very proud of themselves in reaching this point, building a church in rural Ireland in the nineties is a feat in itself.

The parishioners have had a large input into planning their church. They have also been very generous and supportive. At this stage a special fundraising effort is needed. A recent public meeting proposed two schemes:

### "THE CALF REARING SCHEME"

Local farmers will be asked to rear a calf to a two year old and the income from sale of same will be allocated to the Piltown Church Building Fund.

### "THE BUY A SLATE SCHEME"

The second scheme is a "Buy A Slate Scheme" where people will be invited to buy slates at £10 per slate.

A graph of the roof has been drawn and will be on view at the back of Piltown Hall, where Mass is held. On this graph the slates bought will be shaded in and the buyer will receive a receipt with a section, and number of the slate. There are a total of 6,698 slates available.

On request a special certificate will be available, this will be most appropriate for people buying slates in the name of, or memory of someone else.

A novena of Masses will be said in the church when opened, for the intentions of all the benefactors.

### SUMMER OPENING

It is hoped that these two schemes will receive the support of the people of the parish and beyond. The local Clashmore/Piltown Parish Committee co-ordinated by Fr. Maurice O'Gorman P.P.

and Fr. Gerard O'Connor will make contact with people from the parish, now living away and with people who have roots here.

Speaking to the 'Dungarvan Leader', local curate Fr. O'Connor said, "if anybody wishes to contribute in any other way, we will be so grateful. Over the next few weeks people will be given an opportunity to support us in our project," he added.

Rural Ireland is in decline and it is a tribute to the people of the parish to be undertaking such a major project. The church, though modern in design, is being built on the site of the old church, and so will link the old with the new. One of its features is its dome with the Cross above.

It is hoped to have the church blessed and opened in May or early June. Anyone wishing to make a donation to the Piltown Church Building Fund should contact either Fr. O'Gorman or Fr. O'Connor.

## THIS WEEK

# TEAGASC Says

### DAIRYING: Milk Recording

This is a very useful management aid that is not practised by enough farmers. Very many farmers who have jars or meters have a good idea of the annual yield of their cows but they are missing out on information on milk composition and cell counts.

The cost should be looked on as an investment in the future. This is because the annual yield and milk composition of cows are often better or worse than the appearance of the cow or what the peak yield indicated.

Milk protein % is now very important, each 0.1% being worth about 1.5 p/gallon. The difference between cows within a herd is as much as 0.3% or even more in exceptional cases. This is a difference of up to £50 between the best and worst cows, due to milk protein % alone.

Milk protein can be moved slowly upwards by breeding, it can be moved upwards much faster by milk recording and having plenty of heifers.

Daily management can be assisted by recording also. Individual cell counts are updated every month. The economics of different feeding situations have a factual base and different grassland practices can be assessed. Milk recording is more useful when there are plenty of heifers than where they are scarce. The records help at breeding time and also in decisions about culling and age of cows.

### Lameness in Dairy Cows

It is important to maintain a good surface on cow roads for the sake of the cows' feet and comfort. This will reduce lameness. Some repairs will be necessary every year or two. If a farmer has succeeded in providing a smooth road for the cows, the machinery travel on it should be kept to a minimum. Silage making traffic and slurry spreading should be kept off the roadways as much as possible. Fast moving tractors and turning sharp corners into paddocks cause surface erosion, brings up sharp stones and potholes are the end result.

In summary, a good internal roadway is of fundamental importance on a dairy farm and does not get as much attention as it deserves. As milk yield goes up, cows' feet get softer and the quality of the road surface is even more important.

Even where the road surface is satisfactory, it is good practice to spread a thin layer of sand about one metre wide in the middle of the road every spring. If the cows are not rushed to and from milking, they will use the sand strip, despite the rest of the road having a good surface. This helps to keep lameness in cows to a minimum.

### SUCKLER COWS

We are at the beginning of the calving season in most suckler herds and this is a crucial time when profitability can be determined for the rest of the year. Success means the turnout of a full crop of healthy calves. It is estimated that about half of all calf losses occur at birth and that nine out of ten calves that die at calving were alive at the start of calving.

### SUPERVISION

Around calving time, cows need regular supervision. In suckling, where the bigger continental breeds of bull are used, supervision is even more important than when the more traditional bull breeds were used in the past. Where A.I. is used, the unexpected calving date can be accurately determined but where a bull is run with cows, the expected starting date for calving may be all that is known.

The normal gestation length with non-Continental bulls is 280 days (i.e. nine months and nine days). Cows bred to Continental bulls carry for five to six days longer on average but it is not unusual for cows with Continental calves to carry over 290 days. Cows at full term should be seen at least three times a day.

### CALVING

To help estimate calving date, watch for udder development (the teats stiffen in the 24 hours before calving), enlargement of the vulva and dropping of the pin bones. Cows on slats should be moved to calving boxes at this stage.

It is best to have a cow in the calving box about 36 hours before calving so that she has settled in the new environment. Once the cow shows the first signs of calving, like restlessness, check every two to three hours but do not intrude too much at this stage.

Research work at Moorepark suggests that cows may be left for three to six hours and heifers for longer, once the first signs of calving appear before any intervention is required. If no progress is being made after that time only the most experienced farmers should consider handling the cow to detect simple abnormalities such as a leg down, otherwise veterinary assistance should be sought without delay.

## Stradbally Notes

### SYMPATHY

We extend deepest sympathy to the Hurley family, Faha on the death of their sister Mrs. Costello recently.

### DEISE DRAW

We had no winner in the Deise Draw on Friday night last. This was the last draw of the present series and as the '96 draw begins in March, tickets are on sale from any member of the committee.

### UNDER-12'S PRESENTATION

The following are asked to turn up to the Centre on Saturday night next at 8.30 p.m. for the presentation of medals — Michael Walsh

(capt.), Sean Costelloe, Patrick Kiely, Stephen Curran, Tony Weldon, Patrick Casey, Tommy McGrath, Kevin Power, Liam Halpin, Charlie McKeon, Nickey Doyle, Adrian Power, Wayne Kiely, Kevin Lawlor, Stephen Lawlor, Christopher Lawlor, David Reynolds, Brendan Clancy, Noel Clancy, Ross Kirwan, Karl Power, J. J. Power, David Morrissey, Eric Kiely, Philip Curran and Johnny Sheehan.

### UNDER-16 MATCH

We play our first under 16 football championship match in Stradbally on Sunday morning at 11.30 a.m.

### against An Gaeltacht. BEST WISHES

Best wishes for the future to former Secretary and P.R.O. P.J. Coleman who had to give up work recently due to ill health. P. J. had been employed at Shaws of Dungarvan for the past 24 years, and hadn't been in the best of health for some time.

### WHIST RESULTS

Results of Valentine's whist in St. James School — Alice Power, Kit Keating, Crissie Fitzgerald. Raffle — Sadie Stephenson, Belinda Coffey and Biddy Fitzgerald. Next whist in St. James' School on Friday night next March 1st at 8.30 p.m.

## Melleray Ladies Club News

Melleray Ladies Club held a very successful microwave demonstration last month. It was a most interesting and enjoyable night. Special thanks to Ann Ward who gave the demonstration. The speaker at the next meeting on March 6 is Dr. Chantelle McNamara from Waterford, well known for her contributions to W.L.R. Radio. Looking forward to welcoming everyone on Wednesday at 8.15 p.m.





# FARMING LEADER

## Ring Cheese Featured In New Bord Bia Brochure



An Bord Bia has launched a new colour brochure, detailing the farmhouse cheeses available in Ireland. The brochure is part of a Bord Bia promotional plan designed to boost sales of Irish farmhouse cheeses in the UK — already the most important market for Irish farmhouse cheese.

Among the many farmhouse cheese producers featured in the brochure are Tom and Eileen Harty of Ring Cheese. Based in Gort-

nadiha House, An Rinn, Ring Cheese is a semi-hard texture with a distinctive orange rind. The cheese is made without any preservatives or additives.

All of the cheeses in the brochure are made using traditional, hand finished methods. The range produced varies from cheddars, goudas and blue cheese to rind washed and waxed and varies in texture between soft and semi-hard using

cow, sheep or goat milk.

The Irish Food Board's new colour brochure will be circulated to the key UK wholesalers and distributors and to the cheesemakers involved. The promotional plan also includes a publicity programme in the UK, Irish Cheese Weeks, high profile in-store promotions, staff training in speciality cheeses and trade visits for UK groups to the Irish 'farmhouse cheese' region.

**Pictured at the launch of a new brochure, detailing the farmhouse cheeses available from Ireland, where UK speciality cheese importers met with the manufacturers, organised by An Bord Bia are Eileen Harty, Ring Cheese, Ring, Tony Fitzgibbin, Cottage Cheese, Goleen, Co. Cork, Carole Faulkner, The Cheese Shop, Chester, England and Cathryn Hargan, An Bord Bia.**

# News of Town and Roundabout

### PEOPLE IN NEED

Public meeting in the Park Hotel on Thursday, March 7, at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

### BALLET CLASSES

Ballet classes will commence in Lawlor's Hotel this Thursday, February 29. Children aged 6 to 9, 3.30 p.m. and aged 10 to 13, 4.30 p.m. £3 per class. Jane Bulfin, former soloist of the Southern California Ballet will conduct the classes. Information: phone 051/293308.

### THANKS FOR SUPPORT

Dan Dineen would like to thank all those who kindly contributed to Cerebral Palsy Ireland during his run from Waterford to Dungarvan last Saturday, February 24. The event was a huge success and all funds will be donated to Cerebral Palsy

Ireland for children with physical disabilities. Your support is greatly appreciated.

### MOTHERS' DAY WALK

The second annual Mothers' Day Walk in aid of the Irish Wheelchair Association will take place on Sunday, March 10. The 5 mile walk will start from Crotty's Corner at 2.30 p.m. A party will be held afterwards in the Park House. Sponsorship cards are available from Sadie Moynihan, telephone 058-42726. Please support this worthy cause.

### HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB

Results for February 15 — 1, Mary Phelan and Peggy Kingston; 2, Pat Murray and Margaret Curran; 3, Joan Colbert and Margaret Cashin; 4, Margaret Foley and Patsy Fay; 5, Mary Walsh and Brid Culloo; 6, Breda McCarthy and

Katherine Mulcahy.

Results for February 22 — 1, Pat Harrington and Mary O'Dea; 2, Chrissie McCarthy and Nellie Moloney; 3, Noreen Tobin and Pat Murray, Alice Butler and Helen O'Dwyer; 4, Kathleen Browne and Jenny Kiely.

### DUNGARVAN BRIDGE CLUB

Results for February 22 — 1, Kathleen Deasy and Geraldine Murphy; 2, Colin Carthy and Justin Spratt; 3, Sadie Bn. Ui Mhiachain and Margaret O'Donnell; 4, Fr. Barron and Paddy McCarthy.

### CUNNIGAR BRIDGE CLUB

Results of team of four held on February 21 — 1, Kay Kirwan and Betty Prendergast, John Phelan and Leo O'Donnell; 2, Ned Whelan and Mary Walsh, Kathleen Barrett and Nuala O'Donovan.

### ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB

Results, February 20 — 1, Cora Queally and Austin Fenton; 2, Teresa Ryan and Des O'Toole; 3, Doreen Keane and Fr. Desmond; 4, Cass Dolan and John Phelan.

### ST. MARY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL DRAW

Week 2 results — £100, Margo Mulcahy, 22 Cunnigar View, p. Mary Nagle, 29 Childers Est.; £50, Jackie Walsh, 25 Caseyville, p. Claire Walsh; £10 each — Kevin Tutty, 39 Congress Villas, p. Laura Tutty; Jim Dee, Springfield, p. Joanne Dee; Rosaleen Power, 7 Bayview, p. Paul Casey (Mrs. Regan); Martin Crotty, Lackenfune, Dungarvan, p. Siobhan Allen-Ross, 2 Lismore Ave.; Margaret Hayes, 38 Childers Est.; p. Aisling Hayes. (Adv.)



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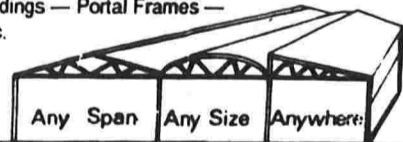
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# TALLOW NOTES

## TALLOW G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

### Gormanston

The G.A.A. National hurling Festival for the nation's U-14 hurlers, Féile Na nGael, will be hosted by Waterford in June this year. That is a big honour for any county and so it behoves every hurling club from the strongest down to the smallest and humblest to make this gathering of young players a really enjoyable one. What a pity we have no equivalent celebration for adult players. The nearest to such a hosting was the Annual Gormanston National Coaching Course in hurling but the main purpose of that was to enable participants to acquire the expertise which would qualify them for coaching teams on their return home.

The Gormanston courses started in 1965 and continued into the late seventies when the G.A.A. bureaucrats decided they had outlived their usefulness. I was there for all of them and will never forget them. Each year seemed to surpass the previous year in enjoyment. Gormanston College is a massive Franciscan second level institution in Co. Meath some 30 miles north of Dublin. The college possesses every possible educational and recreational facility. Besides dormitories with accommodation for over 300, there is ample provision of private rooms, classrooms, television rooms, language laboratory, a large refectory, a magnificent swimming pool and a beautiful chapel where we occasionally responded to the urge to acknowledge God's munificence to us. The outdoor facilities could hardly be bettered with charming walks through the spacious grounds (we hardly took any notice of them!), several fine playing pitches, a handball alley with covered spectator accommodation, an athletic cinder track to championship standard and a testing nine hole golf course within the confines of the college complex.

The priests were fine men whose broadmindedness, warmth, understanding and hospitality enhanced our stay. They became an integral part of our courses whose spirit and ethos they shared and they contributed towards making the week and unforgettable experience. Fr. Fiachra O Ceallaigh was a great favourite. This Clare man concealed his learning and scholarship under a thin facade of good humour and geniality and entered into all the fun and sport which the courses generated. Quite an accomplished hurler and staunch G.A.A. man, Fiachra was destined for high office within his order and sure enough he assumed senior posts of responsibility in the eighties. It was no great surprise to me when he became a member of the Hierarchy at his consecration as Auxiliary Bishop of Dublin in September of 1994. My wife and I were present at

that impressive ceremony at St. Andrew's Church, Westland Row. His sermon was marked by a lightness of touch and a gentle wit which only pointed up the gravity of the occasion. We attended the reception afterwards at Clonliffe College and it was a source of pride to witness the Clare hurling defenders elevation to high ecclesiastical office. One advantage of his position is that he doesn't have to join us any longer in the annual scramble for tickets!!! The reception was like a who's who of G.A.A. personalities. By a peculiar coincidence another friend of mine whom I met there, Fr. Willie Walsh, was later that year consecrated Bishop of Killaloe, another man who has grave responsibility thrust upon him.

Fr. Bob Doyle was another member of the community to leave a lasting impression on us. His hurling had more doggedness and determination than finesse but he was an amiable companion with a great liking for debate and discussion. One night Bob, John Hurley, Donie Nealon and myself were joined in discussion by Raymond Smith. Raymond had an encyclopaedic knowledge of the game of hurling, after all he had been writing about the game since his first book was published in 1955, "A Lifetime in Hurling". He had followed that up with "Decades of Glory", "The Clash of the Ash", "The Hurling Immortals" and his popular history of hurling, "Book of Hurling". Raymond was espousing the cause of his native Tipperary and we were determined that he wouldn't have it all his own way. What began at 10.00 p.m. didn't conclude until 4.00 a.m. the following morning. And even then the subject hadn't been fully explored. Things like that were always likely to happen in Gormanston.

Fr. Diarmuid McCarthy was a lovely man, gentle and mild mannered, the quiet priest when dressed in full canonicals. With a hurley grasped in his right hand he was a man transformed. His style was governed by impulse and abandon with little regard for the niceties of the game and those who clashed with him on the field of play usually had, in the words of sportswriter of the time, John D. Hickey, "weals to show afterwards." Personal safety wasn't a major consideration when the speedy dervish with the low centre of gravity entered the play and such was his zealous use of the piece of ash that there was no game on which he didn't leave his mark. Coaching made no impact on him as he pursued his own agenda. And he had the engaging habit of responding to his "victims" imprecations with an air of puzzlement and wounded innocence. He was the negation of all our instruction but he loved the game. From the deprivations of such as Fr. Diarmuid, oh Lord deliver us, was our prayer.

Even those priests who didn't actively participate in the hurling course were so pleasant and affable. I remember in particular and t-Athair, Colmán O hUallacháin, the Gaelic scholar and language enthusiasts whose untimely death saddened all who knew him as an animated vigorous man. His brother is the Franciscan priest who is a chaplain in the Mercy Hospital, Cork.

The Gormanston day was long and exhausting. You were very lucky if one of the hurlers didn't rearrange your bedclothes so that it was hard to distinguish it from some kind of maze. Breakfast at 8.30 was followed by the first of the day's talks - I hate the word lecture, it sounds so stuffy and conceited. Then it was out of doors until lunch time. The weather was invariably bright and sunny - Gormanston is situated in one of the two driest parts of Ireland - so the outdoor skill sessions were always enjoyable and relaxed. Nothing intruded on the even tenor of our ways except the occasional drone of an army plane coming in to land at the nearby airport. How quickly the morning sped by and as lunchtime approached it was customary for one group to challenge its neighbour to a match so that the morning came to a fitting end with a hurling game. The afternoon saw an alternation between the theoretical and the practical and by 4.30, when it was time for the usual match to conclude that session, there were some very tired bodies and aching limbs. What could be more welcome and refreshing than to enjoy the splendid pool before tea.

After tea, there was always some high profile speaker to entertain us. As both hurling and football courses were run simultaneously we had opportunity to listen to and question the leading coaches of both games. Kevin Heffernan, famous Dublin player and coach was an entertaining and informative guest and we also enjoyed the views of Mick O'Dwyer, Eugene McGee, Sean Boylan, Fr. Michael O'Brien among others. A game of table tennis, handball if you had the energy or a bit of golf took care of the rest of the day. Many elected to pay a visit to the Gormanston Arms or into nearby Ballbriggan where the wheels of conversation could be lubricated. It was always late every night when sleep eventually took over.

### Underage Activities

Our U-10 hurlers saw action in Lismore Community Centre last Friday evening in an indoor hurling competition. After some lively and exciting games with Killeagh, Ballyduff and Lismore we ran out eventual winners of the 'B' Final. Lismore won the 'A'. Great credit to the lads and their trainer, Rachel Ryan. Rachel has training for the U-9 squad at 3.30 p.m. on Monday and for the U-10 Tads on

Wednesday at 4.30 p.m. Last week's panel was: Michael Curley, Eamonn and Paul Forbes, Kieran Casey, Willie White, Aidan Daly, James Hampton, Eric Hickey and Stephen Power.

Our juvenile committee will meet at St. Patrick's Hall after Mass this Saturday, March 2nd.

## APPEAL

Michael Coughlan, Lisfinny, Tallow died recently in London. Expenses were incurred in bringing him home for burial in his native Tallow. Clubs, organisations and individuals who would like to help to defray these expenses can do so by lodging their contribution in the special account set up for the purpose at Tallow Credit Union. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

## PUB QUIZ

The Carling sponsored Pub Quiz run by the Community Centre continues and Angela Collender's team were winners at The Bride View Bar on Tuesday. John Lyon's Bar hosts the Quiz on Thursday night and Lukey's Bar is the venue on Monday, March 4th. Quizmasters, Jackie Ahearne and Sean Sheehan are doing a good job and all are welcome to attend - it's in a good cause.

## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

A public meeting will take place on this Thursday night, February 29th in St. Patrick's Hall at 8.15 sharp. Everyone welcome.

## LABOUR PARTY A.G.M.

The Labour Party A.G.M., which was held on Thursday last, February 22nd at Tim Barry's, Tallow was also attended by Mr. Bernard Leddy who supervised the election of the following committee:

Chairman: Brendan Herlihy; Vice-Chairman: Noel Pratt; Treasurer: Jim Pratt; Secretary: Anne Harty; P.R.O.: Pip Dockree Rhodes; Assistant Secretary: Bernard Harty; Assistant Treasurer: Paddy Holland. Also present member, Pat Fitzgerald.

## TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Feb. 25. Esther Ware, Aglish; Mrs. Kearney, Ballyduff; Sonny O'Shea, Castlelyons; Mrs. Tony Park, Youghal; Biddie Moloney, Cappoquin; Mary Lyons, Fermoy; Mrs. Condon, Fermoy; Bertie Neville, Lismore (twice); Kathleen Manahan, Cappoquin; Ann Duffy, Villierstown; Mrs. Millard, Fermoy; Mary Walsh, Kilbeg, Tallow; Jennifer McCarthy, Fermoy; Mrs. Mernin, Aglish; Dominic Power, Woodview Park; Bertie Recter, Fermoy; Nora McCarthy, Main Street; Margo Roche, Fermoy; Margaret Power, Chapel Street; Mrs. Joe Crowley, Clonmult (£50); Mrs. Murphy, Woodview Park; (£50); Eileen O'Grady, Tallow; Kathleen Rice, Fermoy; William Morrissey, Lismore.

Next Sunday night jackpot £325 on 46 calls.

## BRIDEVIEW UTD. A.F.C. NOTES

# Mixed Fortunes For Brideview

Utd.'s first division side had a good win at home on Sunday morning over East Cork side, Ballybridge Utd. in a tremendous game.

Our Division Two side were also at home on Sunday afternoon against league leaders, Clashmore Ramblers. After a tough but sporting game, the Ramblers ran out winners.

Our U-12 Division Two side were away to Youghal on Saturday last in the semi-final of the cup and after putting up a brave performance, went down to the seashiders.

### Results

#### Division One Brideview Utd. 5 Ballybridge Utd. 3

With so much at stake for both sides, this was always going to be a tough game and it turned out that way. Having said that, both sides served up a highly entertaining game.

The visitors were denied by the crossbar in the very 1st minute and then one of their forwards shot wide. Brideview got back into the game after a shaky start. Mark Geary's shot saw the keeper fail to hold the ball and Paul Curley ran in to score. This opening goal came in the 10th minute.

McSweeney and Philly Curley both shot wide before Ballybridge equalised in the 26th minute. Paul Curley had a shot well saved after 37 minutes and 6 minutes later, Brideview went in front. Dermot Henley put McSweeney away down the left and McSweeney set up Philly Curley to shoot low into the net. At the break Brideview led 2-1.

Brideview went two goals in front just 3 minutes into the second half when Paul Curley set up Joe Fraser to score from close range. Ballybridge replied straight from the kick off to have the score 3-2 after 49 minutes. The homeside restored their two goal advantage in the 55th minute when Philly Curley scored from the penalty spot. Again the visitors pressed forward and scored to leave it 4-3 after 63 minutes. Terence McSweeney rounded off the scoring in this game with a goal in the 88th minute to secure the points for Brideview.

Team: W. Conroy, B. Henley, G. Sice, D. Martin, T. McSweeney, M. Geary, P. Curley, S. Curley, D. Henley, P. Curley, J. Fraser.

### Res.: B. McCarthy.

#### Division Two Brideview Utd. 1 Clashmore Ramblers 3

Our Division Two side put up a good performance against the league leaders on Sunday afternoon last before going down 3-1.

Ramblers took the lead but Denis O'Flaherty equalised for Utd. only for the visitors to strike again before the break. Ramblers increased their lead early in the second half. Despite a tremendous rally by Utd. they failed to find the net. It must be said that Ramblers keeper brought off some terrific saves in the second half to deny Utd.

Team: S. O'Brien, W. Murphy, I. McIntosh, T. McCarthy, P. Henley, J. Beecher, L. Ahearn, G. Hogan, D. Henley, D. O'Flaherty, R. Henley.

Res.: P. Murphy, D. Doyle.

#### U-12 Division Two Cup Semi-Final

#### Youghal 5 Brideview 1

The above scoreline does not do justice to our U-12 Division Two side as three of the five goals Youghal scored came in the final ten minutes.

Utd. got off to a flying start here when Paul Donnelly set up Thomas Ryan and Ryan struck low into the net after ten minutes. Youghal equalised five minutes later and at the break the sides were level at 1-1.

Youghal went in front after 33 minutes but again the Tallow side fought back and Casey, Fitzgerald, Ryan and Donnelly all missed chances before the seashiders struck three times in the final ten minutes. So Youghal advanced to the cup final.

Team: E. Forbes, P. Forbes (Capt.), R. Geary, E. Condon, W. Whyte, M. Rohan, K. Casey, T. Ryan, E. Fitzgerald, R. O'Brien, P. Donnelly.

Res.: J. Ryan, S. Grady, A. Daly (all used).

We wish Eamonn Forbes a speedy recovery. Eamonn got injured early in the second half and had to go off.

### LOTTO

Last week's numbers were: 5, 20, 23. No winner. The four £25 winners were: Denise Fitzgerald, Liz Cullinane, Helen McCarthy and Kitty McCarthy. The jackpot is £1,500 on Friday night next. The draw takes place in John Lyon's Bar. This is the highest the jackpot has gone since the club started the lotto. On Friday night there will be six vouchers of £25 to be won.

### BEST WISHES

Best wishes to Jimmy Pratt who is in hospital at the moment. Get well soon, Jimmy.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy birthday to Division One player, Paul Curley who celebrated his birthday last week.

Happy birthday to Elizabeth McCarthy, West Street who celebrated her birthday last week as well. The same day as Paul.

### FIXTURES

U-18 League: Saturday, March 2nd - Brideview Utd. V Valley Rangers kick off 11.00 a.m.

U-12 League - Division Two Saturday, March 2nd - Brideview Utd. V Ardmore kick off 2.30 p.m.

Red House League. Division One: Sunday, March 3rd - Valley Rangers V Brideview Utd. kick off 2.30 p.m.

Division Two: Sunday, March 3rd - Cappoquin V Brideview Utd. kick off 11.30.

## CONFIRMATION

Many of our players received their confirmation yesterday (Tuesday) and didn't they all look well including mothers and fathers.



LEADER FEATURES



# Beauty Basics

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## EVENING MAKE-UP

### Foundation - Blusher - Lipstick

**EVENING** make-up can be deep and bright without looking overdone. At night you can make you make-up much more imaginative to get a more glamorous effect.

When applying your foundation it can be a little bit heavier than during the day. Using a concealer cover the circles under your eyes, the lines around your mouth and any other imperfections. For extra coverage concealer can be applied under your foundation at night.

Use a darker shade of pressed powder under your cheeks to contour the hollows of your cheeks making sure to blend the edges. When powdering

your face at night it is a good idea to first dip your powder brush into your blusher and then into your translucent powder before applying it to the face. This gives a glow of radiance to the finished make-up. Apply it to the entire face.

Apply your usual colour blusher a little heavier if necessary. For extra glow you can sweep a brighter shade of blusher tight on the crest of your cheek bone.

When applying your lipstick you can use a lighter or deeper shade than you would usually use during the day. You can match your lipstick with the colours of your clothes. If wearing a black outfit

you can be outrageous and go for a red lipstick or deep pink lipsticks. If wearing pastel colours it is better to choose a medium lip colour. A dab of frosted golden lip glamer in the centre of your lower lip will give an attractive appearance to the lip. For that finishing touch cover your lips with a clear lip gloss.

#### Tips:

1. Apply your foundation a little heavier than usual.
2. Contour the hollow of your cheeks with a darker pressed powder.
3. To accentuate your cheek bones apply a brighter shade of blusher on the crest of your cheek bone.
4. Use a lighter or deeper shade of lipstick than you would usually use during the day.

## The Leader's Double Crossword

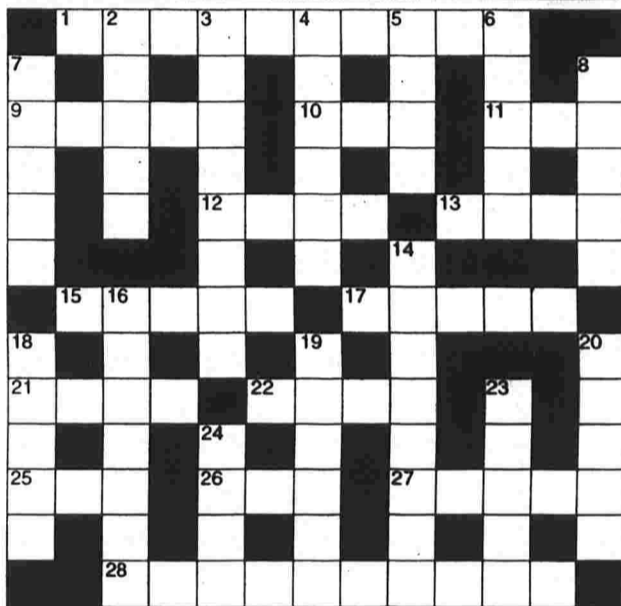
### Simplex Clues

#### ACROSS

1. No bales are logical or extortionate (10).
9. Book's part holding pages (5).
10. Decimal number (3).
11. Tea might take in (3).
12. Band of material (4).
13. Small island (4).
15. Fun and games (5).
17. Fixes to operate (5).
21. Flow in large quantities (4).
22. Animal's resting place (4).
25. Money charged by a professional (3).
26. Relative sounding insect (3).
27. Surround to property (5).
28. Confuse or bewilder (10).

#### DOWN

2. Expel by legal process (5).
3. One who tends certain animals (8).
4. I not on a vague opinion (6).
5. Bed in a barracks (4).



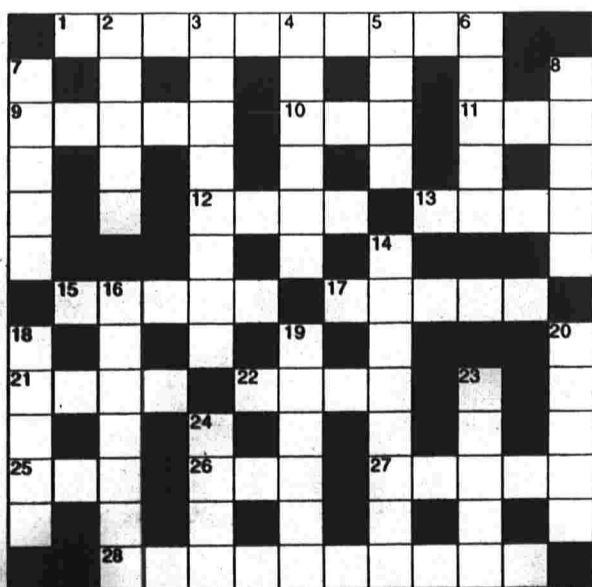
6. Opposing military force (5).
7. Anything of value (5).
8. Taste could hold a country (5).
14. Great size or excellent (8).
16. Claim a position falsely (7).
18. Stick or employees (5).
19. Material for thought or expression (6).
20. Guide an animal in America (5).
23. Perform rythmical steps (5).
24. Small pieces of carpet (4).

### Quick Clues

#### ACROSS

1. Churches (10).
9. Insects (5).

10. Snake-like fish (3).
11. Printing fluid (3).
12. Merit (4).
13. Military vehicle (4).
15. Arrogate (5).
17. Net (5).



21. Billiards (4).
22. Footwear (4).
25. To decay (3).
26. Avail (3).
27. Go in (5).
28. Deviation (10).

#### DOWN

2. Charge (5).
3. Inn (8).
4. Boring (6).
5. Shaft (4).
6. Gloss (5).
7. Witty (5).
8. Large Tubs (5).
14. Concern (8).
16. Seen (7).
18. Separately (5).
19. Milk product (6).
20. Confront (5).
23. Slogan (5).
24. Peat (4).

NOTE - Simplex and Quick Crossword answers are different.

# Chef's Corner

## Menus for the week



## Caerphilly Fondue

Preparation: 15 minutes  
Cooking: 10-12 minutes  
Serves: 4

- 1 garlic clove, crushed
- 450ml/1/2pt dry cider or apple juice
- 225g/8oz Caerphilly cheese, finely grated
- 100g/4oz mild Cheddar cheese, finely grated
- 2 1/2 tbsp plain flour
- 2 tbsp fresh chopped chives
- 100g/4oz baby corn, lightly cooked
- 2 courgettes, cut into 6.5/2 1/2 inch lengths
- 175g/6oz cherry tomatoes
- 1 small head of celery, separated into sticks, washed and trimmed
- 350g/12oz red grapes
- 2 red apples, cored and sliced and dipped in 2 tbsp lemon juice
- 1/2 tsp grated nutmeg

**METHOD:** Preheat oven to 110°C/275°F/Gas Mark 1 and place four small oven-proof bowls in the oven to heat through. Place the garlic and cider or apple juice in a large saucepan and warm through. In a bowl, mix the Caerphilly and Cheddar cheeses with the flour. Gradually add

## Household Hints

1. Make pork crackling really crisp by rubbing the skin with salt and then with oil before placing the joint in a hot oven.
2. Treat deep scratches in wooden furniture by applying a solution of equal parts linseed oil and turpentine substitute, using a child's paint brush.
3. Remove an orange squash stain from a carpet by dissolving a dessertspoon of borax in a half a pint of warm water. Sponge the stained area, avoiding to over-wet the carpet. Finish off with a carpet shampoo.
4. Keep good quality wooden furniture out of direct sunshine and well away from damp walls.
5. Whiten yellowed knife handles by rubbing them with a cut lemon dipped in salt. Rinse in warm water and dry. Apply a little white silicone cream. Never immerse such handles in water when washing.

- 1 1/2 oz (40g) butter
- 1 1/2 oz (40g) white vegetable fat
- Filling:
- 3 oz (75g) pecan nuts
- 3 oz (75g) golden syrup
- 3 oz (75g) butter
- 4 oz (100g) nut-coated cornflakes
- 2 oz (50g) seedless raisins
- 1 egg, size 3

this mixture to the saucepan, stirring well between each addition, until the cheese has melted and the flour is absorbed. Once the cheese mixture has been added, continue cooking over a gentle heat until a very smooth consistency is reached. Season with salt and freshly ground black pepper to taste. Stir in the chives and allow to cool for 2 minutes. Arrange the vegetables and fruit on a large platter (or four individual plates). Pour the cheese fondue into the warmed serving bowls and sprinkle each with a little of the grated nutmeg. Serve with the vegetables and fruit.

## Pecan And Treacle Tart

Preparation: 20 mins  
Cooking: 40 mins  
Serves: 4

- Pastry:
- 1 lemon
- 6 oz (175g) plain flour

**For Pastry:** finely grate rind from lemon. Place flour in a bowl. Rub in the butter and vegetable fat until the mixture resembles fine breadcrumbs. Stir in the lemon rind and 1 tbsp (45ml) water, adding more water if necessary to make a stiff, firm dough. Lightly flour work surface. Roll out pastry and use to line a 7in (18cm) flan case. Bake blind at 400°C, 200°F, gas mark 6 for 20 mins. **For filling:** chop 2 oz (50g) nuts and reserve. Place the golden syrup and butter in a pan, heat gently until butter melts. Stir in the reserved chopped nuts, cornflakes and raisins. Stir in lightly beaten egg until well mixed. Spoon into the baked pastry case. Decorate with remaining 1 oz (25g) of nuts. Bake at 375°F, 190°C, gas mark 5 for 20 mins, until golden. Serve hot or cold with whipped cream or custard.

# Family Health

By Dr. DAVE BARRY

**Q. I have an ugly rash all over my body, which the doctor said is pityriasis rosea. He said that no treatment was necessary for this condition. I work as a waitress and my boss is not too happy about me being around customers and food. What should I do?**

**A. Pityriasis rosea** is a mystery skin condition thought to be due to a virus, although the exact cause hasn't been identified. The rash, as you are aware, tends to be scaly and red, covering the trunk and limbs and in a 'vest and pants' design. The spots may be slightly itchy and irritating. Flu-like symptoms may precede the onset of the rash and the mains spots follow the appearance of a single large area, usually on the trunk, called the 'herald patch'. The condition clears up in a month or two without treatment as your doctor said. A cream may be used to alleviate any irritation. It is not infectious so you can work normally, as long as you adhere to accepted hygiene practices.

**Q. My 14 year old daughter has a chronic illness that**

**involves taking medication every day. Lately she's been refusing to do this and its causing conflict at home. Why is she rebelling and how can we help her?**

**A. For an adolescent** who is struggling to be independent, it is hard to have to accept instructions from parents and doctors. Your daughter probably wants to feel like the rest of her peer group. Taking medication and seeing doctors isn't normal. By refusing, she may be trying to protect herself from the stigma of being different. Try to work out areas in her life where she can have more autonomy. Stress the importance of taking the medication and then encourage your daughter to take as much responsibility as possible for her treatment, thereby letting her know you trust her. Sometimes parents try to over protect their ill child, which reinforces the child's fear of not becoming independent. See if you can find a self-help group for her illness which includes other teenagers. She might feel easier talking to them and eventually become more willing to take care of herself.



# WEST WATERFORD NOTES



## “VOICE OF CLASHMORE”

On Saturday night, the third 1st round of the very prestigious “Voice of Clashmore” took place in The Old Still, Clashmore and once again we received a huge volume of support. A team of six top class singers took part in this week's competition but sadly not all could go forward to the next round, while all enjoyed the excellent music by “The E Team”. The panel of judges were left a very difficult task and chose the following to go forward to the next round: Donie Leahy, Caroline Drake, Noel Condon and Sinéad Kiely.

The results of the draw are as follows: First (meal for two sponsored by An

Bialann, Grattan Square, Dungarvan) - Breda Murray; Second (bottle of whiskey) - Liam O'Rourke; Third (box of biscuits): Lisa Walsh. Congratulations to the winners and thanks to everyone for their support.

Please note this weekend's “Voice of Clashmore” competition will take place at Healy's (The Old Mill), Kinsalebeg on Sunday night. Taking part in this week's competition will be Willie John Curran, Michael Hickey, Pat Dalton, Breda Murray, Michael Baker (Jnr.), Margaret O'Mahoney and Olivia Maher. “The Merry Cowboys” can be heard on Sunday night when they will be along to provide the music.

## COMMUNITY GAMES - ART

Community games is just about to begin in our area again and the art competition will take place through the schools next week. Anybody still wishing to join can do so immediately. Our other activities for the year will include athletics, draughts, clay modelling, swimming, U-10 boys and girls football, U-12 girls football, U-12 boys soccer and hopefully this year we will have a girls U-15 soccer team and U-14 hurling.

The Sports Production Weekend for 10 - 12 year olds will take place in Mosney, May 17th - 19th. This has proved to be a most enjoyable weekend in the past. Please note that any children from our area who will qualify to take part in the County Finals of individual events such as art, clay modelling etc. will not have to pay as this money will come from our own local area funds in the same manner as we pay for all team events we enter to the County Board.

Please encourage your children to participate in Community Games this year.

## CLASHMORE RAMBLERS A.F.C.

Last Sunday, Ramblers travelled to play Brideview ‘B’ in another vital league game. In the previous meeting between the teams, we suffered a 5-1 home defeat so we knew we had a lot of work to do. Clashmore were quick to settle and played their best football of the season in the first half. Frannie O'Rourke scored a beautiful goal after 20 minutes and at this stage we would have been four goals ahead.

Brideview equalised after 40 minutes but Tiger O'Neill restored our lead within two minutes. The half time score was 2-1 to Ramblers.

The second half continued as the Ramblers piled on the pressure. Again we missed many chances before Tiger's trusty left foot secured a 3-1 win. The top three teams all won, so there is no change with Ramblers still on top. The teams performance was very pleasing, especially as Brideview were restricted to just one goal scoring change. In defence, all our players played brilliantly. Barry Murray and Tiger ran the midfield and up front, Frannie and The Honey Monster gave their all. “Man of the Match” was probably Barry Murray. Next Sunday, we travel to play local rivals, Blackwater Rangers. We are leaving the village at 1.45 p.m. We hope to have some of our injured players back soon and we hope our physio, Oggie Hogan will be able to resume his duties on Sunday next.

Finally, the club are holding a social night on Friday night, March 29th at the Walter Raleigh Hotel. Everyone is welcome and you can book your place with any of the committee. More details in the coming weeks.

## NEW BUSINESS VENTURE

Best wishes to Patricia Fitzgerald, Coolboa, Clashmore who has returned to her native town of Youghal to set up a laundry business which will offer a wide range of services from having your clothes washed and ironed to D.I.Y. We join in wishing Patricia success in her new venture.

## BACK TO U.S.A.

Having enjoyed a great reunion with family and friends in Clashmore and Dungarvan over the past week, Mary Ellen Durkan (nee Joyce) and her granddaughters, Valerie and Michelle Mullaney have now returned to the United States. Hope to have you back again soon.

## SYMPATHY

With much regret we learned of the unexpected death of Mrs. Breda Russell (beautician), dear wife of Finbarr and mother of Anthony of Russell's Garage, Youghal, which sad event occurred on Tuesday evening, February 20th.

Her removal took place from Egan's Funeral Home, Youghal to St. Mary's Parish Church on Wednesday evening. Following requiem Mass on Thursday, Breda was laid to rest in North Abbey Cemetery. We extend our deepest sympathy to Finbarr, Anthony and all the family. We pray that Breda is now enjoying the peace and joy of eternal life, free of all suffering and pain.

Our deepest sympathy is also extended to Breda Curtin and Jim and Willie Prendergast, Youghal on the death of their mother, Mrs. Nellie Prendergast, Quain's Terrace during the past week. Nellie was wife of the late Paddy Prendergast, formerly of Clashmore. Ar dheis Dé go raibh siad.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Last week, very popular Clashmore couple, Willie and Josie Prendergast, Coolboa, Clashmore celebrated the Golden Jubilee of their marriage.

Willie and Josie were joined by their daughters, Sheila from England and Bernadette from Glanmire, Cork; their sons, Richard and Billy, Clashmore together with their families, friends and neighbours for a very special night of celebrations at their home last Wednesday night. A night for all to remember. To Willie and Josie we extend our congratulations and wish you both many more years of health and happiness.

Congratulations also to Tom Power, Ardmore and Helena Power, Youghal on the occasion of their recent marriage. We wish them both every happiness in their life together.

## NO CARD RESULTS

Our weekly reporter from the “45 Drive” in Clashmore is presently across the Atlantic enjoying a holiday with members of his family. We wish Batt Curran and his wife, Maura a very enjoyable holiday. Hopefully we'll manage to win a few games when you are away, Batt!!!

## FINE GAEL ARD FHEIS

Delegates from the local Fine Gael organisations will attend the Annual Ard Fheis which will take place this year at the R.D.S., Ballsbridge on March 8th and 9th.

## GUN CLUB

Members of Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Gun Club are requested to attend a meeting tonight (Wednesday), February 28th at 8.30 at the Decies Lounge, Clashmore.

## ATHLETICS TRAINING

Athletics training for Ring/Old Parish club will take place on this Friday evening, March 1st and will continue throughout the season. Training will begin at 7.30 for one hour.

## SOCIAL EVENING

Clashmore/Kinsalebeg G.A.A. Club will hold a social evening for all our members and supporters of the Déise Development Draw at the Decies Lounge, Clashmore on this Saturday night, March 2nd. Good food and music are the order of the night so be sure to come along. A draw for three tickets for next year's draw will be held on the night.

## CLASHMORE/KINSALEBEG PLOUGHING ASSOCIATION

The Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Ploughing Association will hold their A.G.M. in Healy's Bar, Kinsalebeg on Wednesday next, March 6th at 9.00 p.m. All former and new members are heartily welcome.

## SEMINAR IN DUNGARVAN

On this Saturday, March 2nd a special seminar on terminal illness, death and bereavement with speaker, Lillian Beattie at The Park Hotel from 10.00 a.m. - 4.00 p.m. All are very welcome to attend and the cost of the seminar is £5 per session.

## LORETTO STUDENT WINS REGIONAL FINAL

Louise Behan, a Fourth Year student at Loretto Convent, Youghal won the Soroptimists International All-Ireland Public Speaking competition in Clonmel on Saturday, February 10th. She competed against students from several counties and now goes forward to the national finals. Congratulations, Louise. Her English teacher is Mrs. R. Buckley.

## PILTOWN CHURCH

The building of the new church is progressing well and both fundraising schemes i.e. the calf rearing scheme and the slate scheme have been launched. The priests and people would like to thank everybody for their enthusiasm, commitment and generosity.

The calf rearing scheme was responded to very well and we hope that the slate scheme will be received with as much support. Both schemes were launched at a meeting in Piltown school on Monday, February 19th and the calf scheme is running well at this stage. The slate scheme takes off this week and every house in the Parish have received the brochure. There is a report elsewhere in the paper. Anyone willing to help are asked to contact either of the priests.

Lent — uring Lent, the Stations of the Cross and Benediction will be held as follows: Piltown - Wednesdays 7.30 p.m. and Clashmore - Sundays 7.30 p.m.

Young Employment Group — 18 young people along with Garda John Hunt and Fr. Gerard O'Connor visited the FAS training centre in Waterford recently where they were able to see the type of training available. This trip was sponsored by the Dept. of Social Welfare and FAS. We were met by Clashmore man, Micheal Dee and Leigh Temson of FAS who looked after us very well. The main message of the day was that the training schemes are there but it takes effort and work to get going and to be a success.

Youth Club — The younger club went to Clonea on Saturday last, February 24th with leaders Bernadette Lombard and Diane O'Rourke and had a great day. It is nice to see the young people in the club able to enjoy themselves and of course they could not only for the leaders so our thanks to them.

## WIN FOR LORETTO SECONDARY SCHOOL, YOUGHAL

Fifth Year students and Transition Year students at Loretto Convent Secondary School, Youghal travelled to Buttevant on February 22nd last to participate in the Regional section of La Theatre Scolaire Francophone”, a schools drama competition organised by the French Embassy in Dublin. The Loretto students secured first place in the competition with their production “Le Grand Choix” which was written, acted and directed by themselves with the help of their French teachers, Veronica Murphy and the All-Ireland Final in the competition in Waterford this Thursday, February 29th.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy birthday to Francis Barron, Dromore, Aglish who celebrated his 22nd birthday recently. Best wishes, Francis from your sister, Caitriona.

## Volunteers For Dungarvan Youth Information Centre

Are you bored and would like to do something worthwhile with your spare time? Do you need work experience or would like to brush up on your skills? If you answer yes to any of the above, are over 18 and have 8 hours a week to spare, you may be interested in becoming a volunteer for Dungarvan Youth Information Centre. The Centre, which provides free and confidential information on education, careers, travel and working abroad, rights and entitlements and leisure, regularly recruits volunteers to help run the service. A full training course is provided free and covers how to use the information systems, office equipment and how to deal with queries. No experience is necessary. All we require is that you are over 18 and have 8 hours a week to spare.

Previous volunteers have included unemployed people of all ages, married women returning to work or wishing to fill in some free time, part-time workers, etc.

So, if you are interested in becoming a volunteer, please drop in to the Dungarvan Youth Resource Centre, St. Augustine Street, Dungarvan or phone at (058) 41698.

## Vandalism Of Abbeyside Phone Kiosk

For the third time in the last six weeks, the telephone kiosk at Crotty's Corner, Abbeyside was mindlessly vandalised at the weekend.

Dungarvan Gardaí discovered the damaged kiosk at 4.00 a.m. last Sunday morning. Two panes of glass in the booth were shattered for no apparent reason. The cost of replacing the specially cut glass is estimated at approximately £200 - £300; a sum which had to be forked out by Telecom Eireann on two previous occasions.

In light of this senseless vandalism to the phone kiosk, the utter thoughtlessness of perpetrators involved could have serious repercussions for residents in the area, many of whom are totally dependent on the phone booth. In cases of emergency, precious moments could be lost in searching for a non-vandalised phone. Telecom have stated that they will consider the removal of the booth should the problem re-occur. “We just can't keep repairing it,” said a spokesman from Telecom Eireann.



# ABBEYSIDE TOPICS

## OUR LOCALITY

In the sixties, the child population was increasing in towns and cities all over Ireland. The following statistics show the growth of Abbeyside from being a village to a town in its own right. Over 160 new houses were erected in Abbeyside in the 60's and houses were erected in Abbeyside in the 60's and early 70's. These following schemes show the rapid increase in population during those years.

- The Grove 1962 14
  - McCarthyville 1967 32
  - Fenian Place 1967 8
  - Park Lane 1970 62
  - Pinewood Estate 1971 47.
- Prior to the population explosion Confirmation took place in alternate years in the 50's and 60's for the children of the 4th and 5th classes. The pupils from Garranbane joined with the candidates from Abbeyside for the Confirmation ceremony. After the abolition of the Primary Certificate, Confirmation was introduced into 6th class by our retired Bishop Most Rev. Michael Russell D.D.

To cater for the explosion of the school going population in Abbeyside a two classroom unit costing £7,555 was erected in 1972 and became known as the "West Block". Rev. Canon Farrell P.P. was a driving force behind the erection of these extensions to the school and received tremendous help from Mr. Jim Hally who gave his expert knowledge and his time willingly and wholeheartedly. The local contribution at the time towards the new extension was £1,079.

Abbeyside continued to grow at a very fast rate and further house-building took place in the 80's.

- 1982-84 Kyne Park 62
- 1982-89 Sea Park 14
- 1983 Sexton Street 4.

A major extension planned for Abbeyside N.S. in 1987 had to be abandoned due to curtailment of funds for school building. A grant was sanctioned for renovation and improvements to the timber pre-fab, new windows and doors were installed and the two rooms were carpeted. A special toilet for handicapped children was provided in the 'East Block' and a ramp giving entry to the block was also provided. The total cost was £6,122 and a grant of £4,081 was received.

In 1989 three infant classrooms were carpeted and a preschool was formed which proved to be an instant success. The introduction of a School Traffic Warden Scheme for the school children of Abbeyside in 1989 is a further recognition of the

growth of Abbeyside and the numbers of children attending the school. New houses continue to be built in the Abbeyside area and the latest estate to be built namely 'Southways' means that the population of Abbeyside will continue to increase for the remainder of the nineties. These changes are again reflected in this year's approach to Confirmation as

## Bishop Lee Administers Confirmation

At the opening of the ceremony Bishop Lee stated it was a privilege for him to be present in Abbeyside Church on such an occasion. He was here to pray with the children who were candidates for Confirmation and to be with the parents and sponsors who look after the children in a special way. He also welcomed the teachers and Fr. Nicholas McCarthy and Fr. Moran who had a nephew presenting himself for Confirmation. He also welcomed any grandparents in the congregation as the Church depends on them so much to hand on the faith and to pray for the younger people.

During his sermon the Bishop stressed that Jesus cares for us. He does this through the sacraments which are there to help us at all the important stages in our lives. Baptism when we are born; Marriage when a man and woman start life together; Ordination when a man become a priest; The Anointing of the sick when people are unwell and old; Confirmation when we become adult Christians.

When the Bishop anoints the candidate with the Oil of

this is the first year the candidates for Confirmation from Abbeyside school were confirmed on their own in Abbeyside Church for the first time ever on Saturday last, February 24. The candidates from Garranbane and Scoil Garbhan were confirmed by Bishop William Lee on Friday last, February 23 in Ballinroad Church.

Chrism it means that Jesus shows His love for us and is there to help us. The young Christians give back that love when they live the life Jesus wants them to live — a life where they are respectful, kind, generous, thoughtful and honourable. The Bishop reminded the pupils of how much their parents do for them and all the sacrifices they make because they want to be proud of them. The pupils should LOVE their mummies and daddies and from time to time they should tell their parents that they love them. His Lordship encouraged the parents not to be frightened by adolescence as Jesus through the Holy Spirit will not let them down.

A few minutes before the entrance hymn Fr. Ahearne asked for quietness and there was a respectful silence when the Bishop entered from the rear of the Church. The readers and all the other pupils who took part in the ceremony were coached to perfection by the teachers and a highlight was the rendering of the Responsorial Psalm "Send Forth Your Spirit."

## Clonea Strand Hotel Bowling Notes

**HEINEKEN INTER-PUBS**  
Last Wednesday night saw the Final of the Heineken Inter-Pubs take place with all 12 teams gunning to be crowned "Heineken Inter-Pubs Champions 1996". This competition has never been won by the same team two years in a row and so Downey's were all out to break this trend. It was going to be tough as The Tudor House held a lead of 49 pins over Downey's but as it has been proved before, it can be done. The Final got underway at 8.00 p.m. with 6 teams bowling and the remaining 6 teams bowling at 9.00 p.m. As 10.00 p.m. neared and the final totting up was being done, you could feel the tension in the air. As it turned out The Tudor House were caught

and defeated but the honours didn't go to Downey's but to The Anchor 'A' team. The final winning margin was a mere two pins over second placed Downey's. The Anchor 'B' team grabbed third place while The Tudor House fell to fourth place. There was some high scoring from Michael Cooney (194); John Reynolds (165 and 162); Mark Tutty (164); Bryan Keohan (159 and 152); Josephine Whelan (165); Mary Fahy (170 and 159), Jackie Tutty (148) and Claire O'Doherty (140). Special mention must go to one of our newest bowlers, Brendan Downey. We would like to take this opportunity once again to thank Heineken for their continued support because without them this tournament would

# ABBEYSIDE SCOUT NOTES

## SCOUT MEETING

This week's meeting began at the regular time of 7.00. The meeting started with the troop falling in and the scout prayer being recited by all. Each of the patrols were to revise the history of scouting and other related things. Notices were given and a few other issues were discussed. Subs were collected by S.L., Brendan with J.A.S.L., Paddy collecting any money for the camp. It was then over to S.P.L., Ronan McCarthy to run part of the meeting and first of all he examined the Scout Law. He then organised bases which were: first aid, knots, physical ability, scouting knowledge. For this the scouts were broken into groups of four or five and each went around to each base.

Those on the bases were: Garvan McCarthy, Stephen Griffen, Stephen McNamara and Michael Fives. Each of the bases were designed to improve the skills of each scout or to teach them things that were not already known. The meeting continued with a game of "bumpers" where each scout took on a person of about the same size and strength to 'bump' them out of a ring. The scouts were then told about some of the upcoming events on the calendar. The meeting ended with the scout prayer and the troop falling out.

## CUB NEWS

This weekend saw the Regional Fun Day for Cubs being held in Mount Melleray Scout Activity Centre. The day started with all the cubs meeting in the scout den to travel up in cars



which were driven by the parents. On arriving in Melleray, the cubs had their costumes judged as it was a fancy dress day out and each troop wore something different. Abbeyside were robots and the winner was Eddie Casey. There were six fun bases which each group went to and different games were played at each of these. There were cubs from Ardmore, Stradbally, Dungarvan, Cappoquin and Abbeyside with Abbeyside having the largest turnout. After the bases it was time for lunch, which everyone enjoyed. Each troop then had some free time to go to the shop or play games of their own. A game was then played by all in which each cub had to answer questions on the day and on the area and other such things called "Think, find and bring back". This proved to be a lot of fun for all. More games were then run with two bases of soccer as the cubs were divided into two groups to play the games. A camp fire was then started at the circle as soup was given to all. It was a most enjoyable day and all had fun.

## NEWS

Next week's meeting is full uniform and begins at 7.00 p.m. The next scout parade is on Friday week, March 8th. Uniform parts can be ordered at the next scout parade.

## ABBEYSIDE REFERENCE ARCHIVE

There may have been a few surprised looks at the Archive last Sunday when our patrons came face to face with our attendant. Some may have expected to see Jennifer but a late minute substitution had to be made, and so the "new boy", John Shanahan was called in. John has recently joined the ARA Committee but this was not his first time on duty at the Archive, in fact he is probably a bit of a pro and our many visitors last week were indeed lucky to have had his presence for guidance.

This Sunday afternoon we will definitely be having the collection in the hands of Jennifer McCarthy. Perhaps you might like to take this opportunity to view our two most recent acquisitions, a pair of books on St. Augustine, now there is no excuse for being ignorant of our Patron Saint. We'd like to express our thanks and gratitude to the lady who donated them. So don't forget our invitation for next Sunday afternoon 2.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. in the Parish Office.

## Abbeyside Guide Notes

### DUNGARVAN MUSEUM SOCIETY CASTLE LECTURE

Last Thursday night some of our Guide branch members attended a very interesting lecture on Dungarvan Castle, given by David Pollock. With the aid of drawings and photographs he explained what the Castle looked like in years gone by. It is hoped that the Castle will eventually be opened as a tourist attraction. All in all it was a very educational evening.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**Guides** — Your next meeting is Thursday, February 29, 7 to 8.30 p.m. when we will be enjoying a night of music in the den. Between campfire songs we will be entertained by instrumental recitals from members. You will need your torch, sit-upon and instruments if you have any. Outdoor activity tracksuit uniform should be worn and £1 subs will be collected.

**Brownies** — Our 5th annual Mother and Daughter Weekend is fast finding its way to the top of our agenda. The all important dates to remember are April 20/21. Watch this space for details.

not be possible. Many thanks once again. Sincere thanks to all the teams who took part and we hope to see all the faces back for the Clonea Singles Cup which is starting this Monday, March 4th. To enter, get your name into Clonea as soon as possible. The final placings are as follows: 1. The Anchor 'A' - 3770; 2. Downey's - 3768; 3. The Anchor 'B' - 3755; 4. The Tudor House - 3753; 5. Minnie's 'B' - 3720; 6. The Park House 'A' - 3701; 7. Minnie's 'A' - 3699; 8. An Gabha's 'A' - 3690; 9. Merry's - 3666; 10. An Gabha's 'B' - 3651; 11. The Park House 'C' - 3620; 12. The Park House 'B' - 3396. The teams were as follows:

1. The Anchor 'A' - Michael Cooney and Sinéad Quigley;
2. Downey's - John Reynolds and Jerry McGrath;
3. The Anchor 'B' - Tom Breslin and Mary Fahy;
4. The Tudor House - Anthony Cooney and Josephine Whelan;
5. Minnie's 'B' - Noel O'Doherty and Claire O'Doherty;
6. The Park House 'A' - Brendan Downey and Jane Ferncombe;
7. Minnie's 'A' - James Moore and Eleanor Moore;
8. An Gabha's 'A' - Mark Tutty and Denise Tutty;
9. Merry's - Bryan Keohan and Kay Cliffe;
10. An Gabha's 'B' - Stephen McGovern and Jackie Tutty;
11. The Park House 'C' - Martin Ferncombe and Helen O'Grady;
12. The Park House 'B' - Richard Ferncombe and Biddy Dunford.



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**GOLDENEYE** SUNDAY 3.00

**ACE VENTURA 2** SUNDAY 3.00

**DECKIES LOUNGE**  
 MODELIGO

Friday, March 1st — **POKER CLASSIC**  
 In aid of Modeligo G.A.A. Club

Saturday, March 2nd —  
**USUAL PROGRESSIVE 45 CARD DRIVE**

Sunday, March 3rd—  
**FINISK DRAG DANCE**  
 in aid of Chernobyl Children's Project  
 Music by PEARSE & STEFAN

**Cuairt na Rinne**  
**THIS WEEKEND**  
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Mooneys, Murrays agus Tigh an Cheoil  
 SONGS, MUSIC AND SETS  
**ón Aoine go Domhnaigh**  
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This concert is a fundraising effort for Dungarvan Motor Sport who hope to get a good response from the public for this popular event. Tickets are on sale in the tourist office in Lawlor's Hotel. Doors open for the show at 9 p.m. Don't miss this brilliant opportunity to see Diarmuid O'Leary and The Bards live on stage together.

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Dungarvan Urban District Council — Permission is sought by Damien Dillon & Co., Architects, on behalf of Declan and Michelle Clark, for an extension to their existing house at Friar's Walk, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.  
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Fifth Prize £250 — Paddy Halley, Smoorbeg (Dunhill).  
Sixth Prize £200 — Fr. Francis Lloyd, 41 Lismore Pk., Waterford (Slabh gCua).  
Six Prizes of £100 each — David Whelan, Hillside Crescent, Kilmacthomas (Kilmacthomas); Tom Dee, Riverview, Kilmacthomas (Kilmacthomas); Marie and Elaine McGrath, c/o Erin's Own (Erin's Own); Donal Hannon, Ballyduff Upper (Ballyduff Upper); Kate and John Crotty, Rathgormack (Rathgormack).  
Eighteen Prizes of £50 each — Tom Henneby, Affane, Cappoquin (St. Olivers); Donal McGovern, 60 Seapark, Abbeyside (Abbeyside); Nell Foran, Shanakill, Kilmacthomas (Ballydurn/Newtown); Frankie Wright, Dungarvan (Dungarvan); Michael Flynn, Kiely's Cross, Grange (Ardmore); Audrey Gleeson, Ballythomas, Rathgormack (Rathgormack); Pa Delahunty, Kilmacomb, Dunmore East (Gaultier); Bernie Cotter, Aglish, Cappoquin (Geraldines); Mary Morrissey, Ballinamult (Slabh gCua); Bridget Power, Deerpark, Ballymacarby (Foumilwater); Pat Kenny, c/o Irish Tanners, Dungarvan (Dungarvan); Joe and Anne Dee, Carrigeenageeragh, Leamybrien (Kilrossanty); Johnnie and Marie, c/o Iverk, Piltown (Portlaw); Bill Doherty, Glenmore (Ballygunner); Patrick Westwood, Rice Park, Waterford (Kilmacthomas); Tim Kiely, Michael Street, Waterford (Kill); Joe McGrath, c/o L.&N., Dungarvan (Cappoquin); Michael Morrissey, Knockanore (Shamrocks); Michael O'Brien, c/o Berties Lounge, Dungarvan (Kilgobinet).  
Co-ordinators Prizes £100 each — Marion Murphy, Roanmore; Maurice Phelan, Ballygunner (Ballygunner).  
Promoters Prizes — £100 each — Garry Cunningham (Cnoc Slon); J. Kiely (Kilrossanty); J. Hennessy (Ardmore); £50 each — J. Byrnes (Roanmore); Ned Curran (Kilmacthomas); Theresa Fitzpatrick (Slabh gCua); Kay and Mairead McGrath (Brick-eyes).  
Next Draw — Friday, March 29, at Melleray.

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# † IN MEMORIAM †

**COSTIGAN** — Nineteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of James (Jim) Costigan, late of Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, who died on March 2, 1977.

Along the road to yesterday,  
That leads us straight to you,  
Are memories of happy days,  
Together we once knew.  
The blow was hard, the shock severe,  
To part with one we loved so dear,  
Our loss is great, we'll not complain,  
But trust in God to meet again.

(Never forgotten by daughter Nellie, Willie and grandchildren.)

**COSTIGAN** — Nineteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of James Costigan, late of 15, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, who died on March 2, 1977.

A loving spray of memories,  
Tied up with all our love,  
Memories we will treasure,  
Of the one we dearly loved.

In the centre of God's garden,  
There is someone special there,  
That someone is our father,  
The best beyond compare.

(From his daughter Marguerite, son-in-law Tom and grandchildren.)

**COSTIGAN** — Nineteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of James Costigan, late of 15, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, who died on March 2, 1977.

A father is a special gift,  
One you think will stay,  
You never dream the day will come,  
That he will pass away.  
Now in heaven above he rests,  
God bless you Dad, you were one of the best.

(From his sons Johnny, Thomas, Jimmy, Patrick, Edward, William and Michael.)



**FAGAN** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of David Fagan, late of Winter Park, Florida, who died on March 1, 1995.

Along the road to yesterday,  
That leads us back to you,  
Are memories of us together,  
And happy days we knew.  
And every day, dear David,  
We'll seem to find a way,  
To wander back to meet you,  
On the road to yesterday.

(Too dearly loved to be forgotten — Mom, Susan, Hannah and Eddie.)

**HARTY** — Seventh Anniversary — Cherished memories of my dear wife Rita, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

I lost my life's companion,  
A life linked with my own,  
And day by day I pray for you,  
And I walk through life alone.  
The house you left is lonely now,  
And I am lonely too,  
Those left behind are good and kind,  
But none replaces you.  
To me you were so special,  
What more is there to say,  
Except I wish with all my heart,  
That you were here today.

(Always remembered by your loving husband Richie.)

**HARTY** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our dearest mother, Rita, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

A bouquet of beautiful memories,  
Sprayed with a million tears,  
Wishing God could have spared you, Mam,  
If just for a few more years.

(Missing you — Niamh and Alan.)

**HARTY** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of a daughter and sister, Rita Harty, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

God must have thought you special,  
To take you the way He did,  
They say He only takes the best,  
And this He surely did.

Look around Your garden, Lord,  
For an angel with a smile,  
She won't be hard to recognise,  
She must stand out a mile.

So put your arms around her, Lord,  
And kiss her smiling face,  
For she is very special,  
And can never be replaced.  
(Sadly missed by Mam, Kathleen and Pat.)

**HARTY** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my sister, Rita, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

A day to remember, sad to recall,  
Without farewell you left us all,  
Your name is often mentioned,  
Our thoughts are with you still,  
You haven't been forgotten  
What's more you never will.

(Never forgotten — Tony and Sandra.)

**HARTY** — Seventh Anniversary of my sister, Rita, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

Isn't it strange that those we need,  
Are those we love the best;  
And just the ones that God needs too,  
And takes them home to rest.  
We miss you because we loved you,  
To us you were dearer than gold,  
No treasure can ever replace you,  
Your memory will never grow old.

(Sadly missed and always in our thoughts — Marian, Michael, Emer, Michael, Ciaran and Róisín.)

**HARTY** — Seventh Anniversary of my twin sister, Rita Harty, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

I often sit and think of you,  
Of how you suffered and died,  
I cry so much over losing you,  
I'm all broke up inside.  
You left us so suddenly,  
We could only weep and cry,  
But the saddest part of all,  
We never said goodbye.

(Always in our thoughts — Teresa, Chris, David, Colin and Graham.)

**KIRBY** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear dad and granddad, Patrick Kirby, late of Coolydoody, Ballyduff, who died on February 24, 1987. R.I.P. Masses offered.

If we could visit heaven,  
On this our saddest day,  
Maybe for just a moment,  
Our pain would go away.  
We would put our arms around you, dad,  
And say these words so true,  
Our lives have never been the same,  
Since the day that we lost you.

(Always remembered by your loving sons, daughters and grandchildren at home and abroad.)

**O'LEARY** — In loving memory of Bertie O'Leary, late of O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, who died on March 1, 1979.

The gates of heaven opened wide,  
The angels lined up side by side,  
A special guest was on his way,  
The day God took my father away.  
Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Your son Tholim, daughter-in-law Sarah and grandson Tholim.)

**O'SULLIVAN** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Bridget O'Sullivan, Knockalara, Cappoquin, who died on February 28, 1995. R.I.P. Masses offered.

February comes with sad regret,  
It brings back a day we will never forget,  
You closed your eyes without goodbye,  
But memories of you will never die.

(Always remembered by your loving daughter Phil, son-in-law Tom and family, son John and brother Paddy.)

**POWER** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Roger Power, late of Woodview Park, Tallow, who died on February 27, 1986.

February comes with sad regret,  
It brings back a day we'll never forget,  
You closed your eyes without goodbye,  
But memories of you will never die.

(Always remembered by your loving wife Pauline and family.)

**POWER** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dearest father, Roger Power, late of 16, Woodview Park, Tallow, who died on February 27, 1986. Masses offered.

We miss you from your fire-side chair,  
Your loving smile and gentle air,  
Your vacant place no one can fill,  
I love you, Dad, and always will.  
Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
Too dearly loved to be forgotten.

(Your loving daughter Marian, son-in-law Eamonn and grandchildren.)

## Birthday Remembrance



**POWER** — Birthday Remembrance of Lizzie Power, 20, Keating Street, Dungarvan, on February 27.

As we look upon her picture,  
Sweet memories we recall,  
Of a face so full of sunshine,  
And a smile for one and all.  
Sweet Jesus take this message,  
To our dear mother up above,  
Tell her how we miss her,  
And give her all our love.

(Never forgotten by her loving son Gerry, daughter-in-law Kathleen, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.)

**POWER** — Birthday Remembrance of Lizzie Power, 20, Keating Street, Dungarvan, on February 27.

God saw you getting weary,  
A cure was not to be,  
He put his arm around you,  
Mama,  
And whispered come home with me.

So keep your arms around her, Lord,  
And give her special care,  
Make up for all she suffered,  
And all that seemed unfair.  
(Love from your loving daughter Pollyanna, son-in-law Mike and grandchildren Lorraine, Darren, Karen and Valerie.)

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# ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

**BRIDGET TYRRELL**  
Murphy Place  
Abbeyside

The son and daughters of the late Bridget Tyrrell, Murphy Place, Abbeyside, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and who called personally; also those who attended the funeral and burial. A special word of thanks to Fr. Ahearne, C.C., Fr. Doherty, P.P., Dr. Stacey, the matron, nurses and staff of St. Joseph's Hospital for their kindness during her long illness.

Trusting this will be accepted by all as a token of our sincere appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

**SR. PASCHAL**  
Convent of Mercy

The Sisters of Mercy wish to thank most sincerely all who sympathised with them on the death of Sr. Paschal; those who called to the convent; those who attended the Mass and funeral and those who sent letters and Mass cards. A special word of thanks to Canon G. Power, P.P., Dr. Isobel Brennock and the matron and staff of St. Vincent's Hospital.

The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for your intentions.

**MARY FEENEY**  
Greenmount  
Lismore

The sister of the late Mary Feeney wishes to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who called personally; those who attended the removal and burial; those who telephoned; those who sent Mass cards, floral tributes and letters of sympathy; also my thanks to Canon Nugent, Fr. Walsh, Nurse Pollard and Mrs. O'Sullivan and all our kind friends who helped in so many ways, and a special word of thanks to Billy Hogan for his grand music.

The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for you all.

**JAMES KIELY**  
Scart, Ballinamult

The sister, brothers, nieces and nephews of the late James Kiely wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, floral tributes and letters of sympathy; those who called personally and also those who attended the funeral and burial. A special word of thanks to all the kind neighbours and friends for all their help; to Doctor Donovan and the doctors and staff of Ardkreen Regional Hospital; to Fr. Kennedy; Bernie, the Sacristan, altar boys and all who helped in any way.

As a token of our sincerest appreciation the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for their intentions.

**JIMMY 'PLUM' FLYNN**  
Formerly Murphy  
Place, Abbeyside

The wife, family, brothers and sister of the late Jimmy 'Plum' Flynn who died in London on January 16 wish to thank most sincerely those who called personally to the house and especially those who travelled long distances; also those who sent floral tributes, Mass cards and messages of sympathy. All those who attended the removal of remains and funeral Mass at the Church of the Five Precious Wounds, Stonebridge, London and at his burial in Stanmore Cemetery. We would wish to thank our kind friends and neighbours for their generosity and support. A special word of thanks to Francis Kenealy and friends of 'Plum' who kindly sang the Mass.

We trust that this acknowledgment will be accepted by all as a token of our sincere appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for your intentions.

**CARMEL FOLEY**  
(née Power)

**Coolbagh, Clashmore**  
The husband and family of the late Carmel Foley wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them and the Power family (Coolnacapogue, Tramore) in their recent sad bereavement; those who attended the rosary, removal, Mass and burial; those who sent letters of sympathy, Mass cards, floral tributes; those who telephoned from far and near and those who called personally to the house; to the friends and neighbours who helped and supported us, a very special thank you; we would like you to know that we sincerely appreciate everything you did and continue to do for us. A special word of thanks to the following for their great care and concern: Dr. Marie Leahy, Dr. Joseph Meehan, Ardmore, Dr. Melanie Kelly, Ballinacash, Clashmore; Sister Joyce Cullinan, Tramore, the doctors, nurses, sisters and staff of the following hospitals: Waterford Regional Hospital, Cork University Hospital and St. James's Hospital, Dublin, The Bone Marrow Trust and The Leukaemia Foundation. The undertakers 'Egans Undertakers Youghal' for their kindness, thoughtfulness and service; to the sacristan, altar boys and grave diggers - thank you. We would like to pay a special tribute to Fr. Gerard O'Connor, C.C. for his great support and help to both Carmel R.I.P. and the family, his numerous trips to Dublin to grant comfort and encouragement to Carmel cannot be forgotten; also thank you for the very beautiful services offered. Thanks to the parish choir and the boy scouts for the guard of honour and to all the visiting clergy.

As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually who helped out not only at the funeral but over the last difficult eighteen months, we hope that this acknowledgment will be accepted by all as a token of our appreciation. The Mass has been offered for the intentions of all.



# Dungarvan To March For Peace

A silent peace walk in support of a return to a ceasefire in the North will take place on Sunday next, March 3.

Those wishing to participate in the walk should assemble at the Pond, Abbeyside at 2 p.m. where Fr. R. Doherty P.P. will recite the prayers, before the peace walk continues to Grattan Square, Dungarvan at 2.15 p.m.

Among those taking part in the silent peace walk will be members of Dungarvan U.D.C. and Waterford County Council.

At Grattan Square, Canon Gregory Power P.P. together with Dean Cecil Weekes will preside over the peace vigil and the event is expected to conclude at 3 p.m.

Being a silent walk, there will be no speeches, singing

or chanting — all walkers are asked to be as silent as possible.

Main organiser of the event is Chairperson of Dungarvan U.D.C., Cllr. Nuala Ryan who appealed to the public to turn up in their hundreds or even thousands to make their views known.

The reason she explained why she called for a silent walk is to signify people's desire for the bombs to be silenced.

"Everyone was delighted when we had seen the end of the carnage on the

streets," said Cllr. Ryan, "now people are outraged at the start of a new campaign of violence."

The walk itself is open to everyone and every organisation, club or group.

Asked why the town did not hold a peace march last Sunday as part of the nationwide demonstration for peace, Cllr. Ryan said she didn't want to infringe on the peace march in Waterford at which approximately 6,000 people attended, many from Dungarvan and surrounding areas.

# Pipers Ready For St. Patrick's Day Parade

## LARGE ENTRY EXPECTED

As we enter the month of March, the preparations of the Dungarvan Pipe Band for the Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade are being stepped up another notch. They are renewing their invitation to allcomers to take part in their 21st parade and are appealing particularly to organisations to join them to honour our National Saint.

Their Annual Flag Day will be held this weekend and all are asked to give generously. With the exception of the sponsorship which the Parade receives, this is the only form of in-



come the Committee has for the event.

There is a fine array of

prizes on offer for the big event with a category for every group entering. The

much coveted, Overall Prize for the Best Entry is sponsored by Waterford Foods with the category prizes being supplied as follows: Best Advertising - T.S.B. Bank; Best Marching - Dungarvan Credit Union; Best Club Float - Fred Forsey, F.C.F. School of Motoring; Best Vintage Entry - Local Publicans; Most Colourful - Dalton Jewellers; Best Visual Display in Irish - Conradh Na Gaeilge; Best Business and Trading - Dungarvan Retail Traders Association; Best Community Effort - Dungarvan Crystal; Best Youth Group - Kiely Monumental, Dungarvan.

The Parade will form up as usual at Coolagh Road and move off at 3 p.m. All except the weather has been arranged at this stage and if that is to follow the pattern of the last five years, then it will almost be a "shirt sleeves" parade.

Entry forms are available from Jim Veale at (058) 42076 or Brian O'Connor at (058) 44860.

### PHOTO

▲ Flashback to St. Patrick's Day 1995. — Mr. Monnie Hallahan, Dungarvan Crystal presents the prize in the Best Community Effort to Mr. John Hourigan of the Abbeyside Pattern Community Group.

## RECENT DEATHS

### Mr. Maurice (Gaudie) Walsh



It is with deep regret we record the death of Mr. Maurice (Gaudie) Walsh, Creggs, Clashmore, which occurred on Tuesday, February 13, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan. Maurice worked locally among the farming community and was a good honest worker. He was a very outgoing person and enjoyed a sing song and a game of cards. One of nature's gentlemen, he was held in high esteem by all sections of the community and his passing has been the cause of much sorrow to all who knew him.

Sincere sympathy is extended to his sorrowing rel-

atives on their sad loss.

Removal was from Dungarvan hospital on Thursday afternoon, February 15, to Clashmore church where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. O'Connor, C.C., assisted by Fr. O'Gorman, P.P.

Following funeral Mass on Friday morning celebrated by Fr. O'Gorman, assisted by Fr. O'Connor and Fr. B. Meehan, C.C., burial took place in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. O'Gorman officiated at the graveside, assisted by Fr. O'Connor and Fr. Meehan.

The chief mourners were — Patrick Walsh, England, John and Maurice Dunford, Bohadon (nephews).

(Funeral arrangements by Tom Drohan, Funeral Director, Dungarvan.)

### Late Bridget Callaghan

We record with regret the death of Bridget Callaghan, Ballinakill, Ballinamult, which occurred on Wednesday, February 14, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dun-

garvan. A quiet and inoffensive woman, Bridget had been extremely popular in the Ballinamult area where she was well known for her neighbourliness and her friendly and courteous nature.

Her death has been the cause of much sorrow to her many friends but more especially to her sorrowing sisters and other family relatives to whom we extend deep and sincere sympathy on their sad loss.

Removal was from Dungarvan hospital on Thursday evening, February 15 to Kilbrien church where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Kennedy, P.P.

Following funeral Mass on Friday morning celebrated by Fr. Kennedy, burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

The chief mourners were — Josie Callaghan and Kitty Townsend (sisters), Eric Townsend (brother-in-law).

(Funeral arrangements by Tom Drohan, Funeral Director, Dungarvan.)

## DUNGARVAN URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

### NOTICE OF RATES HAVING BEEN MADE

Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Rate has been duly made on the property rateable thereto in the Urban District of Dungarvan.

The rate in the pound for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of December, 1996 is 3250.00 pence in the pound made up as follows:—

Housing and Building	132.00
Road Transportation and Safety	504.00
Water Supply and Control	(337.00)
Development Incentives and Controls	83.00
Environmental Protection	1257.00
Recreation and Amenity	674.00
Agriculture, Education, Health and Welfare	76.00
Miscellaneous Services	861.00
	3250.00

The Rate Book is now in my custody and may be inspected by any person affected thereby in the Offices of Dungarvan Urban District Council between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays, Church and Bank Holidays. The said rate will be payable from and after publication of this notice.

Under Section 7(1) of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Acts, 1978, any person who is aggrieved at the failure of a rating authority to make him an allowance under that Act or who believes that he is entitled to a different allowance to that made to him, may within two months of the date of the making of the rate, request the rating authority in writing to grant the appropriate allowance. In case the request is not complied with within 28 days, the person may, within 4 months of the date of the making of the rate, apply to the District Court to have the appropriate allowance made.

The above rates were made on 28th February, 1996. Any request in respect of them under Section 7(1) of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Act, 1978 must therefore be made to Dungarvan Urban District Council not later than 28th April 1996. Any application to the District Court under the same provision must be made not later than 28th June, 1996.

Signed: J. O'FLAHERTY, Acting Town Clerk,

Town Hall, Dungarvan.

Dated: 28th day of February, 1996.

## Dungarvan Scout Notes

11th WATERFORD

### TROOP MEETING

The meeting began with a few notices. The main items covered were that "Scout of the Year" will be announced on St. Patrick's Day. Plans for our float are going well for St. Patrick's Day. We will be working with SmithKline Beecham again this year and between us we hope to come up with something different.

Once subs were collected we played a game of "Shoot the Basket". Paul Power and John Charles ended up in the finals but sadly for John he lost again. Brian Duggan and Shane Duggan did well in this game. Brendan then went through the basics of first aid. He went through how to call for help in case of an accident or emergency and finally different types of bleeding was covered. The

lads had lots of questions. Simon Flynn even told us about the time a nail got stuck in his foot. Jonathan then took the lads for a few games. One of the games played was an obstacle course. Before the meeting ended, the lads were given brochures and booking forms for our Annual Camp to Lough Dan. This should give parents a good insight into the Adventure Centre.

### QUIZ NIGHT

Our Quiz Night, held last Thursday night in The Marine Bar was a great success. A good night was had by all. Congratulations to all winners on the night. We would like to thank the management of The Marine, our sponsors on the night: Dolan's Fruit and Veg., Irish Permanent and Cash and Carry.

— Bf ullamh.



# Ballyduff Notes

**BALLYDUFF MACRA Senior Debaters Do It Again** — The Ballyduff senior debating team can't be stopped! They're on a winning streak and are heading straight to the top. This is a marvellous achievement for Ballyduff, especially being up against a strong Inishannon side, but let me tell you they just brushed them aside, leaving them for dust! The lads now go forward to the national semi-final on March 23. This will be held in Co. Louth and the team would appreciate support from the club.

A special congratulations goes to John Kenny who won best speaker on the

night. This is a great achievement for John as he was picked from the best 16 speakers from the south of Ireland. Well done John.

I would like to thank most sincerely their coaches Anne Devine and Noel Looby. A huge amount of time and effort has gone into practising and this team deserves all the praise they can get. Well done lads.

There is swimming on next Thursday night from 9 to 10. This is in the Coole Pool. Our drama team are in action next Friday night. This is on in Rosmore. The drama is "Jack Fury" and is commencing at 8 o'clock. Ballyduff are second on stage. Cars will be leaving the village at 6 o'clock and you can contact Martin Kenny for details. The lads have put a huge effort into the play and they deserve all your support.

Last Friday night the Dublin City Talent competition was on. Margaret O'Flynn came second in the instrumental section. Well done, Margaret. Pat Roche and John Leamy also took part, but unfortunately were pipped at the post. Hard luck lads.

I would like to congratulate Niall O'Brien on winning the Non-Agriculture Section of Communicator of the Year.

More news on Pat Kenny's wedding — the blushing bride is from Kilmacthomas and the big occasion is on in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on March 22. This is in aid of Telethon (People in Need), so only the sophisticated will receive invitations. So, only the lucky people will see this spectacular event. More news on this next week.

## COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

A meeting of the Community Council will be held in the hall on Monday night, March 4 at 8 p.m. All members requested to attend.

On Saturday last four members attended Muintir Na Tire Conference in Nenagh. They were John Kenny, Seamus Ahern, Jimmy Martin and Paddy Jim Feeney. The meeting was addressed by National President, Jim Quigley.

The main resolution passed was that Muintir Na Tire be incorporated as a company, limited by guarantee and not having a share capital.

Special guest speaker was Jimmy Deenihan, T.D., Minister of State in Department of Agriculture, Food & Forestry.

**BALLYDUFF 45 DRIVE** Results for February 21 — 1, 2 and 3 divided between Michael Whelan and Willie Quinn, Jim and Rita Leamy, Sean Higgins and Eddie Byrne. Lucky tables — Jim Whelan and Maura Lindsay, Mary Byrne and Jo Barry, Mary Morrissey and Mollie Quinn, John Lane and partner.

Raffle — Maura Magnier,

Manus Curran, Patsy Lane, Kathleen Sweeney, Mary Ellen Geary.

## BALLYDUFF LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB

Last Thursday night the Ladies Gaelic Football County Board meeting was held in Dungarvan. Teresa and myself attended for the club. Being new to all this, we were somewhat bewildered by what was going on. But we did grasp the part that's relevant to us — that being the Junior B teams.

The Junior B teams are Abbeyside, St. Oliver's, Dunhill-Fenor, Old Parish and Ballyduff. These are the ones we will be up against, ladies. The championship will be starting in April. Fixtures for the games will be decided at the next County Board meeting.

We are one month away from the championship, so a lot of training will have to be done. The first session will be held at the Community field on Wednesday night, March 6, at 8.30 p.m. Michael Ryan will give us a professional start in playing techniques. This session will be held regardless of weather conditions.

We expect a large crowd on the night so no excuses from anybody! Let's show them all what the women of Ballyduff are made of.

Don't forget it's £10 for adult and £4 for under-18. We have been advised to have this money paid on or before the first training session so that everybody will have insurance cover.

Cards for the sponsored walk on St. Patrick's Day are still available from Teresa Noonan's Shop.

## PIONEER NOTES

The Diocesan Quiz finals will take place in Dungarvan on Friday, March 8.

## ADULT SCOR

St. Michael's Hall was the venue for the County Adult Scor finals last Saturday night. Unfortunately, the local competitors had no joy but acquitted themselves excellently. Thanks to all who took part in both Scor na nOg and Adult Scor for Ballyduff.

Congratulations to Seamus Linnane, Ballysaggart on winning the Recitation section.

## COMHALTAS NOTES

Dancing and music classes as usual this Thursday night. Michael Ryan School of Dancing classes in the hall on Monday night but classes on Thursday next will be in the library.

## G.A.A. NOTES

The first of the weekly lotto draws took place on Tuesday night last. The numbers drawn were 10, 13 and 22. There was no jackpot winner. The winner of the £25 prize was Evelyn Barry, Knockanore. Next Tuesday night's draw will be in Phillie's Bar at 9.30 p.m.

Congratulations to Donal

Hannon on winning £100 in the Deise Development Draw last Friday night. Adult club training continues on Tuesday and Thursday nights.

Indoor hurling continues on Saturday morning next from 10 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. The under-10 team reached the final of the blitz in Lismore last Friday, losing out to Lismore in the final.

The under-16 footballers open their championship campaign on Sunday morning next when they play Shamrocks in the field at 11.30 a.m. Players to be present at 11 a.m.

The club senior hurling selectors for 1996 are Mossy Walsh, Liam Power and Seamie Daly. At last Friday night's players' meeting the following captains were elected — SH, Mossy Casey; JF, Michael Leamy; Vice-captains, SH, Donal Hannon; JF, Tony Scanlon.

The under-21 footballers will open the defence of their title probably on St. Patrick's weekend.

The championship groupings for 1996 are as follows —

Junior Hurling — Ballyduff, Dungarvan, Abbeyside and Cappoquin.

Junior football — Ballyduff, Tallow, Kilgobinet, Old Parish, Emmets and Modeligo.

Under-21 Hurling Championship (A) — Preliminary round v. Clashmore/Ardmore; winners play Naomh Brid in quarter-final.

The Senior Hurling Championship groupings have yet to be announced. On Monday night it was decided that a league system would again operate this year with a series of knockout games at the end of same. More details later.

John Jackson and Brendan Hannon were the club delegates at last Wednesday's Western Board meeting, while John Jackson was the delegate at Monday night's County Board meeting.

At last week's well attended club committee meeting it was decided to hold a function to honour the 1971 county junior hurling championship winning team. This will take place in St. Michael's Hall on Friday, October 25. A sub-committee, namely Dave Barry, John Jackson, Maurice Geary, Richie Walsh, Michael Leamy, Eugene Flynn and Liam Power has been set up to organise this event.

A number of club players are currently involved with county panels, i.e. Tom Feeney (SH), Tom Molumphy (MH), Brendan Hannon and Michael Molumphy (u-21 H.)

The club extends sincere sympathy to Anthony Morrisson, Marian Terrace, on the recent death of his sister.

## BALLYDUFF SOCCER — QUICK DOUBLE SEALS VICTORY

Last Sunday we had our best and most important

victory of the season when we beat fellow title contenders Lismore 2-1.

The game, played in ideal conditions, started lively with us having the majority of the play in the first 20 minutes, creating a few half chances. Lismore came into it after that and took the lead in the 30th minute when Barney Pender scored with a header from a free kick. They held this lead at the break.

We got back into it in the second half when Jerome Quirke side-footed home a Sean Pender free kick. Quirke scored his second (and what proved to be the winner) in the 70th minute, and what a fine goal it was. Owen Corcoran broke down the right wing and swung in a cross which Jerome met with a crisp header into the top of the net.

For the remainder of the game Lismore tried to force an equaliser and had a penalty saved by Scanlon and a header cleared off the line by Molumphy.

This vital win keeps us top of the league and ahead of main rivals Bride View and Lismore.

Team — T. Scanlon, K. Geary, B. Cotter, R. Walsh, P. Molumphy, G. Hickey, S. Pender, J. Quirke, O. Corcoran, J. Scanlon, K. Barry. Subs — J. Twomey (used), P. Pender, D. Bolger, B. Bolger, B. Farrell.

Next league game away to Mogeely next Sunday (kick-off 11.30 a.m.)

## BALLYDUFF ICA NOTES

The meeting on February 6 was a huge success. After the business of the meeting was dealt with, a very interesting discussion took place with Angela O'Keeffe from Portlaoise. Angela dealt with the importance of each area, or each club, promoting its own interests and having a worthwhile case before one seeks financial help.

The ICA would be interested in organising "bowling" in the hall. It would be of immense value and interest to all age groups. Angela was very helpful and if we follow her guidelines we could be successful, but the old saying "God helps those who help themselves" is very much in evidence.

Our next meeting is on Tuesday next, March 5 at 8 p.m. Now that Spring is in the air we expect everyone to be there and do bring a friend because immediately after the meeting, at 9.15 approximately, Michael Shanahan from the Tallow Enterprise Board will be with us to give advice on many aspects of small business ventures. This should be of interest to many people, so do come along — all are welcome.

We congratulate the Macra senior debaters on their win during the week and we wish them and the Drama group good luck on their next outing. — PRO.

# Dungarvan Musical & Choral Society Notes

The stage is bare, the seats are empty and the dressing rooms lie quiet and still. The curtains have come down on Dungarvan Musical and Choral Society's 36th production — "Carousel". And another resounding success it was, by all accounts.

For six nights in the Friary Hall Theatre capacity audiences were thrilled and delighted by the colour, splendour, excitement and spectacle which was "Carousel". People cheered and clapped as the curtain came down each night and then went out to tell their friends of a wonderful production.

Of, course, as is always the case this mammoth undertaking by D.M.C.S. just could not have been possible without so very many people.

Sound engineers, lighting technicians, wardrobe mistresses, make-up artists, front of house ticket and programme sellers, ushers, continuity, hospitality, a fantastic set construction team, stage manager, props mistress, back stage, set painters, comperes, booking office, local businesses which donated such wonderful raffle prizes, all our sponsors, especially our main sponsors Waterford Foods, local businesses who helped us advertise, especially local papers and radio, a wonderful production team — producer Michael O'Donoghue, musical director Greg Scanlon and production accompanist Gertie Morrissey, a very hard working committee, all the cast and, of course, every single person who came to see the show — to each and everyone who helped in any way, D.M.C.S. says a very big "thank you", we couldn't have done it without you.

Many congratulations to the winners of our grand draw prizes — Jessica Gough won a weekend for two in the Old Ground, Ennis and Carmel Tobin won a weekend for two in the Arbutus Hotel, Killarney.

And so it's all over for another year, the production that is. No doubt the Society will continue to be active during the coming months, so watch this space for details.



## LISMORE G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

### COMMITTEE MEETING

The monthly committee meeting will be held tomorrow night (Thursday), February 29th at 8.00 sharp. All members are please asked to attend.

### MEMBERSHIP

Reminder that anybody who has not paid their membership, please contact Tom O'Grady as the closing date is drawing near.

### PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

The Minor hurling Western and County medals were presented in the Lismore Hotel on Saturday night last. The Chairman of the Juvenile club, Mr. Willie Henry welcomed all present. He congratulated all concerned on winning the Minor County Title and said it compensated the heartbreak of the previous four years defeats. He thanked the Lismore Hotel for their generous sponsorship and all the players for their attendance. Mr. John Heneghan then presented the medals.

### RICE CUP

Lismore C.B.S. play Dungarvan today (Wednesday) at 1.45 p.m. and Youghal on Friday, March 1st at 1.45 p.m. Both games in Lismore.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

On next Sunday, Waterford play Galway in the National Hurling League in the Fraher Field. This will be a great test for the home team and we wish the best of luck to all players on the panel.

### WEEKLY DRAW - WEEK NO. 6

£50: Mr. Jimmy O'Gorman, Fernville; £30: Mr. Kevin Reddy, Cappoquin; £20: Mr. John Rafferty, Parksroad; £15: Mr. Moss Morrissey, New Street; £10: Mr. Mossie Casey, Ballyduff; £10: Master Mark Landers, Townspark; Promoters prize: Michael Quann. The next draw will be held in The Red House on Monday next, March 4th at 8.00 p.m. and all are very welcome to attend.

### LISMORE LOTTO

This week's numbers were: 9, 15, 19. There being no winner, next week's jackpot will be £200. The £25 voucher was won by Thomas Keating, New Street for goods to be purchased at Michael McGrath's.

## LISMORE BADMINTON NOTES

Division E added six more points to their tally last week by virtue of a walk over from the Dunhill club. Though not a very satisfactory way of gaining points, hopefully they will help Lismore, who, at the time of writing these notes, play their last league game on Monday, February 26th to finish with a place in the Final. At the moment they have qualified for a play-off. With the top team going straight through to the Final and the next placed two teams playing a semi-final, a good result at home to Touraneena on Monday night would ensure them a league final position.

The Division One team were at the other end of a 6-0 scoreline last Thursday night when they played Dungarvan in Ring Hall. Lismore tried very hard in all their games but Dungarvan, looking for points for a play-off position, got the all important aces to finish ahead in all the games.

Team: P. Morrissey, P. Ahearne, B. O'Gorman (sub), A. Dunne, N. O'Sullivan, M. Morrissey.

The club had some members taking part in the Munster Graduates Competition in Limerick over the weekend. Though nobody came home with titles, all represented the club with pride. Well done, Pat Ahearne, Brian O'Gorman, N. O'Sullivan and Mag Morrissey.

## RINN UA gCUANACH

### PEIL IDIRMHEÁNACH '96

(A) — Na Gearaltaigh, An Chlais Mhór, Baile Na Bhialach, Cumann Dheugláin, An Faiche.

(B) — Ródaíthe Na Rice, Rinn Ua gCuanach, An Lios Mór, Na Seamróga.

Dhá roinn. Mhol ionadaí na Rinne ná beadh ach roinn amháin ann 9 bhfoireann agus 8 gcluiche. Ní raibh aoinne ag cuidiú leis.

Beidh 3 fhoireann in roinn 'A' i mbliana ná himeareóchaidh ach 4 chluiche i mbliana agus dhá fhoireann in roinn 'B' ná beidh aca ach 3 chluiche. Trí chluiche in bliain mhór fhada agus é ag cosaint mórán £300 an fhoireann do chlárú — £100 an chluiche. Sin agat tuigsint Choiste an Iarthair ar fhorbairt. Dá shuír í an luch, is góthaf ná sinne í — beireann sí ceithre h-ál in ré bliana.

### IOMÁINT IDIRMHEÁNACH '96

Amhail comórtas na peile, Craobh an Iarthair agus Craobh an Oirthir a bheidh ann i mbliana. Ocht bhfoireann a bheidh in Comórtas an Iarthair.

### PEIL FÉ 21 '96

An Ghaedhealtacht vs. Ródaíthe Na Brice, Márta 16ú sa chéad chor.

## ARDMORE A.F.C. NOTES

# Entertaining Game Ends In Draw

### CAPPOQUIN 2 ARDMORE 2

An entertaining game here and Ardmore came away with a draw despite playing 70 minutes with ten men after Anthony Aherne was harshly, in the opinion of players on both sides, sent off. Aherne had given Ardmore the lead with a superb goal, Cappoquin equalised with an excellent strike. Still the ten man Ardmore side took the lead just before the break when Dec Hennessy scored from the spot at the second attempt after the keeper had saved the initial

kick but thank God for rebounds.

The second half Cappoquin used the extra man and applied a lot of pressure. They lost a chance of the equaliser when they missed from the penalty spot. When the equaliser did come it has to be said there was more than a suspicion of off side but the goal was allowed.

That was the final score in a fine sporting game even if a sending off and a few bookings might suggest otherwise.

Ardmore's best — Eoin Flavin.

### THANKS TO CAPPOQUIN

The club wish to convey their thanks to the Cappoquin A.F.C. for their kind donation to the Ardmore Fishermens Disaster Fund. This is greatly appreciated and will be passed on the the fund committee.

### THE TYRE ENTRE CUP Ardmore 3 Gortroe 1

On Sunday week last Ardmore advanced to the quarter finals of the cup when they defeated Gortroe. Blustery conditions made good football near impossible. Clinton

Hennessy and Nicky Keating gave Ardmore a two goal lead at the break.

Gortroe brought one back but Anthony Aherne sealed the victory when he made it three to give the Blues victory.

Ardmore's best Clinton Hennessy.

### APOLOGY

I must apologise for not having any notes in last week's paper but what can I say only that I was having a ball and time slipped me. Well that's my story.

Congratulations to Fiona Gallagher who celebrated her 21st birthday last weekend. Come to think of it we all celebrated it.

## Dungarvan/Clonmel Mens Hockey Notes

### Dungarvan/Clonmel 3 Church Of Ireland 0

D/C continued their unbeaten run at home on Sunday last with a well deserved 3-0 victory.

With D/C's midfield and front line on top form, the experienced Church of Ireland defence were under pressure from the start, John Ryan, Jerry Foley and Richard Hanna creating numerous chances for the D/C forwards. John Ryan deserves special mention for his unselfish passing and

high level of fitness which shone on the day. Also Richard Hanna's competitive and spirited performance shook the Church of Ireland players to their foundations.

A break by Church of Ireland early in the first half could well have spelt disaster for D/C. But with some excellent calling by Philip Major, who is still carrying an injury from last week and astute keeping from Tony Bones, the danger was averted. In defence, Simon

Drummy, Tony Kenny and Ger Carmody had a great game, Philip Major astounding all by his spectacular aerial passing from the circle. Halfway through the first half the pressure paid off when Mick Phelan converted a beautiful pass from the right to score the first goal of the match. Soon after this, a very lithe John Ryan, made a superb pass to Stephen Dunne who scored what must be the best goal of the match. D/C went into their half time talk 2-0 ahead. Early on in the second half, Richard Hanna, showing dogged determina-

tion, sealed the fate of the Cork side with D/C's third goal. D/C relaxed a little and played some very entertaining hockey. Peter Doyle, Richard Cotter, Robert Taylor and Anthony Bones all had a great game. "Player of the Match" was shared between Stephen Dunne and Tony Bones.

Team: Tony Bones, Philip Major, Tony Kenny, Ger Carmody, Simon Drummy, Richard Hanna, Jerry Foley, John Ryan, Stephen Dunne, Anthony Bones, Peter Doyle, Mick Phelan, Richard Cotter and Robert Taylor.

## Colligan Equestrian Centre Results

The following are the double clears in the Mini League, sponsored by TSB, Dungarvan held on Friday, February 16 — Path Finder (Helen Howley), Magical Mystery Tour (Patrick D'Alton), Morengo (Angela D'Alton), Milton (Peter Moloney), Jack Boy (Michael Brennock), Rossie (Ursula Walsh), Samson (Suzy Lonergan).

Midi League, sponsored by Gain Horse Feeds, Dungarvan — Cloud Hopper (Tom D'Alton), Moon Dancer (Sinead Lavan), Gonzales (Michelle Griffin), Feeling Frisky (Eimear Parks), Mr. Unstoppable (Elaine Casey), Blue Ice (Maevé Raheer), Lightning (Mary Johnson), Mac (Nollaig Cummins), Blaze (Clíodhna Walsh), Whirlwind (Siun Walsh), Jock (Aoife Landers).

Amateur League sponsored by Jim Phelan Hardware, Dungarvan — Caratas (Noelle Quann), Dinny Brien (Louise Moloney), Paddy (Eileen Gee), Bob (Francis Dwane), Colligan River (Louise Moloney).

Maxi League sponsored by Comeragh Garden Products, Waterford — Cloud Hopper (Tom D'Alton), Mary Moons (Seamus Lavan), Chippy (Genevieve Gee), Many Moons (Martin

Lavan), Mattie (Robert Power), Ginger (Gemma Phelan).

Horse League sponsored by John Cleary, Old Parish — Charlie (Paula Lenihan).

Rosettes sponsored by Tom Curran Hardware, Dungarvan. Special awards sponsored by Anthony Lynch, Farrier, Summerhill.

### RIDING CLUB

On Wednesday, January 31, the first annual general meeting was held of the Colligan Woods Riding Club at the club house at Colligan Equestrian Centre.

The following were the officers and committee elected for the coming year — Chairman, Henry Beresford; Vice-Chairman, Francis Dwane; Secretary, Karen Flynn; Asst. Secretary, Denise Clancy; Treasurer, Carol Beresford; PRO, Louise Moloney. Committee — Pat Ronayne (Competition Co-ordinator), Mairead Kennedy (Social Secretary), John Murphy, Johanna Barron (Catering), Ann Hennebry, Martina McGrath, Maighread Lavan.

### FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Winter League, February and March every Friday night; Equitation Jumping, March 6; Equitation Jumping, March 20, Cross Country, March 24.

## Kilrossanty Ladies Football Club Notes

### NEW SEASON BEGINS

The time has come to knock the cobwebs off the boots as the first championship of the year gets underway on Saturday, March 9th. The new season kicks off with the Minor Championship. It was decided at the last County Board meeting to run this competition on a knock out basis with a losers group. This year we play in the 'A' Division, having won the 'B' championship in 1995. We are grouped with St. Anne's, Na Déise, Ballymacarbray and Old Parish. Fixtures as follows: (A) Kilrossanty V Na Déise; (B) Ballymacarbray V Old Parish. Both on Saturday, March 9th. St. Anne's a bye to semi-final.

Winners of A and B to semi-final and losers of A and B play off for fourth semi-final spot.

If all games in the competition are played as fixed, the final will be played on March 30th. Following this, the U-16 Championship will commence.

### TRAINING

All players of all age groups from U-14 to U-18 are requested to please at-

tend training this Saturday, March 2nd at 12.00 noon. Anyone interested in getting involved please come along also. All newcomers are very welcome. If weather conditions are bad, don't worry training will go ahead indoors.

## Free G.A.A. Weekend

With the county football team having a bye in round 7 of the league, the weekend was free of all inter-county activity, but team training in most grades went ahead at various venues. The next and final outing for the footballers will be on Saturday or Sunday week when they are away to league toppers Wicklow, who are due to move up to Division 3 when the competition ends in April.

The under-21 footballers, who play the championship in April, are now training with the senior football panel and this, I understand, is proving to be very satisfactory.



# DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB NOTES

## RESULTS

Tuesday, Feb. 20 — 14 Hole Stableford — Winner, Aileen Stacey (29) 23 pts; Runner-up, Margaret O'Donnell (17) 23 pts; Dungarvan Driving Range Voucher — Mary Walsh.

## FIXTURES

Tuesday, March 5 — 18 Hole Stableford. Saturday, March 2 — Ladies Alliance Group D from 2.44 p.m. Time sheet.

## PROGRESSIVE 45

Joint winners were Tom Osborne and Ger O'Donovan, Danny Barry and Vincent Hayes. Last 5 — Tony Keevers and Pat Phelan, Peig Murray and Bernie Butler.

Friday, March 15 at 8.30 p.m. Poker Classic in aid of Friends of Waterford G.A.A. Football.

Club professional David Hayes will give golf clinics on Wednesday, March 13 at 10 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. and on Saturday, March 16 at 3 p.m. Fee £2. All lady members welcome.

Lady members wishing to enter I.L.G.U. Leagues for coming year should enter names on list in ladies locker-room.

## LOTTO

Next week's jackpot £1,100. Numbers were 6, 8, 19. No jackpot winner. £10 winners are Richard James, Tom Halpin.

## RESULTS

Thursday, February 22 — 11 Hole Stableford — Winner, John Hogan (11) 28 pts.

Saturday, Feb. 24 — 18 Hole Stableford — Winner, Tom Conway (18) 41 pts, 2nd John Hogan (11) 41 pts, 3rd John Considine (11) 39 pts, 4th Seamus Mansfield (10) 38 pts. C.S.S. 39.

Sunday, Feb. 25 — 18 Hole Stableford — Winner, Rev. G. Horan (12) 39 pts, 2nd Paul Flynn (13) 39 pts, 3rd Ml. Brackett (15) 39 pts, 4th Eoin Mansfield (13) 38 pts.

9 Hole Weekly — John Hogan (11) 22 pts. This week's winner of the D.G.R.V. is J. R. Clancy, the first member to pay his £10 for his computer card. Well done J.R.

## FIXTURES

Monday to Sunday — 1 Hole Weekly. Thursday, Feb. 29 — 11 Hole. Saturday, March 2 — 18 Hole Stableford plus Area League Final at 1 to 2.12 p.m. matchplay. Sunday, March 3 — 18 Hole Stableford.

## SOUTH EAST AREA LEAGUE

Results from Cobh Golf Club (Saturday, Feb. 24) — Dungarvan 4 Youghal 4. Donal Williams and Patsy Horsom won 3-1, Batty Prendergast and Martin Lynch won 3-1, Pat Breen and Peter O'Neill lost 4-3, Thomas Lenihan and Michael Brackett lost 3-2.

Positions in League are as follows:

East Cork 22 pts, Cobh 21 pts, Lismore 17 pts, Fermoy

17 pts, Youghal 16 pts, Dungarvan 15 pts, West Waterford 12 pts.

Fixtures — Dungarvan v. Lismore, Saturday, March 2, Fermoy Golf Club at 10 a.m. Dungarvan v. East Cork, Sunday, March 3, West Waterford Golf Club, 11 a.m.

## S.E.J.A.

Played Clonmel G.C. (President's Prize) last weekend. Well done to Nicky Norris 2nd and our Alliance captain Jack Elstead 4th prize. Both had 41 pts. Next outing at home Captain's Prize on Sunday, March 10.

## COMPUTERS

The new smart card computer system is being installed this week. Members are urged to purchase their smart cards as soon as possible. These are available from Tom Whelan in the office. This ultra modern computer will facilitate competitions statistics to be made via separate terminals in both mens and ladies locker rooms. A bulletin board in the upstairs landing will provide members with up to date information at the touch of a button. Watch this column next week for details of an information night to assist members to learn how to use the computer effectively.

## AREA LEAGUE 8th ROUND — BURGER EDGES OUT DUNGARVAN TO REACH FINAL v. MASTER McGRATH

As anticipated, Master McGrath's finished leaders in the final round last weekend, but a dramatic surge by The Burgery led by Rev. Jerry Horan with 39 pts edged our club captain's team into second place by the narrowest of margins over gallant Dungarvan. These two teams will meet in matchplay (handicap, full handicap difference, i.e. lowest off scratch) next Saturday, March 2 1 p.m. to 2.12 p.m., to determine the outright winners of the league. Prizes will be presented in the clubhouse at 6.30 p.m. the same evening. All are welcome.

We take the opportunity to thank most sincerely our sponsor David Walsh, School and Office Suppliers.

Final positions are round 8:  
1 Master McGrath 1619, 2 Burgery 1596, 3 Dungarvan 1595, 4 Kilrush 1518, 5 Abbeyside 1506, 6 Southways 1445, 7 Kilmacthomas 1436, 8 Park Lane 1398, 9 Fr. Twomey's 1370, 10 Ballyduff 1320, 11 Bonmahon 1309, 12 Sea Park 1294, 13 Ballinacourty 1246, 14 Ballyvoile 1236, 15 Kilmurray 1207, 16 New Line 1069, 17 Comeragh 1053.

Individual prize winners — 1st Johnny Hogan 222 pts, 2nd Tom Conway 219 pts, 3rd Pierce Moloney 218 pts.

## CLUB PROFESSIONAL

Our newly installed club professional David Hayes has the shop well stocked now and members are welcome any day to make enquiries or purchase golf equipment. Lessons are arranged through appointment. Tel. no. of club professional David Hayes is (058) 44707.

# West Waterford Golf Club Notes

## SOUTH EAST LEAGUE

As the league enters the final stages, only five points separate the first four teams and much too close to pick the winners. However, East Cork and Cobh look very strong. East Cork winners on several occasions have vast experience while Cobh, striving for their first win of any kind are determined to make history and take the first prize into their beautiful new Clubhouse.

## RESULTS

Results from Cobh outing: East Cork 7 Fermoy 1; West Waterford 2 Lismore 6; Dungarvan 4 Youghal 4. Next outing in Fermoy Golf Club this Saturday, March 2nd 10.00 a.m. - 11.30 a.m. Final in West Waterford Golf Club this Sunday, March 3rd 11.00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.

## LEAGUE TABLE

East Cork - 22 pts.; Cobh - 21 pts.; Fermoy - 17 pts.; Lismore - 17 pts.; Youghal - 16 pts.; Dungarvan - 15 pts.; West Waterford - 12 pts.

## CLUB RESULTS

Saturday, February 24th and Sunday, February 25th - 18 Hole Stableford. 1A David Morrissey (13) 41 pts.; Jim Frank Walsh (14) 39 pts.; High HC Jim Sheehan (24) 37 pts.

Sunday next, March 3rd: Senior Alliance (Captain's Prize - John Gough) in Dungarvan Golf Club.

## CLUB OUTING TO THURLES

All travelling to be in Thurles by 1.15 p.m.

## WINTER LEAGUE FINALS

The above finals will be held on Monday, March 18th. Team captains are reminded to check lists on no-

tice board.

## INDOOR PUTTING COMPETITION

Indoor Putting competition in association with Murphy's Brewery to find the top Indoor Putting Champion. Four putting teams will be in operation. The draw for free sub will take place afterwards so if there is anyone who has not paid 1996 sub he or she will be ineligible for the draw.

Membership fixture cards and bag tags are now available in the bar to members.

## LADIES

Results — February 20th, 9 Hole Stableford - First: Colette Ormonde (14) 17 pts.; Second: Tess Reynolds (15) 16 pts.

## FIXTURES

On going 9 Hole Stableford, also the 'trip to Tipp'. To secure your place, please contact Clubhouse.

# KNOW YOUR GOLF QUIZ

## QUESTIONS

1. Where is the 1996 Irish Open being played?
  2. Do the rules of golf allow you to declare a ball lost without going to look for it?
  3. Who won ownership of the first British open belt?
  4. Where would you consult the goats before deciding if you needed to bring your rain gear?
  5. Who once said, "When I find a coach who can beat me, then I will listen to him,?"
  6. Who was the youngest ever English Amateur Champion?
- (See page 38 for answers).

# GOLDCOAST GOLF CLUB NOTES

## COMPETITION RESULTS

Monday, February 19th - Friday, February 23rd: 14 Hole Stableford. Winner: Lar Boland (16) with 33 pts. followed in second place by Paul Breen (18) with 32 pts.

Saturday, February 24th - Sunday, February 25th: 14 Hole Stableford. Winner:

Enda O'Toole (12) with 31 pts. followed in second place by Christy Heffernan (14) with 30 pts. and in third place Vincent Tobin (19) with 29 pts.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 1996

Work is now well under way in compiling our fixture booklet for the forthcoming

year, which will be circulated to all our members early next month. Members of both the Ladies and the Mens clubs can look forward to a very busy year as an abundance of excellently sponsored competitions have been drawn up. Many thanks to all our sponsors for their much valued support. In addition to each member receiving a fixture booklet, they will also receive a specially designed GoldCoast Golf Club bag tag.

## OPERATION OF TIMESHEETS

As the weather improves and as we approach our main golfing season, members are reminded to observe the rules and etiquette relating to timesheets and their operation. At the weekends and in order to facilitate all golfers, ALL members wishing to play on the course are requested to place their names on a timesheet and be present and ready to play at the appropriate time. As a matter of courtesy to both their fellow players and club organisers, members unable to make their appropriate time should contact the club as soon as

possible. In order to ensure the proper running of the above, these rules will be applied rigidly from now on.

FIXTURES — Monday, February 26 - Friday, March 1st: 14 Hole Stableford. Saturday, March 2nd - Sunday, March 3rd: 14 Hole Stableford.

## LADIES

Fixtures — Easter - 9 Hole on going competition, two cards to count kindly sponsored by Shopwell, Dungarvan. See details posted in clubhouse.

## INTER CLUB COMPETITION

Preparation for our club's debut in the Southern section of the Minor league is now well underway, with trial matches being organised for participating club members. The format of the competition is singles matchplay comprising of five member teams whose members' handicaps are between 28 and 36. All members are encouraged to keep practising because in addition to this competition the scrambles and mixed foursomes competitions will be getting underway as soon as the evenings get brighter.

# MURPHY'S IRISH OPEN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP 1996

## Sam Torrance Returns To Defend His Title

Murphy's Irish Stout, the sponsors of the Murphy's Irish Open Golf Championship have announced that Sam Torrance will defend his title at Druids Glen Golf Club, the new venue for next July's championship. Sam won an exciting play-off last year when he defeated Stuart Cane, Colin Montgomerie and finally Howard Clark, with an eagle on the 17th in Mount Juliet.

Torrance will now join Ernie Els, the talented South African Superstar, who has also entered, in seeking to win a record first prize of IR£125,000 from a prize fund of IR£750,000, an increase of IR£100,000 compared to last year.

The defending champion finished second to Colin Montgomerie on last year's Order of Merit with prize winnings in excess of STG£750,000. Since turning professional in 1970 he has career earnings of over STG£3 million, which include 21 victories on the European Tour, a first Irish Open title in 1981 and 9 other victories throughout the world.

The dates for the Murphy's Irish Open 1996 at the magnificent Druids Glen Golf Club beside Newtownmountkennedy in County Wicklow are 4th-7th July, 1996.

# CUNNIGAR PITCH AND PUTT CLUB NOTES

## MEMBERSHIP FEES

We are now taking membership fees — adults £40, juveniles £15, over 60's £20, families £60. Our easy payment plan is up and running £10 deposit. This offer will close on March 31, 1996. Just to say that we welcome new members throughout the year.

## COMMITTEE MEETING

There will be a committee meeting on Thursday, February 29 at 7 p.m. All committee members to attend.

## GET WELL WISHES

On behalf of all your friends in the Cunnigar Club we wish Heather

Wright a speedy recovery. We hope to see you back in the swing very soon Heather.

## LOTTO

No winner of our big jackpot of £500 last week. This week's jackpot will be £600. The numbers drawn were 7, 17, 22, 29.

Five lucky winners of £20 were John Ryan, T. Riordan, Caroline O'Donnell, Margette Hayes and Helen Whelan.

## CLUB TOURNAMENT

There will be a club tournament on Sunday, March 3, weather permitting. Tee off between 9.45 a.m. and 10.45 a.m. — Shout Fore



## RAILWAY ATHLETIC F.C. NOTES

# Easy Victory For Railway Athletic

## ABBEYSIDE 0 RAILWAY ATHLETIC 4

On Sunday morning last our 1B side put in a very good performance to account for Abbeyside in the league. With our title hopes gone, Manager, Des Foley experimented a little and the changes reaped dividends.

From the start, Railway played some very good football and it wasn't long before the Abbeyside keeper was called into action, O'Donnell, Dee, McLoughlin, Quinn and Pratt all bringing saves out of the Abbeyside keeper.

Indeed Railway had to call on their own keeper, Arrigan to keep them in the match when he made two

brilliant saves during the opening half hour.

Railway opened the scoring after 25 when a Tommy Pratt corner was headed home at the back post by Martin Reddy. Railway held onto this lead until the break. In the second half, it was all Railway. They got their second 20 minutes into the game when Frank McLoughlin shot home a

very good goal from 30 yards to put us two up. 10 minutes later, Railway got their third, and what a great goal it was. Arrigan made a great save from Riordan. His first time throw out went to Browne. He pushed it up the right wing for O'Donnell to run onto. He beat the full back and crossed to the intruding Dee. Dee chipped the ball

on the volley over the advancing keeper and into the top corner for a very good goal. Railway were in complete control and O'Donnell scored our fourth when he beat the keeper with a low drive from 15 yards.



The game was well and truly over at this stage but Abbeyside never gave up trying and Arrigan made one more save before the final whistle. This was an excellent performance from Railway and the attitude was right going into the game. Arrigan had his best game for some time and the Railway back four of Browne, Whelan, Reddy and Foley were well on top from the start. O'Donnell also had a great game and was ably assisted by McLoughlin, Quinn and Ormonde. Up front, Pratt and Dee never gave up trying and did a lot of unselfish work for one another. Tom Mansfield replaced Ormonde in the second half and also had a very good game.

## DIVISION 3B LEAGUE

# Back With A Bang — Barry Returns In Style

## ST. JOSEPHS 1 RAILWAY ATHLETIC 7

Charlie Barry made his long awaited comeback for Railway on Sunday morning last in this Div. 3B league game. Although understandably a little rusty after a long lay-off, he proved that the old magic has not deserted him. A magnificent goal from that trusted left boot put the icing on the cake for a Railway side who were firing on all cylinders.

A flurry of activity on both wings by Moynihan and Fitzgerald saw us go three up inside the first ten minutes. James Manahan opened the scoring in the second minute, slipping the ball past the keeper after neatly exchanging passes with Dermie Coughlan and Michael Moynihan. Rhiney Walsh added our second a minute later. Darren Mason slid the ball through and Walsh showed the home-side's defence a clean pair of heels before clinically beating the helpless keeper.

Moynihan, who was causing all sorts of problems for his marker, scored the third from Fitzgerald's inch-perfect cross. Rhiney Walsh again got on the score sheet in the 25th minute when Moynihan's flighted cross was met by Walsh's perfectly timed header.

Coughlan and Manahan beat the offside trap on the half hour but Coughlan fluffed the chance when it seemed easier to score. The game was over as a contest when we added our fifth just before the break. The industrious Packie Manahan flicked the ball over a defender's head and into the path of Darren Mason who controlled and neatly slotted the ball into the corner of the net.

In the second half we took

our foot off the accelerator a little. St. Joseph's scored a consolation goal and Costin hit back almost immediately for us, popping up on the right wing with a mazy run which he neatly finished.

Then came the introduction of Barry midway through the half. It only took him a few minutes to make an impact on the game. Yet another Railway attack, instigated by "man of the match" Moynihan, broke down on the edge of the area, Barry picked up possession, his drag-back beat the challenging defender and with only the advancing keeper between him and the goal, Barry produced a delicate chip which left the keeper helpless as the ball sailed over his head and into the empty net.

Team — N. Maher, D. Morrissey, L. Costin, D. Hogan, G. Morrissey, T. Fitzgerald, M. Moynihan, P. Manahan, D. Coughlan, R. Walsh (capt.), J. Manahan, Res., A. Barry, C. Barry, P. McLoughlin (all used).

## UNDER-12 LEAGUE HIBS 5 RAILWAY 2

Our under-12 side were away to city side Hibs on Saturday last. Our lads were slow to start and the home side put the pressure on us from the start. Midway through the half we found ourselves three goals down.

This team however has great spirit and did not lie down. Paul Maher got one back for us and this was how the half finished.

Shane Kelly got number 2 early in the second half and we really put the home side under pressure. Sean O'Neill was taken down in the box but to everyone's

amazement the referee waved play on. Hibs broke and scored again. With a few minutes left we went looking for a goal. But it was Hibs who finished the scoring. Overall we played very well.

Team — R. Tobin, P. Quinn, D. Brown (capt.), P. Maher, S. Power, M. Gilligan, K. Looby, A. Hogan, D. O'Keeffe, S. Kelly, S. O'Neill.

## UNDER-15 LEAGUE RAILWAY 1 VILLA 3

Our under-15 side played their first game in 12 weeks and it showed in the performance. But as the game went on we looked more and more promising. Martin Ormonde scored our goal.

## FIXTURES

Our under-12 team will play hosts to Seaview at 10.30 on Saturday.

Match of the day on Saturday is no doubt our under-14 game at home to Villa. Our lads are going for the league and will have to be at their best.

Would junior players please check with their managers as we have no fixtures at time of writing.

Under-12 are at home to Seaview at 10. a.m. on Saturday, March 2. Players at pitch no later than 10 o'clock.

## NON-STOP DRAW

Next weekend will be our last week of the non-stop draw. Our club would like to thank everyone who joined over the past 20 weeks.

## UNDER-11

Both under-11 teams are continuing their training for their leagues which will start in late March. Players can still join our club if they want to play football.

# Abbeyside A.F.C. Notes

## LOTTO MOVES TO £1,300

This week's numbers 7, 16, 17. No winner. Numbers drawn by Karl Baumann, Sexton Street.

Anyone who would like to join our lotto draw and have the £1 collected every week, please contact any committee member. See club directory.

## UNDER-8 TRAINING

With the completion of the all weather pitch anticipated for the middle of March under-8 training will resume at Stucco Lane on Saturday, March 15 at 3.45 p.m. All children will be notified at the schools. Training and coaching will last for one hour every second week and we will be picking teams for a league at the first session.

## UNDER-11

Our under-11 team are undergoing intensive training this week with the league on the horizon. John McGovern has even got a bit fitter himself with all the training. Some of the same team got to the under-11 cup final two years ago under the management of Joe O'Riordan and I know John is confident that players such as Brian Morrissey, Philip Wade and Stephen Drummy will make a major mark on the league for the coming season.

## DIVISION 1B LEAGUE ABBEYSIDE 0 RAILWAY 4

What can one say about this game? A spirited performance or a total mockery. Railway did not deserve to win by four goals but credit to them for deadly finishing. The Reds used 3 of the successful youths team and they did well, bit it is no secret that the current team is just not good enough to compete at this level. Bosco Mahoney had a tremendous game and did not deserve to be at the end of such a defeat. Still onwards and upwards lads prior to the 3rd Div. league and cup double of 1988 Abbeyside were beaten in every away game and picked up just 8 points at home. Such are the swings and roundabouts of club football.

## CLUB DIRECTORY

Chairman — Joe O'Riordan; Secretary — Edward Cantwell; Treasurer — John Kenneally; Committee — John McGovern, John Fitzgerald, Francis McGovern, Michael Morrissey.

Managers: Div. 1 — Kevin Tobin; Youths — John Fitzgerald, John Kenneally (Asst.); Under-16 — Dwane Cantwell; Under-14 — Ollie Keohan, Trevor Walsh; Under-11 — John McGovern; Under-8 — Joe O'Riordan, Kevin Tobin.

## BALLINROAD A.F.C. NOTES

### DIVISION 3A LEAGUE

# Poor Display But Vital Points Gained

## RED STAR 0 BALLINROAD 3

Ballinroad's final away game of the season ended with a hard earned victory over Red Star in Waterford on Saturday last.

Heavy underfoot conditions and a home side who used the offside trap to good effect made this game difficult for Ballinroad.

Ballinroad with the elements in their favour laid siege on the home goal but were being continuously caught out by the offside trap.

In the 12th minute team captain Maurice Foley gained possession on the half way line and he showed great composure as he raced through for a fine individual goal. This score settled the league leaders and with our midfielders running the game, it was no surprise when we increased our lead in the 20th min.

Martin Lacey, whose fitness was vital in the heavy conditions, got on the end of a through ball and gave the keeper no chance from 12 yards.

We were missing many chances at this stage but the great hearted Ray Burke received a pass from the highly effective Laurence Boland and chipped the ball over the advancing keeper to effectively kill-off the opposition.

In the second half we missed some glorious chances but at this stage it is the result that counts.

Portlaw had an easy home win and to make sure of the title we must win our remaining two games which

are at home.

Ballinroad — Reynolds, B. Burke, Boland, McCarthy, Landers, R. Burke, Foley, Lacey, V. Tobin, Freyne, Power, Res. — M. Tobin, P. Duggan, M. Fraher, N. Thompson, T. Veale.

## FIXTURES

Sunday, March 3 — Div. 3A at home to Park Rangers, 11.30 a.m. Saturday, March 2 — Div. 4B away to Portlaw, 2.15 p.m.; Under-12's away to Tramore, 10.30 a.m.

## UNDER-12 RESULT

### BALLINROAD 2

### VILLA 4

Well done to all our young players who were confirmed last weekend.



# DUNGARVAN UTD. A.F.C. NOTES

## RESULTS

Division 1A League - Dungarvan 4 St. Joseph's 2.  
Division 2B League - De La Salle 0 Dungarvan 4.  
Division 3B League - Dungarvan 6  
Kilbarry Rangers 0.  
T.S.B. U-15 League - Dungarvan 2 Ferrybank 0.  
T.S.B. U-13 League - Dungarvan 3 Villa 1.

## FIXTURES

**Schoolboys** — Saturday, March 2nd - T.S.B. U-16 League: Ferrybank V Dungarvan 2.30 p.m.  
**Junior** — Sunday, March 3rd - Division 2B League: Dungarvan V Tramore 11.30 a.m. Division 3B League: Dungarvan V Seaview Celtic 2.15 p.m.

## A WINNING WEEKEND

It was a successful weekend for the club with all five teams in action getting victories. Our First Division side continued their good run with a 4-2 victory at home to St. Joseph's. Denis "Hopper" McGrath opened the scoring after just 20 seconds when he punished a defensive error. After 15 minutes, the Blues went 2-0 up after a good break by Gerry O'Connor. He crossed for Aidan Landers to tap home. St. Joseph's got back in the game after 35 minutes when their No. 8 lobbed Kealan O'Neill and the half time score was 2-1 to Dungarvan. The opening minute of the second half saw John "Wonka" Donnelly make it 3-1 with an excellent strike from 20 yards. "The Saints" fought back again and after 65 minutes, their sweeper scored the goal of the match with a wonderful shot from 25 yards. John "Wonka" Donnelly wrapped up the points with a quick turn and shot in the box to give the Blues a deserved victory and take their unbeaten run to eight games.

## SECOND DIVISION STAY ON COURSE

Our 2B side also made it 8 games unbeaten when they had a fine 4-0 victory away to De La Salle on Saturday last. Feature of this game was the two goals scored by sub, Thomas O'Grady (who was hungry for action after his fast the week before). Alan Landers scored again from the centre half position while Davy Crotty popped up for his first goal of the season after being out injured for a long spell. Dungarvan now have 32 points from 13 matches. They have won 10, drew 2 and lost just once and have five matches left to play. They are 4 points ahead at the top of the table from nearest rivals, St. Joseph's. Those five hard matches are away to KilmacThomas, Crusaders and Tramore Rangers and at home to Tramore and Southend. They have a very important home fixture versus Tramore on this Saturday morning and a big support will be appreciated.

## BIG WIN FOR THIRD DIVISION

Our Third Division side had a big 6-0 win at home to Kilbarry Rangers on Sunday morning last.

Dungarvan took the lead when new boy, David O'Leary shot home to the corner of the net. Then big "Bo Bo" Tutty struck twice in 15 minutes to bring his season's tally to 12 and give the Blues a 3-0 lead. Five minutes before half-time, Thomas Wright got on the end of a long ball to make it 4-0 at the interval. Thomas Wright and David O'Leary hit further goals in the second half to run out fairly deserved winners.

Nice to see the young players getting a run in this team and I counted 7 players on this team who are still under 20, with Joe and Michael Hart, Mickey Hickey, Vincent Tutty and Thomas Wright providing the experience. They are at home to Seaview Celtic on Sunday afternoon at 2.15 p.m.

## IMPORTANT WIN FOR U-15'S

Our U-15 side beat nearest challengers, Ferrybank 2-0 at Crystal Pitch on Saturday morning last in a top of the table clash. This was one the young Blues had to win to stay top of the league table and in a closely fought encounter they took the three points thanks to two good strikes by Patrick Halpin, one in each half. Feature of the game was an outstanding display by debut boy, James Cooney in goal and he is certainly a big bonus for Ben and Joe Wall's side. His safe handling and long kick outs were a tremendous addition to this side. They have played 6 league games and have won them all, scoring 28 and only conceding 1 goal to date and let's hope they can keep up the good work for the rest of the season.

## U-13 BEAT VILLA

Our U-13 side turned in a fine performance on Saturday morning last with a 3-1 victory over city side, Villá. David Ferncombe, Tony Keane and Nicky Donnelly were the goalscorers. These lads have played 8 league games to date and have won 3, drew 3 and lost 2.

## HOLIDAY DRAW

Tickets are now in circulation for our Holiday Draw which will be held on Friday, May 10th at our 30th Annual Social at Lawlor's Hotel. First prize is a holiday to the value of £600; second prize is a holiday to the value of £300 and third prize is £100 in cash. Cash value of holidays can be taken. Get your ticket now at £5 each from any committee member.

## WEEKEND AWAY

A trip to the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis, Co. Clare is being planned for the weekend of March 30/31. Contact Martin Walsh for details. Numbers are limited so get your name in now. The "Discover Ireland" holiday brochure describes the Old Ground Hotel as follows: "The ivy clad Old Ground Hotel is situated in its own well kept gardens in the town centre of Ennis. A Flynn family owned and managed hotel."

## COMING EVENTS

Follow the Main Street to the Clubhouse on Paddy's night. A good night is assured.

Our 30th Annual Social will take place on Friday, May 10th at Lawlor's Hotel. Music will be provided by "Flames" followed by a disco by "Mad Hatter."

The 1969 youth double league and cup winning sides reunion will take place on Sunday, May 5 (Bank Holiday). A match at 7.00 p.m. will be followed by entertainment. Any player who played youth football between 1967 and 1972 please contact Tom Conway and Liam Sandford.

## PONGO

Eyes down every Tuesday night at 8.15.

## SUNDAY THREE TABLE CARDS

Three table cards take place in the Clubhouse each Sunday night at 9.30.

## SATURDAY FUN NIGHT

After last week's excellent night we will continue with our sing along on this Saturday at Kilrush at 9.30 p.m. Come along and enjoy the fun. Surprise guest artists will appear !!!

## YANKEE DOODLE

Numbers on Sunday, February 25th were 82 and 15. No winner. Jackpot £160 on this Sunday, March 3rd. Numbers on sale from usual sellers. Support schoolboy football in our club.

## IT'S A BOY !!!

Congratulations to Jeff and Marie Allen on the recent birth of a baby boy. Jeff is a member of our Division 1A side but is currently out of action with a leg injury.

## DUNGARVAN UNITED — DIV. 3B LEAGUE

# Blues Hit Six

Dungarvan's good run continued on Sunday morning last at Kilbarry Park when they had a convincing win over a weak Kilbarry side.

The Blues had the best possible start when Power put O'Leary away on the left wing and he cut inside his marker and gave the Rangers keeper no chance. We increased our lead on 20 minutes when good work by Coles up the right wing saw him cross a good ball to the far post for Tutty to tap in.

Ten minutes later Dungarvan made it 3-0, Hart's ball over the top of the defence found Tutty unmarked and his first time shot once

**DUNGARVAN 6  
KILBARRRY 0**

again gave the keeper no chance. The Blues made it 4-0 before the break when Kyne put Wright clear and he made no mistake from the edge of the area.

The second half saw Rangers come a bit more into the game but were getting nothing out of the home defence of Ducey, Hickey, Sheridan and Power. With 15 minutes gone in the second half Crotty received the ball on the half way line and took himself past three defenders and was only denied by a good save from the Rangers

## Dungarvan United A.F.C. Schoolboy Of The Week



We continue this week with our new feature to our weekly notes "Schoolboy Of The Week".

Name:	John O'Keeffe
Address:	Silversprings, Dungarvan
Date of Birth:	8-1-86
Team:	Under-11
Position:	Midfield
Favourite Team:	Aston Villa
Favourite Player:	Tommy Johnston
Other Hobbies:	Running, Hurling
Most Prized Possession:	Munster Gold Medal (running)
Pet Hate:	Andy Cole
School:	St. Joseph's N.S. (Dungarvan)
Favourite Food:	Potatoes + Chicken

## DUNGARVAN UTD. A.F.C.

### UNDER-15 LEAGUE

# HALPIN AT THE DOUBLE

This Blues team got back to league football at home to Ferrybank on Saturday last and got the win they wanted. The Blues found it very tough going and Ferrybank kept them under quite a good deal of pressure. The Blues played a lot of stray ball which forced the forwards of Halpin, Cowming and Sullivan to do a lot of needless running. When the Blues did manage to find their own players, they looked a very good team.

The Blues scored the first goal when they won the ball in midfield and it was

played up to Sullivan who knocked it into the path of Pa Halpin who duly scored. Dungarvan went looking for more goals after this but they were caught on a rare break away by the visitors and as the winger bore in on goal, his shot was saved by keeper, Cooney who was having his first game for the Blues. Just before half time, the Blues were left off the hook when the wingers shot went harmlessly wide. So at half time it stood 1-0 to the Blues. Dungarvan tried to up the tempo in the second half but they failed to convert the chances they had.

The Blues had a great chance to add to their lead when O'Sullivan's shot just cleared the cross-bar. The Blues won a free kick just outside the box and Collins hit it high over the bar. Dungarvan scored their second goal when once again Pa Halpin was the scorer. Final score was Dungarvan 2 Ferrybank 0.

This was a much improved display by the Blues team with each player trying hard. O'Sullivan, Halpin, Collins and McGovern played well but James Cooney was impressive in his first game with two fine saves and some very good handling of crosses.

Team: J. Cooney, K. Lyons (Capt.), O. Morrissey, M. Power, B. Horgan, J.J. Kelleher, G. Collins, M. McGovern, P. Halpin, V. Sullivan, C. Cowming. Subs: C. Crotty (for J.J. Kelleher), J.P. Healy, B. Duggan, D. Power, B. O'Brien, W. Duggan.



DUNGARVAN UNITED — DIVISION 2B LEAGUE

# Thomas O'Grady's Double Keeps Blues On Top Of League

DE LA SALLE 0 DUNGARVAN 4

This was Dungarvan's first away match in three months and what a very good result it turned out to be. On a very poor pitch, the Blues were very much on top for the 90 minutes.

Dungarvan's first goal came after 16 minutes when Beresford's in-swinging corner was only half cleared. Alan Landers was first to react and he hammered Dungarvan ahead with a well taken goal, his second goal in three games. This gave the Blues the start they wanted, and they settled down to play the ball around at every opportunity. J.W. Power than split D.L.S. defense wide open with a great pass to Killian Power who was bundled to the ground, the referee pointed to the spot. Up stepped David Crotty to put the Blues two up after 25 minutes. Half time score was: D.L.S. 0 Dungarvan 2. Manager, Thomas Duggan

was very happy at half time with the way things were going but he knew there was a long way to go so he had his team well fired up going out for the second half. In truth, Croghan McGregor had only one save to make in the first half and dealt very well with it. The game became very scrappy in the second half with the pitch cutting up badly. At this stage, Dungarvan were happy to hold what they had. David Crotty had to leave the pitch with a leg injury after 65 minutes. David was having a very good game and let's hope he doesn't add to Dungarvan's injury list as David is a vital cog in Duggan's team. Dungarvan were seldom trou-

bled in this half with Downey, Beresford, Landers, Cummins well on top of their game. With 15 minutes remaining, Manager, Duggan, decided to bring on fresh legs in O'Grady and Tutty for Donnelly and Wall who ran themselves into the ground. Thomas O'Grady didn't take long to settle into the game as he scored two great goals to cap a fine display with his first taste of football this season. Not for the first time this season, Dungarvan have shown they have strength and depth on the bench to keep every player on his toes. A nice headache for any manager to have !!! A very good result then

for the Blues who now have five league games left. At home to Southend and Tramore and away to Kilmacthomas, Tramore Rangers and Crusaders. Thomas Duggan will not leave any stone unturned as his forces march on in quest of the league title they crave for. Come on you Blues !!! Team: C. McGregor, J. Downey, A. Landers, G. Beresford, S. Cummins, G. Hamilton (Capt.), P. Dunford, D. Crotty, J.W. Power, M. Donnelly, K. Wall. Res.: J. Whelan (for D. Crotty - injured), T. O'Grady (for K. Wall), P. Tutty (for M. Donnelly) O. Mansfield (not used). "Man of the Match": J.W. Power.

DUNGARVAN UNITED DIVISION 1A LEAGUE

# Good Home Win For Blues

DUNGARVAN 4 ST. JOSEPH'S 2

The Blues stretched their unbeaten run to eight matches when for the second week in succession they proved too strong for a gallant St. Joseph's outfit.

This latest win pushes the Blues into joint fifth in the table and gives them a solid platform for the cup. The Blues made the best possible start to this encounter and were a goal up inside 30 seconds, almost from the kick-off. Dungarvan raided down the right and as the cross came in the centre half left it to the keeper who mis-kicked completely and the ball ran loose to the unmarked "Hopper" McGrath who

tapped into the unguarded net. The same player could have increased the Blues lead two minutes later when he ran onto a great through ball but he lost control at a vital moment and the keeper made an easy save. The home side, in no mood to let St. Joseph's back into the game, kept the momentum going and went further ahead after ten minutes. Landers and O'Mahoney combined to put O'Connor away down the

right and his low centre was tucked away by Landers to round off a fine sweeping move. A great run and shot by Donnelly drew a superb save from the keeper. Hyslop shot well over from a good position, while Power blazed wide when a cross might have been a better option, as Dungarvan threatened to run riot. Just before the break, a lack of concentration by Dungarvan allowed the Saints in for a goal they hardly deserved. Any chance of a Saints fight back was snuffed out

inside the opening five minutes of the second half, when Donnelly picked up the ball on the half way, turned his marker inside out before drilling a left footer past the helpless keeper. The Blues were rampant from this point but their inability to deal with the off-side trap leaves a lot to be desired. The best goal of the game came after 70 minutes when the Saints midfielder ran on to a half clearance and from fully 25 yards his fierce swerving shot flew past O'Neill. With time running out Donnelly got his second and Dungarvan's fourth to make the points safe. This side are now unbeaten in their last eight games and if they can maintain this form they could be a force to be reckoned with in the cup. Dungarvan — Kealan O'Neill, Trevor O'Mahoney, Chris Gough, Aidan Landers, Tommy Sheehan, Timmy Kiely (capt.), Gerry O'Connor, Jason Hyslop, John Donnelly, John Power, Denis McGrath. Res. — Willie Coward, Paudie Flynn, Mark Crotty (all used). Man of the Match — Gerry O'Connor.

**DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C.**  
**UNDER-13A LEAGUE**  
**Young Blues Get The Points**  
**DUNGARVAN 3 VILLA 1**

This was not an exciting game of soccer, but Dungarvan showed their determination in gaining all points from this game. Good goalkeeping, a positive defence, a battling midfield and a determined forward line won this game for the home side. Goals came from David Ferncombe, Tony Keane and Nicky Donnelly. Best of luck for the future and well done lads.

**BLACKWATER RANGERS F.C.**

UNDER-14 SCHOOLBOY CUP SEMI-FINAL

# Young Rangers Reach Cup Final

BALLYBRIDGE UNITED 1 BLACKWATER RANGERS 4

Last Saturday morning our under-14 side turned in what was probably their best display to date at the Ballybridge venue when they completely overwhelmed the homeside to run out winners on a 4-1 scoreline. More or less controlling the game from start to finish Rangers led 3-0 at the interval thanks to goals from Owen Walsh and a double strike from Maurice Lynch. Tony Kearns added our fourth ten minutes into the second half to safely seal our place in the final, Ballybridge's reply being a consolation goal coming 12 minutes from the full time whistle. Rangers — Jason McGrath, Aidan O'Connell, Eoghan Walsh, Martin O'Brien, Eamonn Walsh, Cyril Stack, Raymond Connery, Owen Walsh, Eamonn Mernin, Maurice Lynch, Tony Kearns. Subs. — Ger O'Donovan for Cyril Stack; Conor Christopher for Maurice Lynch; John O'Brien for Tony Kearns; Robert McCarthy, Declan Roche.

**COLOUR SCHEME**

After only a matter of weeks in existence our under-14 side achieved a 100% colour scheme for last Saturday's semi final thanks to our sponsors, Kereen Bar, Liam McCarthy, P. J. Connery and Mick Irwin.

**SUPPORTERS**

Well done to the large crowd of supporters who followed Rangers to the East Cork venue last-Saturday morning. I'm sure that everyone there would agree that even despite the arctic conditions it was one of the better ways to enjoy a Saturday morning.

**RED HOUSE LEAGUE**

# Rangers Lose In Five Goal Thriller

CASTLEBRIDGE CELTIC 3 BLACKWATER RANGERS 2

Last Sunday morning our title hopes suffered a set back when we were beaten by the odd goal in five away to Castlebridge Celtic in the league. Playing on a very small pitch which bore more resemblance to a mud-bath than a playing surface, we started well and took the lead after 15 minutes when Colin Cotter goaled from close range. However by half time, owing to some poor defending, penalty decision and Rangers being the recipient of yellow cards, we found ourselves two-one behind. The Cork side added their third early in the second half and gave them what they thought was a comfortable brace of points. However, much to the surprise of the large partisan home crowd, Rangers found new spirit and were rewarded for their efforts after 80 minutes when a Noel Downing free kick was deflected to the home side's net by Alan Ronayne. For the last ten minutes Blackwater laid siege on the Celtic goal but failed to avail of the many good scoring chances we created. This was a good gutsy display by Rangers and one which on most days would have got us all three points. Rangers — Kieran Cotter, Tom Scanlon, Stephen Ronayne, Noel Downing, Roger Ronayne, Paul Connery, Davie Cullinane, Donnacha Tobin, Jason Radley, Christy Lombard, Colin Cotter. Subs. — Franny Cotter for Christy Lombard; Vinny Lombard for Jason Radley; Alan Ronayne for Colin Cotter.

**FIXTURES**

Red House League — Sunday, March 3 — At home to Clashmore Ramblers, kick-off 2.30 p.m.



**RED HOUSE LEAGUE ROUND-UP****DIVISION ONE RESULTS****BALLYDUFF DEFEAT LISMORE IN THRILLER**

League leaders Ballyduff came from behind to snatch the points over neighbours Lismore after a thrilling game in Ballyduff on Sunday morning last.

Another thrilling game took place in Tallow where the local side defeated East Cork side Ballybridge Utd. In Cappoquin the home-side and Ardmore shared a four goal thriller and the points. A result that suited neither of them especially Cappoquin.

Conna side Valley Rangers travelled to Ballymacarbray to take on the other Rangers Pinewood and collected the points.

The East Cork derby between Mogeely and Inch ended with a win for Inch. This moves Inch away from the relegation zone but there is still a way to go.

**RESULTS**

Brideview Utd. 5  
Ballybridge Utd 3

This meeting of the Uniteds in Tallow on Sunday morning last turned out to be a real thriller. Goals came quickly in this game with the result in doubt right up to the final whistle.

Ballybridge attacked from the kick off and the crossbar denied them in the very first minute when Donal Broderick's kick rebounded off it. Swayne shot wide in the 3rd minute. The opening goal came to Brideview in the 10th minute when Geary's shot saw the keeper fail to hold the ball and Paul Curley was in to score from close range.

Both sides created good chances before John O'Connell equalised for Ballybridge in the 26th minute. A good move by the home-side in the 43rd minute started by Henley

saw Sweeney set up Philly Curley to score a great goal low into the corner. Brideview led 2-1 at the break.

The second half was played at a furious pace with no quarter being given by either side. Paul Curley set up Joe Fraser in the 48th minute and Fraser shot home to put Brideview 3-1 in front.

Ballybridge replied straight from the kick off when Willie Walsh scored to leave it 3-2 to the homeside after 49 mins. Brideview were awarded a penalty in the 55th min. and Philly Curley made it 4-2 to the homeside.

Still Ballybridge came forward and Noel O'Driscoll made it 4-3 after 63 mins. It was end to end stuff after this and McSweeney made the points safe for Brideview when he scored just before the final whistle.

A good win this for United which keeps the pressure on the league leaders.

Pinewood Rangers 1  
Valley Rangers 4

This meeting of the Rangers in Ballymacarbray saw the Conna Rangers go home with the points. Valley led 1-0 at the break.

Valley were well on top in the second half and added three further goals to lead 4-0 going into the final few minutes when Mike Guiry pulled a goal back for Pinewood but it was a case of too little too late. Valley's scorers here were Kenneth Murphy (2), Paul Higgins (header), and Billy Carr (penalty).

Ballyduff 2  
Lismore 1

This local derby between the league leaders Ballyduff and challengers Lismore turned out to be a thriller with Ballyduff coming from behind to clinch the points.

Lismore had a chance of getting something from this game but they saw Ballyduff's keeper Tony Scanlon deny them from a penalty kick.

Barney Prendergast headed Lismore into the lead in the 37th min. and they held this lead until the break.

Jerome Quirke struck twice for Ballyduff in the second half to put the leaders in front. Lismore pressed forward and were awarded a penalty but Tony Scanlon became Ballyduff's hero when he got down to save it and keep Ballyduff on top of the league.

Overall a terrific game this and one that Lismore should have got something from. Ballyduff had outstanding displays from Owen Corcoran and Richie Walsh.

Cappoquin 2  
Ardmore 2

Cappoquin will feel that this was a game that they should have taken full points from. Ardmore struck first when Ahearne scored. Martin Power equalised for Cappoquin, Declan Hennessy restored Ardmore's lead. Ardmore led 2-1 at the break.

Cappoquin missed a penalty early in the second half before Billy O'Shea

grabbed the equaliser and a share of the points for Cappoquin. This result does not help either side especially Cappoquin who are now rooted at the bottom of this first division.

Mogeely 0 Inch 2

Inch travelled to neighbours Mogeely on Sunday morning in a game vital to both sides as they are both in relegation trouble.

Mogeely and Inch both got their league campaign, off to a terrific start but both have sipped down the table.

It was Inch who showed a bigger commitment on the day and they ran out worthy winners here thanks to two goals from Michael Byrne.

**Red House League Tables**

(25/2/96)

**DIVISION ONE**

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
BALLYDUFF	11	8	1	2	28	14	25
BRIDE VIEW	14	7	2	5	30	18	23
LISMORE	10	5	4	1	21	10	19
PINEWOOD RGS	12	5	2	5	19	20	17
BALLYBRIDGE	13	5	1	7	18	25	16
INCH	14	4	4	6	16	25	16
ARDMORE	11	3	5	3	16	15	14
MOGEELY	13	4	2	7	19	20	14
VALLEY RGS	13	4	2	7	21	29	14
CAPPOQUIN	11	3	3	5	11	23	12

**DIVISION TWO**

CLASHMORE	13	10	1	2	30	20	31
CASTLEBRIDGE	13	8	4	1	27	14	28
YOUGHAL	12	8	3	1	30	11	27
GORTROE	14	6	6	2	33	15	24
BLACKWATER	14	7	2	5	25	22	23
BRIDE VIEW	14	7	1	6	32	25	22
AN GAELTACHT	12	6	1	5	20	16	19
ARAGLEN	11	5	1	5	27	19	16
MODELIGO	14	2	5	7	25	36	11
GLENVIEW	13	2	3	8	15	36	9
AFFANE	13	2	2	9	15	40	8
CAPPOQUIN	13	0	1	12	8	35	1

**DIVISION TWO RESULTS****Clashmore Keep Marching On**

Clashmore Ramblers continued their winning ways in the league when they had a good away win over Brideview Utd. There were good wins also for Castlebridge Celtic, Youghal and Modeligo. The shock of the day was in Affane where the homeside held one of the leading clubs Gortroe to a draw.

ARAGLEN 0  
YOUGHAL 3

Youghal had a good away win over Araglen on Sun-

day morning last and so keep the pressure on the top clubs. The sides were scoreless at the break.

Araglen were short some players for this game and it showed in the second half as the seasiders got on top. Goals from Kevin Lonergan 55th min., Ken Hennessy 71st min. and Noel Hegarty 76th min. saw the seasiders clinch the points.

CASTLEBRIDGE  
CELTIC 3  
BLACKWATER  
RANGERS 2

Another thriller here in Castlelyons on Sunday morning last which saw Celtic come from behind to take the points. With so much at stake this was always going to be a tough game and so it was. Colin Cotter put Rangers in front in the 12th min. but Celtic fought back and goals from Johnny Sullivan 23rd min. and Joe Hartnett 35th min. (a penalty) saw Celtic go in at the break leading 2-1.

The second half was full of action and yellow cards. Sullivan put Celtic further ahead when he scored in the 50th min. Rangers never gave up and Alan Ronayne pulled a goal back in the 82nd min. Rangers tried hard for their equaliser but Celtic held out and keep their league hopes very much alive.

MODELIGO 5  
GLENVIEW 2

This was really a game of two halves. Glenview were on top in the opening half and led 2-0 at the break thanks to Philip McGrath

and Conor Power.

Modeligo came out in the second half and dominated the game from the kick off. Sean Kearns (2), Tom Ormonde (2) and Adam Bending saw the homeside clinch the points in some fashion.

BRIDEVIEW UTD 1  
CLASHMORE  
RAMBLERS 3

League leaders Clashmore Ramblers travelled to Tallow on Sunday afternoon and after a fine game clinched the points over the local side and so held onto pole position in the league.

Francis O'Rourke opened the scoring here for Ramblers side early in the first

half before Denis O'Flaherty leveled the scoring only for the Ramblers to restore their lead ten minutes later through Brian "Tiger" O'Neill. At the break the Ramblers led 2-1.

There was plenty of goal-mouth action in the second half before O'Neill nipped in to increase the visitors lead early in the second half. Bride View fought back but Marty Flynn was in terrific form in goal for Ramblers. Clashmore held out and clinched three valuable points which keeps them on top of the table.

AFFANE 0  
GORTROE 0

Affane are getting some good results in recent weeks and on Sunday last they caused a big upset by holding one of the leading clubs, namely Gortroe to a scoreless draw.

**DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP QUARTER FINALS****Top Clubs Avoid Each Other**

When the draw for the quarter finals of the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup were made in the Red House Bar last week, the top clubs in Div. 1 avoided one another.

However, the draw did produce what should be interesting games. Lismore, many peoples cup favourites, have a home draw against East Cork side Youghal and the homeside will be expected to advance.

Ballyduff face the short trip to Aglis to take on the local side Blackwater Rangers. Rangers were the surprise team in the last

round.

Two neighbouring East Cork clubs namely Valley Rangers and Inch face one another in Conna.

Ardmore, the first club drawn, have Bride View United as visitors. This should be a cracker of a game.

**QUARTER FINAL PAIRINGS**

Ardmore v. Bride View United

Valley Rangers v. Inch

Blackwater Rangers v. Ballyduff

Lismore v. Youghal

Games take place on Sunday, March 10.

**RED HOUSE LEAGUE FIXTURES**

SUNDAY, MARCH 3rd

**DIVISION ONE**

Lismore v. Pinewood Rangers, kick-off 11 a.m.

Ref. P. Marks

Mogeely v. Ballyduff, kick-off 11.30 a.m.

Ref. S. Kearns

Inch v. Cappoquin, kick-off 11 a.m., Ref. M. O'Neill

Valley Rangers v. Bride View United, kick-off 2 p.m.

Ref. N. O'Donoghue

Ballybridge United v. Ardmore, kick-off 11.30 a.m.

Ref. J. Foley.

**DIVISION TWO**

Cappoquin v. Bride View United, kick-off 11.30 a.m.

Ref. P. Walsh

Blackwater Rangers v. Clashmore Ramblers, 2.30

Ref. P. Marks

Castlebridge Celtic v. Affane, kick-off 11 a.m.

Ref. L. Fraser

Youghal v. An Gaeltacht, kick-off 11.30 a.m.

Ref. J. Griffin

Araglen v. Modeligo, kick-off 11 a.m.

Ref. N. O'Donoghue

Glenview v. Gortroe, kick-off 2.30 p.m. Ref. M. O'Neill



**RED HOUSE LEAGUE ROUND-UP**

**RED HOUSE LEAGUE DIV. ONE PREVIEWS**

**SCHOOLBOY SOCCER LEAGUES**

# Exciting Games Down For Sunday

If next Sunday's fixtures turn out to be as good as last weeks, then we should be in for another exciting Sunday.

League leaders Ballyduff face an away trip to Mogeely. Mogeely are struggling at the moment and the visitors should clinch the points.

Second place Bride View United face a local derby away in Conna where the local Valley Rangers are going well at the moment.

Other challengers Lismore are at home to another club finding results hard to come by namely Pinewood Rangers.

Inch have a home game against Cappoquin the result of which is vital to both.

Ballybridge United will want to get back to winning ways at home to Ardmore.

**LISMORE v. PINWOOD RANGERS**  
If one was previewing this game a month ago I would

probably have said that it was a game which could go either way, but how time can change things around.

Rangers at that stage were well in the hunt for league honours and still in the cup. Now out of the cup Rangers look to have lost the chance of league honours although the league is still possible for them.

Lismore can clinch the league title but to keep their chance alive they have to win this one.

**MOGEELY v. BALLYDUFF**

The East Cork side have seen their league hopes disappear since Christmas. They have had a poor run since then. Their visitors from West Waterford, namely Ballyduff, are having a terrific season with one of the best front lines in the league. Scanlon, Corcoran and Hickey have been finding the net on a regular basis this season. Ballyduff should clinch the points

here.

**INCH v. CAPPOQUIN**

The points are vital here to both sides as they fight to get away from the relegation zone. It's a game there for the taking but Fogarty, Leahy and Baylor may lead the Cork side to victory.

**VALLEY RANGERS v. BRIDE VIEW UNITED**

Rangers are still in relegation trouble but they have had some good results in the past month. United on the other hand have still an outside chance of league honours. These derby games between these two sides are usually close affairs. We give the vote to the Tallow side.

**BALLYBRIDGE UTD. v. ARDMORE**

Points here are important to both sides, although Ardmore have games in hand. It's so tight at the moment that defeat could send one of these clubs down into the danger zone. United may just shade this one.

# Cup Shocks Continue

League form for many clubs goes out the window as it were when it comes to cup football. The biggest shock in the cup came when Ballybridge United went down to Aglish club Blackwater Rangers in the semi final of the Under-14 Cup.

In the Under-16 Cup Cappoquin made East Cork side Ballybridge United fight all the way before going out of the cup after a penalty shoot-out.

Another leading East Cork club Youghal had to battle all the way to defeat Valley Rangers.

There were cup wins on Saturday last for Valley Rangers (U-14), Castlebridge Celtic (Div. 2 Cup), Ardmore (Div. 1 Cup), Youghal (Div. 2 Cup) and Youghal (Under-16).

There was just one Under-18 league game on Saturday last where Bayside Celtic went down at home to West Waterford side Lismore.

**RESULTS**

**UNDER-14 CUP QUARTER FINALS**

Cappoquin 0  
Ballybridge United 0  
(a.e.t., United win 4-2 on penalties)

Cappoquin put up a tremendous performance at home on Saturday last in the Under-16 cup before going down to East Cork side Ballybridge United after a penalty shoot-out.

Anthony Walsh saw his shot come back off the crossbar in extra time and Ballybridge cleared the danger. United's keeper made a terrific save at the feet of Stephen Kennedy when it looked as if Kennedy must score.

However, after a very entertaining game, Ballybridge United came out on top 4-2 after the penalty shoot-out.

**Valley Rangers 0  
Youghal 1**  
Rangers belittled their

league form when they put up a terrific performance at home against Youghal. The first half was evenly fought and the only goal of the game came after 28 minutes when Youghal scored.

Both sides had chances in the second half but the Seasiders held out and so advanced to the semi finals.

**UNDER-14 CUP SEMI FINALS**

**Ballybridge United 1  
Blackwater Rangers 4**

Rangers caused the biggest shock in the cup on Saturday last when they had a marvellous away win over Ballybridge United.

Rangers had a commanding 3-0 lead at the break thanks to goals from Maurice Lynch (2) and Tony Keams.

Owen Walsh increased the Aglish's sides lead to 4-0 before United pulled a goal back. At this stage Rangers had done enough and now go into the cup final.

**Valley Rangers 2  
Inch 1**

This was a very exciting game between these two neighbours. The homeside, thanks to goals from Colin Hogan (20th min.) and John Carr (26th mins.) led 2-0 at the break.

Both defences were on top in the second half but Inch did pull a goal back with just 2 minutes remaining. Time was not on their side to get an equaliser and Rangers held out and got through to the final.

**UNDER-12 (DIV. ONE) CUP QUARTER FINAL**

**Castlebridge Celtic 1  
Ardmore 2**

This was another thrilling game which took place in Castlelyons on Saturday afternoon last. Richard Fitzgerald put Ardmore ahead in the very 1st min. Celtic fought back and equalised through Eamonn Fitzgerald. At the break the sides were level at 1-1.

The second half was played at a furious pace and the hero here for Ardmore was Andy Walsh when he shot home the winning goal for Ardmore which puts them into the semi-final.

**UNDER-12 (DIV. TWO) CUP SEMI FINALS**

**Castlebridge Celtic 3  
Ardmore 0**

Celtic turned in a marvellous performance at home to overcome a strong Ardmore challenge. First half goals from Jamie Cremin and Shane Hickey gave Celtic a 2-0 lead at the break.

Ardmore took the game to Celtic in the second half but they were caught on the break and Hickey nipped in to score his second and Celtic's third. A good win

this for the home side who now go into the final.

**Youghal 5  
Bride View United 1**

The scoreline flatters the Seasiders here, although they did deserve their victory. Donnelly set up Thomas Ryan to open the scoring for United after just ten minutes. Nigel Roche headed home a great equaliser in the 15th min. At the break the sides were level at 1-1.

The Seasiders got on top in the second half and goals from John Connors, Paul Kelly, Nigel Roche and Robert Mulhally saw them end up easy winners.

**UNDER-18 LEAGUE RESULT**

**Bayside Celtic 1  
Lismore 3**

Lismore got off to a flying start here when they scored in the very first minute. Conor O'Donoghue equalised for Bayside before the break.

Lismore got on top in the second half and scored twice in this half to run out winners and clinch the points here.

**SCHOOLBOY SOCCER LEAGUE PREVIEWS**

## Castlelyons And Tallow Host Vital Games

Castlelyons and Tallow host vital Under-18 league games on Saturday as the run in to this league heats up.

Three clubs, namely Bride View United, Castlebridge Celtic and Ballybridge United can clinch the league title. At this stage with just a few games left, the odds favour the Tallow side, Bride View United.

United have three points to spare over Ballybridge United with Castlebridge Celtic a further three points behind, with a game in hand over the top two teams.

On Saturday next Bride View have a home game against neighbours Valley Rangers. The home side have got to get a win here. The other United, namely Ballybridge, face an away game against Celtic. This game should be a thriller, especially with full points wanted by both sides.

Saturday next sees one Under-16 cup semi final taking place in Ardmore. Youghal are the visitors here.

The final Under-14 league game takes place in Inch where Castlebridge Celtic are the visitors.

The Under-12 Div. Two league continues with games in Tallow and Youghal. The game in Youghal is vital as a win for the homeside would see them clinch the league. However, a win for Celtic could really open up the league and put Ardmore and Celtic back in the hunt.

**DIVISION TWO PREVIEWS**

# League Leaders Travel To Aglish For Local Derby

One of the most exciting games in Div. 2 should take place in Aglish on Sunday next and is sure to attract a bumper attendance. The homeside, Blackwater Rangers face the league leaders and neighbours Clashmore Ramblers.

Castlebridge Celtic and Youghal other chasing clubs both have home games, while Gortroe travel to Glenview.

Cappoquin are at home to Bride View United in a game vital to both. Araglen are at home again on Sunday next against high flying Modeligo.

Sunday's games are vital to all sides especially with six clubs going down to Div. 3.

**CAPPOQUIN v. BRIDE VIEW UNITED**

Cappoquin are doomed for Div. 3 next season. United will want to say in Div. 2 next season. They should help their cause with a win on Sunday. Anything other than a United win would be a real shock here.

**BLACKWATER RANGERS v. CLASHMORE RAMBLERS**

This local derby should draw a good crowd to the Rangers venue. Both sides can feel well pleased with their season to date.

Rangers with that terrific cup win two weeks ago, will look forward to the visit of the league leaders.

The Ramblers should get something out of this game which will keep their league title hopes alive.

**CASTLEBRIDGE CELTIC v. AFFANE**

Celtic are putting in a terrific battle to clinch the title. Their visitors on Sunday are lying in second last place in the league and the homeside should clinch the points here and keep their league hopes alive.

Celtic, despite a poor start to their league programme, have come good and are now one of the better sides in this division.

**YOUGHAL v. AN GAELTACHT**

Willie Collins should be able to lift his side on Sunday against a side that have blown hot and cold during the league campaign.

The seasiders will keep chasing full points from their games as they keep the pressure on the leaders. With Coleman, Hennessy and Lonergan in top scoring form they should collect the points on Sunday.

**ARAGLEN v. MODELIGO**

Although the homeside have games in hand it's hard to see them clinching

the title. Having said that they should dispose of Modeligo on Sunday.

**GLENVIEW v. GORTROE**

The East Cork side need the points to keep in touch with the league leaders. Gortroe have drawn some games that they should have won and this has proved costly to them.

Glenview have slipped down the table and look doomed for Div. 3 next season. Gortroe should take the points here.



## SCHOOLBOYS FIXTURES

SATURDAY, MARCH 3

**UNDER-18 LEAGUE**

Bride View United v. Valley Rangers, kick-off 11 a.m. Ref. P. Molumphy  
Castlebridge Celtic v. Bayside Celtic, kick-off 11.30 a.m. Ref. M. Curley

**UNDER-16 CUP SEMI-FINAL**

Ardmore v. Youghal, kick-off 11.30 a.m. Ref. L. Fraser

**UNDER-14 LEAGUE**

Inch v. Castlebridge Celtic, kick-off 2.30 p.m. Ref. D. Ruxton

**UNDER-12 LEAGUE (DIV. TWO)**

Bride View United v. Ardmore, kick-off 2.30 p.m.  
Youghal v. Castlebridge Celtic, kick-off 11.30 a.m.



ATHLETICS

BY RACE LEADER

# GETTING READY FOR ATLANTA

In just five months time, Cobh's Sonia O'Sullivan will travel to Atlanta as Ireland's best hope for winning an athletic gold medal, a feat last achieved exactly forty years ago by Ronnie Delaney in the 1500 metres at the 1956 Melbourne Olympics.

Ahead of Atlanta, Sonia is presently training in the city of Delaney's famous win in Australia and despite a current injury problem, she is totally focused on the ten days from July 26th to August 4th which has quite accurately been described as the most important competition of her life and on which the success of her career will be ultimately judged.

In Australia, Sonia's coach, Kim McDonald has set up a training camp in South Yarra, a suburb of Melbourne. The weather is perfect there at present for training as it is warm and not too humid. The training group consists of eight Kenyan distance runners, the American's Bob Kennedy and Steve Holman; England's Jill Hunter and the Irish trio of O'Sullivan, Geraldine Nolan and David Matthews. The group's manager, McDonald organises the training and he likes his runners to train in warm weather at this time of year and in Australia it also means that they have longer daylight hours during the summer 'down under'.

### INJURY TREATMENT

The Cobh girl's injury is progressing well though she is still not back to full running training. She is running once a day and she supplements this with aqua running, a swimming pool session for about an hour everyday. During this type of training, she wears a heart monitor to ensure she is 'running' hard enough. The rest of her training is comprised of mountain bike spins, lifting weights and hundreds of sit ups. The treatment of her injury consists of continuous monitoring throughout every day while she is walking, going up steps and training in the pool and on the bike. Her leg is iced up to five times a day and



★ SONIA O'SULLIVAN ★

this is alternated with some ultrasound treatment. Her most effective treatment is the deep massage which she receives from Gerard Hackmann, the Irish physio attached to the training camp. The massage is also the most painful treatment for her injury as it breaks down the injured tissue and helps it to heal quicker.

### IMMEDIATE PLANS

For the next five months, the 1995 World 5K Champion plans to train as hard as last year and look for areas where she can develop her speed and endurance. This, she hopes, will give her more tactical options to choose from during the racing season. The Cork favourite is keen to run in the World

Cross Country Championship in Cape Town, South Africa in March. Caitriona McKiernan has won the silver medal at the last four championships and an appearance by O'Sullivan would add further to the Irish interest and team strength in the race. Sonia sees the Cross Country Championship as a short term goal pointing to the Olympics and it is a quality race as it brings all the best distance runners in the world from 1500 metres to the marathon together on the one stage. She feels the Cape Town race would tell her where she stands in relation to the training completed up to March and perhaps dictate her training programme in the remaining months before Atlanta.

### CHINESE CHALLENGE EXPECTED

Sonia O'Sullivan expects a renewed chinese challenge for Atlanta and she intends being ready to face it. She believes her experience in the last Olympics, where she finished fourth will stand to her. Whoever the opposition is, Sonia desperately wants to improve on that finishing position, run a better race and be ready for any surprises and early challenges during the race. She has a burning desire to win an Olympic gold medal and she intends being as fit as she possibly can in order to fulfill that ambition. Let's hope she does.

# WATERFORD TEAMS SELECTED

The previously postponed All-Ireland 'B' Cross Country Championship will take place this Sunday in Wexford. The following teams have been selected to represent Waterford.

### U-12 GIRLS

Aisling Cleary (K.C.K.); Marie Trihy (Ring/Old Parish); Cliona O'Keefe (Ring/Old Parish); Rosemarie Fleming (Ring/Old Parish); Siobhán Veale (K.C.K.); Sinéad Power (Dungarvan); Amy Kiely (Dungarvan); Laura Tutty (Dungarvan); Emily Hearne (K.C.K.).

### U-14 GIRLS

Nicola Moore (Dungarvan); Marion Troy (Cappoquin/Ballinameela); Deirdre Morrissey (K.C.K.); Niamh Cummins (K.C.K.); Helen Kiely (K.C.K.); Noelle Crowley (K.C.K.); Joy Hearne (K.C.K.); Marie Veale (K.C.K.); Josephine O'Grady (Dungarvan); Mairéad Costin (Ring/Old Parish); Caitriona Molloy (Dungarvan); Sarah Fitzpatrick (Dungarvan); Kelly Shalloe (Ring/Old Parish).

### U-16 GIRLS

Triona Whyte (K.C.K.); Muriel Cummins (K.C.K.);

Orla Costin (Ring/Old Parish); Rebecca Harty (Ring/Old Parish); Michelle Healy (Ring/Old Parish); Siobhán McCarthy (K.C.K.); Orla Harty (Ring/Old Parish); Róisín Lynch (Cappoquin/Ballinameela); Ann Ledingham (Ring/Old Parish); Paula Keohan (Dungarvan).

### U-14 BOYS

Michael Barrett (Cappoquin/Ballinameela); John Paul McCarthy (K.C.K.); Barry McAndrew (K.C.K.); Karl O'Keefe (Ring/Old Parish); Joseph O'Donnell (K.C.K.); Eamonn O'Donnell (K.C.K.); William Collins (Ring/Old Parish); Denis Byrne (K.C.K.); Mark Ferguson (Lismore); Robert Wade (Ring/Old Parish).

### U-16 BOYS

Eric Curran (K.C.K.); Noel McGrath (K.C.K.); Austin Flavin (Ring/Old Parish); Richard Halpin (Cappoquin/Ballinameela); Micheal Walsh (Cappoquin/Ballinameela); Nicholas Walsh (K.C.K.); J. Walsh (K.C.K.); John O'Rourke (Ring/Old Parish); Richard Tobin (Ring/Old Parish); Ken McGrath (Cappoquin/Ballinameela).

## ALLROUNDER WINTER LEAGUE

# Stage Win For Anthony Dwyer



★ ANTHONY DWYER ★

In last Wednesday's stage, Anthony Dwyer became the 11th runner to win a leg of the Allrounder league. In doing so he was following in the footsteps of his training partner, Seamus Healy who was an equally deserving winner the previous

week. Last week, Anthony finished over a minute ahead of the second placed Philip Harty which proves that he is in top form at present.

The 14th stage was also noticeable for the performance of 15 year old, Deirdre Travers who ran a super 35 minutes and 54 seconds for the distance. This time is a new ladies record and it will be very difficult to beat. A personal best time was also set by Colin Lyons who dipped under the 32 minutes barrier for the first time with a very good 31.58 run. Michael Roche and Paul Keating also set new marks with times of 31.24 and 35.17 respectively.

In the league standings, Philip Harty has reasserted himself at the top of Division One and he now leads

good for the title. The Minor placings now rest between Gerry Cantwell, James Moore and the 'come latelys' Michael Roche, Seamus Healy and Martin McCarthy.

Top eight - Division One  
 1. Philip Harty - 86 pts.; 2. Gerry Cantwell - 93 pts.; 3. James Moore - 99 pts.; 4. Michael Roche - 101 pts.; 5. Seamus Healy and Martin

McCarthy - 105 pts.; 7. Tony Harty - 106 pts.; 8. Dermot Dwyer - 110 pts.

Top eight - Division Two  
 1. Colin Lyons - 125 pts.; 2. Paul Keating - 133 pts.; 3. Tom Meehan - 135 pts.; 4. Tony Ryan - 138 pts.; 5. Stephen Curran - 142 pts.; 6. Michael Dwyer - 152 pts.; 7. Ger Wyley - 153 pts.; 8. Tommy Egan - 158 pts.

## B.L.O.E. AWARDS IN TRAMORE

The National B.L.O.E. Sports Awards for 1995 were presented by Brian O'Shea to the winning athlete from each county in Tramore last Saturday evening. Sponsored by Waterford Crystal, each athlete received a beautiful piece of crystal with the overall award being won by Galway field events athlete, Sean Breathnach. The Waterford winner was Jason Flynn of K.C.K. Athletic Club and he was a most worthy recipient for this county following a year of great success in 1995. The Munster Cross Country Secretary, John McGrath (Cappoquin/Ballinameela) was presented with the Bishop McFeeley Cup for the best province last year in juvenile competition.

# THIS WEEK'S FIXTURES

### SUNDAY, MARCH 3

All-Ireland 'B' Juvenile Cross Country in Adamstown, Wexford at 1.00 p.m.; National Senior and Junior Inter Clubs Cross Country in Santry; Mallow International Cross Country (including juvenile races) at Burnfort, Mallow at 1.00 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6TH

Munster Schools Indoor Championships at Nenagh.

# Walking In The Isle Of Man

At the International 20K walking event in Douglas in the Isle of Man last Sunday, Jamie Costin (U.C.D.) finished fourth Irishman and eighth overall in a time of 91 minutes and 01 second. The first Irish athlete home was Jimmy McDonald (D.C.H.) in 87 minutes 30 seconds. Another Irish competitor, Deirdre Gallagher (U.C.D.) qualified for the Atlanta Olympics with a time of 45 minutes and 12 seconds in the 10K race.

# KEPT FLAG FLYING

St. Declan's College, Kilmacthomas kept the Waterford flag flying at the Munster Nestle Schools Cross Country Championships in St. Augustine's College last Saturday week with a fine second placing in the Senior boys race against the top schools in Munster. The four scoring members of the Kilmacthomas team were: Eric Curran, Walter Galvin, Trevor Walsh and Brian Swaby. The Irish Championships will be held in Abbeyside on Saturday week, March 9th.



# RAY TREACY NAMED "AMERICAN COLLEGIATE COACH OF THE YEAR"

In typical Treacy modesty it has almost gone unnoticed that athletics coach at Providence College in America, Ray Treacy was named the N.C.A.A. Division One National "Coach of the Year" for 1995.

Ray Treacy achieved one of his life's ambitions when coaching Providence College to the colleges first ever National Collegiate team title in any sport when they won the Women's Cross Country title in Iowa last November. To win the title, Providence had to defeat six in a row winners and defending champions, Villanova. With five athletes to count, three of which were Irish, Providence scored a total of 88 points to decisively beat Colorado on 123 pts. and Villanova on 151 pts. The win certainly meant a lot to the Villierstown man and his assistant coach, the former Wexford runner, Andy Ronan as the college had been trying to win this title for the past six years.

Since taking over as coach at Providence College where he competed on scholarship as an athlete, Ray has established himself as a coach of note and this award is not only deserved but it will be well received by athletic followers throughout the country and in Waterford in particular.



★ RAY TREACY ★

## IRISH INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

# Waterford Athletes Win Four Titles And Set Two National Records

Jason Flynn (K.C.K. A.C.) came of age in Nenagh last weekend when he won the National Senior Shot Putt title with a fine throw of 14.84 metres. At just 18 years of age, this is a marvellous achievement for both Jason himself and his club.

Waterford A.C. athlete, Susan Smith set a new record of 8.44 seconds in the 60 metres hurdles which beat her own mark which she set in England as a 17 year old in 1989. On the previous day, John Hallissey reclaimed his pole vault record with a leap of 5.01 metres which made him the first Irishman to break the five metre barrier in an Irish indoor event. The County's fourth title was won by Miss Jacki Stokes (Ferrybank) in the long jump with a mark of 5.70 metres.

Derek Hayes (West Waterford) won two Irish Senior medals last weekend with a third in the high jump and a similar placing in the 60 metres hurdles behind Olympic hopefuls T.J. Kearns and Sean Cahill. This race was featured on the telly last Sunday night. John Hallissey secured his second medal of the championships with a third placing in the long jump.



★ JASON FLYNN ★

## BALLYRAFTER EQUESTRIAN CENTRE

# Beecher Brothers Clean Sweep

Sunday at the Ballyrafter Centre, Lismore, belonged to the Beecher family from Tallow when all three brothers swept the boards in the open competitions.

Stiff opposition came from all sides but the inform riders Tadhg, Paul and Mark met the challenge head on and it must be a record for all members of the same family to win every jump-off class on the same day.

Mark set the standard in the Decie Fuel 128 open with "Wigwam" going clear in 34.75 and the only one to come close was Natalie Quinlivan, Kanturk with "Leim Anois" in 36.08. Rebecca Veale, Cappoquin was again in the ribbons with "Lacken George" taking third.

Ten went through to the jump-off of the I.C.S. Building Society 138 open

and going half way Jenny Shorten, Cork with "Hazel Orchid" was first to set any real target with 41.03. This was short lived though when Paul with "Three For A Girl" who was bought at the Ballyrafter Pony Sale last September rode a superb round of 34.83 to take the lead. Next in Sarah-Kate Quinlivan gave it a good try with "Ambo" scoring 37.18 but Paul came in again with "Lismachyran Hill" and took second in 35.33.

The O'Callaghan Properties 148 B and C was again an all Beecher affair. Paul set a fast target here with "Lavalley Castle" clear in 34.69. Hazel O'Callaghan

went for a good clear with "Quarry Vale" in 41.14 which placed her third but just when Paul thought he had a double Tadhg going last on "Spirit Of Beline" was not going to be outdone by his younger brothers and foot to the floor got ahead by the narrowest margin 34.62 to claim his first win of the day.

He repeated this performance on "Ricochet" in the 148 Open. Sarah-Kate Quinlivan having her first ride on "Clover Riot" did not leave many doors open going clear in 36.33. Richie Moloney, Kilkenny, opted for a safer clear in the Grade B "Pixie Flight" which placed him fourth

and then Paul Beecher on "Loughnatusa Patches" got everyone going when a super fast round of 34.21 was just marred by the last pole down. Tadhg now knew what he had to do to win and gave "Ricochet" every opportunity to show his scope coming home clear in 34.64 to win again in great style. Lindsay Daly, Glanmire jumping last on "Shannon Stone" had a really determined effort and took second in 35.16.

The league are now half way through the qualifying rounds and next Saturday the first round of the Gain Horse Feed Open League for horses take place. Francis Connors heads the Kedrah Sport Horse AI Centre Grade E with "Kilcoltrim Queen" at the moment and Dian Beecher leads in the Newcomers League.



Pictured above are St. Declan's Community College, Kilmacthomas boys team winners of the Waterford senior schools cross country championship which was held recently. From left, Eric Curran, Brian Swaby, Walter Galvin, Trevor Walsh, John O'Leary and John O'Rourke. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

## ST. DECLAN'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### HOCKEY

On Thursday last in Ferrybank, St. Declan's played Presentation Convent, Wexford at both first year and minor level.

First Year — St. Declan's 5, Presentation Wexford 0 — The scoreline fairly reflects the dominance of St. Declan's in this game. They were sharper, fitter and more competitive, never allowing the opposition to settle.

Goals by Helena Coleman and Susan Cronin gave St. Declan's a 2-0 lead by half time. Niamh Barry opened St. Declan's account in the second half. Soon after, Helena Coleman scored her second goal. Louise Quinn, having her best game to date, concluded the scoring for St. Declan's ten minutes from

time. Next league game is against St. Leo's, Carlow.

St. Declan's — F. Brazil, M. Power, J. Hickey, V. O'Keeffe, A. Lawlor, N. Barry, C. Prendergast, A. Kelly, S. Cronin, H. Coleman, L. Quinn, E. Hearne.

Minors — St. Declan's 6, Presentation Wexford 0 — This St. Declan's team had their best game to date with a convincing win over Presentation Wexford. It was an impressive team performance, with team mates working very well for each other.

Goals by Tanya Kirwan, Noeleen Crowley, Joy Hearn and Laura Kelly gave St. Declan's a comfortable lead at half time. Presentation Wexford came more into the game in the second half but found St. Declan's defence

very capable of dealing with anything that came their way. St. Declan's added two more goals in the second half from Emer Casey and Noeleen Crowley. The next league game is against Loreto Convent, Wexford.

St. Declan's — L. Lannon, L. Cronin, T. Kirwan, E. O'Keeffe, N. Crowley, L. Kelly, L. Mulhearn, J. Hearne, E. Casey, E. Flynn, A. Wall, A. Kearns.

Junior Cup — FCJ Bunclody 1, St. Declan's 0 (AET) — St. Declan's were desperately unlucky to lose to 'A' Division side Bunclody in this Junior Cup game played at the Ursuline Convent, Waterford.

The Kilmac' side dominated the opening half but failed to capitalise on several good

scoring chances despite good approach play.

Bunclody took the initiative in the second half and it took good goalkeeping and defence by St. Declan's to force the game into extra time.

The game moved from end to end in extra time and chances were created on both sides before Bunclody snatched a winner to condemn St. Declan's to an undeserved defeat.

St. Declan's — A. M. Hearne, C. Morrissey, T. Kirwan, T. Fitzgerald, L. O'Brien, N. Crowley, K. Barry, L. Mulhearn, E. Casey, E. O'Keeffe, P. Ross, A. Power, M. Walsh.

### ATHLETICS

Well done to Aisling Weldon and Ciara Prendergast who have qualified as individual competitors in the Junior Girls All-Ireland Championships to be held at St. Augustine's.



## ABBEYSIDE/BALLINACOURTY G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

### PLAYING FIELDS

With the weather now drying up and with the ground/sod firming nicely it is anticipated that the grass at St. Augustine's Park will be trimmed before this weekend. The clubs grass cutting equipment has proved to be of enormous value over recent years — indeed this equipment and its sensible use has been responsible for the many compliments received with regard to the excellent condition of our playing surface.

Club officers Bernard Shields and Tony Treacy, treasurer, together with our excellent field staff have played a major role in the upkeep of our grounds and starting this weekend we can confidently look forward to a continuation of their high standard.

### UNDER-16 FOOTBALL

The under 16 footballers are busy preparing for this

year's championship under the guidance of team manager Johnny Burns. The first game will be against Ardmore at Abbeyside on Sunday next, March 3 at 11.30 a.m.

### COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Congratulations to St. Augustine's senior footballers who have qualified for the Munster final which will be played on Sunday next against Roscarbery venue to be decided. This team is captained by our own Laurence Hurney.

### MEMBERSHIP

Club membership cards for 1996 are now available from our membership officer Johnny Burns, Pinewood.

### LADIES FOOTBALL

A meeting for all interested in ladies football, players and non-players will be held at the clubhouse the Burgery on Saturday next, March 2 at 3 p.m.

## DUNGARVAN CRYSTAL SQUASH NOTES

### MENS COUNTY LEAGUE

Results to date: Crystal 14 Minnies 9; Middleton 1 Crystal 15; Youghal 4 Crystal 15; Minnies 10 Crystal 9; Crystal 15 Middleton 0.

As a result of these matches, a victory on Tuesday night over Youghal would mean automatic qualification by Crystal for the semi-final of this competition.

### A.I.B. TOURNAMENT

This tournament commenced last week with three preliminary matches. The entry was well up on last year and the standard of the teams was remarkably high.

Results to date - Preliminary Round G V A

O. O'Grady 3 V 0 D. Kelly; Tom Landy 0 V 3 J. Kelly (W.O.); John Keane 1 V 3 D. O'Dea; Liam Colender 2 V 3 A. O'Connor. No. 3 of Emmet Byrne and Paddy Cummins do not need to play so A advanced on 9-6 scoreline.

### J V F

Dave Power 2 V 3 Pat

## Nire Football Club News

Winning numbers: 7, 8, 13. Winners of £25 each — Mairead Hogan, Knockaun; Margaret Ryan, Knockalisheen, Aileen O'Mahoney, Aglish, Pat Walsh, Barnashinaune. Lucky ticket, Sean Grant, Clonmel. Next week's jackpot £500.

### SOCIAL NIGHT

Nire Football Club will hold a social night in Hidden Inn Roadhouse, Kilmahanan on this Saturday night. Admission £2. All are welcome. Music by The Webbers.

## Shamrocks G.A.A. Notes

### ANNUAL SOCIAL

We held our social last Saturday night at the Walter Raleigh Hotel, Youghal and it was a huge success with an attendance of 140. The meal supplied by Mary and Edmond Murphy and staff was enjoyed by all. James Tobin, Chairman presided and addressed the gathering as also did Paddy Walsh, Western Board Chairman and Fr. Mulcahy, Club President. Presentations were made to Billy O'Keeffe, Club Person Of The Year and also to three players who took part in various Munster finals during the past year, Eoin Murphy (minor hurling), Dan Casey and Liam Dalton (junior hurling). Also presented were the Western championship medals won by our inter hurlers and minor footballers in 1995.

Following the meal and the presentations a most enjoyable dance took place with music supplied by Cheers and continued to 2.30 a.m. It was voted one of the most successful socials for many years.

### DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

At the final draw of the current series held on last Sunday night we had one winner of £50 — Michael Morrissey, Knockanore.

At our social on Saturday night, we had a special draw for club members who were joined during the past year.

The winners were — £50 Joe and Ann Murray, Dunmoon; £30 each to Paul Allen, Ballymoat, Mrs. Murphy, Tallow Tyres and Eily O'Neill, Carrigeen. Also £50 promoters prize to Ann O'Keeffe.

Tickets and the brochures are now available from the promoters for the 1996 series and the first draw will take place on the last week in March. We would appeal to as many members as possible to rejoin, also new members.

Incidentally for the coming year in addition to the usual prizes there will be two weekly lottos £1,000 each Saturday and £250 on Thursday of every week.

### UNDER-16 'B' WESTERN FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

We travel to Ballyduff for the first round against Ballyduff this weekend.

## Kilgobinet G.A.A. Club

### DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

On Friday last, February 23 we hosted a very successful Deise Development Draw. A big thank you to all who attended, to all who provided and helped with the refreshments and especially to all the musicians and singers who gave of their free time to entertain on the night, and to Tom McGrath who provided the amplification for the night.

This new venture of entertainment after the draw went down a treat and added to the enjoyment of the night with everyone dancing and singing along. To top off a great night the club had two winners, one of which went away with the second prize of £1,500. Congratulations to Dermot, Brendan and Annette Kelleher, Knockpower who won the £1,500 and to Michael O'Brien, Bertie's Lounge, Dungarvan who won £50.

The club would like to thank all our promoters and supporters for their continued support with the Deise Development Draw. The new phase of the draw commences on March 29, tickets are now on sale and can be got from any committee member.

## Colligan Rockies & Emmets Hurling & Football Clubs

### BLACK AND AMBER LOTTO

Numbers drawn on Monday, February 26 were 4, 7, 16. There were two winners Mary Tobin, Ballymacmague, Dungarvan and James Coffey, Kilbrien.

Next week's jackpot £200. Next draw will take place on Mon., March 4.

## Waterford Team

The Waterford team to play Galway at the Fraher Field on Sunday next at 3 p.m. is as follows:

Ray Barry		
Ger Harris	Damien Byrne	Sean Cullinane
Tony Browne	Fergal Hartley	Tom Feeney
Johnnie Brenner Tom Fives		
Peter Queally	Jimmy Beresford	Michael Hickey
Billy O'Sullivan	Sean Daly	Paul Flynn

Subs. R. Whitty, K. McGrath, D. Shanahan, M. O'Sullivan, G. O'Shea, D. Ryan, P. Power, R. O'Sullivan, S. Frampton, R. McGrath, T. Cronin.

Both Sean Daly and Johnnie Brenner are carrying leg injuries but are selected in the hope that both will be fit to play.

## Waterford Minor Football Trial

The following players are requested to attend for a further trial on Saturday, March 2 at 11 a.m. in the Friary College. Eastern players, bus will leave Norris Corner at 9.45 a.m. Clubs should contact Tom O'Neill (051) 382617 to arrange collection along the way. Western clubs are asked to transport their players to the venue for 10.45 a.m.

Colin Keane, Nicky Thompson, Karl Power, James Hayes, David Brennan, Stephen Stacey (Abbeyside); Patrick Gallagher, Cathal Hennessy, Austin Flavin, Seamus Prendergast, Shane Dower (Ardmore); Stephen Curley, Jason Barry, James Murray (Tallow); J. J. Wall, Tom Power, Connie Power, Trevor Connolly, Paul Prendergast (Nire); Pat Fitzgerald, Ian Dunford (Naomh Brid).

Jimmy Sheehan, Alan Kinsella (Brickey Rangers); Cormac Murray, Tomas Kiely, Timothy Power (Gaeltacht); Glen Arrigan (Cappoquin); Darren Lyons, Jamie Burke, Mark Crotty (Dungarvan); Ed Beresford, Mark Power (Clashmore).

Gary Cullinane, Rory Walsh, Ronan McDonagh, Eddie Kirwan, Michael O'Connor, Colin Keogh, Tony Boland, James Cusack

(Gaultier); Brian Mansfield, Michael O'Connell, Sean Reid (St. Mollerans); Emmett Doherty, Pat Matthews, Mark O'Leary (Ballyduff/Butlerstown), Anthony Jacob (St. Saviours); Ciaran Keating (Kilrossanty).

Ken McGrath (Mount Sion); Eoin Murphy (Shamrocks); Francis Halpin, Victor O'Shea, Richard Kenny (Rathgormack); Brian Mooney (St. Mary's); Niall Curran, Trevor Curran (Stradbally); John Kennedy (Sacred Heart). Niall Sullivan (De La Salle); Martin Hickey, Stephen Kiely (Portlaw); Kevin Casey, Adrian Corcoran (Colligan/Kilgobinet); Niall Sullivan, Philip O'Leary (Tramore); Pat Donovan (St. Oliver's).

## Waterford G.A.A. Supporters Club

Anyone requiring further information can contact Declan Barron (024) 94335. Players on the St. Augustine's College team involved in Sunday's Munster final will not be asked to take any part in the trial, but will be welcome to attend if they wish.

Also any player who is currently injured will be expected to attend and as this will be one of the last chances before the final panel is chosen all players as asked to make a special effort to attend.

time for messing on Sunday. You are as good as the best if you get your act together. No dilly dallying, first time whipping, let the ball do the work, forwards whip on the ground. Thousands of your supporters will be at Fraher Field to keep roaring — come on Waterford — come on the Blues. Good luck lads.

Congratulations to Tony Browne who played with Munster in defeating Ulster on Sunday last and to Paul Flynn who was on the panel.

**MEMBERSHIP**  
In order to facilitate in-

## Answers To West Waterford Golf Club's KNOW YOUR GOLF

### QUESTIONS ON PAGE 30

1. David's Glen in Co. Wicklow
2. Yes
3. Young Tom Norris for winning three times in a row (1868, 1869, 1870).
4. At Lahinch Golf Club where the goats gather at the Clubhouse when the weather is set to turn nasty.
5. Lee Trevino.
6. Nick Faldo, who was 18 years when he won at Lytham in 1975.

### WATERFORD v. GALWAY

Fraher Field is the venue for this clash on Sunday next and what a clash it should turn out to be. Galway, after the demolition job they did on Offaly, will be all fired up to give us similar treatment but I am hoping and praying that Waterford will put a stop to their gallop. I am fully convinced that you can do it lads, you have trained hard in all conditions. I am sure Tony, Mick Gaffney and Ollie will have you ready for battle, there will be no

tending members, a number of committee and club members will be at Fraher Field on Sunday to whom you can pay you membership fee.

### TO ALL G.A.A. CLUBS

Contact will be made with all clubs in the near future for a membership fee of £10. Together we can play our part in the future of all county teams. United we can succeed. See you at the Fraher Field on Sunday.

Next meeting on Thursday, February 29 at 8 p.m. in Cloona Strand Hotel.



# Naomh Brid G.A.A. Notes

## GROUPINGS FOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

We have been seeded in the following groups for this championship:

Under-16 'B' Football — Brickeys, Ballyduff, Shamrocks.

Under-16 'B' Hurling — Kilrossanty, Ballyduff, Brickeys, Clashmore.

Under-12 'B' Football — Affane, Brickeys, Shamrocks.

Under-12 'B' Hurling — Brickeys, St. Olivers, Ballyduff.

Under-14 'A' Football — St. Olivers, Stradbally, Abbeyside.

Minor Football — Stradbally, Clashmore, Kilgobinet.

Under-21 'A' Football — Round one versus Kilrossanty. Winners play either Shamrocks or Stradbally.

Under-21 'A' Hurling — Round one versus either

Clashmore or Ballyduff. Winners play either Abbeyside or St. Olivers.

Under-14 'A' hurling (Scanlon Cup) round one versus Tallow. Winners play either Cappoquin or Fourmilewater. The under 16 football starts next weekend away to the Brickeys. The under 16 hurling is due to start on July 1. The under 12 hurling starts on May 5. The under 12 football and under 14 football begins in September. The first round of the Scanlon Cup is due to be played on April 20. In the minor football, there are four groups. The top team qualifies for the 'A' section while the runners-up qualify for the 'B' section. Both under 21 championships and the Scanlon Cup are knockout championships. This year the under 12 hurling is confined to ground hurling. You can pick and strike, but you cannot take the sliotar in your

hand. Soloing is also not allowed.

## UNDER-16 CHALLENGE

Last Saturday our under 16 footballers travelled to Leamybrien to play Kilrossanty in a challenge match. This year's team is very young but it was a good run out for them and it allowed the selectors to see the players play in various positions. We had two players playing their first match for the club. They were Seamus Fraher and Richie Meehan. The best performance by a Naomh Brid player on the day was from Sean Dempsey. The final score was Kilrossanty 2-13 Naomh Brid 1-6.

We are due to play the Brickeys next weekend at Bushy Park in the first round of the championship.

Team — Quentin Hickey, Mike Tobin, Aidan Dalton, Paul McCarthy (1-0), Brén-

dan O'Connell, Walter O'Grady, Adrian Lonergan, Paudie Denn (0-4), Sean Dempsey, John Ahearne, David Meaney (0-1), Patrick Coffey, Seamus Fraher, Patrick Organ (0-1), Richie Meehan.

## ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT

Tickets are now on sale for a fundraising night at Deckies Lounge on St. Patrick's night. Tickets are £2 each with a door prize of a lunch for two at the Park Hotel. Music is by Sea Breeze who are formerly known as the U-Kons.

## UNDER-10 HURLING

An indoor under 1-hurling tournament has been organised by the Games Development Committee at the Dungarvan Sports Complex for next month. Anybody interested in playing should come along to the Toura-neena Community Centre every Saturday at 3 o'clock for training.

# Brickey Rangers G.A.A. Notes

## SCÓR

We competed in the county final of the Adult Scór last week in Ballyduff. The following participated: Set dancing — Shane Hallahan and Mary McGrath, Jim McGrath and Carmel Power, Michael Hickey and Ann Wright, Vincent O'Brien and Siobhán Hennebry; Ballad group — Richie O'Gorman, Carmel Power, Ann Wright, John and Kathleen Keane; Instrumental music — Gerry Bulfin, Richie O'Gorman, Ann Wright and Tom Mur-

phy; Solo singing — Richie O'Gorman. Richie was our only successful candidate on the night and goes forward to the Munster semi-final in Millstreet next Saturday night. Best of luck, Richie.

## TRAINING

Training every Tuesday and Friday night. All players are asked to attend, especially the under-21s as they have the first match in mid-March.

## PROMOTERS

A promoters meeting will be held at the pavilion this Wednesday night. All are

asked to attend.

## SYMPATHY

The sympathy of the club goes to the wife, family, mother and sister of our dear friend Alo Curran. — PRO.

## ALO — A SAD FAREWELL

It's only now that our intermediate team has had its first training session for 1996 that the full impact of the news has finally sunk in; Alo Curran has gone to his eternal reward. When the news of his death filtered through to the Valley it was greeted with shock and dis-

belief. It was hard to accept that someone who was so physically active, so healthy, and so full of life, had died.

I remember two years ago when we went to Alo to ask him if he would consider coaching and training our intermediate team. He was very reluctant to take on the job and only did so having checked with his own beloved club first. He struck up an immediate rapport with the players. He had his own inimitable style of team management; he was a disciplinarian but he understood what makes people tick; he was a players' man in the sense that he had a way of getting the best out of each individual.

He came to the club as coach and trainer but he became more like one of our own. He was that kind of person; there were no half measures; he was either totally committed or not at all. Like all successful people he didn't allow negative thoughts to occupy his mind. In this way he always got the best out of those around him. He was a "doer" rather than a talker and the world is certainly the richer for his having been around.

His popularity among Brickey folk was very clearly seen at the removal of his remains from the funeral home. The guard of honour which the club provided from the home to Abbeyside bridge was as fine as ever seen at the funerals of any of the great Brickey footballing stalwarts.

The club offers its sincerest sympathy to Alo's wife Maria; his daughters Anne-Marie, Nicola, Tanya and Edel; his son Trevor; his mother Breda; his brothers Joe, Martin and Packer; his sister Theresa and to his extended family and to his very many friends. Suaimeas síoraí dá sprid uasal.

# St. Oliver's Ladies Football

## LOOKING BACK

With the 1996 Championship just around the corner, it is the perfect time to reflect back on St. Oliver's performance on the pitch in the past year. It's fair to say that 1995 started dismally for St. Oliver's with the Minor and U-16 teams recording early exits in their respective championships. The Minors went under to Abbeyside in the first round and as this was a knock-out competition, there was to be no second chance.

The U-14's however had a better time of it and following a play off victory, they were graded to play in the 'C' Championship. Two victories over Dungarvan and one over Abbeyside qualified them for the County Final, again against Abbeyside. First half points from Sarah O'Brien (2), Cairiona Power and Lisa Corkery had St. Oliver's well in touch at the break, trailing by a point by 1-2 to 0-4.

"The Saints" took control in the second half with Cairiona Power finding the net twice, while Sharon Walsh and Diane Pratt also

Oliver's 4-5 Abbeyside 1-4 which earned St. Oliver's their first ever County Title.

The St. Oliver's team was: Helen Cliffe, Caroline O'Brien, Karen Landers, Emma Donovan, Carol Guiry, Doireann Corr, Marie O'Donovan, Diane Pratt, Linda Schliebite, Sharon Walsh, Donna O'Flaherty, Cairiona Power, Patricia Fitzgerald, Sarah O'Brien, Martina Prendergast, Lisa Corkery, Ailish Clancy. Subs were: Catherine Osborne, Clodagh Corr, Jackie Tobin, Karen Twohig, Lorraine Kenafick and Olivia Carlton. Selectors were: Fr. Finbarr Lucey, Aine Davis and Ann O'Brien.

Following plenty of worthwhile action in the league, St. Oliver's juniors faced up to Abbeyside in a two-legged 'B' Championship County Final. In Abbeyside, "The Saints" won by 6-3 to 4-6 with Emma Barrett leading the scoring on four goals and a point. Also scoring on the day were Eleanor O'Brien and Lorraine Hickey on a goal each and Aine Davis on two points.

On October 14th, the second leg was played to a conclusion and with Abbeyside taking this second leg by three points (4-4 to 2-7), this

meant that the aggregate scores were level at 8-10 to 8-10. St. Oliver's needed a 56th minute bullet free-kick from Helena Scanlon to keep them in it. So an extra half hour was needed. Immediately after half time in extra time, Emma Barrett buried a strike to thrust the hosts ahead in Aglish. Abbeyside responded with a goal but Ann O'Brien was the player who goaled the vital score on the rebound after Cathy O'Mahony had hit the bar. When the numerous goals and points had all been totted up, St. Oliver's came out on top with an aggregate victory of 10-14 to 10-12, giving "The Saints" their first ever Junior Title.

The St. Oliver's panel for this title success was: Emer Hickey, Helena Power, Eleanor Osborne, Maire Kiely, Triona Tobin, Jennifer Landers, Helena Scanlon, Karen Landers, Diane Pratt, Mary Pratt, Cathy O'Mahony, Ann O'Brien, Aine Davis, Sharon Walsh, Eleanor O'Brien, Emma Barrett, Lorraine Hickey, Carol Guiry and Marie O'Donovan. Over this team were Pat Tobin and Michael O'Brien. So overall, 1995 was the club's most successful year yet and here's hoping for the same in 1996.

# Western Bord Na nOg Notes

## U-16 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP STARTS THIS WEEKEND

This weekend sees a complete round of under-16 football fixtures down for decision as Western Bord chairman John O'Brien, together with his fellow officers, forge ahead with their policy of decisive action with regard to championship structures and the all important matters of adequate games for our underage players.

This weekend's schedule has a total of sixteen clubs in action as the first strides for championship honours are taken.

The list of fixtures for Sunday, March 3 (all games commence strictly at 11.30 a.m.)—

Division 1 — Section A — Dungarvan v. Affane (ref. Roger Casey); Clashmore v. Nire (ref. Declan Barron). Section B — Abbeyside v. Ardmore (ref. Tony McCarthy); Kilrossanty v. St. Olivers (ref. Liam Carroll).

Division 2 — Section A — Stradbally v. An Gaeltacht (ref. Pat Moore); Kilgobinet v. Tallow (ref. Pat Walsh). Section B — Ballyduff v. Shamrocks (ref. Jimmy Kearney); Brickey Rangers v. Naomh Brid (ref. Bernard Dooley).

## FIELD MARKINGS

Clubs are reminded to ensure that the very high standards of last year are again adhered to in '96. Particular attention should be given to the matter of field markings, i.e. flag markers and line markings and goal nets. Referees are expected to note standard of grounds and facilities. During last year's campaign it was noted that the Western clubs consistently scored highly on the 1 to 10 marking scale. Let's keep up the good work.

## FIRST AID

As the playing season gets into full swing, perhaps it is no harm to consider how well we are equipped with regard to first-aid facilities at our games. This is an all important area and requires careful attention. Each club should ensure that it has at least one trained first aider at its games.

It is worthy of note that the Dungarvan Club has organised a first aid course for its members. Perhaps other clubs should consider doing something along these lines.

## I WONDER NOW?

What happens if an attacker carried the ball over the goal line? It's a free out of course!

What happens if a player hand passes the ball over the head of an opponent and goes on to catch the ball again before it touches the ground, opponent or goalpost/crossbar? It's a free of course!

What happens if the goalkeeper hops the ball twice within the small square? What do you think?

## REFEREES

All referees doing Bord Na nOg games are invited to a get-together under the auspices of Western Bord Na nOg at Lawlor's Hotel on this Thursday night at 8 p.m. Chairman John O'Brien tells me that he is very much looking forward to meeting all our referees who give such outstanding service each year. I think this meeting will be an enlightening experience for us all.

Bord Secretary, Eddie O'Shea tells me that he expects a full turnout of all our referees — just for an hour or so. Don't miss it, refs!

# Sliabh gCual St. Mary's G.A.A. Club Notes

## DEISE DRAW WINNERS

The club had three winners in the February draw on Friday night last. Congratulations to Fr. Frank Lloyd C.C., Mary Morrissey and Teresa Fitzpatrick.

The club would like to thank everybody who was a member for the past twelve months as the money raised through the draw is our main income for the year. We appeal for your continued support when the draw begins next month.

## JUNIOR FOOTBALL

At a recent Western Board meeting the junior footballers were put in the same group as the other senior teams with a junior team.



# ARDMORE G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

## DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The Déise Development Draw took place on Friday night last and was a great success with the large crowd enjoying the food and the music which as usual was first class. As this event was to thank all those who supported our club in the draw, a number of draws took place for our promoters, our supporters and finally a raffle for all those present on the night. The results are as follows: Promoters draw - £50: John Sullivan; £25: Mary Prendergast; £25: Denis Conway; Lunch for two: Joe O'Brien; Dinner Set: Pat Walsh; Kettle: Billy O'Mahoney; Teddy Bear: K. Gallagher. Members Draw - £50 or free 1996 draw ticket: Patricia O'Brien, Middleton; £25: Thomas O'Connell, Youghal; £25: Sean Leahy, Old Parish; Hair Dryer: John Whelan; £10: John Joe Conway; £10: Josephine Seward; £10: Tony Keane; £10: Myles Collender, Middleton; Box of chocolates: Trevor Donnelly, Middleton; Teddy Bear: Denis Murray; Doll: Mick Morrissey; Box of chocolates: Sarah O'Connell. Raffle winners on the night - Sandwich Maker: Mary O'Callaghan; Clock Radio: Kathleen Lewis, Youghal; CD Cabinet: Richie Mulcahy, Curragh; Cassette Cabinet: Katherine Fitzgerald, Ardmore; Box of biscuits: Declan and Anne-Marie

Barron; Jar of sweets: Clinton Hennessey; Cuddly Toy: Billy Harty.

A box of Roses chocolates went to Fiona Gallagher who was 21 on the night and we wish her a very happy birthday. Thanks to the staff and management of Paddy Macs and also to music man, Jim Lane who provided entertainment for everyone.

Winners in the final Déise Draw

The winners in the final Déise Draw were Michael Flynn, Kiely's Cross who won £50 and John Hennessey, College Road who won £100 (promoters prize) which brings our total for the season to 22 prizes altogether.

**New Déise Draw** — Tickets for the new Déise Draw are at present in the hands of the promoters who will be calling on our loyal supporters to once again give us their support which has been tremendous to date and which we hope will continue. It is vital to our club as we have plans for improvements which can only be carried out if the draw is successful. So we urge everyone in the Parish to support the draw and if you haven't been asked to join, then please contact any Committee member who will only be too happy to arrange your ticket.

### VOTES OF SYMPATHY

At our last club meeting, votes of sympathy were passed to the Butler family,

Youghal on the death of their son, Peter following an accident at work. Sympathy is also extended to the Curran family, Stradbally on the death of Alo who all of us in Ardmore knew very well as a great competitor on the field and a great friend and sportsman off the field. To his wife, daughters, son, mother, brothers and sister we extend our sincere sympathy. Ar dheis Dé go raibh siad.

### TRAINING BEGINS

All players are requested to attend our first official training session on this Friday night at 7.00 which will commence with a players meeting with new trainer, Peter Kirwan, which is to be followed by a light training session. The success or failure of our season is now in your own hands and if the effort from the players is forthcoming, then there is no reason why we cannot do well this season.

**Difficult Groups** — Following the Western Board meeting, we have been handed some very difficult groups and it will take a great effort to qualify from our own sections which are as follows:

**Intermediate Football** (Two groups - top two from each to qualify): Group 1: Ardmore, Ballinameela, Clashmore, Faha, Geraldines. Group 2: Briceys, Lismore, Ring, Shamrocks.

**Junior Hurling** (8 teams - 1 group) — Top two to semi-final, third and fourth to the quarter final spot.)

Ardmore, Ballinameela, Clashmore, Geraldines, Kilgobinet, Kilrossanty, Modeligo, Tourin.

**Junior Football** (Second string) — Winners and runners-up play winners and runners-up of senior second string group - 1 V 2 and 2 V 1.

Ardmore, Ballinameela, Briceys, Clashmore, Geraldines, Ring.

**Minor Football** (Four groups of four): Ardmore, Briceys, Lismore, Shamrocks.

**U-21 Hurling 'A'**: Clashmore/Ardmore V Ballyduff.

**U-21 Football**: Ardmore/Clashmore V Ballinacourty March 16th. This will be the first adult team in action and they certainly could not have got a harder start with Ballinacourty having won the Minor County title for the past two years.

### 1960 CELEBRATION VIDEOS

Paddy Foley informs me that there has been enormous demand for these videos so much so that the first batch were sold out in days. Paddy has now got a new supply and anyone who has not got a copy should contact Paddy immediately or if you want to order one also contact Paddy as he wishes to close the accounts

for the social so that a final figure can be obtained.

### I.N.T.O. MUNSTER COLLEGES FINAL

Congratulations to St. Augustine's College on reaching the 'B' Munster Colleges Final with a great victory over Abbey C.B.S. last week. Our own Kevin Flavin played his part with two excellent points while Seamus Prendergast also saw action in the second half with Austin Flavin and Shane Dower also members of the panel while Michael Supple and Cathal Hennessey are on the Friary 'B' team who have qualified to meet the Friary 'A' team in the Waterford Colleges Final. We wish Ger, Jimmy Moran every success as they try to bring a first title to the school and hope that the above mentioned players will play their part in achieving success.

### WELCOME HOME FROM HOSPITAL

We welcome home last year's U-12 captain, Billy Harty who had his appendix removed during the week. After a few week's rest, we hope to see this excellent young star back in action.

### JUVENILE AFFAIRS

Our U-16 footballers will be the first team into action when they take on Abbeyside on Sunday next in round one of this competition. This game takes place in Abbeyside at 11.30 a.m. and all support would be appreciated.

### MINOR HURLING TRIALS

Club players, Ciarán Foley and Seamus Prendergast were called for Minor Hurling Trials on Sunday last and we wish them every success as they attempt to get on the panel.

### ANOTHER AWARD FOR MARY

Our dual star, Mary O'Donnell received another award last week when she shared the Coláiste Eoin "Player of the Year" Award with Karl O'Keefe from Clashmore. This is richly deserved by Mary who is excellent at both hurling and football and who is on the Waterford Ladies Football teams and she is currently starring with the school basketball team. Well done, Mary and continued success for the future.

### U-10 HURLING

Saturday, March 9th is the date for the U-10 Blitz and our team will be chosen after training next Monday evening in the Hall at 7.30.

County U-12 Hurling Training

The following club players have been chosen to attend for special coaching in U-12 Hurling on Saturday next, March 2nd in Dungarvan at 2.00 p.m. They are: Stephen Conway, Michael Flavin, Niall O'Brien, Kevin O'Mahoney and Anthony Troy.

## MUNSTER COLLEGES SENIOR FOOTBALL SEMI FINAL

# Dramatic Win For St. Augustine's

ST. AUGUSTINE'S, DUNGARVAN 2-6 ABBEY C.B.S., TIPPERARY 0-11

St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan dramatically clinched a place in the Munster decider following a pulsating encounter at beautiful Goatenbridge on Wednesday, February 21.

Abbey C.B.S., backboned by four members of Tipperary's All Ireland minor final team, had led all the way to the 57th minute, when corner forward Ciaran Keating crashed home the all important goal.

The Tipperary boys dominated the opening quarter and led four points to one after 12 minutes. Friary forward Pat Nugent struck a tonic goal but the Abbey regrouped and led 0-7 to 1-1 at the break.

The second half was a heart stopping affair as the Friary boys tenaciously fought back. Many scoring opportunities were spurned including a 50th minute penalty, and Dungarvan supporters in the good sized crowd feared it would not

be their day. Gary Cullinane now operating at centre forward made a vital break through the middle and when his pass found Keating, the corner forward crashed it into the top corner. St. Augustine's dominated the remaining minutes and can now look forward to a first final appearance in six years.

St. Augustine's — M. Kiely (Abbeyside), V. O'Rourke (Clashmore), G. Cullinane (Gaultier), J. Organ (Abbeyside), S. Stacey (Abbeyside), B. Cliffe (Abbeyside), V. O'Shea (Clonea), D. Hayes (Abbeyside) (Capt.), E. Doherty (Butlerstown), I. Dunford (Naomh Brid), K. Flavin (Ardmore, 0-3), C. Keating (Kilrossanty, 1-2), P. Fitzgerald (Naomh Brid), P. Nugent (Newcastle, 1-1). Subs. — S. Prendergast (Ardmore), D. Lyons (Dungarvan), D. Brennan (Abbeyside).

# Fourmilewater Hurling Club

### INDOOR HURLING

During the last four months forty young lads turned up for training every Monday evening. It is great to see them showing such interest. Last Monday evening we started a league for the under 12 teams and the under 9 teams are playing on Wednesday evenings at 7.30 p.m. There are ten teams taking part, five under 12 and five under 9. On Saturday, March 9 an under 10 indoor hurling blitz will be held in Dungarvan Sports Centre. A panel of ten will be picked next week for this. We did very well in the under 11 blitz a few weeks ago.

Teams for the Indoor Hurling League are as follows: Waterford — Patrick Walsh (capt.), Thomas O'Gorman, Eamonn Wall, Derek Morrissey, P. J. Mulcahy. Clare — John O'Gorman (capt.), John A. Byrne, Michael Moore, Jamie Fenton, Jamie Condon. Offaly — Evan Morrissey (capt.), Michael Barker, Michael Walsh, Leonard English.

Wexford — Patrick Ryan (capt.), Pierce Byrne, Richard Fenton, Jamie Meehan.

Cork — Maurice O'Gorman (capt.), Derek McGrath, Michael O'Gorman, Oliver O'Gorman, Jamie Mulcahy.

Limerick — Desmond O'Rourke (capt.), Alan Shiels, Colm Ryan, Liam Long, David O'Gorman.

Kilkenny — David Barker (capt.), James Ryan, Rodger Boyle, Will Condon.

Galway — John Doocey (capt.), Kevin Shiels, Richard Brennan, Oliver Fletcher, Zain Mulcahy.

### BUCKLEY CUP

The Buckley Cup started last Saturday. Teams A and C won their games. Next Saturday team A v. C. and B v. D. at 3 o'clock sharp. Under-16, Under-14 and Under-12 training in the Mill Field next Sunday at 12 o'clock.

### MINI LOTTO

Jackpot £200. No winner. Numbers 6, 14, 17. Next week £300.

5 x £20 winners — Mary O'Grady, Lyre East, Biddy Ahern, Mapstown, Rodger McCarthy, Nire Road, Eileen Grant, St. Martin's Place, Pat Dalton, Eagle Hill.

## Player Profiles



Name: Kevin O'Mahoney; Address: 11 The Grove, Ardmore; Favourite Positions: Corner back (hurling) and centre forward (football); Favourite Players: Peter Queally (hurling) and Larry Tomkins (football); Favourite Pastimes: Playing sports; Favourite Others Sports: Soccer, basketball, indoor hurling and rugby; Favourite Food: Steak and chips; Favourite Music: Country; Likes: Fishing and darts; Dislikes: School tests; Achievements

To Date: U-12 football - 3 medals and 1 plaque and U-12 hurling - 1 plaque; Ambition: Kevin would like to be a carpenter.

Name: Lisa Hennessey; Address: 3 The Grove, Ardmore; Favourite Positions: Hurling (backs) and football (forwards); Favourite Player: hurling, Johnny Brenner, football Jason Sherlock; Favourite Pastimes: Dancing, Reading, Playing Music; Favourite Other Sports: Cycling, Swimming, Rollerblading; Favourite Music: Pop; Favourite Food: Pizza; Favourite Likes: Rollerblading; Dislikes: Homework; Ambition: Lisa would like to be a nurse or clothes designer.







Pictured at the Ballyduff G.A.A. Club Victory Social in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff were (front, left to right) — Paddy Joe Ryan (County Board Chairman), Dave Barry (Chairman Ballyduff G.A.A. Club), Pat Flynn (Joint Treasurer); standing — Anthony Walsh (Secretary Western G.A.A. Board), John Jackson (Club Secretary), P. Molumphy (Joint Treasurer), Bill McNamara (Club Vice-Chairman). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

# Dungarvan G.A.A. Notes

## JUVENILE MEETING

A meeting of the juvenile club will take place at the clubhouse on Tuesday, March 5, at 8 p.m.

## UNDER-16 FOOTBALL

The first round of the under-16 football championship takes place on Sunday when we are at home to Affane. The game is timed for 11.30 a.m. and we would like to see a big crowd of supporters present to cheer on the boys.

## DEISE DRAW

We had two winners of £50 each in the final draw on Friday last. Our winners were Frankie Wright (promoter Kieran Curran) and Pat Kenny (promoter Martin Sheehan).

On behalf of the club we would like to say a very sincere thank you to all who supported us last time round. It is a very costly business running a club of our size and without your help this would not be possible. Our club has been involved in major draws over over the last ten years. Year in, year out, the public of Dungarvan has never been found wanting when approached by us.

As a result we have one of the finest playing and club facilities in the country. A special word of thanks to the loyal Dungarvan supporters now living outside the "The Old Boro" who down the years have never forgotten their roots.

Anybody interested in taking part in the next draw please contact any member of the committee.

## YOUGHAL TOURNAMENT

The u-21 footballers played Kilrossanty last Sunday in the first round of the Youghal Club's tournament. Dungarvan are defending champions as they were tournament winners in 1995. Played in good underfoot

conditions both teams endeavoured to shake off the winter blues. Passes and movements often broke down but neither side could be faulted for effort.

In the first half Dungarvan had the better of the exchanges, but inaccurate shooting was often the end result. Kilrossanty, in a sweeping movement out of defence, ended with a goal and this added spice to the game. Dungarvan rallied with some points, leaving them in front 1-4 to 1-3 at half time.

After the resumption, play was even until a Kilrossanty goal put them into the lead. Dungarvan countered with a goal from a melee which seemed to give them the confidence to go on and win the match. Final score: Dungarvan 2-9, Kilrossanty 2-6.

An Foireann — Mark Cunningham, Brian Power, Michael McLoughlin, Darren Lyons, Trevor Galvin, Niall Considine, Michael Cummins, Trevor O'Mahoney, John Power, James Burke, Kieran Curran, Michael O'Sullivan, Conor Lannon, Michael Donnelly, Bert Ahearne.

The Dungarvan Club would like to thank Kilrossanty on agreeing to play the game at Pairc Dungarbhán and Robin Whelan for his refereeing.

## CONGRATS

From all in the club we extend congratulations to Jeff and Marie Allen on the recent birth of their baby son and also congratulations to Pat and Annette Geoghegan who recently celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary.

## LOTTO

The weekly lotto numbers drawn on Sunday were — 19, 3, 1. One winner: Tom Rossiter, c/o Capitol Cleaners, Dungarvan. Promoter: Maura Curran. Next week's jackpot: £100.

# CLASHMORE G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

## TRAINING

Training continues every Tuesday and Thursday night at 8 p.m. in the field and Friday night in Clonea Strand Hotel.

## DEISE DRAW

We would like to thank all the people who supported the draw last year. In appreciation a party night will be held in the Deise Bar on this Saturday night, March 2. Music by Ger and Dave. All are welcome. The 1996 draw starts soon and we look forward to your continued support over the coming year.

## U-21 FOOTBALL

The group team combination of Ardmore/Clashmore has been drawn against Ballinacourty in the first round of the championship. This game takes place on Saturday, March 16. This is a knockout championship.

## INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

We are grouped with Ardmore, Geraldines, Faha and Ballinameela, in this championship. Top two teams to qualify for semi-final, first round games in early May.

## JUNIOR HURLING

In junior hurling we are grouped with Ardmore, Ballinameela, Geraldines, Kilgobinet, Kilrossanty, Modeligo and Tourin. First games on weekend April 13/14/15.

## WESTERN BOARD MEETING

As an interested observer at last week's Western Board meeting, I must say how disappointed I was with some decisions of clubs and Board members. In a county so starved of inter-county success, how can we improve standards with some players playing only three or four meaningful games in a year. I refer of course to the intermediate football championship. In Group A, five teams, i.e.

four games; in Group B, four teams, i.e. three games. Taking the closed season into account, we are left with 44 weeks in which to play three or four games. It begs the question, where do we go from here? We need more games, more competitions, to improve our standards.

## JUVENILE G.A.A. CLUB

**Under-16 Football** — On last Saturday we played Brickey Rangers in Clashmore in a challenge game. On a day when conditions were perfect, the first half was pretty even. In the second half the physically stronger Clashmore team pulled away to record an easy victory.

Training on Wednesday and Friday nights at 7.30 p.m. sharp

First championship game on this Sunday v. Nire in Clashmore. Time of game will be announced at training during the week.

## MEGAVISION PARISH LEAGUE

On Sunday last in ideal weather conditions, we played out the final games of the Megavision sponsored Parish League. A huge crowd was in attendance as proceedings got under way at 2 p.m.

First game was third and fourth place play-off between Mary O'Rourke's team and Seamus Barron's team. What a close game this turned out to be and in the end Seamus's team won by 3 points. Final score: Seamus Barron's team 4-4, Mary O'Rourke's 3-4.

Best for the winners were S. Barron, Joe Collins, Vincent Daly and goalkeeper Mark McGrath who was outstanding. For the runners-up, Mary O'Rourke, Cormac Allen, Anna Beresford.

**Under-10 Final** — Yes folks, this was definitely match of the day between two very even

teams. The red and greens were led by Evelyn Trihy and the green and blacks by Colum O'Rourke. What a game we had here, score for score right up to the end.

With three minutes to go, Darragh Curran pointed for the green and blacks to put them one point ahead, but back came the red and greens to equalise per a Caoimhe O'Donnell point. Reiteoir Brendan Griffin then blew for full time.

It was now down to penalties where Evelyn Trihy's team came out on top 3-2. After such a wonderful game it's a pity we had to have a loser.

Scorers during the actual game were — Evelyn's Trihy's team: Cillian O'Keefe 2-0, Kevin Dunne 0-1, Stephen Mangan 0-1, Evelyn Trihy 0-3 and Caoimhe O'Donnell 0-1. Colum O'Rourke's team — Michelle Keogh 2-1, Kevin Murphy 1-0, Andrew Mulready 0-1 and Darragh Curran 0-1.

A feature of this game was the two adult managers, namely Mossie Curran and Pat Dalton, who appeared to be playing with the kids!

**Under-14 Final** — C. Coughlan v. P. Connery. What a game we had in this final. It was a close game right through until the final few minutes when the physical strength of C. Coughlan's team began to tell. Final score: C. Coughlan 5-7, P. Connery 4-2.

Best for the winners were Brian Guilly, Páidí O'Rourke, John Dee, Aileen Barron and C. Coughlan. Best for the gallant runners-up were Máiread O'Rourke, Jim Flavin, Jean Byrne, Cliona O'Keefe and Peter Coughlan, who was outstanding.

After the game Fr. O'Gorman presented the prizes to the winners and runners-up.

A special word of thanks to Brendan Griffin and Jim O'Rourke who refereed Sunday's games. Thanks also to Roger Hynes and Liam Collins who also helped out. Once again, thanks to Megavision (Prop. Michael Irwin), Mary Street, Dungarvan, for sponsoring the Parish League. The league was organised by Tim O'Keefe and Liam O'Donnell.

## U-12 AND U-14 FOOTBALL

Training starts up again on next Saturday. Time will be announced in the schools. —PRO, Liam O'Donnell.

# St. Olivers GAA Notes

## UNDER-16 FOOTBALLERS

Our under-16 footballers had a very useful challenge against Cappoquin in Cappoquin Sports Field on Sunday, February 25. We would like to thank Cappoquin for the game. On Sunday, March 3 we commence our under 16 football championship when we play Kilrossanty in Leamybrien at 11.30 a.m. The bus leaves at 10.15 a.m. Starting at Villierstown and going through the usual route from there.

## BEST WISHES

St. Olivers Club would like to wish Paudie Landers all the best in his transfer to the Cappoquin Club.

## DRAW WINNERS

We would like to extend congratulations to Tom Hennebray, Affane on his win of £50 in the last draw of 1995. We also congratulate Bernie McCarthy on her won of £50 from Geraldines Club. We hope that everyone will rejoin the draw for 1996.

# POKER CLASSICS

The Friends of Waterford Football are working extremely hard at the present time to ensure that a large number of people will qualify through the 'satellite games' for the grand final in the Park Hotel on bank holiday Monday, May 6. The first prize is a new car or cash and there are also prizes for the finalists on the day.

Some areas are working harder than others but pride of place must go to Ardmore where Kevin Gallagher has organised the playing of 14 tickets to date and he is still going strong on Wednesday nights in Paddy Mac's Pub, Ardmore.

The Deise Bar, Clashmore, is another area that is showing great interest, having played 7 finals so far and they continue with their games every Thursday night.

Junior Club Modeligo, Fourmilewater/Nire and Kilrossanty all have played a number of games. Eddie O'Halloran and Seamus Fitzgerald are operating successfully in the Dungarvan area and Brendan Tobin has done trojan work in Touraneena. Kay O'Connell in Bridie Dee's, Mary Street, Dungarvan, has ambitious plans between now and Easter.

In the east of the county Michael Clifford (Gaultier) and Michael Monaghan (Butlerstown) are ranging far and wide and have raised over £2,000 so far.

'Satellite games' this week will take place at the following venues with an entry fee of just £5 — Quills, The Pike, Feb. 29, 8.45 p.m.; Bridie Dee's, Thursday, Feb. 29, 8.45 p.m.; Bertie's Lounge, Friday, Mar. 1, 8.45 p.m.; Deckies Lounge, Modeligo, Friday, Mar. 1, 9.15 p.m.



## G.A.A. NOTES

## BY "COMMENTATOR"

## Round Six Of National Hurling League

# Waterford v. Galway At Fraher Field

## Huge Crowd Expected For Top Class Contest

Having hammered Offaly almost out-of-sight in their last game, Galway will come South on Sunday hell bent on taking the scalp of the team who gave them the runaround in the league quarter final at Thurles in April of last year.

Having failed to score in the first half they made their way back into the contest in the second half, but nevertheless went under on a final scoreline of 2-10 to 0-9.

It was described in the Connaught Tribune as a very humiliating experience, so without any doubt at all, retribution will be on their minds when they travel down here on Saturday night.

On Sunday last Galway, representing Connaught ran

Leinster very close in the Railway Cup semi final when our opponents of next Sunday bowed out of the race after losing in extra time.

Running a full Leinster team to level pegging after 60 minutes is a great achievement for a county fifteen and while they eventually lost on a 2-16 to 0-18 scoreline, their display was more than enough to serve as a warning (as if we needed one) to Waterford:

With players of the calibre

of Francis Forde, Liam Burke, Kevin Broderick, Michael Coleman, Ger McInerney, Joe Rabbitte, Ml. O'Donoghue, etc., they look to be a more powerful side than Waterford. In the last two Sundays they have proved well capable of shooting points over from difficult angles and this is where they can have us in trouble as scoring, from any angle is one of our weak points.

There is a lot at stake here for us as even if we fail to make it to the knockout stages, and a win over such a high profile side as Galway are at the moment, would give a much needed boost to the county.

Waterford have not named their team at the time of writing, but it is not likely to show much change from the team which defeated Kerry two weeks ago. In that game, played under awful conditions, Waterford selectors stuck with the selected team and played no substitutes. This must be an indication of their confidence

and will support our expectation that the lineout will be the same.

This will see Ray Barry in goal behind Ger Harris, Damien Byrne and Sean Cullinane. The half back line will see Tony Browne, Fergal Hartley and Tom Feeney being given a vote of confidence and the pair likely to hold the fort in the middle of the field will be Johnnie Brenner and Tom Fives. Peter Queally, Jimmy Beresford and Paul Flynn will man the half forward line and the inside line will have Billy O'Sullivan, Sean Daly and Michael Hickey.

Huge home support, which is confidently expected, should have a motivating effect on the spirit of the Waterford side and it will help to propel them into giving one of their best displays in the present league.

Hopefully this will happen, but my summing up of the game is that we will need to give our best display of the league and a little extra to have a chance of beating the Tribesmen, who must be installed as clear favourites, based on all the evidence of their respective performances through the competition so far.

## Help From Croke Park

The Chairman informed Monday night's meeting of the County Board that a sum of £100,000 had been loaned by Croke Park to help to ease the squeeze on the development fund. A grant of £20,000 was also received and these amounts will help reduce the pressure, but there is still a considerable amount of funding to be done to pay for the development programme.

The Chairman, and the others involved are to be congratulated in successfully negotiating this loan from headquarters.

## Presidential Election

The canvassing is getting quite warm and over the weekend further interest was added to the election when Munster Council Chairman, Noel Walsh announced that he is leaving his name in the ring with the other two people, Sean MacCaigie and Joe McDonnagh.

Noel Walsh said that in deciding to stand, he was influenced by the fact that no Munster man had been elected to the post for over 20 years.

# Munster Convention

With no elections taking place and very little of a controversial nature on the agenda, the annual provincial convention which was held at Ennis on Saturday last was a quiet affair.

Waterford as well as being represented by Jimmy O'Gorman and Tommy Hennessy, had chairman P. J. Ryan, Seamus Grant, Anthony Walsh, Tony Morrissey, Denis Hanrahan and John O'Leary present at the meeting.

### BREACHES OF DISCIPLINE

In one of the longest provincial secretary's report on record, Donie Nealon dealt with ever single aspect of the Association in the province and devoted a lot of space to the matter of indiscipline on the field of play in the championships. He referred in great detail to three such occasions and unfortunately Waterford and Tipperary were involved in two of these.

Writing about the Waterford and Tipperary under 21 football tie at Fraher Field, he said: "A disgraceful row broke out early in the second half in which fists and boots were used by a number of players in a most vicious fashion, resulting in three players being suspended, two for three months and the other for one month. Both counties were warned severely for the misbehaviour of their players."

The Munster Secretary castigated the Clare County Board for the behaviour of those managing their under 21 hurling team. When Tipperary could not see their way to postpone the under 21 final, Clare informed the Council that they might not be fielding at all. He described their conduct as an exercise in brinkmanship which kept the Council, the press and the public on tenterhooks until mid-day on Wednesday, before announcing, first on Clare F.M. that they would after all, be field for the final that same evening. However the matter did not end there because in what seemed to be a well planned, deliberate manoeuvre, they did not arrive in Thurles until seven minutes after the starting time of 7.30 p.m. and then did not field until 7.40 p.m. He went on to write that the Munster Council felt most embarrassed when the referee and the Tipperary team were kept waiting for 20 minutes on the field. Immediately after the full time whistle, Clare hastened off the field and did not wait for the chairman's address or the presentation of the cup. He said that the punishment did not fit the crime when a fine of only £100 was imposed.

The third and most serious breach of all for the profile of the Association was the event during the second half of the Tipperary versus Waterford first round S.H. game at Pairc Ui Caoimh when literally all hell broke loose in the worst and most disgraceful row seen in years at this level in the province. Hurleys and fists were used deliberately on both sides and there was complete disregard for each others safety and if ever the name of the Association was besmirched in the eyes of the public, this was it.

He said that when it was shown later on R.T.E. News and Sports Programmes, hurling lovers everywhere felt betrayed. A total of seven players, 4 from Waterford and 3 from Tipperary were summoned before the Council and serve compensations were imposed on a total of 4 players while both County Board were fined £500.

He referred to the use of video evidence and said he had never know the Council's Activities Committee to be so fair and so painstaking in dealing with such a serious matter.

### FINANCE

The Statement of Accounts showed that a massive £1,286,156 was taken in gate receipts in the province this year.

The Munster football final between Cork and Kerry accounted for £282,682 while the hurling final involving Clare and Limerick at Thurles brought in £359,447.

At Pairc Ui Caoimh the Tipperary/Limerick match brought in £182,296 and the Waterford v. Tipperary first round game had a gate of £78,651.

Dungarvan Fraher's Field was paid £1,424 in rent for Munster Council games played here last year. Also Waterford received a total of £18,800 for coaching (juvenile) expenses. In addition we got a sum of £1,780 for the purchase of juvenile hurleys.

The grants to major county grounds show a sum of £100,000 for Walsh Park and £5,000 for Fraher Field. The Convention Booklet contains a fine photograph of the new stand at Walsh Park.

The total amount, in grants, etc., given to the six counties of Munster to date amounts to a massive £4,152,985.

## Tom Ryan R.I.P.

The unexpected death of Tom Ryan, Ballymacarby came as a great shock to his legion of friends in the GAA during last week when news of his unexpected passing went round. Tom, a member of the Fourmilewater Club and former player, was one of the best known referees in the county in the late fifties, sixties and early seventies when he was ever on call to handle games including finals in all grades and in both codes. Like his clubmate Mick White, Tom was on duty practically every weekend during his years of service.

Like his many clansmen from the area, including his brother Kieran who is a former chairman of the County and Western Board, Tom was very deeply immersed in the GAA and was highly respected in whatever role he played for the club or county. We offer our very sincere sympathy to his wife and family. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

## Sceim Iomana na nOg

### PRIMARY SCHOOL COACHING

	9.30 - 12.30	1.00 - 3.00
Monday 4th	Currahaha	Newtown
Tuesday 5th	Touraneena	
Wednesday 6th	Ballymacarby	
Thursday 7th	Clashmore	Ballycurrane
Friday 8th	Scoil Garbhan	Old Parish

## FAS Schools Football Coaching Scheme

<b>Monday, 4th</b>	Kill, Clashmore, Ballycurrane, C of I Stradbally, CBS Tramore, St. Paul's.
<b>Tuesday 5th</b>	Fews, Newtown, Ballygunner, Coolnasmear, Kilbrien, Grange, Old Parish, Fenor, Dunhill, Kilrossanty, Stradbally.
<b>Wednesday 6th</b>	St. Stephen's, Abbeyside, Scoil Garbhan, Garranbane.
<b>Thursday 7th</b>	Touraneena, Knockmahon, Seafield, An Rinn, CBS Dungarvan.
<b>Friday March 8th</b>	Kilmac Convent, Kilmac Boys, Piltown, Ferybank, Holy Cross.



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

# WESTERN BOARD MEETING

Paddy Walsh, Chairman presided at last week's second meeting of the Divisional Board where the championship systems were decided upon.

## SYMPATHY

At the start of the meeting the Chairman, having paid a tribute to both Alo Curran and former Board referee, Tom Ryan called for a minutes silence and asked members to remember them in their prayers.

## FEILE NA GAEL

A letter from the County Féile Programme Committee requested that the Board take a full page advert in the games programme for the Féile. This was agreed.

## INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Before the important business of the meeting began, Nioclás MacCraith referred to the Intermediate hurling county champions and advised the delegates that both the Divisional Boards were losing revenue by agreeing to have the championship run on a county rather than a divisional basis. He gave figures to support the claim. He said both divisions had retained the Intermediate football championship and he saw no reason why the hurling should have been handed over to the County Board. Several delegates spoke in support. John Lyons, Tallow said that his club had donated the Ray O'Brien Cup and this was presently being awarded to the winners of the divisional championship as it was being structured but they would much prefer to have it played for in the proper championship. This could be done if the divisions each ran the Intermediate championship. It was unanimously agreed to make a submission to the County Board to have this done.

## CHAMPIONSHIP FORMAT

A proposition by Nicky Donovan on behalf of Modeligo that the Junior Championships should be run on a knock-out system was given practically no support. He said the present league systems are responsible for the alarming decline in standards of Junior hurling and football. Supporting his case, he said that in the league matches, players give no more than 70% of their best. Michael Shalloe said the G.A.A. are properly catering for all their players. With some of the structures a team will get only three or four matches and after this, they are idle for the remainder of the year.

This was probably the most argumentative meeting

of the Board for a very long time. The recommendations of the Officer Board were challenged in almost every instance and all the way delegates argued against the proposals made from the floor, with the result that no one seemed to be in agreement with all that was before the meeting.

Greg Fives said the right system would be a league/knock out system, but very few agreed with this either.

Noel Fleming, Paddy Barry, Michael Cass, Micheal O Toibín, James Tobin, John Lyons, Pat Veale, Peter Scanlon, John Jackson, Tom Duggan etc. were among those who contributed to the long discussions on championship format. When a proposal was made, the clubs should vote only on matters relating to the championship in which their club was involved, agreement was not reached on this point either but judging by the number who voted on all the issues, a good number must have agreed with the idea.

## INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

A total of nine clubs entered for this championship which at the moment is the Board's most prestigious competition. The Board recommended two groups. Nioclás MacCraith proposed one group and James Tobin strongly opposed and pointed out that players from U-16 were playing in this grade in some instances and players who played Intermediate were also required to play in the other grades in hurling and football as well. The Board's recommendations were passed on a vote of nine to seven. The groups were then drawn as follows: Group A - Ardmore, Ballinameela, Clashmore, Faha, Geraldines. Group B - Brickeys, Lismore, Ring, Shamrocks.

## JUNIOR HURLING

Eight clubs entered and the Board officers recommended one group. Peter Scanlon opposed and made a strong case to have two groups. He said that for clubs with a small panel of players and who are engaged in both hurling and football, having one large group would pose problems. Other speakers agreed with this point but again on a vote, the Board recommendations were carried on a nine votes to seven majority. Here it was agreed that the two top teams will go to the semi-final and will be seeded. The third and fourth teams will go to the quarter-finals. The teams are: Ardmore, Ballinameela, Clashmore, Geraldines, Kilgobinet, Kilrossanty, Modeligo and Tourin.

## SECOND STRINGS JUNIOR HURLING

Two groups were agreed as follows (after a draw): Group A - Caislean Cuanach, Lismore, Ring, Tallow. Group B - Abbeyside, Ballyduff, Cappoquin, Dungarvan. The top two teams in each of the above sections will qualify.

## JUNIOR HURLING 'B' CHAMPIONSHIP

Quite a long time was devoted to this one and apart from the Board officers, there was little agreement with what was proposed. Four teams had entered and the proposal was that two rounds (double) be played on a home and away basis. Both Tom Duggan and Noel Fleming opposed the double round idea. Micheal O Toibín was in favour as this was the only way of promoting hurling among the weaker clubs. After a debate the home and away aspect was rejected and on a vote of nine to four, the double round was carried. The teams are: Glen Rovers, Sean Phobal, Brickey Rangers and Abbeyside. The top two teams will play in a final.

## JUNIOR FOOTBALL

Six clubs entered for the 'A' section and after a proposal by Nicky Donovan that it be a knock out championship was defeated, the Board's recommendation was approved on an eight votes to three division. The teams are: Sean Phobal, Kilgobinet, Emmetts, Modeligo, Tallow, Ballyduff. The top two teams will go to the semi-final and the third team to the quarter-final.

## JUNIOR FOOTBALL SECOND STRINGS

A total of thirteen teams entered and it was decided to play it in two groups with teams from the Senior clubs in one section and Intermediate second strings in the other. The winners of the Intermediate section will play the runners-up of the Senior section and the runners-up in 'A' will play the winners of 'B'. The ultimate winners will meet the winners of the 'B' championship in a quarter-final.

Group 'A' (Intermediate): Brickey Rangers, Ring, Clashmore, Geraldines, Ardmore, Ballinameela.

Group 'B' (Senior): Stradbally, Kilrossanty, Ballinacourty, Dungarvan, Nire, Affane, Sliabh gCua.

Junior 'B' Football Championship: Seven teams entered and the Board recommended one group. Pat Veale, Ballysaggart proposed two sections but did not get a seconder. The one group will be Eire Og, Ballinwillin, Melleray Rovers, Stradbally 'B', Ballinacourty 'B', Nire 'B' and Ballysaggart. The

two top teams will play in a final and the winners will meet the winners of the second string group in the quarter-final of the championship proper.

## MINOR HURLING

A total of fourteen teams are entered. The Board recommendations were that all fourteen teams play in four sections with the teams graded 'A' to be seeded. The winners of each of the four sections to play in the Minor 'A' Championship on a knock out basis. The runners-up in the four sections to form the quarter-finalists in the 'B' grade championship etc.

The matter of the 'B' championship having to be decided on by the County Board (fifteen or thirteen aside), would need to be done before a draw could be made. After further discussion it was decided to defer further consideration of this championship to a later meeting. The Officer Board to meet in the meantime to re-examine the gradings.

## MINOR FOOTBALL

Fifteen teams entered. The clubs were graded to have Ardmore, Abbeyside, Dungarvan and Stradbally in the 'A' championship. Then all fifteen teams will play in one championship with the 'A' teams seeded and meeting the 'B' teams in a league system. The top four at the end of this will play the 'A' championship and the remainder will constitute the 'B' championship.

Section A: Clashmore, Kilgobinet, Naomh Bríd, Stradbally; Section B: Ardmore, Brickey Rangers, Lismore, Shamrocks; Section C: Abbeyside, Affane, Nire, St. Oliver's; Section D: An Gaeltacht, Dungarvan, Kilrossanty.

## U-21 FOOTBALL

Fourteen teams entered and when it was announced that some of these were group teams, Nioclás MacCraith insisted that the general rule in relation to the proper naming of group teams, be adhered to. The rule, he said specified that group teams could not be named after an existing adult club. After an amount of acrimonious debate, it was decided that clubs involved with group teams would have their affiliations rectified before being submitted to the County Board for approval.

When a proposition was asked for to have the grouping accepted, Brendan Tobin, Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's described them as a total and absolute disgrace. Tom Byrne, Ballinameela said that the players' only interest in U-21 and other grades was the playing of

matches and he said that for the most part, players knew nothing about the hankering that went on at Board level. The eight teams in the 'A' championship were drawn as follows (knock out): Naomh Bríd V Kilrossanty; Ballinacourty V Ardmore; Stradbally V Shamrock's; Nire V Dungarvan.

## U-21 'B' FOOTBALL

Six teams (Brickeys V Gaeltacht; St. Oliver's V Affane; Ballyduff and Kilgobinet) received a bye. The winner of this first game (above) will play Ballyduff and Kilgobinet will play the winner of the other in the semi-finals.

## U-21 HURLING

Clashmore V Ballyduff, the winners will play Naomh Bríd. Dungarvan V Lismore; Tallow V Fourmilewater; Abbeyside V St. Oliver's; knock out championship.

## U-21 HURLING 'B'

Four teams drawn as follows: Colligan V Gaeltacht; Stradbally V Cappoquin; winners will meet in final.

## DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

When this sub committee came up for election, Kilrossanty submitted that the Board had no right to elect such a committee because of the restructuring which took place at County Board level last year. The Chairman said that nothing had changed at Divisional level and only a special convention could bring about the kind of changes referred to. The following are the members of the new five man committee: Tom Drummy, Eire Og; Eddie Cunningham, Tallow; Tomás O Cadhla, An Rinn; Tom Browne, Ballinameela; Micheal O Toibín, Sean Phobal.

## Players of the Future



**DUNGARVAN C.B.S. SECONDARY SCHOOL** — Walter O'Grady and Martin O'Brien in training for the Rice Cup u-14 Competition under trainer Pat Collins at C.B.S. field. Both boys are making very good strides since moving from Modeligo and Villierstown National Schools where they learned the basics.

**Knockanore N.S., Jody O'Neill, 10 Years, 4th Class** — No relation to a famous Tyrone footballer of the same name, but a very active and athletic boy who loves hurling. Tall for his age and an excellent striker of the ball. Starred in match in the school field on last coaching visit. His father Joe played for the Shamrocks and Jody hopes to follow in his footsteps. Favourite player is Dan Casey of Shamrocks and Waterford.

**Stradbally Boys N.S., Alan Kiely, 13 Years, 6th Class** — Alan attends Stradbally School. He lives on the Kilrossanty/Stradbally border and plays underage for Kilrossanty. Very big for his age and a very good striker of the ball. Has potential to be a useful hurler. Favourite player D. J. Carey.

## SCHOOLS HURLING LEAGUE

The Stradbally school league has just two series of games to play at this stage. Six teams are taking part with captains Patrick Casey, Thomas McGrath, Charlie McKeon, Stephen Power, Micheal Keane and Alan Kiely, responsible for teams, scores, league charts, etc. Each team plays each other twice, giving every team ten games in the league section. The semi-finals and a final gives the winning team twelve games. Both teachers, Mrs. Mulhearn and Priomh Oide Mr. Tom Murphy are certainly doing their bit to promote hurling over many years where many a good Stradbally hurler learned the basics.



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Three of Dublin's main traditional clubs, Brooks Academy, Na Piobairí Uileann and the Goleen Singers will bring over 100 members. The weekend, which is sponsored by three local publicans — Murrays of Helvick, Tigh an Cheoil, Mooneys, and Carling, commences on Friday night with a variety of sessions in the three pubs.

On Friday night the singers sessions will be in Mooneys small bar and Brendan Begley and friends will play for the set-dancers in the main bar. The pipers Tionóil is in Murrays, where there will also be a second session with

musicians from Cork, Clare and Kilkenny. In Tigh An Cheoil, a special Céilí House tribute to Bobby Gardiner will be recorded by Kieran Hanrahan for RTE 1, commencing at 9 p.m.

A special part of this weekend has been the inclusion of sean-nós singers and dancers from Connemara. John agus Coflín, Seán Darach Seóige from Rosmuc are making their first cúairt to An Rinn. Táimfid ag siúl go mór leó. All in all a mighty weekend is assured. See advert for details.

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