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Local Petrol Dealers Respond To Councillor's Price Appeal

Petrol dealers in Dungarvan have responded this week to statements made recently in the public domain by member of Dungarvan UDC Lar Hart regarding the price of petrol in the town.

Cllr. Hart made an appeal to all local garages last week to rethink their prices and claimed that cheaper petrol prices outside the town are enticing local shoppers to travel elsewhere.

John Foley of Kilrush Service Station, Dungarvan told the 'Leader' that as a politician, Lar Hart should be directing his energy towards lobbying the Government to reduce VAT on petrol rather than targeting

BY AISLING CONROY

petrol dealers and then everybody would be a winner.

He said petrol dealers have to struggle to maintain jobs in a very low gross profit industry.

Likewise David Dickenson of Dungarvan Nissan and Statoil on the Youghal

Road explained to the 'Leader' that the profit on a standard priced gallon of unleaded petrol is only 20p where the price charged by a garage is £2.71 per gallon. Statoil however have a price promise which says that they will match the lowest price in their area, which in the case of Dungarvan, is £2.58 locally.

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Polling Station Closed In Nire Valley

Over 200 registered voters in the Nire Valley were forced to vote at the polling booth in St. Patrick's Hall,

Ballymacarbry during last Friday's referenda on Northern Ireland and the Amsterdam Treaty.

According to Waterford County Councillor Oliver Coffey, 208 Nire based vot-

ers who normally vote at the old school house in the Nire, were only informed of the sudden change in venue 3 or 4 days in advance by way of their polling card. Some voters

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Siobhan Collins, daughter of Joe and Agnes Collins, Spring Duke, Dungarvan who was conferred with a Higher Degree in Nursing at Sterling University, Scotland recently.

Two Co. Waterford Beaches Fail Environmental Tests

European coastal bathing waters hardly improved in quality between 1996 and 1997, according to a new EU report. In the case of Ireland 96.5% of coastal waters sampled met the minimum standards (95.7% in 1996) but the percentage of 'good' coastal waters fell from 89.6% in '96 to 83.5%. Two of the four Irish coastal areas which failed the strict standards set under EU legislation were located in Co. Waterford, namely Ardmore and the main strand at Dunmore East.

Sites that are sampled are those traditionally used by a large number of bathers. Water samples are taken every two weeks between mid May and the end of August. If and when a deterioration in the quality of water is identified, monitoring is increased.

Waterford County Council is responsible for the sampling of water at bathing sites throughout the county. They are also required to carry out periodic investigations to determine whether there is any, and if so, the volume, nature and effect of possible polluting discharge at the bathing areas.

Brideview United Welcomes Mick McCarthy To Tallow



Picture shows Brideview United Chairman, Milo Ahearn presenting Irish soccer boss Mick McCarthy with a Waterford Crystal bowl in honour of his visit to the club.

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Answer — The Student Summer Job Scheme applies to Students in third level colleges and to Post Leaving Certificate courses of more than one year's duration. You must have at least one year to go on your current course, you must be over 18 and satisfy a means test. The means test looks at your income and that of your parents. It is the same as that for Unemployment Assistance.

If you qualify for the scheme you will be issued with a job certificate which you must give to the sponsor i.e. the Community Council.

The rate of pay for students is £3 an hour up to a maximum of £600 over the 12 weeks. The payment is not subject to income tax or PRSI.

You should contact your local Social Welfare Office for an information leaflet and application form or your college may have them. It is important to get the application form in as soon as possible in order to ensure you have a job certificate by 1 June.

It is equally important that groups intending to act as sponsors have their application in as soon as possible.

(This column has been compiled by the Dungarvan Community Information Centre which provides a free and confidential service to the Citizen at the Courthouse, Dungarvan. Opening Hours: Tues. 11 to 1 p.m. Wed. 7 to 9 p.m. Fri. 11 to 1 p.m. Sat. 11 to 1 p.m. Telephone (058) 44633.)

National Safety Council Issues Warning as Ireland Takes To The Water

As the current wave of good weather ushers in what we all hope will be a summer of sustained sunshine, the National Safety Council has issued a warning to take care when engaging in water-based activities.

Pat Costello, Chief Executive, National Safety Council, elaborates: 'Our coastline is an invaluable recreational resource for our young people, most especially in summertime. Unfortunately, as we have seen in recent days, it is also a resource which can claim lives. Last year some 60 people, many of them children, were the victims of accidental drowning, accidental, but avoidable.'

'Our message to beachgoers this summer is 'be responsible.' By showing a basic respect for the sea and adhering to the following

guidelines, we can ensure that only the weather can spoil the fun this summer.'

Know the location and if not ask locally about possible hazards

Pay attention to signs near water warning of specific dangers

Never swim immediately after consuming food or alcohol

Never swim alone

Swim within your depth and parallel to the shore

Do not swim out after any drifting object

Small children are especially vulnerable - never let them out of your sight

Pat Costello continues: 'We appeal to all to take heed of this message, this weekend and for the rest of the summer. DO NOT take chances and we will all enjoy ourselves.'

Leader Crossword Solutions

SIMPLEX SOLUTIONS
ACROSS: 1 Pittance; 5 Ordeal; 9 Eventful; 10 Asking; 12 Tolerable; 13 Stool; 14 Affect; 17 Adult; 20 Their; 21 Carats; 24 Cheat; 25 Plentiful; 28 Polish; 29 Modified; 30 Tidies; 31 Persuade. **DOWN:** 1 Pretty; 2 Treble; 3 Alter; 4 Crumb; 6 Resistant; 7 Epilogue; 8 Legality; 11 Better; 15 Foretaste; 16 Escape; 18 Stockpot; 19 Revealed; 22 Africa; 23 Pledge; 26 Erode; 27 Tails.

QUICK SOLUTIONS
ACROSS: 1 Sedative; 5 Divots; 9 Roulette; 10 Screen; 12 Bilateral; 13 Enact; 14 Sorted; 17 Exert; 20 Route; 21 Resite; 24 Saver; 25 Artichoke; 28 Divide; 29 Powerful; 30 Duress; 31 Shipment. **DOWN:** 1 Scribe; 2 Double; 3 Treat; 4 Voter; 6 Increment; 7 Operates; 8 Sanctity; 11 Blades; 15 Overrides; 16 Thread; 18 Presided; 19 Survivor; 22 Coffee; 23 Zealot; 26 Tooth; 27 Cheap



"Naionra Nua" opens its doors to local community children in Kilmacthomas. Pictured with Riverdance star Gillian Norris at the opening were the happy children with stiúrthóirí, Mary Byrne, Geraldine McAneary and Claire Norris. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Annual Visit Of Chernobyl Children

Twelve years after the world's worst nuclear disaster, the Irish Charity Chernobyl Children's Project has broken all records by bringing a total of 4,000 children from Belarus and Western Russia to project centres in Ireland in 1997. I'm sure in 1998 the number will be greater still.

On June 29th there will be thirteen children arriving in

Dungarvan. These children will be staying with host families in Dungarvan and surrounding areas. I must congratulate these host families who in the past few years have continued to open their hearts and homes to children who have been

affected by the world's worst nuclear disaster at Chernobyl. A month spent in Ireland's clean, uncontaminated environment, with access to fresh air, food and vitamins, will build up the children's damaged immune systems to such a degree

that their own doctors believe the equivalent of two precious years of life are restored to them on their return.

Kathleen Lynch, the local organiser of this annual event, outlined the various activities planned for the children including tours and outings and would appreciate any assistance financially in making all this happen.

CAPPOQUIN'S ANTI-LITTER CAMPAIGN



The members of the Tidy Team took an active part in the recent major clean up organized by the Cappoquin Tidy Towns Committee in co-operation with Cappoquin Community Development Company. The team

with a thorough clean up the town's streets after which they were hospitably entertained by Esther and Joe in the Saddlers Coffee Shop. This was very much appreciated by the team members. Tidy Team Leader Tom Hackett says that regardless of

the marks of An Taisce's anti litter survey, the team is determined to make Cappoquin the cleanest town in the county and having done so they intend to keep it that way. We wish them every success in their efforts. Congratulations also to the

Convent of Mercy Primary School on receiving another Environmental Award for their Green Way Project. We would like to say well done to both teachers and pupils. Photo shows the Tidy Team in action around Cappoquin

Local Petrol Dealers Respond To Councillor's Price Appeal

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Out of this reduced gross profit of less than 20p per gallon, the garage has to pay overhead costs such as wages, rent, electricity, marketing and bank charges etc.

Mr. Dickenson continued that garages in places like Waterford can afford to engage in price wars and survive on reduced profit margins as their turnover, or the amount of petrol they sell, is much greater than in smaller towns while others can sell imported fuel.

Travelling recently through Youghal and Cork,

Mr. Dickenson said all the garages in the areas he passed were charging the proper price of £2.71 per gallon of unleaded petrol, making a 20p gross profit.

In addition to matching the cheapest petrol price in a particular area, Statoil also operate a premium club card for customers, operating on the same concept as a Dunnes Stores or Tesco clubcard which means customers can save up points each time they shop at a Statoil outlet and take it off their petrol.

Quote to come from Service Station Retail Federation.

Fleadh Ceoil Na nDeise

Fleadh Ceoil na nDeise will take place this weekend, May 30th and 31st in Aghlish. Official opening on Saturday at 8.15 pm followed by set competitions at 8.30 which includes Under 12, 15, and 18 mixed, also under 16 and senior ladies. This will be followed by Ceili, music will be by the ever popular Matty Fahey Band. Ceili will commence at 11 pm until 1 am, so for a full night of entertainment, Community Hall, Aghlish is the place to be next Saturday night.

On Sunday the Fleadh Mass will be at 11 am in Aghlish Church. Competitions will start at 1.30 pm in the school where you will be able to listen to all sorts of musical instruments plus English and Irish singing. So, if you are looking for a Sunday afternoon full of music, song and craic the school in Aghlish is the place to be.



Mary Colbert-Tilley, younger daughter of the late Michael and Annette Whelan, 54 Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan who was conferred with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Health Studies and Community Care at Luton University.

Scoil Mhuire Playgroup, Abbeyside

Shame on you grown ups! We the children of

Scoil Mhuire Playgroup, Abbeyside are sad and angry.

During the fine weather we went to play on Abbey-side Strand. We were very sad and disappointed to see lots of cans, bottles, glass, dogs poo, all over this lovely strand. We had to clean up, tidy up a space for us to play on. We searched and searched for a bin to put the rubbish in, there was no bin.

You grown ups need to clean up your act, its not us children littering the strand. Please do something to make this strand safe to play on and swim in. We have no play area neither green nor sand. Remember on you we depend. Our future is in your hands, make it good.

From Darrah, Michelle, Adam, Clodagh, James, Ciara, Josh, Cillian, Ashley, Josh, Shaun, Eimean, Leann, Katie, Kirsty, Shelby.

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Polling Station Closed In Nire Valley

in the area, he said, had to travel over 7 miles to the Ballymac' station to vote.

Cllr. Coffey added that he will be raising the matter at the next meeting of the Council where he will request a report as to why the long standing Nire Valley polling station was closed.

In the interim the 'Leader' has learned that the Nire polling station was in fact deemed inadequate by Returning Officer Niall Rooney as the building did not have any public toilets.

Speaking to the 'Leader' yesterday, Mr. Rooney made no apologies about his decision stating that the presiding officer and staff at the polling booth would have to stay at their posts

for 14 hours without the use of public conveniences - "a basic humane right". He claimed that some time ago, Waterford County Council demolished the toilets attached to the building which made it "totally unacceptable" for use as a polling station for both the staff and the public using it.

In light of these circumstances, Mr. Rooney referred to Section 94 of the 1992 Electoral Act which gave him the authority to relocate the polling booth to any other convenient place. The nearest convenient location in this case was the hall in Ballymacar-bry village. He is not allowed by law to use private houses as a polling centre.

While stating that it was unfortunate that people had to drive a bit further, Mr. Rooney said if people want to vote they will vote. He reported no particular drop off in the numbers from the Nire who voted last Friday.

Overall in the Waterford constituency there was a turnout of 54.2%. In the Amsterdam referendum, 60% of people voted for the treaty and 40% voted against. Reflecting the national trend in the referendum on the North, a massive 94.3% (35,282) people in the county voted yes to the Northern Treaty with only 5.7% (2,140) voting against. The percentage of spoiled votes in Waterford was 1.1%

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Signed: Mr. P. Carey, County Secretary,
Arus Brugha, Dungarvan

21st May, 1998

Florence Nightingale - The Mother Of Modern Nursing

FLORENCE Nightingale, the mother of modern nursing, was known as "The Lady with the Lamp".

She earned her nickname during the Crimean war when she cared for the wounded British soldiers in the hospital at Scutari on the banks of the Bosphorus in Turkey.

Every night she toured the wards bringing comfort to the wounded and dying, carrying an oil lamp as she went.

Florence Nightingale was born into a wealthy family and her parents were opposed to her idea of becoming a nurse. But she was determined.

She trained at a hospital in Germany and later with the Sisters of Mercy in Paris.

She took up a post in charge of a hospital for ladies in London and when the Crimean War broke out in 1854 she led a party of nurses and nuns to the Crimea to look after the soldiers.

After the war she set up a training school for nurses at St Thomas's Hospital in London.

She was 90-years-old when she died in 1910.

Florence Nightingale was named Florence because she was born in the city of Florence in Italy in 1820.

In those days it was a very unusual name for girls - but once she became famous thousands of little girls were named Florence after her and it became one of the most popular girls' names in the English language.



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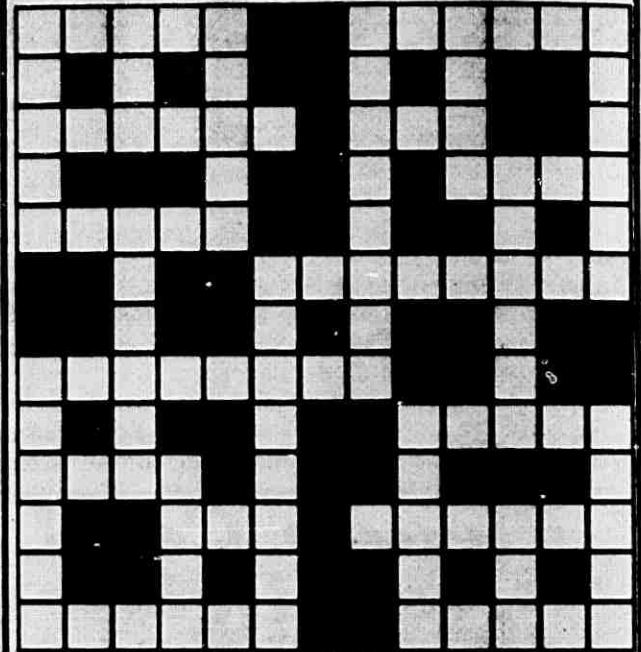
..... (Age.....years)

Entries to reach the "Leader Office" on or before Monday, June 1, not later than 12 noon.

Congratulations to Gráinne Brady, Friars Walk, Abbeyside Dungarvan, last week's winner of our Colouring competition.

WORDframe

Fit the words supplied with the frame into their proper places. The words are in alphabetical order according to the number of letters



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| Pun | Brass | Turnip |
| Nor | Crete | Summer |
| Sun | Cruel | Recess |
| 4. Rune | Lorry | |
| Eggs | Empty | 8. Abstract |
| More | 6. Tomcat | Hoarsely |
| Epee | Calmer | Somerset |
| 5. Throb | Abroad | Husbands |
| Tutor | Dressy | |

Quick Quiz

- Where can you find the words - Decus et Tutamen?
- Which famous film studio had the motto - Ars Gratia Artis?
- Where, earlier this century, could you have seen the words - Arbeit Makt Frie?
- What does an Anemometer measure?
- Mardi Gras is another name for which day in English?
- The title of which Italian opera means "The Fallen Woman" in English? (a) Il Trovatore? (b) La Traviata? (c) Rigoletto?
- Who has the motto - Who Dares Wins?
- What does the motto Honi Soit qui mal y pense mean?
- What does the word hirsute mean?
- Which British soccer club has the motto - Victoria in condordia crescit?

Answers

1: Around the edge of a £1 coin; 2: MCM; 3: Above the entrance to a Nest concentration camp; 4: Wind speed; 5: Strove Tuesday; 6: (a) La Traviata; 7: The SAS; 8: Evil be to him who evil thinks; 9: Harry; 10: Arsenal.

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DARRERS DUNGARVAN

Council Chairman Responds To Athlone Trip Controversy

BY AISLING CONROY
There has been a strong backlash this week by Waterford County Council Chairman Lar Hart against comments made by fellow County Councillor Fiachra O Ceilleachair regarding a planned trip by the entire Council membership to Athlone for a fact finding mission on landfill sites. The trip takes place on June 2nd/3rd involving both city and county councillors who will stay overnight at the Hudson Bay Hotel. The visit will take in the Athlone landfill site, the Kill landfill site and the Ballymount transfer station and will provide an opportunity for members to see at first hand the facilities and opera-

tions of a modern engineered landfill site under working conditions. In a statement last week however, Cllr. O Ceilleachair raised the issue of tax payers money funding "an overnight trip to a luxury hotel" and claimed that there is no need to send the entire membership of both local authorities on the excursion. Instead, Cllr. O Ceilleachair felt it would be enough to send two or three people and have them report back, with their expenses being met from an allocation already awarded to them. **NEED TO MAKE INFORMED DECISION** Responding to these statements this week, Cllr. Lar

Hart told the 'Leader' that all 23 members of the County Council will be required to vote on whether or not to change the draft development plan in order to facilitate the eventual location of a near 200 acre landfill site catering for the entire city and county. The 150 to 200 acre site required for a central landfill includes the area required for offices, recycling facilities, treatment plant and a generous buffer zone to adjoining properties. This new central landfill will replace the dumps at Tramore and Dungarvan, both of which will be restored to their natural status. An issue of such magnitude and probable controversy for local residents will require that members are fully informed on the landfill development that they are collectively proposing, claimed the Council Chairman. When in Athlone, it is intended that the members will talk to the operators of the landfill site and to the people living in close proximity to the development.

"What the Council as a whole want to see is a proper state of the art landfill site", said Cllr. Hart. "If we were to send only one or two representatives, it wouldn't be a proper way for the Council as a whole to see for themselves exactly what is involved". He added that each Council member will also be required to vote on the location for transfer stations in conjunction with the landfill, which in all probability would mean a transfer station in every electoral area. "This trip to see the landfill sites and the transfer station might save the Council money in the long term as indecision could cost us valuable time and resources", he stated. "It's heartening to know that the vast majority of councillors are in favour of this trip as they will have to represent the public in the long term", said Cllr. Hart who added that it was a "bit irresponsible" of any councillor not to be in favour of this trip.

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Flashback In Time



Group Pictured after the final of Tops of the Deise, Friary Hall Theatre, May 1979. Included are members of the St. Laurence's Hall Committee, Sponsors, Adjudicators and representatives of the groups in the final. The competition lasted for five years from 1979 to 1983 and gave forty five nights of the finest entertainment imaginable. Front row l. to r.: John Morrissey, (RIP) Chairman, Nancy Power, Adjudicator, Finbarr Keohan, Producer, Abbeyside Parish Choir; John Coade, Manager, Dungarvan Branch, Waterford Savings Bank, James N. Healy (RIP) Final Adjudicator, William White, Producer, Dungarvan Crystal, Tom Keith, Secretary. Middle Row, L to R: Rev. S. Walsh, Adjudicator; Mary Fitzgerald, Geraldine Fitzgerald, Biddy Drohan, Nellie Norris, Sheila Monaghan, Mary Looby, Treasurer; Kitty Foley, Rev. N. O'Mahony, C.C., Abbeyside, President. Back row: Michael Norris, Stage Manager. Paddy Norris, Vice-Chairman; Michael Foley, Sean O'Brien, Jim Norris, Treasurer, Tops of the Deise; Mossie Norris; Michael Carroll (RIP). Such was the demand for tickets for the final that the two groups had to stage their shows again on the following Monday night for those unable to get tickets. In following years, the final was relayed live on closed circuit television to the adjacent Convent of Mercy School Hall.

Slight Increase In Numbers On Live Register In Dungarvan

Recent figures released by the Central Statistics Office show a fall in the number of people on the Live Register in the South East region. The exception to the rule however is Co. Waterford where, against the overall national trend, there was a slight monthly increase in the number of those signing on.

Between the end of March and the end of April there were 1,037 people in Dungarvan on the Live Register as opposed to 992 in April. Of those signing on in Dungarvan, there are 635 men (111 under the age of 25) and 402 women (82 under 25 years). In Youghal, where there

was a slight drop in numbers on the Live Register from March, 770 people were signing on in April; Clonmel 2,188; Carrick-on-Suir 1,100 and Fermoy 966 etc.

These figures were compiled from returns made directly to the Central Statistics Office by each local office of the Department of Social, Community and Family Affairs.

The Live Register is not designed to measure unemployment. It includes part time workers (those who work up to 3 days per week), seasonal and casual workers entitled to Unemployment Assistance or Benefit.

Do You Have A New Business Idea ?

Leonardo da Vinci (1452 - 1519) was one of the most inventive and brilliant minds ever. Yet few, if any, of his ideas were to become practical commercial products within his lifetime (or even for long afterwards).

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If you can't make it along on the day you can call SEBIC on 051-354410 and discuss your idea with one of their advisors.

News Snippets From Dungarvan U.D.C.

WINNER OF MULTIMEDIA COMPUTER

Dungarvan CBS secondary school are the winners of a draw for a multimedia computer supplied by Telecom Eireann in recognition of Dungarvan UDC's entry in the Information Age Town Competition. The draw took place prior to this month's meeting of the Urban Council and all local schools were included. The multimedia computer comes with internet access and free phone connection for a year.

RESTORATION OF JETTY

Cllr. Billy Kyne has called on the Council to carry out badly needed repairs to the small jetty near the public toilets on the quay. Speaking at last week's meeting of the UDC, Cllr. Kyne said there is an exceptionally low tide at present and now is the time to carry out the restoration work before the summer season. After partly collapsing over Christmas, the jetty was closed off to the public and was earmarked for restoration in a recent report on the quay walls by consulting engineers Malone O'Regan.

Town Engineer Joe Brennan said he has received a quotation for the work to be carried out by a contractor and he will be discussing the matter with consultants Malone O'Regan before making a recommendation to the County Manager.

VACANT COUNCIL HOUSES

Vacant local authority houses in the town should be renovated as fast as possible for those on the housing waiting list. That's according to Cllr. Lar Hart who told Council officials at last week's UDC meeting that, if possible, vacant Council houses in need of repairs "should be ready much faster for those who are waiting for them".

Town Clerk Ray Moloney said he knew of one vacant house which is due to be renovated.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The annual general meeting of Dungarvan UDC to elect a new Chairperson and vice chairperson will take place on Monday, June 29th.

After an excellent 12 months in office, it is thought that outgoing Chairman Austin Flynn (Fianna Fail) will hand over his chain of office to Vice Chairman Lar Hart (Labour). Assuming the Labour/Fianna Fail agreement continues, it is likely that FF's Cllr. Nuala Ryan

will be elected as the new Vice chairperson. Then again - not all in politics goes according to plan!

BEACH DISGRACE

An issue close to Cllr. Paddy Power's heart is that of local beach cleaning. The Abbeyside councillor again raised the matter at last week's meeting of the local authority stating that the strands at Abbeyside and Boreenatra were a disgrace over the weekend of the 16/17th May. Having walked the beach on that weekend, Cllr. Power claimed that there was no bin or rubbish barrel along the entire length of the strand.

He asked the Council what plans they had to clean up the beaches for summer.

County Manager Donal Connolly said he will look at the situation with the Town Engineer to see what the Council can do.

UDC Chairman Austin Flynn suggested that the Council employ a mechanical cleaner which he had seen in operation elsewhere.

SHANDON BUSINESS PARK

Dungarvan UDC is to proceed with the development of a near 14 acre business park at Shandon, west of Fraher Field and the Park Hotel. The business park will be accessed via a new road constructed between the former Central Dairies and former Apple Factory and will provide for fully serviced individual sites for industrial development and warehousing.

Each site boundaries however may be subject to change depending on the needs of developers and all developments on the site will require planning permission to proceed.

HELP FOR ELDERLY

The plight of elderly residents in the town who need small jobs done around their homes was highlighted last week by Cllr. Lar Hart.

Cllr. Hart asked Council officials to take into consideration elderly people in the town who need their hedges cut or part of their houses painted etc.

FREE HALF HOUR

Cllr. Damien Dillon has urged the Council to advertise the free half hour parking in Dungarvan to visitors by way of sign posts on entering the town.

At present, Cllr. Dillon said that people are greeted with a sign outlining the fact that disc parking is in operation in Dungarvan with no reference to the attraction of a free 1/2 hour on street parking.

CLEAN UP TOWN PARK

With the onset of warm

summer weather, Cllr. Michael O'Riordan has drawn the Council's attention to the Town Park at the Lookout where he claimed broken glass and bottles are often left lying around. He warned officials that there is a real danger that children may fall on the glass and urged that the Park needs regular clean ups.

Town Clerk Ray Moloney said the bins in the park are emptied every second day.

PLAQUE FOR MARINERS

A work of art commemorating Dungarvan's maritime history is part of a proposed urban renewal development in the vicinity of the quay.

The issue was raised by Cllr. Fiachra O Ceilleachair who inquired if the Council would erect a plaque on the quay in honour of the many local mariners who lost their lives during the war.

NEW HOUSES AT COMERAGH CRESCENT

At last week's meeting it was agreed that the Council is to proceed with plans to erect two single storey detached houses in Comeragh Crescent on what is presently a roadway between the private estate and the local authority housing estate of Spring Marquis. The new houses will be two bedroomed and will be occupied by old age pensioners.

One will be accessed via Comeragh Crescent and the other will be accessed from Spring Marquis. The site is located between Hillview Drive and Comeragh Crescent and Marquis Drive and Spring Marquis Court.

The public right of way along this roadway was extinguished by the Council last November and a notice inviting submissions from the public was subsequently printed in the local media.

Several residents responded to the notice including residents from Spring Marquis Court who maintained that the new houses would completely close off the access from their estate to Comeragh Crescent, Hillview Drive and Lios Mor Avenue. They felt that pedestrian access should be maintained adding that they will have to travel greater distances via Marquis Drive to shops, schools, family and friends etc, while the development, they felt, would cause social segregation and class distinction by preventing access between local authority and private estates. They also pointed out that children going to and from school will have

to travel a greater distance along a dangerous road, i.e. the hospital road.

The issues raised by the residents of Spring Marquis Court were examined in full and considered by the Council in deciding to extinguish the right of way last November.

Town Clerk Ray Moloney said Marquis Drive was designed to link into Spring Marquis Court with the possibility of opening up adjoining land for future development.

"The increased distance to be travelled when going towards the town centre is relatively short and is quite safe given the width of foot-path along the centre route", he stated.

Mr. Moloney continued that the construction of the houses is seen as an ideal solution to eliminating problems associated with non residents using the area as a short cut and also eliminating anti social behaviour caused by teenagers congregating in the area.

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'Eitilt '98' - Art Exhibition at Waterford Regional Airport

Owing to the interest in 'Eitilt' the art exhibition at Waterford Regional Airport during last year, 'Eitilt '98' has recently been installed in the upper concourse of the airport. This year fourteen artists from the County are exhibiting a range of visual art from oils and water colours to screenprints and doll art.

This project was devised by the County Waterford Arts Office to showcase the work of contemporary visual artists from the region.

All the exhibitors have work for sale and are available for commissions. If you have a query about any of the works exhibited or would like further details contact Margaret Fleming, Arts Officer, Waterford County Council, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan. Phone 058-41416, Fax 058-42911.

Eitilt is the Irish for 'Flight' — be it of fancy, imagination or the physical act.

Exhibitors from the West Waterford area are—

Niamh Creagh, Helvick — A graduate of NCAD, Dublin and several other art specialist courses — Niamh specialises in high quality design products in bronze, cold cast bronze, wrought iron and other mediums.

Corina Duyn, Lismore — Born in Holland, Corina has been making dolls since she was 10 and trained with the distinguished doll-designer Marlaine Verhelst. She now runs Fantasy Folk/Artist Dolls and has

received many awards for her work.

Jim Lawn, Dungarvan — A cutter with Waterford Crystal in the 70's, Jim decided to concentrate on his first love and with a NCAD qualification under his belt he has since been working as a painter, sculptor and wood carver. He also runs At-Man, a visual image management company.

Pat Murphy, Old Parish — Pat completed his art education in NCAD, Dublin in 1973. He has had several solo exhibitions in Ireland and exhibited in Switzerland in 1993. He contributed to the 'Great Book of Ireland' displayed in the Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin, and his work is owned by private collectors all over Europe, North America and Australia.

Brid Ní Chionola, Dungarvan — A graduate of the Crawford College of Art, Cork, where she specialised in fine art and ceramics and now a full-time art teacher in Waterford College, Waterford city — Brid works mainly in oils and is greatly influenced by the Waterford coastline, especially around the Gaeltacht of an Rinn.

Sinéad Ní Chionola, Dungarvan — Sinéad qualified from the Crawford College of Art & Design, Cork in 1990 with 1st class honours in painting and printmaking. She has exhibited widely at home and abroad and has participated in several international residencies including France

and America. She was the Waterford representative in the 'Designs on Peace' exhibition.

Alison O'Flynn — A textile artist and designer, Alison graduated from the National College of Art & Design, Dublin with an Honours BA in Embroidered Textile Design. Her work is based on abstract landscapes with figures.

Sheila O'Gorman, Lismore — Sheila is a graduate of the Limerick School of Art & Design, where she specialised in ceramic design. She has a fascination with the floral and insect world which is reflected in her work.

Sr. Ruth O'Kelly, Tallow — Ruth O'Kelly studied art in Waterford under Robert Burke and Chris Fay and in the NCAD, Dublin, where she qualified. In 1974 she joined the Carmelite Order in Tallow. Sr. Ruth has had several successful solo exhibitions and is now studying the art of iconography.

Anne Woods, Kilmac-thomas — A mainly self-taught artist, Anne is greatly influenced by Monet and the Impressionists. She has contributed to several exhibitions and is currently working with her husband Paul to establish a range of pottery under the name "Woods Pottery."

Wine & Dine

BY AONGHUS WALSH

South African wines have come a long way from the wines first produced by the Dutch Settlers in the Cape which were once described as "having the power to irritate the bowels". However since sanctions were lifted, the public has had access to some cheap and cheerful wines which was well and good but they still lacked the quality they had the potential to achieve.

It's only in the last 5-10 years that quality wine has begun to emerge. The Bellingham range is one such example with wines ranging from basic blended wines to top of the range Cabernet Sauvignors.

The Bellingham estate is situated in the beautiful Franschhoek Valley in the Western Cape. The Bellingham Chardonnay 1997 at £7.59 is one example of innovative wine making. The wine is partly matured and fermented in oak casks. It has a greenish gold colour with a fresh

zippy citrus nose which follows through onto the palate giving a very refreshing chardonnay style perfect on its own lightly chilled or with fish, seafood and salads.

The Bellingham Shiraz is definitely one to take notice of. It has classic rich smoothy aromas of oak and ripe fruits, these unite to give a velvety smooth fruity palate of plums. Attractive use of French oak which gives out small doses of vanilla flavouring combine to give this wine a splendid balance. At £8.99 it represents great value for money. As it is fairly full bodied it needs food with a red meat base such as beef, venison and duck.

For more information or orders please contact Aonghus in Dungarvan Wine World or phone (058) 45600.



DUNGARVAN WINE CLUB NOTES

The third meeting of Dungarvan Wine Club was held in Lawlor's Hotel on Tuesday, May 12. It was great to see new faces joining up and already there is a lovely atmosphere developing. There were six wines tasted from California and South Africa. This was probably the best tasting to date and as a result it was difficult to choose the best wines.

A 1995 Graham Beck Chardonnay came out tops in the whites, displaying crisp acidity with a powerful citrus flavour (unusual for Chardonnay) followed by vanilla flavours from oak aging, giving a splendid balance and a long stylish finish. At £7.99 it makes a refreshing change from the typical over-oaked New World Chardonnays. It's more a summer wine and would be best suited to salads and light meals with white meats.

In the four red wines tasted, all were of a

high quality, but one in particular stood out from the rest. The 1994 Beringer Zinfandel North Coast was simply superb! Aged for 17 months in American oak, it has a huge nose of rich blackberry and cherries, followed with spicy oak nuances — all of this follows through on the palate, to make a wonderful balance. This wine is simply crafted quality and it's a steal at £9.99 as it can easily match wines in the £15 price category on quality. Leave for 1-2 hours after opening for best results. It's the perfect partner to roast beef and gravy or big red meats roasted or well done.

The next meeting is Tuesday, June 9 when Spanish wines will be put to the test. There are about 5-10 places left before membership for the year will close.

Anyone interested in joining or attending should contact Aonghus in Dungarvan Wine World or telephone 058-45600.

Don't forget: Tuesday, June 9.

DUNGARVAN WINE CLUB NOTES

Dungarvan Flower & Garden Club Presents Cheque To West Waterford Hospice & Homecare Association



Dungarvan Flower & Garden Club presents cheque to West Waterford Hospice & Homecare Association. Pictured (l. to r.) Valerie Leo, Bridget Blackwell, Club President, John Moran, Chairman WWH, Donal Blackwell, PRO WWH and Mary O'Gorman. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Welcome For Ring Road Surfacing Plans

Waterford County Council plans to attend to road surface works in parts of the Ring Gaeltacht has been welcomed by local Cllr. Fiachra O Ceilleachair.

Cllr. O Ceilleachair has been campaigning for action on surfacing around Ring Church and in regard to the replacing of road markings covered over during resurfacing.

"There is an acknowledgment that some wording such as "Go Mall" is still missing in some parts of Ring and these will be replaced as soon as possible," said Cllr. O Ceilleachair.

"As regards the Ring Church area, the point has been made that the car-parking area was surface dressed last year. The extension to the car park will be of great help. With regard to defects in the road surface on the approach to the Church, I'm sure that these will be attended to in the near future. The Council has acknowledged that footpaths in the vicinity of the Church require some improvements but say there is no funds available in the current year to repair them."

Mick McCarthy Opens £85,000 Tallow Soccer Club Project

Just 24 hours ahead of Saturday's game against Mexico, Republic of Ireland soccer manager Mick McCarthy was to be found signing countless autographs for hundreds of little fans in the west Waterford town of Tallow.

BY
AISLING
CONROY

Fresh from a training session with the squad in Monaghan, Mick travelled straight down by car to Co. Waterford where he was due to perform the official opening of Brideview United soccer club's new £85,000 ground development.

Despite being two hours behind schedule, Mick received a tumultuous reception in Tallow where he was guest of honour at the opening of the club's newly built dressing rooms and car park which is the first phase in a major club ground development.

This was the Ireland boss' second visit to the Brideside town, birthplace of his father Charlie, having previously visited Tallow in 1996 when he attended a huge gathering of the McCarthy Clan together with his father and son Michael. Indeed, Mick said his father still has fond memories of that occasion.

The fortunes of the Irish squad (or lack of them as the case may be) are closely followed by a loyal band of McCarthy supporters in Tallow, where Mick has achieved a near celebrity status. His uncle Tom McCarthy is President of Brideview Utd., and his cousins reside in West Street while the family home where his father spent his childhood, still stands at Chapel Street.

It's no wonder that Mick

has a special affinity with Tallow and taking time out from a hectic schedule to be with the club on such a local historic occasion is an obvious indication of his personal interest in the development of Brideview United.

PATH TO FIRST TEAM IS THERE

Among the many invited guests and club sponsors at the opening were two members of Ireland's victorious U-16 Soccer World Championship team, John O'Shea of Waterford and Jim Goodwin of Tramore, both sporting their gold world medals. Also present was Minister of State at the Department of ?? Martin Cullen, Waterford County Councillors Ollie Wilkinson and Willie McDonnell and local referee Eddie Foley who has been appointed to referee at the World Cup in France. A very capable MC for the evening was popular club committee member Liam Fraser.

Viewing the dressing rooms, gym and club pavilion at first hand, Mick was impressed with the facilities and congratulated all involved in the project especially those who raised money and gave up their own free time to manage players and look after the junior members.

Mick joked that he'd been to stadiums which had worse dressing rooms and named Romania and Lithuania as having the worst dressing rooms he had ever been in.



Pictured at the official opening of Brideview United's new club pavilion are (l. to r.) Fr. O'Farrell P.P., David Doyle, Club Treasurer, Martin Cullen T.D., John O'Shea, Milo Ahearn, Club Chairman, Liam Fraser, Committee member, Mick McCarthy, Irish soccer manager, Jim Goodwin, Cllr. Willie McDonnell and Cllr. Ollie Wilkinson W.C.C.

Commenting on the great future ahead of Goodwin and O'Shea, Mick gave the example of 17 year old Robbie Keane, in Saturday's line up against Mexico and said the path to the first team is there for them - "if they are good enough, they'll make it".

A presentation of a beautiful Waterford Crystal bowl was made on behalf of Brideview Utd. by club chairman Milo Ahearn to Mick McCarthy. The keys of the new building were also handed over by Oliver Clancy of FAS to Mick who handed them on to Mr. Ahearn.

He praised Jackie Tobin and his crew for their top class workmanship on the building and James McGuire who laid out the car park. Mr. Ahearn was deeply appreciative of the public who supported the

The new club pavilion and grounds were blessed by local parish priest Fr. O'Farrell.

SPECIAL DAY IN 26 YEAR HISTORY

Brideview chairman Milo Ahearn said it was a very special day in the 26 year history of the club. He thanked Mick for his ongoing interest in the club and wished Jim Goodwin and John O'Shea every success in their exams and future soccer careers.

Speaking to the 'Leader', Mr. Ahearn said the next stage in the soccer club development is the construction of boundary walls, the installation of gymnasium facilities, a basketball course for use as a community facility and the eventual development of a second soccer pitch.



Irish Soccer Manager, Mick McCarthy presents Brideview United Chairman, Milo Ahearn with the keys to the club's new pavilion. Also included is Oliver Clancy of FAS.

club down through the years through the lotto and various events.

A massive 90% of the first phase is fully paid for through the financial backbone of the club's lotto sellers and the promise of a £3,000 grant from the Minister of Sport.

The consistently best team in the popular Red House League, Brideview were runners-up in the league this year and were overall winners last year. This year the club also won the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup and the Tony Bolger League Cup. They have two adult teams, drawn mainly from the

Tallow/Knockanore catchment area and a very strong underage section with seven underage teams. Although possessing many talented players, Mr. Ahearn pointed to one underage player who has been selected to go on trials and is showing true potential. He added that if the likes of John Paul Grey and Stuart Barry, two very talented players, had been picked up at underage level, who knows heights they could have achieved. Mr. Ahearn believed that there are many more youths with true talent are coming up through the club ranks.

As a further attraction, Snickers held a soccer competition in the soccer field all afternoon as part of their nationwide promotion. The event, testing skill and accuracy, was open to boys and girls, from 9 to 11, u-12/14/15/17 and those over 18 with plenty of free Snickers bars, baseball caps, t-shirts and special footballs as giveaways.



A SECTION OF THE HUGE CROWD WHO TURNED OUT TO WELCOME MICK MCCARTHY TO TALLOW

BALLYMACARBRY NOTES

A.A. LANDLADY OF THE YEAR TITLE FOR BALLYMACARBRY

Olive O'Gorman, Glasha, Ballymacarbry received a letter from A.A. Hotel Services in Hamshire, England last February which read "Congratulations you have been selected as one of the top finalists for the 1998 A.A. Landlady of the Year Competition." She was totally taken by surprise. The letter continued, "You have worked hard for this accolade and we now want to treat you and your husband to a weekend in Dorchester, Park Lane, London where the A.A. Landlady of the Year Award ceremony will take place on Monday, May 11 commencing at 11 a.m."

Initially some 95 houses were inspected and selected throughout Ireland, England, Scotland and Wales and later the number was reduced to fifty. Then to her great surprise, she received a phone call in April announcing that the top twenty

landladies had now been selected and that her Glasha Farmhouse was included i.e. Best B&B standard, care of guests etc.

Olive and her husband, Paddy left their Glasha farmhouse on Friday, May 15 and returned the following Tuesday after having been treated like royalty - V.I.P. treatment - over the weekend, complete with white glove table service and then Olive was presented with the A.A. Landlady of the Year 1998 bowl and she also received a beautiful scroll.

The A.A. Inspector informed their special guests that the Dorchester Hotel was selected because it was the best hotel for the best. The community extends their congratulations to Olive, her husband Paddy and her family and staff on achieving this much coveted title and wish you continued success and this award should bring many

guests to this beautiful Glasha Farmhouse.

BALLYMACARBRY I.C.A.

There was a good attendance at the monthly meeting of Ballymacarbry Guild I.C.A. which took place at St. Patrick's Hall. Eileen Mulcahy presided.

The Waterford Federation meeting Annual General Meeting will take place at Leamybrien hosted by the Kilrossanty Guild. Some members of the Ballymacarbry Guild will travel to this meeting. The summer outing will take place on Thursday, June 25 to Powerscourt Gardens, Glenroe, Avoca and Glendalough. A £5 deposit is to be paid at the June meeting.

The Guild would like to congratulate Olive O'Gorman, one of their members who was chosen A.A. Landlady of the Year. The Guild held their pitch and putt competition in Dungarvan recently. The winner was Eileen Mangan and joint second were Ann Donaher and Nora Harte. A lovely evening was enjoyed by all. Members are reminded that fees are now due and that members are always welcome.

T.D. RETURNS AFTER ILLNESS

Her many supporters and friends welcome back to the scenes, Theresa Ahearn Fine Gael T.D., South Tipperary/North West Waterford. Illness forced her to take a complete break from public life since last December. She was in fine spirits when she attended the official launch of the new Municipal Park on the Waterford Road in honour of the late General Richard Mulcahy. Her return has been welcomed by her many friends of every political persuasion.

NIRE VALLEY FISHERIES ASSOC.

An important meeting of the Nire Valley Fisheries Association will take place at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry on Thursday night, May 28 at 9.30 p.m. A full attendance is requested for this meeting.

MOUNTAIN RUN FOR CHARITY

On Sunday, May 31 well known marathon runner from Ballymacarbry, Francis Connolly, Knockahoola will run from Rathgormack Village to Ballymacarbry Crossroad, a distance of some 14 miles. He will run over the Comeragh Mountains via Four Lakes. This run is for a well known charity. This is the runner's sixth time running doing this tough run.

PINEWOOD RANGERS SOCCER CLUB A.G.M.

The Annual General Meeting of Pinewood Rangers Soccer Club was held at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry on Wednesday, May 20. The highlight of the year for the club was the winning of Division 1 of the Red House League. Arrangements were made for the 7-a-side tournament to be held later in the year. The following officers were elected —

Hon. Presidents - Eddie and Liz Townsley; Chairman - Pat Power; Vice-Chairman - Billy McCarthy; Secretary - Richard O'Keefe; Joint Treasurers - Anthony Doocey and Fintan Gillman (Jnr.); P.R.O. - Tony Hayes and Michael Doocey; Committee - John Desmond, Liam Walsh, Tom Doocey, Tony Hayes; Manager - John Desmond; Captain - Richard O'Keefe; Vice-Captain - Liam Walsh; selectors, captain plus one more to be co-opted. Seven-a-side committee - Michael Doocey, Paud Ryan, Conor Ryan, Tony Hayes, Pat Power.

FOROIGE CLUB

It is hoped to start a Foróige Club in the Ballymacarbry area. Persons between the ages of 12 and 18 interested in forming this club are asked to attend a meeting at Melody's Loft, Ballymacarbry on Wednesday, May 27 at 8 p.m. where registration will take place.

PROCESSION TO OUR LADY'S SHRINE

The annual procession to the shrine of Our Lady at Knockatrealaun on the Dungarvan Road was well attended. The procession took place from St. Patrick's Hall. During the walk along the route the rosary was recited by Rev. Fr. Paddy Hallinan, Retired Foreign Missions. Then at the shrine, benediction was imparted by Rev. Fr. Edmond Tobin P.P. and the Fourmilewater Church Choir sang some beautiful hymns.

FOURMILEWATER HURLING CLUB LOTTO

Jackpot £700. No winner. Numbers drawn were 2, 9, 12. The five winners of £20 each were Eileen Mulcahy, Glasha (x 2); Richard O'Keefe, Curtiswood; James Cliffe, Knockboy and Liam O'Grady, Skeehens. Jackpot this week £800.



Tony Condon (Milking Machine Services), Ballymacarbry who recently sponsored the indoor hurling competitions at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry presenting the trophies to Fourmilewater Chairman, Billy Walsh. Photo shows back (l. to r.) Tony Condon and Billy Walsh. Front (l. to r.) Michael Walsh and Evan Morrissey. — (Photo - Tom Walsh).

CO. WATERFORD LADY RAISES £2,500 FOR CYSTIC FIBROSIS

Helen Delahunty of Kilmacomma has recently returned from another one of her sponsored walks to raise money for Cystic Fibrosis Research. Her recent trip took her to Florida in the sunny U.S.A. where a 60 mile walk raised some £2,500.

A tireless worker on behalf of charity, this brings the amount she has raised for Cystic Fibrosis Research in the past few years to £15,000. Her ten day trip to the United States wasn't without incident. As Helen and the other walkers from other parts of Ireland prepared to return to Dublin from Tampa Airport, the take-off was aborted because of a mechanical problem with the aircraft and the flight was subsequently delayed. Instead they had to return via Frankfurt some 36 hours later. In recognition of her fifth major walk for Cystic Fibrosis, she was presented with a beautiful Galway Crystal vase. Next on her list is the mini marathon in Dublin on June 7.

BRUTAL ATTACK ON ELDERLY NEWCASTLE MAN

A brutal attack took place on an elderly Newcastle man in the early hours of Tuesday morning, May 19. He was Mr. Billy Kenrick, Middlequarter, Newcastle, a 68 year old retired farmer who lived alone. He was assaulted and robbed of £80 and was left locked in his bedroom.

At the time of the attack, Mr. Kenrick was at home in bed when a number of men broke into his home which is in an isolated area. They struck him and demanded money from him and after a struggle, they got away with the money. On the following morning, Michael Hallinan, a neighbour discovered the unfortunate man and raised the alarm. He was taken to Our Lady's Hospital, Cashel in a shocked state. There he received several stitches for lacerations to his head and face as well as treatment to a suspected fractured thumb. Mr. Kenrick described the raiders as wearing balaclavas.

The Gardai in Ballymacarbry are asking for help in this matter. The smallest bit of information may be of great importance in bringing to justice those cruel and heartless people who carry out such attacks on defenceless people who live alone.

LATE MRS. MARY NUGENT

It is with deep and sincere regret we pen the death which occurred after a long illness borne with true Christian fortitude at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan on Wednesday, May 20 of Mrs. Mary Nugent (nee Hickey), Churchquarter, Modeligo, Co. Waterford.

The deceased, in her 92nd year, was a member of an old, established family highly respected in the farming community. A very estimable lady of many charming traits of character, her gentle, good humoured and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition commended her to all. She was possessed of an old world charm that was refreshing for all. A loving wife and mother, her family were her pride and joy. Predeceased by her husband, Patrick and son, Frank, she had a charitable outlook on life and was an outstanding neighbour ever ready with the hand of help and anyone who was fortunate enough to have made her acquaintance, now grieve for the demise her sad passing leaves.

Many tributes have been paid to this fine lady but perhaps the finest was paid to her on Friday evening as one of the largest concourse of mourners seen for some time were present when her remains were removed from the Mortuary St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan to the Parish Church of Our Lady of the Assumption, Modeligo where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Patrick Queally P.E. Affane/Modeligo.

On Saturday morning, the feast of St. Julia (virgin, martyr) requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Michael Barron P.P. Affane/Modeligo assisted by Rev. Fr. Brendan Crowley P.P. Kill/Newtown/Sallen, Rev. Fr. Patrick Queally P.E. Affane/Modeligo, Rev. Fr. Laurence Walsh, Retired Foreign Mission. Also in attendance was Rev. Fr. Maurice O'Gorman P.P. Clashmore/Piltown.

After Mass as a gentle westerly breeze blew across the valley, she was laid to rest in the family plot with her husband, Paddy and her son, Frank. Fr. Barron P.P. officiated at the graveside and recited a decade of the Rosary in the presence of the other clergy and a vast concourse of mourners who came to pay their final respects to a dear Christian friend whose memory they will cherish.

To her sons, daughters, sister and her many relatives, we extend our sympathy.

Go raibh loistin den scoith aici i measc na naomh. (Undertakers - Noonan's, Cappoquin).

Controversy Over Access To Beach

BY AISLING CONROY

Douglas Marl is, in his own words, a reasonable, educated man who came to Ireland from Wales some seven years ago for a 'quiet life'.

Making a home for himself and his family in his adopted community of Knock, Clonea, the Marl's settled down in a beautiful coastal location overlooking Clonea beach.

In the last three months, however this idyllic setting has been the scene of major controversy and a veritable hornet's nest has been uncovered.

Locals have grouped together in opposition against Douglas Marl after his attempt to block off access to the front of his cliffside property, over which the Council claim there is a right of way, for fear of public liability claims.

Mr. Marl's seafront property has been used by generations as a pathway, despite its dangerous condition, down onto the beach which is known locally as "Biddy's Strand".

Constant coastal erosion however has resulted in numerous undercuts into the cliff face leaving deceiving overhangs of mere grass and soil.

"I don't have a problem with people using the beach", explained Mr. Marl, "I knew that people would come here at weekends etc. when I bought the house".

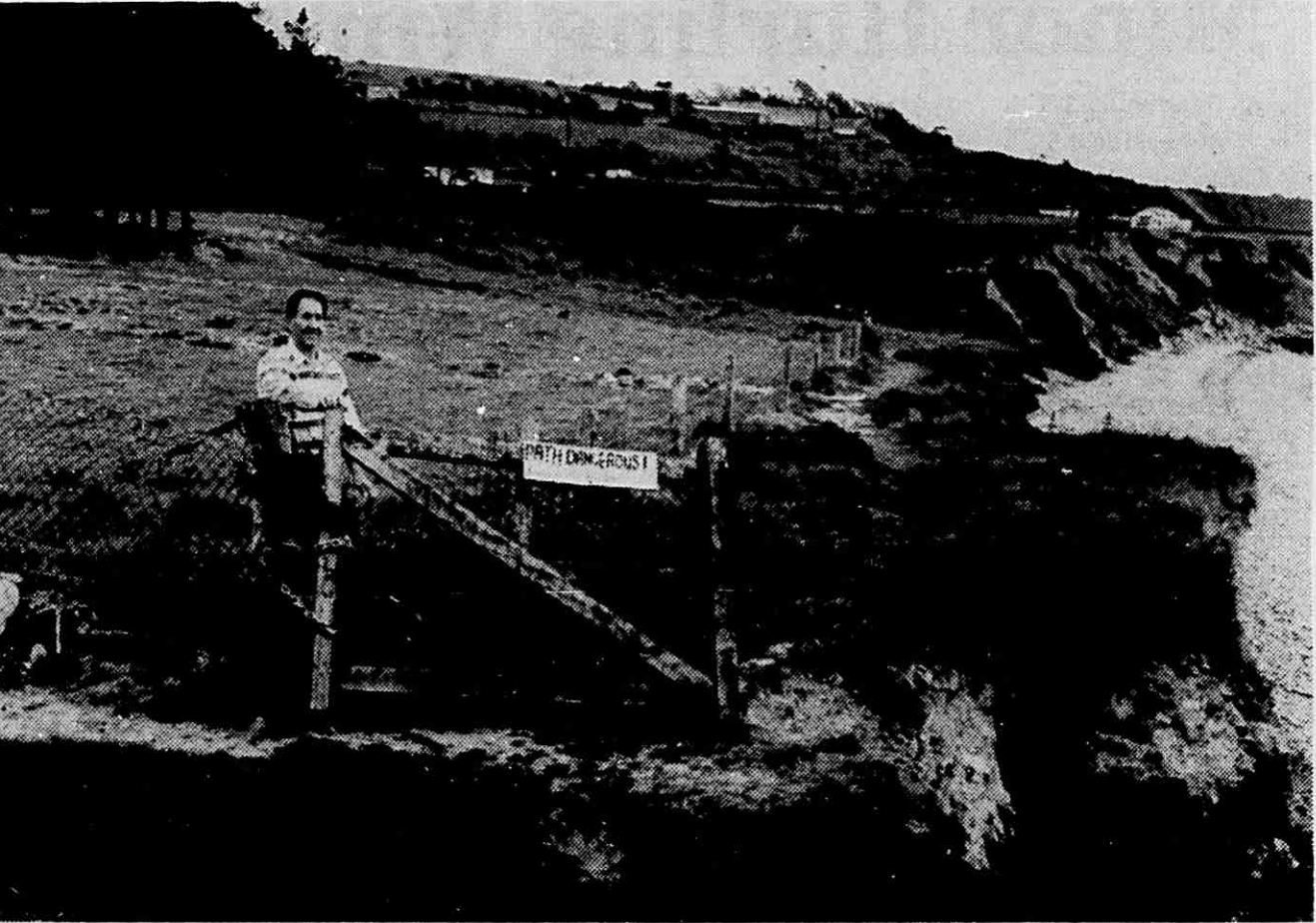
His real concern however

is the fact that anyone injured while using the path on his property may claim against him.

Contrary to local rumours, Mr. Marl has not restricted public access to the beach. The private laneway leading down from the main Dungarvan coastal road to the beach is a right of way ending in a steep and rough path to the shingles below. The laneway itself is owned by neighbouring landowners.

The severity of the drop at the end of the laneway resulted in people using an alternative and equally dangerous path through Mr. Marl's property over which the Council and locals claim there is a right of way. The Land Registry department in Waterford has confirmed that the dangerous cliff pathway is part of Mr. Marl's property.

Last winter's storms knocked down many trees around the Marls' house and took a heavy toll on the seaward edge of their property. In an attempt to insure that part of his land against public liability claims, Mr. Marl took photographs of the path and forwarded them to his insurance company who replied that "due to the hazardous nature" of the area in question they are



Douglas Marl stands at the barrier he has erected to his cliffside property

not in a position to indemnify him in respect of claims arising from public uses of the property. Both the insurance company and his solicitor advised him to erect a barrier and disclaimer signs on the property, outlining the dangerous nature of the path. This he did only 3 months ago and in the interim he has had to cut short a holiday with his wife in France as a result of local public reaction.

"THEIR ARGUMENT IS NOT WITH ME"

Referring to those who have opposed his actions in blocking off his property, Mr. Marl said, "their argument is not with me".

The barrier across his land does not restrict access to the beach.

He feels that the entire matter would be resolved if steps were erected at the end of the laneway leading onto the beach.

"You can't deal reasonably with people who don't accept the facts", said Mr. Marl who claimed that he was being portrayed as "the villain of the piece".

Mr. Marl has erected a sign warning "Trespassers Prosecuted" on the edge of his land as people had been breaking his fence and coming through his property to avoid the barrier and had even uprooted a timber post.

"It's out of character with the type of people who live

in Ireland", said Mr. Marl who added that he had to contact the Gardai on a number of occasions.

"People can't take the law into their own hands", he declared, adding that if people instead focused their energy on improving the bottom of the path, then the problem would be resolved".

THE COUNCIL'S POSITION

County Secretary Peter Carey told the 'Leader' that the County Council volunteered to mediate between both parties and meetings were held in his offices at which representatives of both groups attended as well as local councillors Tom Cunningham, Oliver Coffey and Council Chairman Lar Hart.

Mr. Carey claimed that there is a right of way over Mr. Marl's property, a claim supported by the local residents group, but that liability is attached to part of the land.

"The Council take a proactive approach in developing access to public amenities such as beaches", said Mr. Carey who explained that as the laneway to the strand is private, any work carried out on the property would have to be a community project to which the Council would lend their wholehearted assistance.

Following a meeting be-

tween local residents, their solicitor and the solicitor representing Mr. Marl in the Council offices last Friday, an unspecified proposal was tabled which will be considered by both solicitors who are expected to liaise with Mr. Carey later this week.

It is hoped that the impasse will then finally be resolved.

"We would all like to have this sorted out as speedily as possible", said Cllr. Oliver Coffey. "That would be for the good of everyone involved".



Nowhere To Go! The private laneway ends in a steep drop to the beach below. It has been suggested that if steps were erected at this point, the whole matter would be resolved.



A view of the dangerous path over Mr. Marl's property from the beach known as "Biddy's Strand," Clonea

MODELIGO NOTES

LOTTO

Winning numbers drawn were 11, 14, 25.

Again the jackpot was won. Congratulations to Jimmy Moloney, Vicarstown who won last weeks £200 jackpot. Jackpot on Saturday next is also £200. Good luck.

£10 winners - Michael Murray, Coolanave. Alan O' Shea, Cappagh. Jack Curran, Dungarvan. Margaret Tobin, Chapel Road. Elizabeth Barron, Vicarstown.

SYMPATHY

Heartfelt and sincere sympathy is extended to the family, relatives and friends of the late Mrs. Mary Nugent, Churchquarter who passed away last week. May she rest in peace.

TAKE CARE

At present most rural roads are busy with extra traffic, as silage is being cut. Please take extra care while travelling and allow extra time for your journey.

CELEBRATION TIME

Modeligo Community Centre will celebrate the official opening of its new stage and extension on Friday, June 5th. This promises to be a great occasion and a fitting end to twelve and a half years of work.

Modeligo Dramatic club are working feverishly to have a one act play ready for the night and indeed the committee is indebted to them for taking on the challenge and at short notice.

We will also be unveiling our new Community crest on the night. Admission will be by ticket and those that are left can be had from committee members. Further details next week.

Cappoquin Notes

AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Minor Hurling Win

Cappoquin 2-3 Abbeyside 0-5.

Cappoquin minor hurlers continued their good run in the league with a four point win over Abbeyside in Cappoquin last Wednesday evening. With Stephen Landers, Shane Coughlan, Damien McCarthy and Justin Dalton playing dominant roles in this game ably assisted by their team mates, Abbeyside were never left into this match.

Team - D. O'Rourke, G. Foley, S. Landers, P. Coffey, S. Morrissey, S. Coughlan, S. Barry, K. Foley, D. McCarthy (0-1), B. Coughlan, P. Landers, M. Scanlon (1-2), L. McLoughlin, J. Dalton (1-0), M. Fraher. Subs used - Stephen Curran, Brendan Scanlon (T), Brendan Scanlon (A).

Junior Hurling League Cappoquin 0-11 Kilrossanty 1-13.

This junior hurling tie was evenly contested with no more than a puck of the ball separating the sides throughout the game. But Kilrossanty finished the stronger team to snatch the necessary scores to take the laurels. Best for Cappoquin were Eamonn Cliffe, Mick McCarthy, Shane Coughlan, S. McCarthy, L. Costin, Shane Fraher, M. Buckley.

Team - P. Casey, R. Curran, M. McCarthy, E. Cliffe, S. Coughlan, M. Buckley, P. Cullen, G. Morrissey (0-1), S. McCarthy (0-1), B. Cunningham, L. Costin, S. Fraher (0-6), L. Lacey (0-1), B. Murray (0-1), M. Mason (0-1). Sub - T. O'Sullivan.

Under-14 Hurling Championship Cappoquin 3-5 Stradbally 1-3.

Cappoquin set about their task from the throw-in and were always on top in this match with Rory Tobin, Stephen Kett, Peter McGrath, John Fenton, Alan Hogan, Keith Landers particularly outstanding. But the rest of the team all contributed handsomely to this victory.

Team - T. Looby, I. McLoughlin, R. Tobin, C. Heffernan, P. McGrath, S. Kett, P. Murray, J. Fenton, A. Hogan, C. Wilkinson, D. Sheehan, T. Curran, K. Landers, M. Gilligan, M.

Morrissey.

The next Under-14 Hurling Championship game is at 3 p.m. on Saturday next against Ballyduff Lower in Ballyduff.

Under-12 Hurling Cappoquin 1-9 Ardmore 1-2.

Cappoquin played Ardmore in Ardmore last Tuesday evening and scored a good win. The youngest player on the pitch, Shane Fives was outstanding in a rock solid defence well marshalled by the excellent, Paul Murray. Midfield also contributed with non stop effort while the best player on view Keith Landers led the forward division with style.

Team - T. Looby, D. McGrath, J. Cunningham, K. Burke, D. Dransfield, P. Murray (0-1), S. Fives, C. Wilkinson (0-1), D. Kett, G. Coughlan (1-0), K. Landers (0-6), T. Curran (0-1), P. McGrath, D. Browne, D. Wilkinson. Subs used - K. Hanrahan, P. Barry, J. Kett.

Under-12 Hurling — Cappoquin 4-4 St. Mary's, Clonmel 1-1.

The young lads travelled to Clonmel on Saturday last to play St. Mary's and again turned in a top class display. Man of the match here was Pat Devine who turned in a great performance. Pat had missed the previous game and was determined to secure his place on the team.

Well done to the under-12 mentors who are putting a lot of time and effort into those lads. Cappoquin play Tallow in Cappoquin in the championship next Thursday evening. All players are requested to be at the pitch at 7 p.m. Parents are most welcome to see their boys in action.

Injured — We wish a speedy recovery to Stephen Landers who broke a finger last week, also to his sister, Louise who did likewise. It was quite a coincidence both sustaining the same injury the same week.

Golf Classic — The organising committee of our Golf Classic Ned Heffernan, Denis McCarthy and Eddie Fraher are forging ahead nicely organising teams. They have secured a good entry to date but there are still plenty of spaces on the timesheet to fill. So anyone

wishing to enter a team please contact any of the above. Sponsorship of this event is costly so if you cannot play golf, contributions to the cost of sponsorship will be accepted gratefully.

UNDERAGE PLAYER PROFILE



Ivan Cliffe is 7 years of age. Another Man. Utd. fan but he thinks hurling is just brilliant and loved the indoor sessions. A great supporter of Waterford senior hurling team, his favourite player is Sean Cullinane.

Alpha Lotto — Letters drawn were C, F, G. No jackpot winner. The three winners of £10 each were Emma Foley, Shanbally; Elaine McCarthy, Allen Street; Mark Ryan, KilmacThomas. Next week's draw in The Tavern.

CAPPOQUIN P.T.A.A. ANNUAL OUTING

Cappoquin P.T.A.A. Annual Outing will be held on June 27 going to the following locations —

Waterford - New Ross - Enniscorthy - Gorey - Arklow - Wicklow - Meeting of the Waters - Glendalough - Avondale House - Parnell's House - Poulaphuca - Reservoir - Powerscourt Gardens - Mount Usher Gardens.

Enquiries to Michael Rawlins or John Joe Scanlon for further details.

ST. ANNE'S POST PRIMARY SCHOOL, CAPPOQUIN

NON-STOP DRAW

Week 10 — May 22
1st prize (£50) - Tommy O'Sullivan, 2nd prize (£20) - Denis Ahern, 3rd prize (£10) - Carmel Allen, 4th prize (£10) - Sr. Johanna, 5th prize (£5) - Marie Morrissey, Promoters Prize (£5) - Mary Gilligan.

AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB NOTES

End Of Season Night

In her penultimate function as Club President, Mrs. Mary Radford presided over our End of Season Night. She extended a warm welcome to all players and wished everyone good luck. There was a lovely display of prizes for the winners. Mrs. Radford thanked the hostesses and all who helped in organising the very enjoyable evening.

Results — May 18

1st - Pat Murphy and Monica O'Sullivan, 2nd - Mary Fives and Bessie Cahill, 3rd - Addie Buckley and Andrew McGrath, 4th - Una Mason and Tom Hackett, 5th - Helen Buckley and Brid Bergin, 6th - Fr. Barron and Rebecca Keevers, 7th - Mary Radford and Mick Linn.

Summer Bridge

Summer Bridge commences next Monday night at 7.30 sharp.

MELLERAY DRAMATIC CLUB NOTES

CARDS

May 15 — 1st and 2nd divided - Dan Murray and Maurice Gambon, Anna Scanlon and Helen Morrissey; 3rd - John Maher and Nora Lonergan; Lucky Tables - Michael McGrath and Stephen Cunningham, Kitty Crowley and Pat O'Connor; Tickets - Kathleen Coleman, Michael Coleman, Rena O'Donoghue.

May 22 — 1st - John O'Rourke and Maggie Crowley; 2nd - Niall Maher and Paddy Walsh; 3rd - Dan Murray and Maurice Gambon, Lucky Tables - Jim and Angela Collender, Maura Murray and Maura Maher; Tickets - Michael McGrath, Carmel Scanlon, John Dallan.

Officers Elected For Coming Year

Officers elected as follows — Chairman - Michael Cullinane, Secretary & P.R.O. - Rena O'Donoghue, Treasurer - James Devine, Stage Manager - Michael Coleman, Musical Director - Mairead Cullinane.

Plans are underway for a forthcoming three act play.

MELLERAY FOROIGE CLUB NOTES

Last Sunday, May 24 was a huge success for the Melleray Foroige Club as we held our Cake Sale in the local hall. This was a great event enjoyed by all. The prizewinners from our

A.I.B. CAPPOQUIN ANTI-LITTER POSTER COMPETITION



Prizewinners of A.I.B. Anti-Litter Poster Competition with Mr. Harry O'Neill, A.I.B.; Mr. Tom Hackett, C.C.D.C. Ltd.; Mr. Ollie Wilkinson, Chairman C.C.D.C. Ltd.; Ms. Fletcher N.T. and Mrs. Anne Devine, Principal, Convent Girls Primary School. (Photo by Eilish Corr).

An Anti-Litter Poster Competition sponsored by Allied Irish Banks for primary school pupils in Cappoquin attracted a huge entry. Entries were of a very high standard and the judges had a most difficult task in deciding the winners. The competition was a huge success and a vote of special thanks must be extended to A.I.B. for their sponsorship of this event. The results were as follows -

Cat. 5th and 6th classes — 1st - Eoin de Lundra, 2nd - Laura McNamara, 3rd - Tadhg O Lubaigh, 4th - Coleen Shasby; Cat. 3rd and 4th classes — 1st - Yvette Hickey, 2nd - Mark Landers, 3rd - Emma Morrissey, 4th - James Gilligan; Cat. 1st and 2nd classes — 1st - Seamus Fitzgerald, 2nd - Donna Dallan, 3rd - Lyndsay Flynn, 4th - Raymond Hallissey; Cat. Junior and Senior Infants — 1st - Michael Devine, 2nd - Eire Cantwell, 3rd - Samantha Reddy, 4th - Finan Murray.

Prizes were presented to the winners by Mr. Harry O'Neill, A.I.B. Cappoquin.

CAPPOQUIN MACRA NA FEIRME NOTES

Miss Blue Jeans — Next weekend the National Final of the Miss Blue Jeans Competition is being held in Athboy, Co. Meath. Representing Waterford is Therese Byrne. We would like to wish her the best of luck. Therese will have plenty of support as many members of Cappoquin Macra are going up for the weekend.

County Football League — Cappoquin Macra had both a mens and a ladies team taking part in the football league last Sunday, May 24 in Modeligo. Well done to the lads who have qualified for the County Final by beating Ballysaggart. The final score was Cappoquin 3-7 Ballysaggart 0-3. On the team were James Meagher, Micheál Prendergast, John O'Donnell, Tom Cliffe, Lar Byrne, Mike O'Donnell.

The ladies were in hard luck against Knockanore in their game. On the ladies team were Hazel Hallahan, Edith Prendergast, Norma Smiddy, Anita Meagher, Therese Byrne.

Birthday Greetings — A very happy birthday to two very active and reliable members of Cappoquin Macra who celebrated their birthdays recently namely Anita Meagher and John O'Donnell.

opportunity to thank everyone who sponsored and supported this event, also to the leaders and members of the club who put so much time and effort into making this such a great success.

TOURANEENA NOTES

PUB SINGING COMPETITION

The fourth heat of the Pub Singing Competition was held in Deckie Walsh's, Modeligo on Saturday night last to a packed house. The singing was of a very high standard and each competitor nearly brought the house down. The three to go on to the semi-finals are John Stack, Cappagh; Martina Williams, Dungarvan and Jenny Moore, Cappoquin.

We would like to thank Deckie Walsh and family for the use of his premises and spot prizes, to all who supported us, the ticket sellers Marian, Alice and Regina, Paddy O'Donnell who was M.C. (and a good one at that), Ann the adjudicator who has been so helpful all along and finally the band who provided the music for the night. The first semi-final will take place in Dunne's Bar on Saturday night, June 6.

ROSARY & BENEDICTION

Rosary Procession with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be held at the Grotto in Touraneena after 11 a.m. Mass on Sunday, May 31.

IRISH NIGHT

An Irish night will be held in Dunne's Bar this Sunday night May 31 in aid of the Lourdes Invalid Fund. Come along and enjoy a great night's entertainment and support a worthy cause.

CUPPA COFFEE DAY

Alice Burke's Cuppa Coffee Day will be held on Thursday, June 4. Alice's house will be open to visitors all day from 9.30 a.m. to 11 p.m. This is Alice's eighth year holding a Coffee Day where proceeds are donated to various charities and organisations. This year's proceeds go to Cystic Fibrosis and Naomh Bríd Juvenile G.A.A. Club. Tea, coffee and confectionery available all day for the small sum of £1 (children 50p). Tickets will also be on sale throughout the day for a Monster Raffle. All are welcome so come along please for a 'cuppa' and a chat with your friends.

SLIABH gCUA COMMUNITY CENTRE & G.A.A. LOTTO

Weekending May 24. Numbers drawn were 8, 22, 23. New jackpot £100. The five winners of £10 each were Nellie Hallinan, Touraneena; Tom Barron, Lagg; Thomas Keane, Ballinagulkee; Marion and Dermot; Liz and Paul, Touraneena.

SCHOOL TRANSPORT

Those who have children attending St. Mary's Touraneena National School for the first time in September and require school transport should contact the school by the weekend so as they will be on the list to be sent to Bus Éireann. Enrollment forms can also be got by contacting the school.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS G.A.A. NEWS

GIRLS INTO FINAL

Despite being beaten last Thursday by a single point against Ballyduff, our girls footballers have qualified for this year's School League Final where they will play Ballyduff.

Touraneena were leading at half-time in this game by a single point. Aoife Hickey scored 2-1 and Marie Quinlan 0-1. In the second half Aoife scored a further 1-1 to her first half total and Ballyduff added 0-6 to their interval total. Touraneena were rather unlucky not to have won this game as we had players pulled up as they were about to score and Ballyduff scored a very lucky goal.

In the final which has yet to be fixed, Touraneena will fancy their chances of winning their third title in ten years. The Touraneena team against Ballyduff was Eileen Hickey, Deirdre Kiely, Fiona Gleeson, Avril Murphy, Marie Quinlan (0-1), Pearl Grace, Christine Cliffe, Aoife Hickey (3-2), Sinead Kiely. Subs were Jenny Power and Tara Casey. The final score was Touraneena 3-3 Ballyduff 2-7.

TOURANEENA RACQUETBALL NOTES

TOP TWELVE GAMES

In our first year we have played a total of 813 juvenile club tournament matches. These tournaments were —

1. Knockout Cup, 2. Summer Leagues, 3. Autumn Team League, 4. Primary School Blitz, 5. One Day Blitz, 6. Cut Throat Blitz, 7. Winter Doubles League, 8. Juvenile Round Robin League.

Each of these tournaments produced some outstanding games but here is a look at the top twelve games.

1. TRISTAN HICKEY v JACK POWER

This match was a Round 5 match in the Div. 1 section of the recent juvenile Round Robin League. The match was played at an awesome pace from start to finish and it thrilled the large crowd that was in attendance. A win for Tristan would result in a place in the semi-final for him and a win for Jack would result in a place in the semi-final for his brother, Willie.

From the start both players showed an unbelievable level of determination and they fought for every ball. Jack led for most of the first game but 'Tayto' hit back to clinch the first game on a 15-12 scoreline. Jack was superb in the second game and quickly raced into a 14-7 lead. 'Tayto' however again showed his never say die attitude and levelled the score at 14 each. Jack regained the serve and scored the all important point to level the match at one game each. The deciding tiebreaker game was outstanding. Rallies constantly lasted over twenty shots and it was score for score right to the death. With the score level at ten each, the serve changed seven times before Tristan clinched the winning point.

2. SEAMUS POWER v TRISTAN HICKEY

This was the final of the Primary School Div. 1 Blitz. Seamus was favourite to take the title and he got off to a good start and he took the first game on a 15-12 scoreline. There was a dramatic step up in the pace of the game at the start of the second game and this seemed to suit Tristan. He hit unstoppable form and eventually won on a 15-9 scoreline. This set up a tension and aggression filled tiebreaker game. Seamus recovered well from the second game and seemed to have the title won when he led 10-5 but then Tristan showed his true class and determination and he fought back to take the title on an 11-10 scoreline.

3. CUT-THROAT DIV. 2 BOYS FINAL

For sheer excitement and enjoyment it will be hard to better the final of the Div. 2 Cut-Throat Blitz. The match was played between James Cliffe, Aidan Hickey and J. J. Coffey. The three players reacted brilliantly to massive cheering and roaring by producing a cracking encounter. As the game approached the end, all three players were level at twelve each. James then reached thirteen before losing serve which allowed J. J. a chance to clinch the title. He made full use of his opportunity and scored the three winning points. The final score was J. J. 15, James 13, Aidan 12.

4. SEAMUS POWER v TRISTAN HICKEY

This match was the semi-final of the Under-13 Div. 1 Boys One-Day Blitz. Again it was one of the classic encounters that these two players have produced over the past year. The array of skill, speed and power from both players was a joy to watch.

Seamus drew first blood by claiming the first game on a 15-11 scoreline. 'Tayto' then dominated the second game which was played at a blistering pace and he levelled the match by winning 15-10. After some terrific rallies, Tristan led 8-5 but Seamus produced some top class shots to fight back and win on a 11-8 scoreline.

5. AOIFE HICKEY v NIAMH COFFEY

The final of the Primary School Div. 1 Blitz produced a

truly outstanding encounter. Both Aoife and Niamh produced some amazing shots and rallies that adult players would have been proud of. Aoife was first to get on the scoresheet with a 15-11 victory in the first game. Niamh reacted by producing one of the best individual performances seen during the year and levelled the final with a 15-4 victory. Again both players played brilliantly in the tiebreaker but it was Niamh who clinched victory on a 11-2 victory.

6. SHARON O'CONNOR v MAIREAD HICKEY

This was the final of the Under-13 Girls One Day Blitz. It was played at a frantic pace and both players played some top class shots. Mairead was victorious in the first game winning by 15-10 but Sharon levelled the match winning the second game on a replica score of the first game. We were then treated to a nailbiting tiebreaker which saw Sharon clinch the title by winning on a 11-9 scoreline.

7. WILLIE POWER v SEAMUS POWER

This was Round 5 of the Juvenile Round Robin League. It was another outstanding spectacle that saw Willie produce his best ever performance. Willie clinched victory in the first game before Seamus levelled the match with a 15-9 victory in the second game. Willie then capped a tremendous performance by winning the tiebreaker on a 11-6 scoreline.

8. JULIA WALTON v NIAMH COFFEY

This was Round 8 of last year's Under-13 Girls Summer League. Amid great cheering and excitement, both girls produced stunning performances that thrilled the large crowd in attendance. Niamh won the first game 15-9 with Julia taking the second game with a replica scoreline. The tiebreaker was superb as both girls gave it their all and it was Julia who eventually claimed the victory on an 11-9 scoreline.

9. MICHELLE GLEESON v AOIFE HICKEY

This was another Round 8 match of last year's Under-13 Girls Summer League. It was a classic showdown played between two very talented individuals. Aoife took the lead winning the opening game by 15-11. Michelle reacted superbly to take the second game on a 15-8 scoreline and then she performed brilliantly in the tiebreaker to clinch a superb 11-4 victory.

10. MARIE QUINLAN v CLAIRE DALTON

This third round match of the Autumn Team League produced one of the best comebacks seen throughout the year. Claire took the first game on a 15-13 scoreline and then found herself serving for the match at 14-8 in the second. Marie then began her heroic comeback and fought back to win on a 15-14 scoreline and then she went on to clinch the overall victory by winning the tiebreaker on an 11-6 scoreline.

11. CUT-THROAT DIV. 3 BOYS FINAL

Shane Hickey, Robbie Power and Finnian Grace contested this final and they again created a superb spectacle for the crowd. 'Pele' was making his debut here and it proved to be a successful one in which he got the backing of the majority of the crowd. Every shot was roared on as 'Pele' captured the title. The final score was Finnian 15, Shane 11 and Robbie 8.

12. WILLIE POWER v TRISTAN HICKEY

This was Round 4 of the Juvenile Round Robin League. It was a Div. 1 showdown that was played at an extremely fast pace. Both players played with their usual never say die attitude which was a joy to watch. In the end it was Tristan that just hung on to record a narrow 15-10, 15-13 victory.

TOURANEENA ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

After two days of County Track & Field Championships, David McCarthy took first place in the Boys Under-10 300m and 800m and second in the 80m. Eoin Walsh took third place in the Boys Under-10 300m and Diarmaid Walsh also ran a great race in the boys Under-9 300m to take third place despite having to finish the race with a leg injury. The three boys, with club mate Conor McGrath, also won gold in the Under-10 Relay and David and Eoin were also members of the winning Under-11 Boys Relay team.

Congratulations to Eibhlís Ahearne on winning the 100m and 200m in the East Munster Girls Track & Field Schools Championships recently and in doing so Eibhlís set a new record of 25.74 secs. for the 200m. The previous record stood since 1980. We wish Eibhlís all the best for the Munster Schools Finals which will be held this Saturday in Cork.

TOURANEENA BADMINTON CLUB NOTES

Touraneena fared very well in the finals of the Waterford County Championships played in Lady Lane, Waterford City. Pride of place goes to Dick Guiry and Paula Connors who both recorded doubles. Results as follows —

Mens Div. 2 - Dick Guiry and Declan Kiely beat M. Morrissey and B. Bennett (Dunmore); Ladies Div. 2 - M. Wall and M. Flynn lost to T. Kennedy and M. O'Connell; Mens Div. 3 - Dick Guiry and Seanie Kearns beat Mike Gleeson and Pat Cliffe (all Touraneena); Ladies Div. 4 - Paula Connors and Geraldine Hallinan beat G. Dunne and O. Scanlon (Tourin); Mixed Div. 4 - E. Scanlon and Paula Connors beat J. McGrath and J. Callaghan (Modeligo); Mixed Div. 6 - Pat Foley and Nancy Condon beat J. Williams and O. Power (Ballinroad).

Lismore Notes



LISMORE SOCCER CLUB NOTES

With the season now over, we can take a look at the season just finished. For the club the underage players steal the show with the under-16 and under-18 teams showing the seniors what consistency and effort can achieve. The Red House League team finished third last in the eight team Div. 1, just two points above the relegation spot.

The team reached the final of the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup only to be defeated by Brideview on the score of 4-0. Once feared by all other teams in the cup, this Cup Final display was the worst display ever by a Lismore side.

When one looks at the league table, Lismore played fourteen games winning just five, drew three and losing seven games. We scored only nineteen goals while league champions, Pinewood Rangers doubled that amount. There in lies the problem - lack of goalscorers while the defence as a whole held their own apart from the Cup Final. On the credit side

for Joe Tobin and Dave Landers is that they played some of the underage players in the league and the experience they gained can only stand to them next season.

The under-16 team led the victory parade when they captured the Under-16 League. This was a brilliant performance by the team with a play off against Kilworth Celtic to decide the championship. Manager Mark Khan had his team tuned up for the game and sure enough they delivered to be crowned under-16 champions.

The under-18 team finished runners-up to Ardmore in the league and were defeated in the cup semi-final by the same team. Lismore can feel proud of their displays and the management team of Paul Quinn, Carl Landers and Alan Dunne has a team that will, if they can be kept together, be a force in the Red House League especially when they will be playing alongside the experienced senior side. Unfortunately they

came up against one of the best under-18 teams in any league in Ardmore.

The under-14 team, while not managing to get among the honours, will have benefitted from the season's experience and Joe Tobin has told us they will be a force to be reckoned with next season.

So over the next few weeks the club can look forward to what must be done to get back to the top and show consistency, effort and above all the will to want to win the Red House League.

Finally congratulations to two clubs on recent achievements - neighbours Brideview Utd. who had Mick McCarthy in Tallow last Friday to open their splendid new dressing rooms. They are without doubt one of the most progressive clubs both on and off the field. Congratulations also to Youghal who on Sunday night last in Turners Cross defeated Tramore Athletic 5-0 in the Cup Final. They are just four points off of winning promotion to Div. 1 of the Cork R.U.L. Senior League. This they should achieve this week when they play two midweek games.

Here we have two clubs who can lead by example with their own grounds and success on the field of play. We can all learn from them and follow in their example. We thank everyone who has helped us compile our soccer notes since last September and a special thanks to the editor and staff of the "Dungarvan Leader" for printing our reports.

LISMORE DRAMATIC SOCIETY NOTES

A very important meeting will be held this Friday night, May 29 at 9.30. Every member or intending member is urged to attend as it will involve discussion on our forthcoming children's musical presentation, next week's annual night out and auditions for our forthcoming play. You are urged to attend.

WHIST RESULTS

Mary Whelan, Mary Hyland, Paddy and Mary Power, Kathleen Coleman, Moss Morrissey; Raffle - Dick Canning, Mary Power and Tom Brennock; Lucky Tables - Pad Walsh, Tom Brennock, Eamonn Morrow and Sonny Neville.

LISMORE CAMOGIE CLUB NOTES



Photo shows Eamonn Walsh presenting a set of jerseys to Lismore senior team. (L. to r.) Chairperson Anne-Marie O'Gorman, Asst. Secretary Ber Prendergast, Eamonn Walsh, Emma Dunne (capt.), Ciara Tobin, Treasurer Martina Hale.

The senior team had a good win over Gaultier on Wednesday last in the Junior/Senior League. Both teams were short a few players because of exams etc. but the Lismore girls who had travelled the fifty odd miles were determined to make their journey worthwhile. Points from Mary Murphy, Sinead Bennett and Sinead Murphy, along with a goal from Ciara Tobin had us well ahead at half-time.

Mary and Sinead Murphy goaled in the second half with points coming from Mary and Ciara. Anne-Marie O'Gorman led a strong backline that held Gaultier scoreless and we finished a comfortable 3-6 to 0-0 ahead at the final whistle.

This was a great result considering that over half of our team were playing senior for the first time. It looks like we'll have a healthy competition for places come June 28 girls.

Panel - C. Ormonde, C. Murphy, A. O'Gorman, M. Hale, C. Tobin, S. Bennett, N. Barry, M. Murphy, S. Murphy, V. Barry, L. Fleming.

The last Junior/Senior League game is away to Butlerstown on Friday, May 29 at 7 p.m. Players leaving the Monument at 5.45 p.m. sharp.

Our under-14 team made their exit from the Under-14 Championship on Monday night at the hands of an excellent Butlerstown team. A Sinead Murphy goal gave us an early lead but this was shortlived as Karen Kelly, Butlerstown's D. J. Carey, rattled the Lismore net twice in the next five minutes with two superb goals. The Lismore girls worked very hard but were unable to convert their efforts into scores and another goal deflected off a defender's helmet, hit the corner of our net. K. Kelly put over two

30's and added from play to give Butlerstown a 3-3 to one goal lead at half-time.

Lismore battled all the way through the second half but K. Kelly's individual display could not be stopped. She added another 1-3 to her tally in this half and another goal from Butlerstown brought their total to 5-6 to Lismore's 2-1 with Sinead Murphy getting all our scores.

Victory was not Lismore's lot on this occasion but every one of the players involved can feel proud of the way they played. They gave their best on the night and fought hard for every ball, matching Butlerstown's efforts throughout the field.

These girls are now training for the Under-16 and Under-12 Championships. Training goes ahead on this Wednesday at 6 p.m. in the C.B.S. Field.

Panel - A. O'Brien, L. Leahy, M. Landers, O. Daly, N. Ryan, D. Keane, L. Geoghegan, L. Fleming, N. Morrissey, S. Murphy, L. Buckley, C. Byrne, C. Houlihan, M. Hennessy, R. Walsh, D. Barry, N. Bynes, O. Roche, T. Morrissey.

Our under-12 team will try to extend their unbeaten run in the championship when they travel to Roanmore on Saturday next. Players to be at the Monument at 1.30 p.m. Parents please take note.

LOW TURNOUT AT POLLS

Last Friday saw the two Referendas take place. The three booths at the C.B.S. recorded a poll of 46% which was low considering the importance of each referendum. Many people told us they didn't understand the Amsterdam Treaty and found it difficult to vote. But where every voter was concerned, the important vote was on Northern Ireland and the Good Friday Treaty.

The result from the 32 counties let the politicians know what is wanted - peace. The tragic history of the past thirty years or so should never be allowed to dictate and bully us. The paramilitaries, those with the gun and violence, must be told their day is finished. All of us on this island want our children to grow up in peace and not see grieving families on television as they bury their loved ones having been murdered by those whose only intention is violence - violence with the bomb and gun.

During the course of the voting last Friday, some parents had their children with them and of course the boys were only too delighted to show their fathers and mothers their classrooms. One nine year old really brought home to this writer and those who were in the vicinity of the polling booth when he wrote on a blackboard 'vote yes for peace, vote no for war'. Coming from a nine year old, this summed up what we are all about and brought home to us what the children want for the rest of their lives.

Finally a coincidence or good planning by R.T.E. when on Sunday night they screened "Cal" directed by our own Pat O'Connor. It told of a love story in Belfast in the past thirty years and of some of the destruction and loss of life committed by the I.R.A.

One can understand only too well why we all want peace having seen Pat O'Connor's well directed and moving picture. Finally reverting to last Friday's vote in Lismore, it must be said the turnout was small at 46%. Surely it should have been higher.

LISMORE TIDY TOWNS

A golden opportunity comes our way on Thursday, June 4 and Friday, June 5 when

as part of the clean up week, Waterford County Council will provide a collection service to each household in the town who may wish to do a late spring clean of their garage, shed or attic and get rid of items which would cost money to dispose of. As part of this clean up, we will be having a sweep up on Thursday, June 4 at 7 p.m. Please come and help us. Tidy Towns judging will start during that week and as first impressions count, we must make a good effort. More news of sweep up next week.

CLEAN UP LISMORE WEEK

Waterford County Council will provide a free collection of household items on Thursday, June 4 and Friday, June 5 from 6.30 p.m. to 9 p.m. (both evenings). All items will be collected within the town limits. Usual items such as fridges, cookers, chairs, carpets, bicycles etc. No domestic refuse will be collected. For further details contact Eric at Lismore (058) 54156.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WIDOWS IN IRELAND

WEST WATERFORD BRANCH

Please note our next meeting is on Tuesday, June 2 at 8 p.m. in Lismore Hotel. As arrangements for our annual outing on June 23 are being finalised, a good attendance would be appreciated. Deposits will be taken at the meeting. All members and their friends will be very welcome to join us.

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FROM WEEKEND MAY 29

★ **SCORPIO**

OCTOBER 24 to
NOVEMBER 22

In love, you need to know where you stand. This is not a time to pressurise or to be pressurised. This would only lead to negative outcomes. Try to be a little patient and prepared to wait and see. There are positive changes coming your way, especially in a situation where you and another haven't been getting on so well. The tide is set to turn. At last, life is plain sailing on the emotional front. Want to know more? **Telephone 155-151-308.**

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★ **ARIES**

MARCH 21 to
APRIL 20

Money
that has
been

owed in the past is now paid back. This is a time of return and reward. Repairs are costly but well worthwhile. In love, you are clearer about what would make you happy. It is time to speak your mind, even if you have to say some things that someone doesn't want to hear. Avoid parenting adults. Be as good to yourself as you are to others. Don't ignore your own needs. **Need to know more? Telephone 1550-151-301.**

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★ **SAGITTARIUS**

NOV. 23 to
DEC. 21

You could soon hear of a pregnancy or birth. A decision is set to go in your favour. Be sure not to see someone as an angel and someone else as a devil. You could have got it wrong, you know. Be a little secretive and play your cards close to your chest. Expect a forthcoming celebration that will allow for a reunion. You can act as an important bridge between others. **Telephone 1550-151-309 for more celestial news and views.**

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★ **TAURUS**

APRIL 21 to
MAY 21

In love, you are prepared to lay it on the line and someone won't be too quick to call your bluff. What would life be without you? Regardless of current difficulties, you can find happiness. A family member is causing everyone concern. Allay worries. Adults are ultimately responsible for themselves. Be supportive of someone who really cares and who needs your helping hand. **For further insights, telephone 1550-151-302.**

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★ **CAPRICORN**

DEC 22 to
JAN 20

A love at first sight encounter will prove exciting but don't go too starry eyed. Look before you leap. In an important issue, you are asked to take a stand. Your loyalty may come into question. A new friendship blossoms in this positive period. Travel, no matter how short the distance, will prove enjoyable. It is good to be on the move again. Expect last minute changes to your plans. **Telephone 1550-151-310 for a detailed analysis.**

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★ **GEMINI**

MAY 22 to
JUNE 21

You are prepared to work hard and you don't expect things to happen over night. You are ready to make plans and to stick with them. This combination makes you a winner. This is a challenging week but you have what it takes to confront all contenders. You can now formulate a new plan and you know you are on the right track, even if others don't understand. **For more on love and luck, work and money, telephone 1550-151-303.**

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★ **AQUARIUS**

JAN 21 to
FEB 19

This is a week to be flexible. Don't expect everything to go as per the plan. You could end up pleasantly surprised. Finding that things have gone better than planned. Be open to options. When it comes to work or important projects, be sure not to stay stuck or to drag your heels. In personal matters, avoid being stubborn for the sake of it. Time for an update? **Telephone 1550-151-311. for an in depth astrological assessment.**

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★ **CANCER**

JUNE 22 to
JULY 23

Absence makes the heart grow fonder. Someone is missing you and growing all the more appreciative due to space. This is a week to take things to completion. Be sure to finish what you start. That said, watch out for excesses. Recognise your limitations. In particular, avoid feeling overly responsible for the happiness and well being of those around you. You get the opportunity to cross water. **Take this opportunity to telephone 1550-151-304.**

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★ **PISCES**

FEBRUARY 20 to
MARCH 20

You have entered a period transition. You are quite assertive, capable of taking control. Be sure not to come across as a dictator. Respect the opinions of others and try to find a fair balance. Business and pleasure might not mix so well at the moment. Try to avoid having too much of a social connection with those you need to keep on a professional level. Finances improve. **Interested in knowing more? Telephone 1550-151-312.**

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★ **LEO**

JULY 24 to
AUGUST 23

You need a straight, no-nonsense approach. That said, don't expect others to be direct with you. There are those who simply can't give a straight answer and who will use evasive strategy. Those around you think of you as an easy going type. Sometimes you bottle up those minor irritations which leads to major eruptions. Practise saying what you feel and think before situations get out of hand. **Telephone 1550-151-305 for details.**

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★ **VIRGO**

AUGUST 24 to
SEPT. 23

Make peace with someone who feels guilty. Where you have been prepared to work hard, someone else has been prepared to sit pretty. Continue to invest effort if you are sure of the rewards. You are looking for a level of appreciation. This has been lacking for some time. Others have become too used to you carrying the can and taking you and those efforts for granted. **Telephone 1550-151-306 for more about what's in store.**

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★ **LIBRA**

SEPTEMBER 24 to
OCTOBER 23

Financially, you don't have a lot to spare. You need to take charge in money matters and to find a new independence. Material security is something that you deserve. Expect a windfall. Take account of the effect of others on your financial status and count those pennies carefully. In love, this is not an easy week but the beginning of a constructive period. Make love, not war. **Make time to telephone 1550-151-307 for a full update.**

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**Give Your Lawn The
Kiss Of Life**

ONCE a lawn is established regular maintenance is needed to ensure its health and attractive appearance. The most frequent tasks are, of course, mowing and watering.

But annual maintenance may also include fertilising, top-dressing, aerating and controlling moss, weeds, pests and diseases.

WATERING

Grass, once established, generally resists drought well but growth slows down and the turf turns brown in prolonged dry spells.

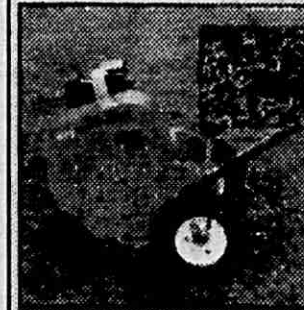
To maintain growth and colour, it is essential to water the lawn thoroughly in very dry periods. The best time to water is in the early morning or during the evening to minimise evaporation. It is vital to give the lawn enough water. The soil should be moistened to a depth of five inches.

FERTILISING

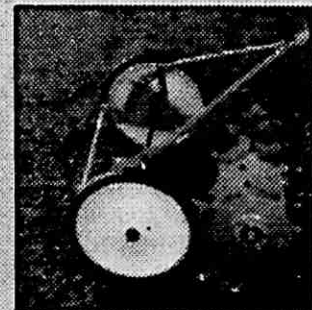
As with all plants, grasses require nutrients to grow and regular applications of fertiliser help ensure a vigorous healthy lawn. Nitrogen is the nutrient most commonly added and fertilisers are the best way to add nutrients to the lawn. Both organic and artificial products are available and the exact amount of fertiliser required depends on how quickly water drains from the soil.

RENOVATING A NEGLECTED LAWN

The best time to start renovation work is early spring because the grass will grow well during the spring and summer and



Aerating by Machine: For large lawns use a mechanical aerator - work in overlapping runs



Siltting: Done with a special machine allowing air into the soil - push back and forth across the lawn



Hollow Tining: Use a purpose-designed tool - work across the lawn to lift out cores of grass and soil



Spiiking: For small lawns, use a garden fork - insert the fork straight, then lean it back slightly to let in air

should be well established by the end of the season. First, cut the grass to about two inches using a rotary mower and remove any clippings. After seven days, mow again but this time with a cylinder mower set to its highest cut. Over the next two weeks gradually reduce the height of the cut until it reaches the correct level. At this stage feed the lawn with a liquid fertiliser and two weeks later apply a weedkiller. If there any bare or uneven patches, they may be reseeded after 14 days.

PESTS AND DISEASES

Most high-quality lawns are treated to remove earthworms because worm casts provide ideal sites for the germination of weeds. Several turf diseases including brown patch, fairy rings, red thread, snow mould and dollar spot attack lawns - particularly in hot humid conditions. Fusarium patch is a problem in cold regions and may even occur under snow. Preventive sprays may be necessary but in coolish temperatures and maritime climates it is usual only to spray in serious cases.

LAWN WEEDS

The simplest method of dealing with weeds is to use a weed and feed mixture applied with a fertiliser spreader or by hand. If the lawn is affected by moss treat it with a chemical moss killer or lawn sand then remove it by scarification (vigorous raking).

REPAIRING DAMAGE

If an area of the lawn becomes damaged or patchy, it can usually be repaired by removing the affected part then turfing or reseeded. It is important to use turf or seed that is the same type as the rest of the lawn. If you don't know the type, use a patch of turf from a less prominent part of the lawn to repair the damaged area. If the problem of lawn damage occurs repeatedly it may be necessary to consider covering the area with a different surface such as paving.

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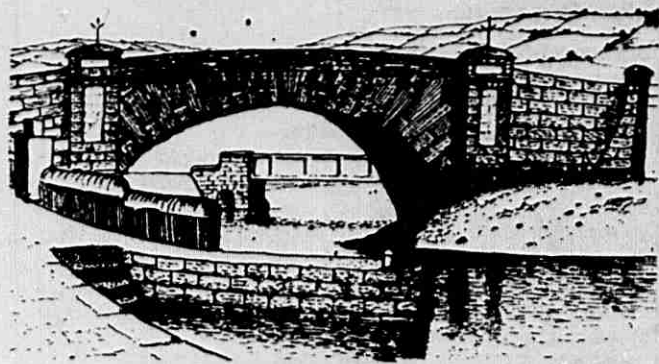
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ABBEYSIDE TOPICS

The Bridge And The Causeway



The construction of Devonshire Bridge was financed by the Fifth Duke of Devonshire at a cost of £5,000. The work on the bridge from beginning to end was supervised and carried out by Jesse Hartley who was born in Pontefract, Yorkshire in the year 1750. He was the son of a stonemason bridgeman. He worked on the Bridge at Ferrybridge, Yorkshire and his next work was Castleford Bridge, Yorkshire which has an inscription stone "Jesse Hartley Builder 1808."

He came to Abbeyside and Dungarvan to construct the Bridge and Causeway in 1809 and he remained here until 1818. While in Ireland Hartley married Ellen Penny, daughter of the Seneschal William Penny. [Seneschal = a steward who superintended feasts and domestic ceremonies]

Jesse Hartley is frequently mentioned in a series of Ledgers in the National Library, where he is mentioned as "Jesse Hartley Architect."

In relation to the Bridge there is an entry in them — Dec. 25 1818 — G. B. Jackson on account of timber for Dungarvan Bridge - £328.

Another entry refers to the compensation given to tenants through whose property the new road from the causeway was constructed: Jan. 11, 1817 — "Paid sundry persons, half years rent due Sept. 29, 1816 for giving up their houses and small plots of ground at Abbeyside where the new road leading from the Bridge now runs."

FINISHED PRODUCT

The Bridge as built is both graceful and striking in appearance. It is single arched and built of rusticated sandstone, all of which was imported from England. It has massive voussoirs [a series of stones shaped like wedges, with which an arch is constructed, the middle one of which is called the keystone]

The keystone is a scroll keystone. The piers have rectangular panels with a cornice above, and over this

is a small limestone panel. It is often said that the foundations were constructed from blankets but whether this is an 'old wives tale' or not it is difficult to tell. The scribe in his research into the construction of the bridge did not come across any reference to the matter of the blankets.

The construction of the Bridge and Causeway must have been a massive improvement to the Abbeyside/Dungarvan area.

The Bridge was officially opened in 1816.

Will It Or Will It Not

The owner of the former hermitage in Abbeyside has been given 3 weeks by Dungarvan U.D.C. to demolish the property.

A Dangerous Buildings Notice was served on the owner recently directing him to clear the site. If the eyesore isn't removed by June 10, the Council will move in and level it themselves.

However, local Cllr. Paddy Power remains sceptical. "I'll guarantee that nothing will have been done this time 12 months," he told a meeting of the Urban District Council at which he accused the authority management of "not having the guts" to make the controversial site safe. "There'll be some child killed or poisoned over there," he added referring to the growing rodent problem in the area.

County Manager Donal Connolly rejected any suggestion that the Council hadn't the courage to act. Tenders had already been received re the re-instatement of the site and should the owner — who says he intends to sell the property — fail to comply with the Dangerous Structures Notice, it would be demolished. He accepted that the owner could get an injunction to prevent the Council from moving in. If that did happen, the U.D.C. would have to look at obtaining a court order allowing them to remove the building.

Tournore Housing Application

A planning application for 192 houses on land formerly owned by the late Mrs. Denny was lodged recently with the local authority.

A large proportion of the 28.6 acres involved however is zoned in the Dungarvan Development Plan for agriculture with only a small section of the land adjacent to the Waterford Road zoned for residential purposes.

If the local authority is to even consider the application, Council members must first vote to change the land zoning.

SEAPARK

The largest housing development with the urban area at present is Seapark in Abbeyside which consists of 155 houses. County Manager Donal Connolly revealed that the proposed housing development would result in a housing density of six to seven houses per acre while 4.5 acres (16%) of the land would be devoted to green space which is just above the average of 15%. Access into the proposed estate would be from Bohereenawillin.

Mr. Connolly stated that a number of questions need to be raised with the developers regarding the adequate servicing of the land such as the lack sewer service in the area, the provision of road improvements, public lighting and the lay-out of the estate.

Cllr. Billy Kyne pointed out that permission had already been granted for a further six houses on the road which already services St. Augustine's College and Scoil Gharbhain.

Cllr. Fiachra O Ceilleachair stated that an estimated 600 people would eventually take up residence in the development.

Pilgrimage To The Holy Land

This pilgrimage will take place from the 17th to the 26th of September next. The pilgrimage will be led by a spiritual director.

The flight is from Cork Airport and pilgrims will be accommodated in 3 and 4 star hotels in Bethlehem and Tiberias. The all in cost is £689 and there are no hidden extras.

For further information, intending pilgrims should contact, Patricia Mulcahy, New Line, Abbeyside. The phone number is (058) 41853.

ABBEYSIDE SCOUT NOTES

Last Saturday no meeting was held, instead everyone met at the den to take part in this years in door cooking competition which began shortly after 12 noon and ended some three and a half hours later. The examiners for the day were Fran McGovern, John Mullarkey and Ciaran Walsh and indeed they had a difficult task in picking a winner with the standard being so high! A four course menu with the main course being pork chops, potatoes and veg was the standard fare for all the patrols and each patrol proved themselves quite capable of cooking to the required standard. Some nice little touches were evident as the examiners went around such as matching cutlery and delph as well as napkins, obviously some parents coached their sons in the finer arts!

Three thirty arrived and a winner was announced and that patrol was John Foley's and John proudly stepped up to accept the award on behalf of his patrol, well done John, and thanks once again to Fran, Ciaran and John for giving of their time to mark the competition.

CATERING CREW

Last weekend saw the crew in action once again catering for 148 cubs and leaders from Cork. A busy weekend was reported with the female members of the crew a bit disappointed that the cubs were not scouts, we hear the warden was missed and things were not the same without him! The next crew weekend will be the regional Father and cub camp at the end of June and the bags are packed already.

CUB NOTES

A little over a fortnight ago the Annual Regional Mother and Cub camp was held in Mount Melleray Scout Centre and once again proved a huge suc-

cess. As in previous years the weekend got under way on Saturday morning following the welcoming by the camp chief Brian who introduced all the leaders to all present, explained a few simple rules and then it was down to business.

The fun began with a number of games involving a lot of running about in order to clear the cobwebs and psyche everyone up not that many people needed to be psyched up as we already had some psycho's! An early lunch was on the cards as the afternoon programme involved going to Ferryhouse to enjoy the fine facilities there, as a larger than expected crowd turned up to this years event we could not fit everyone on the one large bus and so some of the mothers drove and for this we express our thanks.

Ferryhouse with it's pool, sauna, Turkish bath and sports hall was a great hit with both Mothers and cubs, mind you not many of the mothers went in for a game of soccer, I think a lot of them rushed to the bar, the refreshment bar I mean! At four thirty everyone boarded the bus for the trip back to Melleray where the dinner was devoured at six o'clock. At seven everyone gathered in the church for Mass celebrated by the Regional Chaplain Fr. M. Keogh who at the end of Mass congratulated the choir made up of mothers for the wonderful job they had done. A.R.C. for Cubs Mr. Willie Gallagher in his speech thanked the mothers for making the time to come along and by their presence endorsing the fine work of all the leaders present.

Following Mass a camp fire was held and everyone enjoyed themselves immensely. A group of cubs from Ballincollig also joined in the fun and the sketch

they did went down a treat, the hit of the night was when everyone did a machine gun bravo. Following the campfire video's were played for the cubs while the mothers headed to the Cats for some much deserved liquid refreshments and entertainment led by Brian and Deirdre on guitar.

Sunday saw the normal early start and following breakfast everyone hiked to the Glen to do some backwoods cooking, volleyball and a scavenger hunt with a very awkward question at the end. On arriving back at the Scout Centre lunch was downed by all and following a clean up everyone assembled in the half acre for the closing ceremony where as a parting gift all the mother's received a certificate as a mark of their achievement in having survived the weekend. In his closing remarks Brian thanked everyone and hoped to see them all again next year, he also reminded them of the upcoming Father and Cub camp which will be an all weekend long affair camping out in the campsite to be held on the last weekend in June.

Congratulations — All here in Abbeyside Scouting would like to wish Maura Burke best wishes on her recent marriage to John Purcell. Maura was involved in the Cappoquin Cub section and was a familiar face all regional activities and an important part of the club team in the Deise region. We wish them both well for the future.

SCOUT DRAW

Results of Week 10 — 1st (£50) Leonore Byrne, Clonea Rd.; 2nd (£20) John Collender, Knockateemore; 3rd (£20) Jim Daly, c/o Waterford County Council; 4th (£10) Solena Power, c/o Danny's.

(Draw sponsored by John and Deirdre Collender, Knockateemore.)

SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to all the relatives of Mick Cosgrave who died recently. Mick was a good neighbour to the Troop at Sarsfield Street all his life and gave us all the support he could possibly give.

We also extend our sympathy to all the relatives of Annie Clancy, Home Rule Street who died last week. The Clancy association with the 4th Waterford goes back to its very foundation as it was in "Clancy's Garage" that Fr. Crotty found a home for the infant troop before moving to the purpose built Scout Den at Sarsfield Street in the early thirties.

The association did not stop there as the whole Clancy family held a life long interest in the fortunes of the 4th Waterford and were at all times most supportive of Abbeyside Scouting. — Scribe

FRANCIS LEDWIDGE LECTURE

The lecture on the poet and soldier was organised recently by Cumann Caoineadh Saighdiuiri Chead Chogadh Dhomhanda, the Museum Society and the Archives Committee. Eighty people attended at Lawlors Hotel and the principal speaker was Liam O Meara of the Inchicore Ledwidge Society.

Liam was delighted to speak to the people attending as coincidentally it paralleled with the work he is doing at the present time i.e. a biography, comprising of a series of essays on Francis Ledwidge: essay, one is, Ledwidge and the Politics of Ireland in the First World War. He is also working on placing a permanent memorial to Ledwidge at Islandbridge. If he gets permission, the memorial will likely be in the form of a plaque set into the ground as no plaque or inscription will be allowed on the walls of the park as these are part of the original 'Lutens' design. He will be meeting the President (if her schedule permits) in May to speak with her about the Society.

One of Ledwidge's most famous poems was the one on Thomas MacDonagh:

He shall not hear the bitter cry
In the wild sky, where he is lain,
Nor the voices of the sweeter birds
Above the wailing rain.

MONEY MATTERS

GOING TO COURT FOR DEBTS

Sometimes, for many different reasons, people are faced with going to Court because they have fallen behind in their payments to lending institutions.

If the case is going ahead, then the most important piece of advice is to GO TO THE COURT HEARING. The Judge will want to hear all the facts of the case before he makes a decision and this can only happen if you are at the hearing.

But before the lender takes you to Court, he will have made attempts to contact you about your arrears and how best to pay them. Our advice is, try to come to an arrangement before it goes to Court. Most creditors are happy to make an arrangement that is within your means to pay.

Remember each new court date may mean that you will be liable to pay more court costs.

The Money Advice and Budgeting Service will be glad to act as an intermediary between you and your creditors to help solve your financial difficulties.

If you have to go to court: -

Check that you have copies of all legal documents.

Allow plenty of time to get to court. Arrive on time.

Get up-to-date statement from your lender.

Behave in a businesslike manner in court.

Bring someone with you for moral support.

ATTEND THE HEARING.

Finally — Our advice is, don't overlook your debts — they will not go away by turning a blind eye to them.

The Money Advice & Budgeting Service is based at 36 Lower Main St., Dungarvan (Tel 058-44922) and provides a service throughout the West Waterford area. It is part of the national MABS Service and is free, confidential and independent.

FBD Milk Rás '98

(The Route)

God bless the young men in Rás Tailteann
They'll set out from Dublin once more
Tubbercurry to Westport on Monday
Achill Island they'll climb and they'll soar.

Kilrush, then Listowel and Killarney
Molls Gap on the road to Kenmare
The foreigners will test the home riders
On the tough stage to Castletownbere.

On Thursday they'll hit Ballingeary
After pedalling the Keiminneigh Pass
They'll ride out of Mallow on Friday
For Dungarvan and scenic New Ross

On Saturday they'll cycle through Wicklow
The mountains, the wind and the rain
They'll be glad to see Ballymore Eustace
The yellow jersey is feeling the pain!

Race Director is famed Dermot Dignam,
(Ben McKenna's great work we recall),
The last stage in Dublin's fair city,
Will prove who's the best overall.

Joe Christle that founded Rás Tailteann
He started a bicycle boom
The year Paul McQuaid took the title
Brian Quinn won the stage into Tuam.

- Sean O hAirtneáda, Mainistir na Féile.

Lismore/Ballysaggart Community Games



Group of winners and competitors at the Lismore/Ballysaggart Community Games. Included are Gerald Walsh, Chairman Lismore & Cappoquin Credit Union Ltd, Bernard Leddy, Director, Eleanor Burns, Treasurer, John Landers, Assistant Secretary Lismore Community Games. Medals were sponsored by the Lismore & Cappoquin Credit Union Ltd. On the far right are Community Games officers and coaches Eric Flynn and John Cahill.

NEWSREEL FROM CO. WATERFORD VEC

VOTE OF SYMPATHY

Members of the Co. Waterford Vocational Education Committee have extended their sincere sympathy to the husband Tom and family of the late Patricia Grace, late of Ballinagoul, Ring who died recently.

Proposing the vote of sympathy at this month's meeting of the VEC, Cllr. Nuala Ryan said the late Mrs. Grace was held in high esteem and respected by all the VTOS students and staff. The vote of sympathy was seconded by Cllr. Lar Hart.

A vote of sympathy was also extended by the committee to Violet Keating, a member of the teaching staff at Dungarvan Technical College on the recent death of her aunt Mrs. Rita Roche, Mary Street, wife of the well known former athletic official Con Roche.

KILMATHOMAS SCHOOL EXTENSION

The planned extension to St. Declan's Community College in Kilmathomas is now ready to move onto the fourth stage in the planning process. The 1570 square metre extension will double in area the existing college where the enrolment figures are reaching an all time high.

Chief Executive Officer of the Co. Waterford VEC, Kieran Heffernan told this month's committee meeting that the Department of Education has sanctioned the construction of two prefab classrooms at the school as a temporary measure to cater for the overflow of students next September.

Welcoming the news, Cllr. Tom Cunningham, who is

on the school's Parents Council, said he was delighted that the extra classrooms have been given the go-ahead.

NEW VTOS BUILDING

Last week's meeting of the VEC was held in the new offices of the Vocational Training Opportunity Scheme at 4, Church Street, Dungarvan where all the various VTOS projects for the long term unemployed are now under one roof. This very successful scheme tutors students in a wide range of skills and prepares them for the examinations of several examining bodies including the NCVA.

A free creche from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. is available for mothers and fathers participating in VTOS courses at the centre.

Addressing the meeting, VTOS coordinator Tonya Lineen said she and the staff are delighted with the new facility having previously used the premises of Dungarvan Youth Club, the St. Vincent de Paul rooms, Lawlor's Hotel and the Presentation Convent.

A total of eighty people currently use the Church Street building while twenty people are using the newly established VTOS offices in Portlaw from where it is hoped that many students will start up their own businesses around the county.

Ms. Lineen reported that new VTOS courses are going from strength to strength with the art, craft and design course proving most popular and she hoped to hold an exhibition of students' work at a later stage.

Speaking of the expanding

range of courses each year, Ms. Lineen said the local VTOS centre introduces new courses which best suit local employers and the current jobs market such as tourism, information processing, business, secretarial and computers courses etc.

"The best thing is seeing unemployed people come in and restore their dignity", said Ms. Lineen. She thanked all who have supported VTOS, including the members of the Co. Waterford VEC.

Kieran Heffernan, CEO of the committee congratulated Ms. Lineen on setting out the new building and getting it up and running.

He said that when the new school comes on stream it is hoped to relocate VTOS and other projects back into the existing school at Wolfe

Tone Road which is one of the reasons why the committee are trying to maintain the school to as high a standard as possible.

"I hope the old school will be as good as the new school, facility wise", he added.

Complimenting all associated with VTOS, committee chairman, Billy Kyne said the challenge facing the scheme is continuing to meet the job service gap and identifying different niches for courses. He pledged the full and continuing support of the VEC to Ms. Lineen and staff.

Jimmy Byrne said that in his capacity as manager of the Dungarvan Centre for the Unemployed, he had referred many people to VTOS and had received good feedback.

Doctors' Fees For Services Should Be Displayed Says Cllr.

A member of Waterford Co. Council has called on the South Eastern Health Board to introduce a policy whereby doctors fees for services are displayed in all their clinics.

Speaking at this month's meeting of the local authority, Cappoquin councillor Nora Flynn said she knew of instances where patients had been charged anything between £17 and £30 by their G.P. for a visit and stressed that a price list should be on public display at health clinics and doctors premises, so that people would know in advance how much a visit or treatment would cost.

Cllr. Flynn told the meeting that she talked to one person who admitted that they were afraid to go to a doctor as they didn't know how much they would be charged.

All other businesses, said Cllr. Flynn have no difficulty in displaying a price list and the health board should adopt a policy of displaying doctors fees.

Price lists, she added, are normally only displayed at local health clinics to inform the public of revised costs.



Members of Dungarvan Walking Club with officers of the West Waterford Hospice planning this year's Annual George Harney Memorial Walk. Seated (left to right) Mary Kyrne, Ann O'Donnell (Secretary WWH), Sheila Creed, Claudia Cassin; standing: Michael J. Power, John Moran, Chairman WWH, Michael Power, Ita Phelan and Kevin Moore. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Waterford Macra Na Feirme Notes

IFI NATIONAL SILAGE COMPETITION won the 1998 Macra na Feirme I.F.I. National Silage Competition. Congratulations to Michael O'Donnell, Ballyduff Macra who recently

FOOTBALL On Sunday last, 24th May,

the men's and ladies football games were played in Modeligo. Well done to the Cappoquin men's team who beat Ballysaggart and will play against Clonea Power in the final in the near future. Knockanore Macra were the winners of the ladies football final after defeating Cappoquin and Ballysaggart.

MISS BLUE JEANS

Best of luck to Therese Byrne, Cappoquin Macra who will represent Waterford in the Blue Jean County Queen Festival this weekend in Athboy, Co. Meath. Therese will have plenty of support there from the Cappoquin Club.

Kinsalebeg Macra Na Feirme Notes

BEST WISHES

The club sends best of luck to Breeda Hyland, our Training Officer, who is going to Dublin to work in Macra Headquarters.

I would like to thank her for her help in the past and wish her the best of luck in the future.

DRAMA

Next Sunday night our actors and actresses will be on the road again. This time it's by invitation of Carrigaline Macra (National Drama winners), in which we came third. The play will be performed in the Everyman Theatre, Cork.

WORLD CUP FANTASY LEAGUE

Waterford Executive are holding a fantasy league in aid of the county funds. People are being asked to choose 12 players who will play in the World Cup. These players will gain points on their performance during the World Cup. The person with the team with the highest number of points at the end of the world cup wins. There is a total of £500 in prizes and all members are asked to take part. For further information contact James Meagher, Paddy Quigley, Liam Hallahan or John Flynn.

EXECUTIVE

An executive meeting takes place on Wednesday, 3rd June in The Park Hotel at 9 pm.

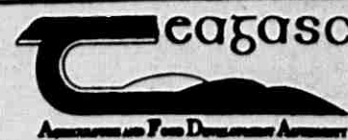
ROSE OF TRALEE

Well done to Waterford Macra's representative Sinead Power, Ballyduff Club, who put on a great performance at the recent Waterford Rose Selection. —P.R.O.

Dungarvan Agricultural Show

The Dungarvan Agricultural Show will take place this year on Thursday, July 30. Home Industries schedule now available from Kay O'Flynn, 1, Finnis Terre Lawns, Seapark, Abbey-side. Telephone 058-42719.

Show Office: John Dwane, "Jonmar," The Burgery or Jane Casey, Florists, Main Street, Dun-



SHEEP

Increasing lamb performance pre-weaning —

The growth rate of March born lambs tends to decrease in late May/June. This decrease is in the order of 60 grammes per day. It leads to reduced weaning weights and later drafting of lambs. Pasture yield and quality appear to be the problem.

Grazing trials at Teagasc Belclare looking at the effect on pre-weaning performance of lambs concluded —

Tight grazing in late May, June will depress lamb.

Depending on residual sward height creep feeding can increase weaning weight by 3 - 4 kg.

Creep grazing can increase weaning weight by 2.5 - 3.0 kg.

TILLAGE - SPRING CEREALS

Early sown spring wheat and barley are at second node stage to flag leaf stage (gs 32-37).

Mildew levels have increased particularly in spring wheat.

Net Blotch is occasionally reported in spring barley.

Some BYDV is evident.

Aphid counts from Oak Park indicate that crops are at risk from BYDV.

Recommendations

1. Apply N topdressing to spring barley at the 1-3 leaf stage where appropriate.

2. Aphid Control - Teagasc Oakpark indicate control of BYDV is best achieved by spraying a contact synthetic pyrethroid aphicide e.g. Cypersect, Decis, Sitrine, Sumi Alpha, Toppel etc. at the 4 - 6 leaf stage of wheat, oats and barley.

Where cereals have been sprayed for leatherjackets with Dursban, Clinch, Sipyrfos or Gamma-lin, Atlas Steward, these products will also control aphids.

3. Weeds - Ideally control weeds at the 3-6 leaf stage of the crop. Choose herbicide(s) based on the weeds to be controlled, crop growth stage and cost. Rates of herbicides may be reduced where the weed Spectrum is susceptible to the chosen product(s).

WINTER OATS

Crops are at flag leaf to early heading stage (gs. 37-51). Growth is satisfactory. Mildew is now widespread at low levels but is occasionally at high levels on vigorous crops in sheltered locations. Crown Rust is reported from Cork, Waterford, Tipperary and Wicklow. Leaf Spot, Septoria and Red Leather Leaf Disease are reported occasionally at low levels. BYDV is widespread at low levels. A pale necrotic, blotchy/streaking of leaves is reported from southern counties. A bacterial agent is suspected.

Recommendations

Apply a triazole strong on mildew control at flag leaf to heading stage. Alto or Folicur are the preferred triazoles. These will also give good control and prevention of Crown Rust. Include reduced rate morpholine or Impulse or Fortress Duo where more than 5% mildew present. Cogito, Endeavour or Gladio will give very good broad spectrum control including Red Leather Leaf Disease.

REPS - Tidy Up Time

This is the time of year that plastic proliferates, including pesticide containers around the farm - ensure it is collected and disposed of safely.

Painting should be done in early summer before it becomes too hot. Remember to use one of the recommended colours and don't mix them i.e. have green doors and grey haysheds.

Be careful of wildlife habitats when doing repair work on old buildings retain access for owls and bats. Use local stone materials when repairing walls.

If you are currently doing a building project give some thought to a programme around it - make sure the builder leaves some top soil.

Flowers and shrubs around animal free areas of the farmyard greatly enhance its appearance.

CATTLE HEADAGE SCHEME REMINDER

The closing date for applications under the Cattle and Beef Cow Headage Scheme is Friday, May 29.

TOMORROWS FARM

This is Ireland's premier event for farming, food and the countryside to be held in Mellows College, Athenry, Co. Galway on Friday, June 12. Teagasc, Co. Waterford are organising a bus to the event for clients only and their families. Contact (058) 4121 for details.

FINE GAEL CONSTITUENCY MEETING

On Friday night last, May 22, Fine Gael Constituency Executive held a meeting in Lawlors Hotel. This was a well attended meeting with constituency organiser Billy Walsh, constituency chairman Michael Veale and secretary Damien Geoghegan in attendance, as was a number of County Councillors.

This was a good open meeting with constituency organisation the main topic on the agenda. Chairman Michael Veale wished to have all branches and districts in a healthy state come selection convention time, later this year, for next year's local elections. He also stressed that it would be good for Fine Gael to see selection contests in each district and city wards. As it is, Fine Gael membership has increased hugely. "It would be great if Fine Gael would have new and young people to go forward and win extra seats for Fine Gael next year," he added.

Constituency organiser Billy Walsh spoke of the Fine Gael National Draw in June and by now each member has received their ticket sent out by H.Q.

Kay Mackay and Lila Kelly from Dunmore East were both unanimously elected as constituency joint treasurers. Well done ladies!

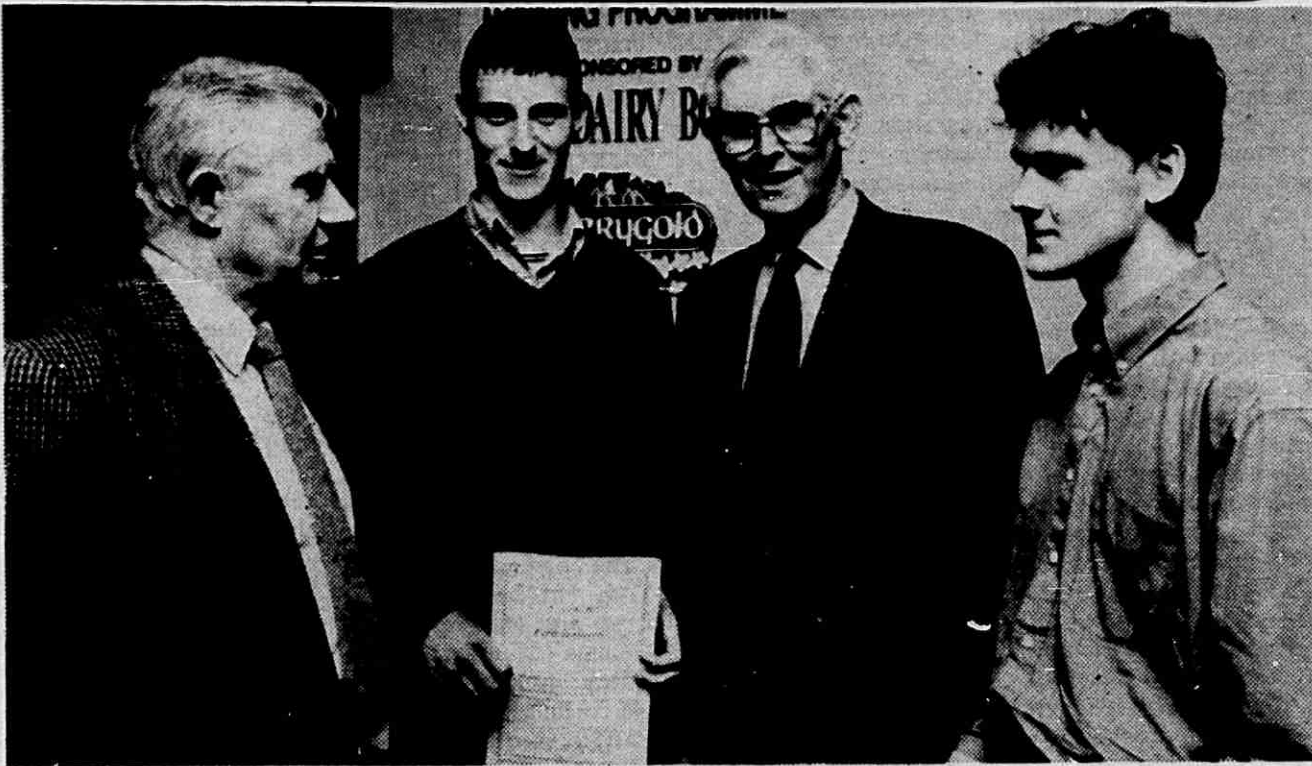
Anna Long, Ballymacarbray, spoke of the closure of the Nire polling booth that day. "People are very annoyed at this as there were two polling booths in the old school." Cllr. Oliver Coffey said he would raise this matter at the next Council meeting.

Both Anna Long and John Deasy were selected to go on to the Munster Regional Committee, joining organiser Billy Walsh.

Good wishes were expressed to T.D. Austin Deasy and we hope to see him back in active politics soon. Before the meeting closed it was decided that the next constituency meeting would be held in Waterford City. Votes of sympathy were expressed to the families of Martin Tobin, Rath, Carrick-on-Suir; the family of John Cullinan, Nire; the family of James Wall, Nire. May they rest in peace.



FARMING LEADER



Pictured at the presentation of Certificates in Farm Husbandry after the completion of the first two years of the Farm Apprenticeship Scheme were (left to right) — Owen Lane, Teagasc Education Officer, Clonmel, Peter O'Loughlin, Seskin, Carrick-on-Suir, Tom Cleary, Chairman Irish Dairy Board, who presented the certificates and William Connors, Ballinagulkee, Ballinamult.

IFA Dairy Committee Examines Partial Land/Quota Link Break

Waterford IFA Dairy Committee Chairman, Michael Murphy said IFA would discuss at local level a proposal to break the land and quota link and exempt from clawback, leases and sales of milk quota to small and medium size producers. Pdraig Walshe said the current quota rules allowed for partial land/quota break under certain conditions. He stated that the proposal was being put forward for consultation to concentrate the current debate on what can be done to direct more quota to smaller and medium size producers in the short term to prepare for the challenges of Santer and WTO.

"The purpose of the proposal is to enable small/medium size producers to reduce their dependency on temporary leasing and restructuring. While these two schemes have worked reasonably well for many smaller dairy farmers in the past, their limitations are now becoming more obvious as unused milk quota becomes much scarcer. Small farmers have found to their cost that these two schemes have become as unpredictable as a lottery. Also, it is impossible to plan reduction because allocations are not made at the beginning of the quota year," Michael Murphy said.

The Waterford Dairy Chairman pointed out: "Most smaller producers want extra quota, but don't need extra land. By allowing them special, lower cost access to the private quota market, our proposal would ensure "positive discrimination" in favour of these producers in all types of milk quota transfers, and eliminate the cost burden of the unwanted land."

"In this context, the definition of small/medium size dairy farmers could also be altered to reflect dependency on dairying rather than just quota size as is currently the case," he added.

Michael Murphy continued: "More farmers now make full use of their quota than ever before. This and some aspects of the Santer proposals will increase the pressure on the temporary leasing and restructuring pools. Breaking the land and quota link for small and medium size producers could allow them access to quota in a more reliable and permanent way, which would prepare them for the market challenges ahead."

"IFA County Dairy Committees will organise local discussions of this proposal to refine and amend it, and indeed to bring forward other constructive ideas from grass-root dairy farmers," he concluded.

CO. WATERFORD ICMSA NEWS

NO TO SIGNING DISCLAIMER FORMS

Mr. Frank Allen, President of ICMSA, said that he was amazed and extremely disappointed that Teagasc are requiring farmers to sign a disclaimer form absolving Teagasc from any errors made in filling application forms.

"Teagasc are charging farmers to complete the 1998 Area Aid application and, as the national Agricultural Advisory Service, should be professional enough to ensure no errors are made and where errors are made that they should take responsibility", Mr. Allen said. "In today's world, purchasers of any goods or services are entitled to compensation if a product is defective."

Mr. Allen advised all farmers using Teagasc services not to sign this disclaimer. A professional body should provide a professional service, Mr. Allen said, and stand over its services without the need to seek protection through disclaimer forms. Farmers' incomes are now very much dependent on direct payments and they are entitled to expect that forms are correctly completed when they are paying for this advisory service. Mr. Allen that ICMSA will raise the issue with Teagasc and will insist that any farmer who signed this form will not lose out as a result.

INJECTION OF £120M TO RURAL ECONOMY IF CFP RE-INTRODUCED

Mr. John O'Connor, Chairman of ICMSA's Farm Services Committee said that if the Control of Farm-

yard Pollution Scheme (CFP) is reintroduced, up to 30,000 additional farmers would be able to join REPS. This would inject an additional £120M per annum into the rural economy.

The importance of the reintroduction of the CFP and Dairy Hygiene Scheme (DHS) cannot be overstated, Mr. O'Connor said. The Schemes do not only benefit farmers but also the environment and the local economy through farmer investment in buildings of £150M per annum. In the construction industry alone, farm buildings supports about 6,000 jobs. Unless the schemes are reintroduced, investment is inevitably going to fall. Preliminary estimates for 1998 would suggest that farm buildings investment will fall by £60M. Such a reduction will undoubtedly have an impact on rural economies.

The Minister now has the necessary structural funds available to re-open these schemes and thus should honour his commitments to ICMSA. If the Government are serious about rural development, they must take initiatives to maintain existing jobs. The CFP and DHS are two schemes which will help achieve this. Many farms, in particular dairy farms need investment to meet new standards. If assistance is not provided quickly, many of these farms will cease to exist. The Minister should act now to ensure that these farms do not go out of business, Mr. O'Connor concluded.

ICMSA CALLS FOR INDEPENDENT DISEASE ERADICATION BOARD

The Disease Eradication Scheme is unwieldy and inefficient and will remain so as long as it remains within the Department of Agriculture, according to ICMSA President, Frank Allen.

Calling for an independent Board to be established he said: "Farmers continuously complain about delays in returning blood test results - not to mention disputes about reactor grants and other disease control measures. The only logical thing to do with an inefficient structure is to get rid of it. The Disease Eradication Scheme must be taken over by those who own the problem and who pay for the Scheme."

"A new independent Board must be established with directors representing the two major shareholders - Farmers and the Department of Agriculture. The Board must appoint a Chief Executive to run the programme for a five year period with sufficient funding allocated for that purpose. All staff whether directly employed and/or under contract must report to the Chief Executive who would be responsible for the efficient and effective running of the schemes."

ICMSA CALLS ON EFG TO BE PLACED UNDER EXAMINER SHIP

The European Forestry Growers company should be placed under Examinership to protect the interests of the farmers who have contracts with the company, according to the ICMSA.

Mr. Pat O'Rourke, Deputy

President of ICMSA, said that his organisation has received advice from a leading accountant with an expertise in insolvency that examinership is an option which should be seriously considered.

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RECENT DEATHS

Late Michael Ketch (Snr.)



The sudden and unexpected passing of Michael Ketch (Snr.), Ballintlea, Leamybrien aged 79 years was felt with deep sadness by his wife, family and friends.

Michael's life spanned many generations, his memory stretching back to the years of the Irish Civil War. He spent many a night during his lifetime sitting by the fireside recounting stories from his childhood and of the characters of the past. He also had a wealth of knowledge on local lore and landscape which he readily shared with all who were interested. He was blessed with a phenomenal memory and had events and dates with great accu-

racy.

As an only child, he took over responsibility of the farm in his early years and could indeed have done anything with his life that he wished. Coming from an Irish speaking background, he was also fluent himself in the language.

Michael had a great sense of people, always interested in talking to friend or stranger, interested in where they came from and their opinions. Always hospitable, he welcomed people to his home and was always ready with conversation, with the result that he had many friends from far and wide. He had a keen interest in all parts of Ireland and visited nearly every corner of the country in his later years. Always well informed, he loved reading and current affairs. He was a keen and lifelong follower of Gaelic football and hurling and was involved in his earlier years with St. Bridget's Club in Kilrossanty.

A homeloving man, he lived all his life in Ballintlea and had a great sense of his native place which he loved deeply. One of his favourite places was the Mauma Road and the Monavullagh Mountains where he spent much of his time looking after his sheep. His lifelong interest in the land and livestock

was his mainstay and his sheepdogs always played a big part in his life. His long life saw many changes take place in Irish society and in farming which he loved.

A spiritual man, he had a lifelong faith and was always in attendance at Sunday Mass. He will be remembered as an honest man and a man of great integrity, often uncompromising in his opinions and as a man with a great sense of personal pride. Along with this his sense of fun, even mischief, will be warmly remembered by those who knew him. Always a hardworking and active man, he worked on the farm all his life right up to the end of his life.

Removal was from his residence on Friday, May 25 to Kilrossanty Church where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Geoghegan C.C., assisted by Fr. Frawley P.P. Following funeral Mass on Saturday morning, celebrated by Fr. Frawley P.P. assisted by Fr. Geoghegan C.C., burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

Chief mourners were Bridget (wife), Michael and John (sons), Mary and Catherine (daughters), Stephanie (daughter-in-law), Patrick (grandson), Karen (grand-daughter), Peter and David (friends), relatives and friends.

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

Late Mary Goulding



It is with feelings of profound regret we record the death of Mary Goulding, 11 Silversprings, Dungarvan and formerly Old Parish which sad event occurred on Friday, May 15.

Born in Old Parish in 1913, she worked in Dungarvan Hospital before she took up employment with the Irish Sweeps in Dublin. It was there she met her husband, Paddy who predeceased her in 1955. She returned to the Dungarvan

area some seven years ago. She was a quiet, gentle, unassuming lady held in high esteem by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Her passing is much regretted. May she rest in peace.

Her remains were removed from Drohan's Funeral Home on Saturday evening to Old Parish Church where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Daly P.E., assisted by Fr. Gough O.S.A. and followed by a large cortege of mourners.

Following requiem Mass on Sunday morning celebrated by Fr. Daly P.E. the funeral proceeded to Glasnevin Cemetery for cremation.

The chief mourners were Sheila (daughter), Catherine Barron (sister), nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

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

Late Patricia Grace



It is with deep regret we record the passing of Patricia Grace (nee Foley), Ballinagoul, Ring which sad event occurred on Friday, May 1.

Patricia was well known in the area and held in high esteem by all. She lived in the Kingsbury area of London all her life until she returned to Ireland with her husband, Tom and family in 1990 and came to reside in Ballinagoul. She enjoyed music and was mastering the art of guitar playing.

She also taught French and Art. Her passing is much regretted not only by her sorrowing family but also by her many friends. May she rest in peace.

Her remains were removed from Drohan's Funeral Home on Sunday evening, May 3 to Ring Church where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Kiely P.P. assisted by Fr. Cooney O.S.A. and Fr. Moran O.S.A. and followed by an immense and representative

cortege of mourners.

Following requiem Mass on Monday morning celebrated by Fr. Kiely P.P. assisted by Fr. Daly P.E., Fr. Moran O.S.A. and Fr. Cooney O.S.A. interment took place in the new cemetery again in the presence of a large gathering.

The lesson was read by Michael Kinsella and Mikie Drohan. Offertory gifts were brought by her sons and daughter. Her coffin was carried by her brothers and brother-in-law and appropriate music was rendered by Bernie Daly, Corraic McGrath, Donnacha Gough and other friends.

The chief mourners were Tom (husband), Mark, Liam and Thomas (sons), Gemma (daughter), Helen Foley (mother), John, Chris, James, Stephen and Patrick (brothers), Helen (sister), Jimmy Grace (brother-in-law), Eileen Kinsella (sister-in-law), Tommy Grace (father-in-law), uncles, aunts, relatives and friends.

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

Mrs. Mary Nugent (née Hickey)

We tender our sympathy to the family of the late Mrs. Mary Nugent, Church Quarter, Cappagh, whose death occurred on Wednesday, May 20, after a long illness patiently borne, in the presence of her family and the matron and staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan.

The removal took place on Friday evening to Mod-eligo Parish Church and the interment took place on Saturday after funeral Mass which was celebrated by Fr. M. Barron, P.P., assisted by Canon Queally, P.P. and many visiting clergy. May she rest in peace.

(Funeral arrangements by Maurice J. Noonan & Sons, Funeral Directors, Cappoquin. Tel. and Fax 058-54044.)

Late Mrs. Annie Clancy

A vital link with the past was severed on Friday last with the passing of ninety-seven year old Annie Clancy, Home Rule Street, Abbeyside. We sympathise with her sons, daughter and many other relatives on their cross of bereavement.

On Saturday evening Annie's remains were brought from the Kiely funeral home to Abbeyside church where, in the adjoining cemetery, following funeral Mass on Sunday, Annie was laid to rest.

(Full obituary next issue.)
(James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors.)

Late Bridget Power

The early hours of Sunday last saw the demise of Bridget Power, Lackendarra Upper, Ballinamult at her residence after a duration of illness that was borne with true Christian fortitude and courage. In her late 70's, Bridget did housekeeping duties for Very Rev. N. McCarthy, P.E. for twenty years. She was a most popular individual who was held in the highest of esteem.

To her brothers Ned, Tom, Mick, John, Nicholas, her sisters Kitty, Mary and Margaret, her many nephews, nieces, relatives and friends we offer our deepest sympathy at this time.

Fr. Nicholas McCarthy led the family in rosary on Sunday at the Kiely funeral home and removal took place on Monday to St. Mary's church, Touraneena, where, following Requiem Mass on Tuesday the interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

(Full obituary next issue.)
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Launch Of Friary College CD

The students of St. Augustine's College are due to release the unmissable and long awaited album, "On The Crest Of A Wave". The CD is the brainchild of Kelley Gardiner, the music teacher at the school, who made it possible for St. Augustine's to attempt such a venture. The album caters for the many musical talents in the school by combining a wonderful mix of rock and traditional to give a youthful and energetic sound. But what is most striking about this album, is that the entire CD consists of original compositions, most of which have been composed by the students themselves under Miss Gardiner's guidance. "On The Crest Of A Wave" will be officially launched on Friday night, May 29th at 8.00 pm in the Park Hotel. The evening will commence with a cheese and wine reception followed by a live performance of "On The Crest Of A Wave". CD's will be on sale at £10 throughout the evening. It promises to be a very enjoyable night. Your support would be greatly appreciated to help towards the funding of this project. All proceeds will go towards Superschools.

Abbeyside Girl Guide Notes

BUSY TIMES IN ABBEYSIDE

Never a dull moment here in the Village as loads of activities are in the pipeline between our day trips, weekend tour to Oakwood, family fun day and camp fantastic there's certainly something to keep everyone busy.

The event that might interest you (the general public) most is our family fun day which will be held on Sunday, June 7 in Abbeyside Scout Den. A great afternoon is guaranteed for all with over 20 stalls and activities to be enjoyed. Amongst other things we will have a bouncy castle, lucky dip, golf putting, face painting, hair braiding, cake and book sale, fish the duck, frog hoopla, tin can alley, beat the goalie and much much more. Admission will be free with stall prices ranging from 10p. With hundreds of prizes to be won there's bound to be something for everyone. So don't forget Sunday, June 7, 3-5 p.m. Abbeyside Den, please come and support our fundraising efforts. See you there.

Toastmasters Notes

There was a joint meeting with Talking Heads, Garryvoe and Dungarvan Toastmasters in the Park Hotel on Thursday 14th May. Both clubs provided some very entertaining speeches and were evaluated accordingly.

In the second part of the meeting Margaret Fitzgerald from the Garryvoe club had us on our feet with our thinking caps on for her topics session. Well done Margaret.

General evaluator, Rita Sandford gave her report on the meeting as did time keeper Winston Boyle. Our Toastmaster on the night, Louise Neylin then handed control of the meeting back to club president Geraldine Veale.

On Sunday, May 24th some of our members travelled to the Tower Hotel in Waterford for the Area Final, Tall Tales Competition which was chaired by John Lawlor, De La Salle. Michael Clarke from the Dungarvan club took part. Michael came third in this competition. The winner being Kathleen White, D.L.S. Waterford. Eamonn Donovan 2nd.

Dungarvan Musical & Choral Notes

Tuesday night, June 2 at the Friary Hall Hits from the Shows. Remember last time? If you missed it then don't miss it again and if you were lucky enough to be there, we're sure you will be there again.

Carrick-On-Suir Amateur Operatic Society will perform their exciting Hits from the Shows. The stars include Liam Butler, Mala Ragette, Katherine Ahearne, Richie Nugent and Pádraig Sheehan. Be there to experience "Phantom of the Opera", "Cats", "Miss Saigon", "Sunset Boulevard", "Les Miserables" and many more on Tuesday, June 2. See you there !!

Winners of Sheep Shearing Tickets

Last week we ran two competitions for family tickets to the World Sheep Shearing Championships in Gorey, Co. Wexford on June 5th - 7th.

The following are the results: Winners of family tickets for entry plus family tickets for lunch are - Kevin Guiry, Aglish, Cappoquin. Tommy Lawless, Flower Hill, Ballyduff and Breeda Clancy, Coole, Lismore.

Winners of family tickets plus 5 litre container of Vetrain Pour-on - Rita Curran, Old Parish. Sinead Power, Silver Birches, Lismore and Michael Motherway, Knockanore.

Prizes will be sent to each winner in the post.

OFFICIAL OPENING OF DUNGARVAN EBS BRANCH



The new branch of the EBS Building Society at Grattan Square, Dungarvan was officially opened last Friday by Chairman of Dungarvan UDC, Cllr. Austin Flynn. A cheese and wine reception was held on the premises and an enjoyable evening was had by all who attended.

Manager of the EBS

branch, Mel Shanley has brought with him his own service range of life assurance, mortgage brokering, pensions, general insurance and auctioneering consolidating his position with a prime base in Grattan Square. Other services available at the local EBS branch include high interest deposit accounts, savings

accounts and plans, ATM accounts, vehicle and farm machinery finance and many more.

Just call in to the Grattan Square office or phone (058) 42471 and 45499 to arrange an appointment or contact Mel on (086) 2341001.

All queries are dealt with in the strictest confidence.

Pictured at the official opening of the new Dungarvan EBS branch are (l-r) Mrs. Kay Shanley, Finn O'Keeffe, EBS Business Development Manager South East, Luke Brennan, Cllr. Austin Flynn, Elizabeth Shanley, Cllr. Damien Dillon, Mel Shanley, Manager and Caitriona Shanley.

KILROSSANTY NOTES

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Mary Coffey, Shanbally and Kay Veale, Leamybrien on the death of their uncle Patrick O'Sullivan who died in Kerry last week. May he rest in peace.

I.C.A.

The Federation meeting A.G.M. was held last Monday night in Crotty's Inn hosted by Kilrossanty Guild. It was well attended. The new president of the Federation is our own Guild member in the name of Bernie Hobbs. It is a great privilege to have our Federation President in our midst. Well done, Bernie. She was presented with her Chain of Office and the Guild's President, Mary Cusack presented her with a bouquet of flowers. Thanks to all who helped in any way to get things in order on the night, to all members, to Crotty's Inn and the staff, to Hall Committee for the use of their chairs, to Paddy Cusack who ferried the chairs to Crotty's. Many thanks to all.

FEWS SCHOOL REUNION

Don't forget the Few's Reunion dance this Friday night in Crotty's Inn. Music by "Crystal Sound". A good night is assured.

SCHOOL COLLECTION

Collection for both primary schools will be taken up between Tuesday, June 2 and Friday, June 5.

THANKS

Thanks to all who contributed to the collection for Spina Bifida last weekend and to the collectors Roger O'Connor, Jimmy Power, Oliver Coffey, Pat Prendergast, Bernadette and Geraldine Burke and Mairead Coffey. The total amount raised came to £192.38. Again many thanks.

SCHOOL TRIP

Hope all the kids will enjoy their trips on Friday from Kilrossanty school.

KILROSSANTY G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Under 12 Championship — On Saturday last the under-12's played the second game in their league style championship in Leamybrien. The opponents were Clashmore and having lost to Colligan on Thursday evening 2-3 to 1-5 a win was very important. Joey Veale was back from injury and Michael Kirwan playing a captain's role in the centre of the field the lads settled very early and went well in front at half time.

In the second half the subs had a run out and Clash-

more scored some good points. In the end Kilrossanty ran out easy winners. Thanks to Timmy O'Keeffe for the refereeing.

The line out was Michael Walsh, Eoin Power, Stephen Prendergast, Colin Dunne, David Prendergast, Thomas O'Brien, Stephen Ryan, Michael Kirwan, Eoin Darcy, David Curran, Paul Flynn, Barry O'Donnell, Wayne Power, Joey Veale, Niall Kennedy. Subs were Darren Walsh, Gary O'Donnell, Jimmy Fraher and William Raheer (all used).

Under-14 Western Trials — Barry and Mark Prendergast both attended under-14 football trials last Sunday morning in the Friary.

Under-16 Western Trials — Both John Coade and John Ryan went with the Western under-16 football team and played a challenge game on the way to see the Waterford hurlers in Tralee last Sunday. Well done to Patrick Curran who played in Tralee last Sunday before the big match.

Junior Hurling — The junior hurlers played Cappoquin in the third round of the Junior Hurling League last Tuesday night. The score was Kilrossanty 1-13 Cappoquin 0-11.

Team - J. Power, M. Bald,

win, C. Keating, C. Dee, B. Kirwan (0-2), R. Power, P. Whyte, D. Donnelly (0-4), K. Lonergan, T. Kirwan, N. O'Connor (1-1), N. Kirwan (0-3), R. Cotter, D. Kiely (0-1), T. Keating (0-2).

Clotto — The Clotto for £1,100 will be held next Sunday night in Crotty's Inn.

Deise Draw — Promoters please have money in to Mairead Coffey before Friday night as this is the last draw in the present series. It is important to have the final money in.

Deise Clotto — The Deise Clotto was held last Monday night in Lawlors Hotel. The numbers drawn were 7, 24, 27, 30. Yes there was one winner. Congratulations to Tony O'Brien, 32 Congress Place, Waterford. Next draw is on June 15 with the jackpot starting at £4,000.

Senior Football — The seniors take on Dungarvan in the league this Sunday night in Dungarvan pitch at 7.30.

Junior A Football — The Junior A footballers play the Brickeys in Bushy Park this Sunday at 12 noon.

Junior B Football — The Junior B footballers will play Eire Og in Leamybrien next Tuesday night at 7.30.

Minor Football — Minor football training every Thursday night.

TALLOW NOTES

TALLOW AREA CREDIT UNION



Prizewinners in the Tallow Area Credit Union Art Competition. Also included are Board members John Martin (Chairman), Paddy J. Feeney, Mairead Sheehan, Evelyn Coady and Sheila Ryan, Office Manager. (Photo by Rory Wyley).

CREDIT UNION 30TH BIRTHDAY

Tallow Area Credit Union celebrated its 30th birthday on Saturday last, May 23. A great day was had by all, great food, great fun and good weather. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Kearney's Catering for the food and the volunteers for helping to make this such a great day. We would also like to thank our chairman, Mr. John Martin for presenting all prizewinners with their prizes.

Prizewinners In The Tal-

low Area Credit Union Art Competition

Overall winner — Aoife Neville, Ballynoe N.S.; Infants Section — 1st prize - Aoife Neville, Ballynoe N.S., 2nd prize - Conor Lane, Conna N.S., 3rd prize - Ciarán Quirke, Ballyduff N.S.; 1st and 2nd Sections — 1st prize - Reidin Murphy, Castlelyons N.S., 2nd prize - Maria Sheehan, Castlelyons N.S., 3rd prize - Grainne Barry, Castlelyons N.S.; 3rd and 4th Sections

— 1st prize - Fiona O'Donovan, Knockanore N.S., 2nd prize - Tom Lordan, Ballyduff N.S., 3rd prize - Liam Kelly, Knockanore N.S.; 5th and 6th Sections - 1st prize - Siobhan O'Callaghan, Knockanore N.S., 2nd prize - Caroline Power, Knockanore N.S., 3rd prize - Vanessa Hannon, Ballyduff N.S.

Prizewinners In The £10 Savers Draw

Shane O'Neill, Crossary, Lackaroe, Youghal; Emily

O'Connor, Ballybride, Conna; Ann Smith, Coolbeggan, Tallow; Kevin Moroney, Coolisheal, Ballyduff; Colin Hogan, Belvedere House, Templevalley, Curraglass; Paul Keane, Tircullen, Tallow; Shane Walsh, Carrigmore, Conna; Grainne Barry, Farran, Castlelyons; Simon Cogan, Ballyduff Upper; Leanne Hartnett, Rathdrum, Ballynoe.

Prizewinners In The £20 Savers Draw

Aoife Geary, c/o Britway N.S., Castlelyons; Pádraig Condon, Glengovra, Curraglass; Donna O'Flaherty, New Street, Tallow; Anne-Marie Norris, Ballyerrin, Tallow; Eva Ahern, Bridepark, Conna; Siobhan Hayes, Shean, Ballyduff; Theresa Kenneally, 10 Woodview; Jacqueline Tobin, Townspark East, Tallow; Robert Geary, Ballymartin, Glencairn; Deirdre Moroney, Belvedere, Conna.

Prizewinners In The £30 Savers Draw

Patrick Hennessy, Lacken, Tallow; Laura Ryan, West Street, Tallow; Caroline O'Brien, Kilmore West, Tallow; John Twomey, Ballyheen, Castlelyons; Brian Hogan, Belvedere House, Templevalley, Curraglass; Sinead O'Neill, Crossary, Lackaroe, Youghal; Alan Giles, Tircullen, Tallow; Michelle Power, Townspark East, Tallow; Shauna Corcoran, Main Street, Tallow; Michael Ahern, Sheanbeg, Ballyduff.

CURRAGLASS VINTAGE/THRESHING FESTIVAL

Sunday, June 14 At 2 p.m. In Aid Of Multiple Sclerosis (Fermoy Branch)

Plans are well advanced for this event which once again will be held on the grounds of The Plough Inn in Curraglass. The organising committee have left no stone unturned (no pun intended) in their efforts to ensure this year's programme is bigger and better than ever.

The festival kicks off on Saturday, June 13 with a vintage tractor run from Curraglass to Tallow arriving at 7 p.m. in the Square. On its return, a traditional Irish night will be held in The Plough. Music by Sheeban.

Sunday sees the main event of the weekend with the threshing itself. Reviving memories of a bygone era, it is indeed a joy to watch as each and every member of the team work in unison from start to finish.

A great tribute also to those craftsmen of former days for creating such machines to do the job and though present day machines are obviously more refined and powerful, the same basic principles apply which have survived down the decades.

This year's programme of events include many sideshows too numerous to mention here. Some of those include a dog show but not as simple as it may appear. Being a fun day out for everyone, we have decided that dogs will be judged in different categories as follows -

Best Dressed Dog, Dog who looks most like his or her owner, Child's best friend, Dog who would not like to take home.

Also on offer for our canine friends is the chance to become Curraglass champion terrier racer and local man Tadhg McCarthy will be in charge of these events.

Entry fee is £1. It should be a great sport so don't forget to bring your dog.

Staying with the animal world, you will see a beautiful collection of rare species of birds under the care of local Wildlife Ranger, Tom Ryan. Not to be confused with the competition for the best dressed lady which is also another feature, these creatures are indeed some of the most beautiful on our earth.

As you ramble around the beautiful setting on the day, you will also notice a calf sleeping midst the daisies. Guess his exact weight and win a beautiful prize. For those of you more energetic than the calf, try and lift a 28 oz. iron bowl into a barrel or a wellington into a bucket. While you're doing all this, leave the kids burn off energy in the bouncy castle which will be properly supervised all day. The list as I say is much, much

more. Be there on the day for what will be a great family day out.

Catering will be done by Michael Kearney so you won't go hungry. Soft drinks and ice-cream also. Please note no hawkers allowed on premises. Free car park fully supervised by kind permission of Paul Condon.

All proceeds will go to Multiple Sclerosis of Ireland (Fermoy Branch) which goes without saying is a worthy cause indeed. Curraglass Vintage Committee comprises a very dedicated bunch of men and women but regardless of the amount of work and organisation which goes into such an event, it is ultimately the generosity and goodwill of you the people who make it a success. To our many sponsors and friends, we say thanks and look forward to meeting you all on the day. Further details next week. Slán go fóill.

TALLOW G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

From Thurles To Tralee To Páirc Uí Caoimh

Isn't it fantastic to witness such colour and fervour as we have seen over the past few weeks? The county is gone hurling mad and long may it continue. The League Final was an occasion to match any gone before and whilst we were unsuccessful on the day, it must be viewed as just a stepping stone to better times ahead. The support on the day was just phenomenal and shows just how much our noble game is loved by one and all.

Last Sunday in Tralee the atmosphere was entirely on a lower scale and while no one ever contemplated losing, there were indeed a few anxious moments when a likely goal or two was on the cards for the men from the Kingdom. We duly won and now prepare ourselves for the onslaught against Tipperary. One unusual mishit shot last September by John Leahy cost them the All-Ireland Final in the dying moments so don't anyone be under any illusion as to the task in hand. I've no doubt we can do it but let's not let the heart rule the head either.

Last Sunday's game takes some analysing. We won alright but in the process made some very basic errors time and time again. The mad solo into nowhere and aren't we gone mad on the hand pass (needlessly that is) and more often than not we create our own pressure. Simple, more direct hurling is surely a better option.

I was disappointed also on hearing the lineup for Tralee. Following on Thurles, I believe it was a case of three or none of the lads being dropped. Mark O'Sullivan must have felt very unlucky to say the least. Apart from the very costly error (who doesn't make one during any game?), the Lismore clubman formed part of our best line throughout the first half alongside Sean Cullinane and Tom Feeney when Cork were attacking time and time again.

I remember our own Billy Sheehan in the senior hurling County Final in 1980 when he deflected a ball past Eddie Curley for a goal for Dunhill. We won in the finish but he has often said since that had we lost, he would never have forgotten that goal if it had cost us the match. No mention of course of the thousands of times down the years that he caught and cleared balls under all sorts of pressure. Funny old game this hurling.

Back to Thurles and indeed it seems to be common consent that it was our failure to capitalise on scoring chances that cost us the game instead. I mention this of course merely because something just didn't seem to fit right in my mind when reviewing the game. Everyone will have their own view of course but I reiterate mine that it should have been a few or none. Here's hoping for a great victory on Sunday week and that the best men possible will carry our hopes and dreams.

Fixtures — Committee meeting this Wednesday at 9 p.m. in St. Patrick's Hall.

Junior football v Ballinacourty this Friday in Tallow at 7.30 p.m.

Tralee Last Sunday — A great following from Tallow converged on Tralee for the match last Sunday. Some left on Saturday to check things out beforehand and a great time was had by all. Paul and Mossie did their own version of the Kerry Polka while some of the lads were lapping up the local scenery. Strange how the tour guides didn't speak such good English and all wearing white shirts with black dickie bows!! Martin reckoned it had something to do with the heather. A great occasion indeed.

TALLOW CHILDREN'S CENTRE COMMUNITY PLAYGROUP

We are now approaching the end of our first year in operation at the Community Playgroup in Tallow. This year has been a great success and the number of children have doubled since September. We are now inviting parents who wish to have their child attend the playschool in September to come along to the playschool and have their child enrolled. We would advise you to have your child enrolled as soon as possible as only a limited number of places will be available due to insurance purposes.

We are organising an Open Day on Friday, June 12. This Open Day is for all children who will be starting in September. The time will be from 9.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. You can leave your child for the full morning session free of charge. This will give your child the chance to have a look around the playschool and hopefully they will be eager to return to us in September.

TALLOW TENNIS CLUB NOTES

Tallow Tennis Club invite applications for the Student Summer Jobs Scheme. Please contact Eric at 56629 or Mary at 56487.

LEADER FEATURES

Family health

Q. My husband has had conjunctivitis in his left eye for several weeks. It hasn't responded to drops from the chemist or doctor. Our doctor has now asked me to come in for an internal examination. Why?

A. Most cases of conjunctivitis are due to viruses or bacteria which quickly respond to antiseptic and antibacterial drops. Persistent conjunctivitis may be due to an organism called chlamydia, which is frequently found in the female genital tract and may be asymptomatic. Sexual activity can cause chlamydia to be transferred from the genital tract to other parts of the body or to the woman's part-

ner. It could easily be spread to the eye via the hands. Swabs are used to culture chlamydia and I suspect this is what your doctor has in mind. If confirmed, then tetracycline antibiotics can be used to eradicate it.

Q. As a teacher in primary school, I have to use my voice a lot. Towards the end of the term, my voice becomes husky and weak and I develop a ticklish

cough. How can I avoid this happening?
A. Any job requiring prolonged voice use can result in such symptoms. All that's usually necessary to relieve them is resting your voice whenever possible, although, I realise this may be easier said than done! As often as you can, avoid talking, shouting or singing. Talk in a soft voice but don't whisper - that strains the voice even more. Drink plenty of fluids to stop

the throat drying out. A sensation of dryness can produce a need to cough, which can strain the throat further. A speech therapist may be able to instruct you in better voice projection, which will allow you to pace yourself over the school term.

Q. Each Winter I seem to pick up every germ going. I've tried having a flu injection and I take vitamin supplements, but nothing seems to make much difference. I'm 50 and appear in good health otherwise.
A. There seems to be a vicious circle set up in people such as yourself. One infection leads to suppression of the body's immune system and this makes you more prone to other infections. Ask your doctor to give you a general check-up to make sure there's no underlying problem. Anaemia, diabetes, poor nutrition, smoking, liver and kidney disorders can all undermine general health. Many doctors are keen to help people like yourself stay healthy. I'm sure your doctor will be willing to give you a thorough health check to give you the reassurance you require.

Q. My husband has a very virulent form of Lung cancer. The specialist has said that nothing can be done to stop the spread of the disease. I don't think my husband realises how little time he has left. How much do you think he should be told?
A. Some terminally ill people regard ignorance as bliss while others prefer to be given a detailed prognosis so they can arrange their lives accordingly. The policy most doctors have is to give the patient and family as much time as they can spare so they can ask questions and get truthful answers. Try to present as optimistic a picture as possible, as there's some evidence that a positive attitude to disease may increase the immune response to the condition and so improve the patient's prospects. Most doctors would be very wary of revealing things to the family that the patient himself is unaware of since this represents a breach of confidentiality.

CHEF'S CORNER



Pan-Fried Pork & Apple

- 3 tbsp oil
- 1 large onion, peeled and chopped
- 2 small red eating apples, quartered and cored
- 4 (225g/8oz) pork loin chops
- 150ml/1pt white wine
- 3 tbsp double cream
- 3 tbsp fresh chopped sage sprigs of fresh sage to garnish

METHOD: Heat the oil in a large frying pan. Add the onion and fry over a medium-high heat, stirring occasionally, for 5 minutes or until golden brown. Remove with a slotted spoon and set aside. Place the apples in

the pan and fry, gently tossing occasionally, for 4-5 minutes until turning golden brown. Remove with a slotted spoon and set aside with the onion. Place chops in a pan and fry for 2-3 minutes on each side until browning. Return onion to the pan with the wine. Season well. Bring to the boil, reduce heat, cover loosely and simmer for 12-16 minutes, turning halfway through, until chops are tender. Add the apples and simmer for a further 3 minutes. Stir in the cream and chopped sage and serve immediately, garnished with sage sprigs.

Fruits of the Forest Mousse

- Preparation: 15 minutes
- Chilling: 2 hours
- Serves: 6
- 900g/2lb frozen fruits of the forest, thawed
- 2 eggs, size 2, separated
- 100g/4oz caster sugar
- 1 tsp powdered gelatine
- 150ml/1pt Greek yoghurt
- caster sugar for dusting
- dessert biscuits to serve

METHOD: Reserve 225g/8oz of the fruit for decoration. Place one-third of the remaining fruit in a food processor or blender and blend until smooth. Alternatively, press the fruit through a fine-holed sieve. Roughly chop the rest of the fruit. Whisk the egg yolks and sugar until pale and thick enough to leave a trail when the whisk is lifted from the mixture. Fold in the

chopped fruit. Sprinkle the gelatine over 3 tbsp water in a cup or small bowl and place in a larger bowl of boiling water until the gelatine has dissolved. Cool. Stir gelatine in to the fruit mixture, then fold in the yoghurt. Whisk the egg whites in a clean, grease-free bowl until stiff peaks form. Fold into the mousse. Pour about one-third of the mousse into a 1.4litre/2 1/4pt serving bowl. Drizzle over about 4 tbsp of the fruit puree and drag through the mixture with a knife or skewer to give a marbled effect. Repeat with the remaining mixture. Chill for 2 hours. To serve, decorate with the reserved fruit, sprinkle with caster sugar and serve with dessert biscuits.

A THOUSAND WAYS TO IMPROVE YOUR IMAGE

Beauty basics

Shape Up Your Body

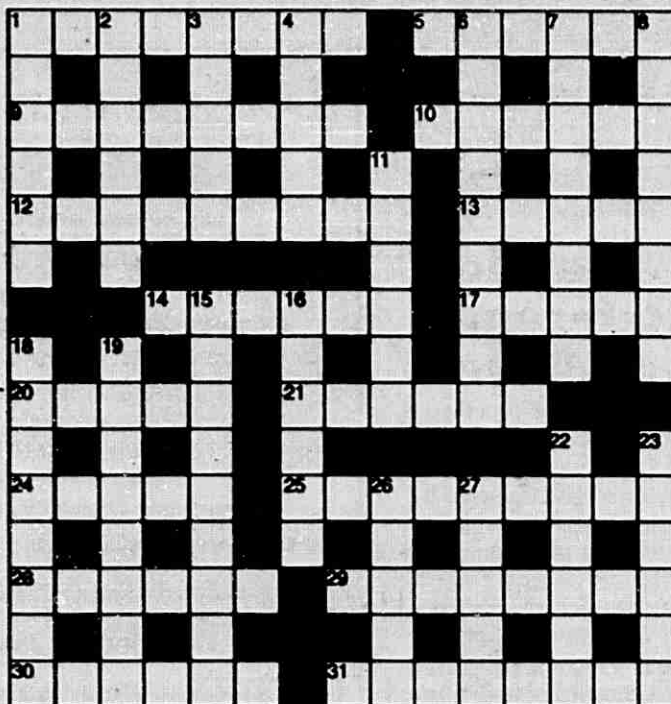
CELLULITE is a very common problem but it can be beaten. Most importantly you must watch your diet closely, cutting out very salty and very fatty foods. Drink plenty of water to help get rid of toxins in the body, clearing out the system. Body massage will help your fight against cellulite. You can buy your own massaging kits from most good chemist shops. Try to get into the habit of massaging daily after your bath or shower. Use a body scrub or mitt to help to get rid of dry dead skin. This will also help to improve blood circulation thus improving your skin texture. Exfoliation will give your skin a bright healthy look, but only exfoliate once a week as it is

possible to overdo it. When bathing or showering use a mild non perfumed soap on your skin. A strong soap may cause an allergy or skin irritation. Constant use of a perfumed soap will dry out your skin. As a specialised treatment add a cupful of powdered milk to your bath this will be very beneficial for your skin. A visit to your salon or health club for a sauna or spa bath will leave your skin clean and fresh, as well as relaxing your muscles. If you suffer from a greasy back which tends to be spotty and blemished, use a mask once a week, just like you would on your face. Leave the mask on for ten to fifteen minutes then wash it off thoroughly. This will help to unclog the pores and give the skin a deep cleanse. Apply a good moisturiser to finish.

The Leader's Double Crossword

Quick Clues

- ACROSS**
1. Soothing drug (8).
 5. Golf turfs (6).
 9. Casino game (8).
 10. Movable partition (6).
 12. Two-sided (9).
 13. Bring to force (5).
 14. Arranged in class (6).
 17. Bring into use (5).
 20. Via (5).
 21. Place elsewhere (6).
 24. Depositor (5).
 25. Edible prickly plant (9).
 28. Make into two (6).
 29. Mighty (8).
 30. Force to get (6).
 31. Cargo seat (8).
- DOWN**
1. Writer (6).
 2. Same quantity (6).
 3. Provide goodies (5).
 4. One casting a ballot (5).
 6. Added amount to wages (9).
 7. Works (8).
 8. Sacredness (8).
 11. Cutting tools (6).
 15. Supersedes (9).
 16. Sewing chord (6).
 18. Chaired (8).
 19. Who lives through (8).
 22. Not tea (6).
 23. Fanatic (6).
 26. Molar (5).
 27. Not dear (5).



Simplex Clues

- ACROSS**
1. A scanty allowance (8).
 5. Lead or become a trying experience (6).
 9. Having lots of exciting happenings (8).
 10. Requesting (6).
 12. Capable of being endured (9).
 13. Loots around to provide a chair with no back (5).
 14. Move the feelings (6).
 17. A grown-up person (5).
 20. Belonging to them (5).
 21. Weights used for diamonds etc. (6).
 24. Practise a deceit (5).
 25. Abundant (9).
 28. Shine one from a European country (6).
 29. Made small changes in (8).
 30. Makes neat (6).
 31. Convince (8).
- DOWN**
1. Having beauty that is attractive and not overpowering (6).
 2. Three-fold (6).
 3. Change (5).
 4. A small piece of bread (5).
 6. Tending to withstand (9).
 7. A short speech at the end of a play (8).
 8. Let gaily be the condition of being lawful (8).
 11. Improved (6).
 15. A small sample (9).
 16. Get away from (6).
 18. That which holds soup for use in a stew (8).
 19. Leave red to be made unknown (8).
 22. A continent (6).
 23. A thing given over as security (6).
 26. Wear away (5).
 27. Follows (5).

NOTE - Simplex and Quick Crossword answers are different.

DID YOU KNOW.....

1. A ghostly hunt gallops past Haltwhistle, Northumberland.
2. The Romans lifted heavy loads using slaves to turn the crane's cable drum.
3. Thousands of children set off on a children's crusade in 1212. Those who did not die on the way were sold into slavery.
4. Iron was first made by heating a mixture of iron ore and charcoal over a fire. The hot iron was beaten with a stone to make knives, axes and other tools.
5. In 1983, Richard Nobel reached a record speed of 1,019 km/h (633 mph) in a jet-powered car.

ABBAESQUE AT DAVITT'S

Abba Live, Well almost! Abbaesque are here for the biggest 70's party Dungarvan has ever seen. They will perform live at Davitt's Nite Club on Thursday, June 4th.

Abbaesque have been together almost a year and during that time they have had phenomenal success with headlining the Point Depot on New Years Eve

and various venues across the country. The band are now embarking on a headline tour of the ever successful Heineken Rollercoaster Tour which tours eleven of Ireland's top Universities during February each year. Also on the Heineken Rollercoaster are Revelino, Mesner and The Nude. Blonde hair, red hair, plat-

forms, flares, mini-skirts, Swedish accents and near perfect renditions of ABBA's greatest hits with a combination of great songs like Waterloo, Mamma Mia, Dancing Queen, Fernando and SOS.

With an eye catching show with a good deal of humour, it's as close to a guarantee of entertainment as you're

going to get in this life. ABBAesque comprising of six band members will bring you a spectacular show lasting approximately one hour and 30 minutes, with audience participation and costume changes accompanied by musicianship and a vocal strength like you have never seen or heard performed by a tribute band before.



WINS TICKETS TO ABBAESQUE

This week, in association with Davitt's Bar, Restaurant and Nite Club, The Quays, Dungarvan, we are offering 5 readers the chance to win a double pass to ABBAesque live in Davitt's on Thursday, June 4th.

Just answer the following question — Name one song performed by ABBA?

Answer

Name

Address

Tel. No

Closing date for entries is Monday, June 1st.

NEWS OF TOWN & ROUNDABOUT

DUNGARVAN JUVENILE HURLING CLUB CAKE SALE

Dungarvan Juvenile Hurling Club (u-8, 9 and 10 section) are holding a cake sale on Sunday, May 31 after the 10 o'clock Mass in the Parish Church to enable them to buy a new set of jerseys. The venue is St. Joseph's Primary School, CBS Hall. Your support would be deeply appreciated.

DUNGARVAN G.A.A. LOTTO

Numbers: 5-19-26-9. No winner. Next week's jackpot £500. Two winners of £25 each: Elaine Ryan, Bay View, Dungarvan; Teresa Meehan, Kilmurray, Dungarvan.

DUNGARVAN TOURISM/FEILE NA nDEISE LOTTO

Numbers drawn: 1-5-14-16. No jackpot winner. £25 winner: Michael Power, The Bookshop, Mary Street, Dungarvan. Next week's jackpot will be £2,400.

SUMMER OPEN BRIDGE

Results — 1, tie, Avicé Cusack and John Phelan, Kay Shanley and Eileen O'Donoghue; 2, Margaret Foley and Ann McNally; 3, tie, Cait Christopher and

Ann Holland, Kitty Greaney and Kitty McCarthy. **ABBEYSIDE SHORE ANGLING CLUB** Competition on Wednesday, June 3, 8 to 11 p.m. Entries at The Pond, Abbeyside from 7 p.m.

Abbeyside Reference Archive

Last week we received a nice photograph display for our sports section. It contains three photographs, the first is of the Abbeyside junior hurling team that won the junior county final in 1950; the second is the team that won the intermediate final in 1996 and the third is of the captains of both teams meeting at "The Pond" on the 13th April, 1997.

It's with pleasure that we add this display to our collection.

This Sunday evening Emma Flynn will be "minding the store" at the Parish Office. As it's the long weekend any visitors home on holidays will be most welcome to pay us a visit. Admission is free, we have a donation box and souvenir shop with parking at the Pond.

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Saturday, May 30th —
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Sunday, May 31st —

VARIATIONS

National Honours for Dungarvan Brass Band Members

Congratulations go to all of our members who did practical grades at the Waterford Institute of Technology last month. Results of these were published this month, and the overall standard was exceptionally high, with the majority of the participants achieving distinctions in their respective grades.

Special congratulations go to Niamh Hallissey on Baritone, and Gillian Lyons on Tenor Horn, as they achieved the highest marks in the country on their respective instruments. Niamh and Gillian will now attend a special concert in the National Concert Hall on May 30th with the other outstanding participants, and we wish them all the best.

Our annual door-to-door collections are currently underway. We are looking for generous support this year to fund the band's activities for the upcoming year. A number of new instruments

are also required, as we have plans to take on a new beginner class in September. For further information on this, feel free to inquire during practice times at the Bandroom on Davitt's Quay.

Telethon Raises £100,000

The Chairman Tom Carroll and the Co-ordinator Mrs. Annette Birtwhistle wish to thank all the people in Waterford (city and county) for their support and help with the Waterford People in Need Telethon.

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IN MEMORIAMs



CAHILL — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Peter Cahill, Monamon, Lismore, who died on May 31, 1992. Anniversary Mass Sunday, May 31, 11.30 a.m. in Cappoquin. No longer in our life to share, But in our hearts you are always there. (Sadly missed by his wife Kathleen, son and daughters.)

CASEY — Twenty-ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of Jodie Casey, late of Headborough, Knockanore, who died on May 26, 1969. R.I.P. St. Anthony pray for her. Down the path of memories, We gently tread today, Our love and thoughts are with you, Mam, As life goes on its way, Will those who think of her today, A little prayer to Jesus say, (Always remembered by her loving family.)

HEALY — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of my brother "Mike" who died May 26, 1993, late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside, Dungarvan. We wished upon a star last night, We dreamt that it came true, What we asked for was an hour, To sit and talk with you, When the emptiness of missing you, Is more than we can bear, We whisper Mike we love you, And always find you there. For in this world of memories, You fill our hearts with pride, We will never walk alone Mike, For you are always by our side. (Always remembered and missed by your brother John and niece Vivian.)

HEALY — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of my brother Michael (Mike), late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who died May 26, 1993. I never fail to think of you, I often speak your name, All I have are memories, And your picture in a frame. Our hearts can feel so many things, That words can never say, So many times we think of you, Mike You are never far away. (Sadly missed by your brother Eugene, Sandra and nephew Eoin.)

HEALY — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother Mike, late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who died May 26, 1993. We can't put into words, the way we feel today, Life has no meaning, and nothing seems real, A tribute of love to a brother so dear, So close to our hearts each day of the year, You left us so quickly, your thoughts unknown, But you left us memories Mike, we are proud to own. (Loved and remembered always — your loving sister Marianne, husband Seamus, Stephen and Michelle.)



HEALY — Fifth Anniversary — In memory of our loving son Michael, who died on May 26, 1993, late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside, Dungarvan. Masses offered. A date that's filled with sadness, Returns to us today, To mark the day you left us, In such a sudden way, In thoughts we see you just the same, In love and pride we speak your name, Your photo stands in pride of place, A wonderful smile lights up your face, A beautiful life came to an end, You died as you lived, everyone's friend. (Loved and remembered always by your Mam and Dad.)

HEALY — Fifth Anniversary — Treasured memories of my dear brother "Mike" late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who died May 26, 1993. R.I.P. Happy memories we keep forever, Each of us in our own way, Have special thoughts of "Mike" today. Sunshine passes, shadows fall, But love and memories outlast them all, Unseen, unheard, you are always near, Still loved, still missed, still very dear. (Missing you always — your brother Adrian, nephew Cian and niece Cliona.)

HEALY — Fifth Anniversary — Treasured memories today and always of my brother Mike, late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who died May 26, 1993. Everyone whispered softly, Time would ease my pain, But life without you, Mike, Will never be the same. I laugh, I smile, I play the part, But beneath it all is a broken heart, I hide my tears when I speak your name, But the ache in my heart will always remain. (Always remembered — your sister Cathy.)

MIKE
Look around your garden, Lord,
For a fellow with a smile,
It won't be hard to find him,
He will be standing out a mile. (Love you always — your sister Siobhán.)

HEALY — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Michael Healy, late of McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who died on May 26, 1993. R.I.P. A little tribute small and tender, Just to show we still remember, A heart of gold, a life so true, Loved and respected by all he knew, Always willing, helpful and kind, What beautiful memories he left behind. Will those who think of him today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by your Uncle Jimmy, Rita and family.)

HEALY — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Mike Healy, late of McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who died on May 26, 1993. The last few years without you, Are the saddest I have known, I treasure every thought of you, When I am all alone. There will always be a heartache, And often a silent tear, But forever precious memories, Of days when you were here. I want to tell you something, So there will be no doubt, You are so wonderful to think of, But so hard to be without. (Always remembered — your friend Thomas.)

LAMBERT — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister, Noreen Lambert, late of Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died in London on May 27, 1976. R.I.P. A special person, a special face, A special sister we will never replace, Beautiful memories are all we have left, Of a beautiful sister we loved and will never forget. (Always remembered by your loving sisters, Mary and Hanna, Jackey and family in London.)

MURPHY — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Michael, late of 56, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on May 30, 1984. (Sadly missed by his wife Alice and family.)

MURRAY — In loving memory of Jimmy Murray, Convent Street, Tallow, who died May 31, 1990. A little tribute, small and tender, Just to show we still remember, A heart of gold, a life so true, Loved and respected by all he knew, Always willing, helpful and kind, Beautiful memories he left behind. Will those who think of Jimmy today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by his wife Peggy, daughters Mary and Michelle.)

MYLER — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Sheila Myler, late of Ballyneety Cross, Dungarvan, who died on May 28, 1995. A little tribute, small and tender, Just to show we still remember, A heart of gold, a life so true, Loved and respected by all she knew, Always willing, helpful and kind, What beautiful memories she left behind, Will those who think of Sheila today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always in our thoughts and prayers — the O'Brien and King families.)

NAGLE — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Michael C. Nagle, "Inis Ealga," Clonea Road, Abbeyside, Editor/Proprietor of the "Dungarvan Leader," who died on May 30, 1993. R.I.P. Quietly today your memory is kept, No need for words, we will never forget. As thoughts go back as they often do, We treasure the memories we have of you. (Always remembered by his loving family.)

O'BRIEN — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Billy O'Brien, late of 59, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, who died on June 2, 1997. There comes a time for all of us, When we must say goodbye, But faith and hope and care and trust, Can never, never die. As down the road of memories, We gently tread to day, Our loving thoughts are with you, As life goes on its way. (From Danny, Pat and Noreen.)

TOBIN — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Mary Tobin, late of Feddaun, Upper Melleray, Cappoquin, who died on May 31, 1997. R.I.P. Masses offered. Will those who think of her today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by your loving son Willie.)

WALSH — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, William Walsh, 1, Boreenatra, Dungarvan, who died on May 27, 1992. A bouquet of beautiful memories, Sprayed with a million tears, Wishing God could have spared you, If just for a few more years. Will those who think of him today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by his loving son John and daughter-in-law Denise.)



WALSH — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of William Walsh, late of 1, Boreenatra, Dungarvan, who died on May 27, 1992. His life was one of kindly deeds, A helping hand for others needs, Sincere and true in heart and mind, Beautiful memories left behind. Ag Crist an mhuir, Ag Crist an t-iasc, I lionta Dé, Go gcstar sinn. (Always remembered by your loving son Paddy, daughter-in-law Bridie, grandchildren Paddy, Billy, Jessica and Michael.)

WRIGHT — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Kitty Wright, who died May 19, 1987, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan. Happy memories keep forever, Of days when we were all together, Each of us in our own way, Have special thoughts of you today. (Always remembered by her loving family.)

NOVENAS

MIRACULOUS PRAYER — Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked you for many favours, but today I ask for this special one (mention favour). Take it, dear Heart of Jesus and place it within your own broken heart, where your Father sees it. Then, in His merciful eyes, it will become your favour, not mine. Amen. Say this prayer for three days. Promise publication and prayer will be granted. Never known to fail. With grateful thanks — E.B.

ASK ST. CLARE for three favours, one business, two impossible. — Say nine Hail Marys for nine nights with lighted candle. Pray whether you believe or not. Publish on ninth day. Powerful Novena: May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be praised, adored and glorified throughout the whole world, forever. Amen. Your request will be granted no matter how impossible it may seem. Favour granted, publication must be promised. — S.O.R.

Planning Notices

Waterford County Council — I, Patrick O'Brien, wish to apply to Waterford County Council for outline permission to construct a bungalow, septic tank, percolation area and entrance at Ballyea East, Lismore, Co. Waterford.

Waterford County Council — I, David Feeney, wish to apply for permission for 3 no. two storey terraced dwellings, a single storey dwelling and the demolition of a derelict house and shed at Ballyduff, Co. Waterford.

Dungarvan Urban District Council — Approval is sought to construct 2 no. dormer style dwellings and common access roadway at Coolagh Road, Abbeyside. — M. Ryan.

Waterford County Council — I intend to apply for indefinite full planning permission for studio as constructed at rear of existing hostel at Main Street, Ardmore. Signed: M. Power.

South Tipperary County Council — I wish to apply to the above authority for full planning permission to construct a dormer bungalow, entrance and septic tank/percolation area at Croughclooney, Co. Tipperary. Signed: P. Walsh.

Waterford County Council — I, Shamie Daly, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for full planning permission for the erection of an extension to my dwelling at Dalymount, Ballyduff Upper.

Waterford County Council — Permission is sought for indefinite retention of existing garage at Feddams, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Waterford. Signed: John and Geraldine Houlihan.

Waterford County Council — I intend to apply to the above authority for planning permission to construct a domestic garage at Kilbree East, Cappoquin. Signed: J. Collender.

Waterford County Council — I intend to apply to the above authority for outline planning permission to construct a dwellinghouse and ancillary works at Gortnadiha Upper, Ring. Signed: Patrick Lyons.

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Dungarvan Students 'Step Into Marketing'

Dungarvan students are leading the way in marketing! The Marketing Institute is very impressed with the initiative and enthusiasm of students in Árd Scoil na nDéise in Dungarvan in adopting its 'Step Into Marketing' programme. The programme was run for the first time this year and Árd Scoil na nDéise was one of just thirteen schools in the country to adopt it! Twenty-four students from the school will receive their certificates in the school on May 28 at 7 p.m. The programme was sponsored by Nugent's Super Valu, Dungarvan.

'Step Into Marketing' is a nationwide self-directed learning programme devised by the Marketing Institute for Transition Year students and is implemented in association with County Enterprise Boards. Twenty schools nationwide will run the programme in the 1998/99 academic year.

The primary aim of the Step Into Marketing programme is: "to obtain insights into marketing as one of the most challenging and exciting of all business disciplines and one in which they might ultimately wish to make a career," said Catherine Kilbride, Director

of Education at The Marketing Institute. Not only does the programme develop the students' marketing knowledge, it also assists in "all-round personal development which is an inherent focus of the Fourth Year Programme." Students are continuously encouraged to make decisions on issues for themselves and independent learning, teamwork and constructive feedback are all central parts of the programme.

One of the most important aspects of the programme is establishing good working arrangements with the local community and business sector. Sales presentations are a major feature of the final Learning Unit. They can be taken by individual businessmen or by small panels of interviewers.

On successful completion of the programme, candidates receive a Step Into Marketing certificate from The Marketing Institute. Kilbride concludes: "To an otherwise exam oriented school system, a programme which develops students' understanding of their own behaviour and effectively increases their marketing knowledge, is a welcome addition."

St. Mary's Parish Notes

NOVENA TO HOLY SPIRIT

Novena to the Holy Spirit continues each morning at 9.30 a.m. On Saturday 30th May, a Vigil for Pentecost will be held at 9.30 p.m. In St. Mary's. This will conclude with a Mass.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help will continue, on Mondays at 7.30 p.m.

in St. Marys. There will be no 9.30 a.m. Mass on Mondays during novena.

ANNUAL EUCHARIST PROCESSION

Annual Eucharistic Procession will be held on the Feast of Corpus Christi, Sunday, 14th June, at 7.00 p.m. Details next week.

Emergency Tel. No. 086-2334282. Radio Mass will continue to be broadcast on Sunday and weekdays on 98.5FM.

WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL COMHAIRLE CHONTAE PHORTLAIRGE

Bank Holiday Refuse Collection Arrangements

The arrangements for Refuse Collection for the Bank Holiday Monday will be as normal. We would ask, however, that people leave their bins out for collection earlier than usual

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WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL Temporary Closing Of Roads

SECTION 75 ROADS ACT 1993

Notice is hereby given that Waterford County Council has decided to close the following roads on Saturday, 13th June, 1998, and on Sunday, 14th June, 1998 from 10.30 a.m. to 6.00 p.m., to facilitate the holding of a Hillclimb.

ROADS TO BE CLOSED:

Ring Road — Regional Road R674 from its junction with N25 in the townland of Ballyharahan to its junction with County Road D57 in the townland of Gortnadiha Upper.
Alternative Route — Via County road D57 and Regional Road R674 to Robert's Cross.

Old Sweep — The old N25 from its junction with Regional Road R674 in the townland of Ballyharahan to its junction with the N25 in the townland of Windgap.

Alternative Route — Via N25.

PETER CAREY
County Secretary

29/05/98

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Ballyduff Notes

BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY ALERT — REMINDER: JUNE 11

Reminder not to forget to book your seat on the tour which has been organised by the Ballyduff Community Alert and Senior Citizens. The tour, which will include a trip along the "Tour de France" route, passing by the famous Seán Kelly home and home town of Carrick-on-Suir, where we shall visit Tipperary Crystal. This tour of the factory is to see master craftsmen at work and a visit to the display room is a must.

From there on to Kilkenny city where a light snack can be had. A guided tour of Kilkenny Castle is also arranged, with time to visit some shops on the High Street, etc.

From there it is homeward bound to Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan for evening dinner, ceol agus craic, for the young and the young at heart.

Names and deposits please to Paddy Jim Feeney or Bridget Scanlon Hair Salon, Ballyduff, immediately, as places are limited. The cost is £20 per person.

Meeting of Community Alert next Tuesday night, June 2, at 9 p.m. in St. Michael's Hall.

BALLYDUFF FESTIVAL OF HURLING

The second annual Under-10 Festival of Hurling will take place in Ballyduff on Saturday next, May 30 commencing at 11 a.m. and continuing till 5.30 p.m. A total of 24 teams from counties Cork, Tipperary, Dublin and Waterford will be taking part. Four hundred and eighty children under the age of ten will be taking part and there will be a total of 36 matches played on the day.

Three pitches will be in use. Each team will consist of eleven players and a total of nine subs. Each game will be of 20 minutes duration and will be played under normal playing rules except that no soloing will be allowed. Eight teams will qualify for the quarter finals on Saturday week, June 6 commencing at 2 p.m.

A new dimension has been added to the festival this year with the inclusion of Dublin team Erins Isle who are paying their first visit to West Waterford.

The festival is kindly sponsored by David Walsh, Office & School Supplies, Dungarvan with the winners of the tournament receiving a perpetual trophy from the sponsor while the plate winners will receive a perpetual shield, while the winners and runners-up in both will receive medals.

The groupings are as follows—

Div. 1 — Group A - Ballyduff, St. Olivers, Youghal, Mount Sion. (Top two teams to quarter finals); Group B - Abbeyside (A), De La Salle, Lismore, Erins Isle. (Top two teams to quarter finals).

Div. 2 — Group A - Brickey Rangers, Roanmore, Tallow, Tramore (Top team to quarter final); Group B - Dungarvan, St. Mary's (Clonmel), Ballygunner, Clonea. (Top team to quarter final).

Div. 3 — Group A - Fourmilewater, Naomh Brid, Kilmacthomas, St. Saviours. (Top team to quarter final); Group B - Kilrossanty, Abbeyside (B), Cappoquin, Kilworth.

(Top teams to quarter final).

BALLYDUFF MACRA NA FEIRME NOTES

National Silage Award Winner — The club would like to congratulate our Chairman, Micheál O'Donnell on winning the Macra Na Feirme National Silage Award.

Micheál entered the competition after Christmas by way of sending the analysis of his silage to Macra Na Feirme.

At this stage it was narrowed down to five out of eighty competitors. The five people chosen then had to submit projects and this was followed by a farm visit by the three adjudicators namely Tom Rafter, I.F.I.; Peter Young, Chairman, Irish Farmers Journal and Damien McDonald, Macra Na Feirme.

The five competitors were brought to the Irish Farm Centre, Bluebell where the results were announced and to our chairman's surprise, he was announced the winner of the competition. Micheál was presented with a silver tray and two tonnes of I.F.I. fertiliser.

Night Out — The club are heading to Kilcoran Lodge Hotel on Sunday night next, May 31 to Ballyporeen/Clogheen Disco. Bus leaving the Village at 10.30 p.m. sharp.

New Member — The club would like to welcome Lisa Barry from Conna to the club and hope she enjoys her stay in the club.

Photo Competition — In conjunction with Dungarvan Show, a photo competition is being organised old photos v modern photos. Suitable photographs include any interesting landscapes, buildings etc. can be sourced from local libraries, local historians, older members of your community etc. So club members get busy on getting those photographs.

BALLYDUFF G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Under-14 Hurling — The under-14 hurlers lost by a single point to Mount Sion in the field on Saturday last in the second round of the championship. We led at half-time by 1-4 to 1-1 but a physically stronger Sion team came more into the game in the closing stages to snatch victory by 3-4 to 1-9.

Team - S. Feeney, S. Kenneally, P. Hickey, M. Ahearne, N. Feeney, C. Hannon, S. Hannon, S. Cunningham, D. Condon, M. Feeney, S. Molumphy, G. Miller, P. Murphy, C. Feeney, J. Kearney. Subs used - S. Hannon, A. Power.

Under-12 Hurling — The under-12 hurlers got off to a winning start when they defeated Fourmilewater by 7-3 to 1-2 in Ballymacarbry on Monday evening.

Team - A. Power, A. Feeney, E. Geary, T. Byrne, M. Moroney, M. Ahearne, S. Hannon, J. Kearney, S. Kenneally, M. Feeney, S. Hannon, K. Keane, P. Murphy, C. Canning, S. Kearney. Subs - P. O'Mahoney, K. Moroney.

Junior Hurling — The junior hurlers recorded their second league win of the season when they defeated Modeligo by 2-14 to 0-4 at the latter's venue on Saturday evening.

Team - L. Power, P. Scanlon, M. Barry, S. Quirke, A. Martin, E. Hickey, J. Casey, D. Flynn, T. Feeney, M. Hickey, B. Tobin, R. Walsh, J. Scanlon, L. Feeney, M. Hannon. Subs - F. Hickey, B. Bolger, R. Whelan.

Senior Hurling — The senior hurlers played Passage in the league on Tuesday night and will play Tallow in the field on Thursday night of next week.

Fitzgerald Cup — The senior hurlers were defeated by Lismore in a high scoring Fitzgerald Cup Tournament Final in the field on Friday evening last. Both sides were short a number of regulars but it was Lismore who dominated the early stages. Ballyduff fought back well in the closing quarter to lose out by a point 3-15 to 3-14.

Fixtures — Under-14 Hurling Championship v Lismore at Lismore at 7 p.m. on Friday, May 29.

Under-10 Festival of Hurling at Ballyduff at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 30.

Junior Football League - Ballyduff v Old Parish at 7.30 p.m. on Saturday, May 30.

Under-12 Hurling Championship v Lismore at Lismore at 11 a.m. on Sunday, May 31.

Senior hurling v Newtown-Shandrum at Kilworth on Monday, June 1.

Lotto — The numbers drawn in last Tuesday night's Lotto draw were 10, 12, 15. There was no jackpot winner. The £25 prizewinners were John Barry, Garrybrittas, Glencairn; Christine Hyland, Coolisheal, Ballyduff and Pad Flynn, St. Jude's, Ballyduff.

Next week's Lotto draw is on Tuesday night in The Anglers Rest at 10 p.m.

Déise Draw — A reminder to Déise Development Draw promoters to hand in any outstanding monies to John Jackson or Pat Flynn as soon as possible.

Tramore Fine Gael District Executive AGM

On Monday, May 4th the Tramore District Executive of Fine Gael held its AGM. This was a well attended meeting with both local County councillors Con Casey and John Carey present as well as Tramore Town Commissioner Betty Twomey. Constituency chairman Michael Veale chaired the election of officers. The officers elected were chairman Michael Clarke; Vice chairperson Kay Mackey; secretary Sandra Winkle; joint treasurers Maisie Dunphy and Ben Power; organiser and PRO Michael Winkle.

Michael Clarke was happy with Fine Gael's performance locally and

looked forward with enthusiasm to the local and town commissioner elections next year. It is expected that the Tramore selection conventions will be held in October and already there are a few new candidates showing some interest.

Billy Walsh, constituency organiser congratulated the Tramore district on its recent public meeting at which Alan Dukes was in attendance. This was well attended by the people of Tramore and surrounding areas and was a very worthwhile exercise.

The meeting wished Austin Deasy a speedy return to active politics and the odd game of golf.

Pius O'Shea Memorial Darts Tournament



The Pius O'Shea Memorial Tournament was played in The Shandon Arms recently. Twenty-six teams of both men and women took part. It was a great tribute to Pius who for many years played for the Shandon Arms. The winners were Ger Kavanagh and Anthony Cockwell. Cups and prizemoney were presented by Pearl O'Shea and family members. The players wish to thank the O'Shea family and Alan and Kay Dillon for a great night.

Danger At Helvick Cul-de-sac Highlighted

A Waterford Co. Councillor has claimed that local authority bureaucracy about white lines on roads is putting the safety of children and residents at risk at Helvick Head, Ring, Dungarvan.

Cllr. Fiachra Ó Céilleachair said there's an ongoing difficulty concerning cars missing the left turn into Helvick carpark and proceeding into a cul-de-sac. The fact that the authorities are refusing to remove the continuous white line into the cul-de-sac is a major part of the

problem, according to Cllr. Ó Céilleachair.

"The Council tell me that the section of road between the car park/pier entrance to the end of the cul-de-sac is the end of Regional Road R674 and as such is rightly delineated with a white centre line."

"That position is not acceptable to Helvick residents, and it does nothing to allay the fears of parents whose children are using the cul-de-sac."

"The Council, following an acceptance of a motion from me at a meeting earlier

this year, are getting around to erecting a big sign indicating the left turn from the Dungarvan road to Helvick pier. This will help, to some extent. If a tourist, travelling quickly, sees a continuous white line beyond that then, what's to stop them proceeding on?"

"If the Council is prepared to try and prevent the problem then they should go the whole way, leave aside the bureaucracy and cancel the white line going into Helvick cul-de-sac. I will continue my efforts to get this done."

**CLASHMORE RAMBLERS
SOCCER CLUB NOTES**

**More Success
For Under-10
And Under-8
Teams**

Our two youngest teams had two more wins last Saturday evening. Both games were at home with our under-10 team beating Ballybridge Utd. 4-1 and our under-8 team recording a 7-0 win over Youghal Rangers.

**UNDER-10 LEAGUE
Clashmore Ramblers 4
Ballybridge Utd. 1**

Ramblers beat Ballybridge for the second week in a row with another top class performance. Kevin Murphy scored the first when his shot eluded the 'keeper and went in off the post. The second and third goals were both scored by Emmett Kelly, his first one was a deflection and his second goal came from a long range shot. The half-time score was 3-0 but the second half was much tighter. Ramblers scored in the first minute when Colm Kelly sent over a cross and Kevin Murphy volleyed home for a great goal. Ballybridge put us under a lot of pressure and were rewarded midway through the half when one of their players scored with a long range shot. Best for Ramblers were Declan Coughlan, Ciarán Bourke, Michael Barron, Kevin Murphy.

Panel - Eoin Kelly, Ciarán Bourke, Declan Coughlan, Michael Barron, Emmett Kelly, Shane Dalton, Patrick Kelleher, Kevin Murphy, Edmund Ledingham, Colm O'Rourke, Gavin Seward, Andrew Condon, Colm Kelly.

**UNDER-8 LEAGUE
Clashmore Ramblers 7
Youghal Rangers 0**

The club had their biggest ever win against a very depleted Youghal side. The match itself was very entertaining and many of our younger players were given the chance of an extended run. Aidan Trihy, Ciarán Bourke (2), Patrick Cunningham, Michael Cunningham (2) and Niamh Condon were the scorers for Ramblers.

**DECIES WIN
HEINEKEN
PUB FINAL**

The Decies came out on top in the final played last Sunday evening against The Coopers. The final was played before a large attendance and was preceded by a game between third and fourth placed teams, The Old Still and The Rising Sun.

Decies 1 Coopers 0

The Decies overturned an earlier defeat by The Coopers when they won this decider by a single goal. The all important goal was scored by Kevin O'Rourke midway through the first half. The Decies were well worth their win as they dominated for much of the game especially in the first half.

**The Old Still 3
The Rising Sun 1**

Liam Fleming was the hero here in the wooden spoon contest with a brace of goals.

THANKS

The club would like to thank all those who contributed last Sunday evening and it is hoped to run this tournament on an annual basis.

**FIXTURES FOR
SCHOOLBOY
TEAMS**

Friday, May 29 in Clashmore - Under-8 League. Clashmore Ramblers v Brideview Utd. Kick-off 5.45 p.m. No game fixed for the under-10 team yet.

**GET WELL
WISHES**

Best wishes to Gavin Dower, captain of our under-10 team who recently suffered a broken wrist.

**BIRTHDAY
GREETINGS**

Happy birthday to Patrick Kelleher who celebrated his birthday last weekend.

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& Bride View United
Share The Top Spots**

Clashmore Ramblers took the lead in the Under-10 'A' League following their win over Ballybridge Utd. Brideview Utd. still lead in the Under-10 'B' League while they have a huge eight point lead in the Under-8 League after their sixth win in a row.

Sadly there were only five games played and the League Chairman had promised severe action will be taken against those clubs who are falling behind and threatening to hold up the league for other clubs. With long evenings and games taking only forty minutes, there should be no excuse for clubs not playing at least one game every week. There are only a few clubs letting us down at this stage and we can only hope that things improve before our next meeting. Below is a list of club managers for those who do not already have them.

Ardmore - Declan Barron (024) 94355, Liam Aherne (under-10) (058) 56761; Brideview Utd. - Milo Aherne (under-8) (058) 56228 or Dermot Hallinan (058) 56749; Cappoquin - Michael Looby (058) 52033; Castlebridge Celtic - Joe Hartnett (025) 36928; Ballybridge Utd. - Martin Hurley (024) 98009; Clashmore Ramblers - Sean Kearns (024) 96142; Fermoy Utd. - Tom Clancy (025) 32780; Kilworth Celtic - John Condon (025)

31723 (work); Lismore - Joe Tobin (058) 54805 (manager - Mark Khan); Valley Rangers - Billy Carr (058) 56478; Youghal - Tim Ryan (under-10) (024) 91414, Billy Cotter (under-8) (024) 93930.

Remember it is the responsibility of the clubs to arrange matches at all times. The home clubs must provide a referee unless the away team requests a neutral one. All match results must be forwarded to the League P.R.O., Sean Kearns (024) 96142 by the home team before 7 p.m. on Sunday evening.

**UNDER-10 'A' LEAGUE
Clashmore Ramblers 4
Ballybridge Utd. 1**

Ramblers played very well in the first half and scored three times without reply. Kevin Murphy and Emmett Kelly (2) were the Clashmore scorers. Ramblers scored again within a minute of the restart to seal the victory although Ballybridge did get a consolation goal before the end.

**UNDER-10 'B' LEAGUE
Youghal Rangers 4
Fermoy Utd. 7**

Things are very tight at the top here after Fermoy's

good win away to Youghal. Despite a hat-trick from Christopher Walsh and another goal from Jonathan Howley, Rangers found it difficult to contain their visitors.

**UNDER-8 LEAGUE
Brideview Utd. 3
Valley Rangers 0**

Rangers failed to halt the Brideview bandwagon and they would have suffered an even bigger defeat but for the heroics of their 'keeper who made several brilliant saves. Stephen Power gave Brideview a 1-0 half-time lead and Thomas Ryan and Shane Ahearne cemented Brideview's win with two further goals.

**Youghal Rangers 0
Fermoy Utd. 6**

Fermoy moved up a place thanks to this big win against Youghal Rangers. Edmund Flavin, Keith McCarthy and Daniel Mulcahy all played well for Rangers who were no match for a very good Fermoy side.

**Clashmore Ramblers 7
Youghal Rangers 0**

Ramblers had a good home win against a very understrength Youghal team. Clashmore scorers were Ciarán Bourke (2), Michael Cunningham (2), Aidan Trihy, Patrick Cunningham and Niamh Condon.

NEXT MEETING

This will take place next Tuesday night, June 2 at 9 p.m. in the Devonshire Arms Hotel, Tallow. The committee meet at 8 p.m.

**CONGRATULATIONS
TO BRIDE VIEW**

Congratulations to Brideview Utd. who had Mick McCarthy in Tallow last Friday to open their new dressing rooms. John O'Shea and Jim Goodwin of Ireland's Under-16 European Championship winning team and World Cup official, Eddie Foley were also among the V.I.P.'s and the huge crowd could not fail to be impressed by the dressing rooms, car park and the pitches.

**SCHOOLBOYS
LEAGUE TABLES**

	Pt	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
UNDER-10 LEAGUE							
SECTION A							
CLASHMORE	4	3	1	0	13	2	10
YOUGHAL CEL.	4	2	2	0	9	1	8
ARDMORE	2	1	1	0	9	4	4
CAPPOQUIN	3	1	1	1	5	3	4
BALLYBRIDGE	5	1	1	3	4	12	4
YOUGHAL ATH.	4	0	0	4	2	22	0
SECTION B							
BRIDEVIEW	3	2	1	0	9	3	7
CASTLEBRIDGE	4	2	0	2	19	8	6
KILWORTH	2	2	0	0	14	8	6
FERMOY	4	2	0	2	13	4	6
YOUGHAL RGS.	3	0	2	1	5	8	2
YOUGHAL RVS.	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
VALLEY RGS.	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
KILWORTH 'B'	2	0	0	2	7	25	0
LISMORE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNDER-8 LEAGUE							
BRIDEVIEW	6	6	0	0	26	2	18
FERMOY	4	3	0	1	17	2	9
YOUGHAL ATH.	4	3	0	1	14	7	9
CLASHMORE	3	2	0	1	8	2	6
CAPPOQUIN	3	1	0	2	2	7	3
YOUGHAL CEL.	3	0	1	2	2	11	1
YOUGHAL RGS.	5	0	1	4	2	26	1
VALLEY RGS.	2	0	0	2	0	2	0
CASTLEBRIDGE	1	0	0	1	1	6	0

**PARK HOTEL
SPORTS STAR
OF THE MONTH**

The Park Hotel Sports Star of the Month Award for April is Waterford Utd. Player/Manager, Tommy Lynch.

Before the final game in the league, which ended Waterford Utd. 0, St. Francis 0, Tommy Lynch led his team on to the pitch at RSC and was presented with the First Division Trophy by Chairman of the FAI National League, Michael Hyland.

Waterford finished with 60 points, six ahead of Bray Wanderers, and are worthy winners of the First Division title.

This is Tommy's second Park Hotel award.



DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C. NEWS

RESULT

Fitzgerald Youth Cup Southend 3; Dungarvan 2.

FIXTURES

Junior: Sunday, 31st May Premier League: Dungarvan v Waterford Crystal 11.00 a.m.

Schoolboys: Saturday, 6th June TSB u-13 League Johnville v Dungarvan 11.45 a.m.

FAIRVIEW COMPLETE THE DOUBLE

At the Dr. Pat O'Callaghan Sports Complex, Clonmel, home of Clonmel Town, on Sunday last Fairview Rangers, Limerick, completed the double by capturing the FAI Junior Cup when they defeated Waterford Crystal by two goals to nil. It was their second year in-a-row to win this trophy and they also captured the Munster Junior Cup this season. Dungarvan supporters will remember they beat

ARDAGH CUP QUARTER-FINAL

Youthful Blues Side Bow Out

JOHNVILLE 2 DUNGARVAN 2

(Johnville won 5-4 on penalties)

DUNGARVAN UNITED went out of the Ardagh Cup competition, at the quarter-final stage, away to Johnville on Wednesday evening last on penalty kicks after the game ended all square 2-2 after 110 minute football. Dungarvan fielded a very young side with a number of regulars unavailable and the youths who played showed they are well able for this level of competition.

Dungarvan got off to the worst possible start when Johnville's full back Sullivan rifled home an unstoppable shot to the roof of the net. Following great play by centre-half Darren Lyons who broke up field before passing to John Donnelly and he shot home an equaliser in the 20th minute. Ten minutes later Johnville were back in the lead when Dungarvan failed to clear the ball and Brown pounced to shoot home in a crowded goalmouth to give Alan Landers in the Blues goal no chance. Just before half time Dungarvan had a number of chances with John Paul Donnelly having an effort blocked when well placed. A

us in the semi-final of the Munster Cup at Kilrush 3-2 and went on to beat Mungret Regional 2-1 in the final. This proves without doubt that they are the best junior side the country at the moment. Centre forward Jimmy Sheehan got both goals, one in each half before an estimated attendance of 3,000 supporters. Well done to manager Dermot Finnan and his squad on a marvellous achievement and hard luck to Eamon Coady and Crystal in reaching the final of this competition in which 726 teams competed.

Crystal visit Kilrush Park on Sunday next when they take on Dungarvan in a Premier League tie, kick off 11.00 a.m.

A.G.M.

Our annual Annual General Meeting will now take place in the club-

house on Friday, 5th June at 7.30 p.m. We urge all our members to turn up and have your say in how our club should be run.

NEW SEASON COMMITTEE

Anyone interested in the Chairman's job or for a place on the committee for the forthcoming season, please contact our secretary J. D. O'Shea before this coming Friday, June 29th.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Anyone interested in taking up our current life membership scheme please contact Stan Cummins or Liam Simms. Thank you.

YANKEE DOODLE JACKPOT £520

Numbers on Sunday last were 88 and 92. No winner. Jackpot £520 next Sunday. The numbers were drawn by Ann Murphy. Get your numbers from our usual sell-

Premier league games remaining at home to Glass, Hibs and away to Bolton and if they can pick up points from these will finish well up in the top half of the table.

Dungarvan: Alan Landers, Georgie Hamilton (Capt.), John Paul Donnelly, Owen Morrissey, Darren Lyons, Mark Crotty, Pat Dunford, Micheál Downey, John Donnelly, John Power, Bernie Crotty. Res: John Paul Keohan for Ml. Downey; Gary Collins.

Ref: Joe Casey.

ers. You only need 2 matching numbers to win the jackpot.

PONGO

Eyes down every Tuesday night a 8.15 p.m.

SATURDAY NIGHT

PROGRESSIVE 45

RESULTS

Winnes: Martin and Michael; 2nd, Bernie and Mary; Peter and Monsignor; Jim and Peter. Best Last Five: Anthony and Larry; Richard and Nora. Lucky Tables: Tony and Mary; Noreen and Bernie.

Come and enjoy a game of 45 every Saturday night in comfortable surroundings for excellent prize-money. Cards commence 8.30 p.m.

SOCCER SUMMER CAMP

We had a very successful Soccer Summer Camp last year so we are hoping to have an even greater number this year. The Summer Camp will begin on Tuesday, 4th August at 10.00 a.m. The camp will be run for four days from 10.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m. Tuesday to Friday. The cost will be £10 per child with allowances for two or more from the one family. Children from the age of 7 years upwards are welcome to come along to learn, have fun and maybe some day get to play for our national team.

EXECUTIVE MEETING

An executive committee meeting will take place on this Thursday evening at 9.00 p.m.

Carling Inter-Firms Soccer Tournament 1998 Fixtures

THE DRAWS for the 1998 Inter-Firms soccer tournament took place at Dungarvan United AFC Clubhouse on Friday night last and seventeen entries were received. Holders of the O'Dwyer trophy, SmithKline Beecham, have three teams while Waterford Crystal have two teams this year. We have a new entry in Dawn Meats and we also welcome McInerney/Builders who are also a new entry (BoBo tells us they will have no problem building a wall for free kicks).

We wish the best of luck to all the teams competing.

PRELIMINARY ROUND

A preliminary round began last night (Tuesday) when Crystal 'A' and 'B' met at 6.30 p.m. to decide who will play St. Declan's, Kilmacthomas on Tuesday, 2nd June.

FIRST ROUND

Wednesday, 27th May:

(A) McInerney/Builders v Calmark, Cappoquin 6.30 p.m.

(B) Butlers United v Cappoquin Chickens 7.45 p.m.

Tuesday, 2nd June:

(C) Waterford Joinery v SmithKline Beecham 'C' 6.30 p.m.

(D) St. Declan's Kilmac. v Crystal 'A' or 'B' 7.45 p.m.

Wednesday, 3rd June:

(E) Traders v Stafford Miller 6.30 p.m.

(F) Unemployed v SmithKline Beecham 'B' 7.45 p.m.

Thursday, 4th June:

(G) Dawn Meats v Dolans 6.30 p.m.

(H) Radley Eng. v SmithKline Beecham 'A' 7.45 p.m.

QUARTER-FINALS

Wednesday, 10th June:

E v A 6.30 p.m.

B v C 7.45 p.m.

Thursday, 11th June:

F v H 6.30 p.m.

G v D 7.45 p.m.

(Draw for semi-finals in clubhouse on Thursday, 11th June at 9.30 p.m.)

SEMI-FINALS

Monday, 15th June 6.30 p.m. and 7.45 p.m.

FINAL

Friday, 19th June 7.00 p.m.

RULES

1. Entry Fee is £35.00 per team. This must be paid before the first game.
2. No limit on number or grade of players on panel.
3. Players must be employed with firm or organisation.
4. Only 14 trophies or prizes for winners and runners-up.
5. Players play at their own risk. The committee are not responsible for any injuries incurred in the competition.
6. The committee's decision is final on all matters.
7. Player sent-off incurs an automatic one game suspension for the next match and may be dealt with more severely pending the referee's report.
8. Games 70 minutes then penalties.
9. No postponements except in exceptional circumstances and with the agreement of the opposition for a new fixture.
10. Shin Guards must be worn.
11. Each team must have a size 5 match ball and a set of jerseys.
12. Objections must be lodged with the committee before a game begins.
13. Games must commence on time, i.e. players must be on the pitch and ready to play at the appointed time.

Castlebridge Celtic A.F.C. (Castlelyons)

7-A-SIDE TOURNAMENT

This year we are holding tournaments for over '35 junior, U-16, 14, 12. Final entry date for these games are over '35 June 5th '98. Entry fee £25, if you have no entry form don't panic, you can contact Joe Hartnett at (025) 36928, John Leetch (025) 36615 or Maurice Jacob (025) 36717 after 6.00 pm, and they will assist you in any way they can.

Entry date for Junior, U-16,14,12, is 19th June. Entry fee for Junior is £25, U-16, 14, 12 £10 per team. Again you can contact the names mentioned above and they will assist you with any en-

quiry, again contact these phone numbers after 6 p.m.

The over '35 tournament will start on 14th June. All other tournaments will start on 1st July. All teams will be notified of times, and opponents and date of games.

JUVENILES

The game versus Youghal is cancelled for Thursday 28th May at Bridebridge. Training will be held at the usual times. Last Thursday night they had a friendly game against a team from Glanmire/Watergrasshill U-13. Our lads did very well playing some very attractive football. Running out easy winners 9 goals to 1.

A.G.M.

Our A.G.M. will be held on Tuesday 9th June, 8.30 pm at the Community Hall, Castlelyons. Everybody is welcome to attend. A most pleasing aspect of our juveniles game to date has been the interest shown by the parents who attend these games. Your support is most welcome. It is so nice to see the fathers and mothers coming to these games, it is nice to see the ladies coming along, because as you may know we love to see the girls playing soccer, for at this age it is a game for both boys and girls to enjoy. Therefore we hope to see

some of the mothers as well as the fathers at our A.G.M. So if you have an hour to spare on Tuesday 9th June, do come along to the Community Centre.

JUNIOR GAME.

KILWORTH TOURNAMENT
Castlebridge Celtic v Army — The game takes place at Kilworth for the Avondu Cup Tournament on Friday night 29th May at 7.00 pm. All players to be at the Kilworth pitch by 6.45 pm and no later. Best of luck to the lads. That is it for this week, and I leave you with our motto "Beart do reir ar mbriathair," until next week.

ABBEYSIDE A.F.C. NOTES

UNDER-12 CHAMPIONS

ABBEYSIDE 2 KILMACTHOMAS 1

Abbeyside clinched the Under-12 League with a hard earned win over their closest rivals at Stucco Lane. Manager John McGovern had his young charges in tip top form and it was ultimately the organisation and flair of this young team inspired by him that led to his second managerial title. From Declan Byrnes in the goal to young Diarmuid Sheehan up front, all were heroes as they unselfishly chased the village cause.

In a welter of excitement, Abbeyside began in attack mode and wave after wave of attack swept the Reds up the field. Philip Wade and Eamonn Hennessey established a stranglehold in the middle while the effervescent Mark Moloney bubbled up the wing compensating for the huge loss of Stephen Drummey through injury. Up front the elusive Chris Mansfield and Diarmuid Sheehan cleverly led the visitors a merry dance while at the back, Patrick Lynch, Jason Reynolds, Mark Maher and Liam Sheehan held a vice-like grip on proceedings. Anthony Flynn was his usual, skillful self tormenting his marker with his direct running.

After 14 mins. the breakthrough came and what a goal it was. A swift break found Philip Wade who slipped through a perfect ball for D. Sheehan who drew the 'keeper and his shot flew to the back of the net. The celebrations were astonishing as he was mobbed by his fellow villagers.

Abbeyside continued to attack and only some fine saves by the visitors 'keeper denied the homesters. After 20 mins. Declan Byrne was called into action when his flying save touched a goal-bound shot around the post. The Abbeyside support urged on the homeside but despite incessant pressure, they could not breach a

solid Kilmac' rearguard.

Into the second half and an early scare when a Kilmac' player, on his own in the box, fired over when a goal seemed certain. This galvanised the homesters into action and a beautiful move down the left saw the ball fall to Chrissie Mansfield who volleyed home from 8 yds. to billow the visitors net. 2-0, almost there !! But almost from the restart, Kilmac' pulled a goal back after a superb run by Joey Veale, easily their most outstanding player.

This signalled some desperate defending as Kilmac' smelled a comeback by full-time. However the merciful sound of top referee, P. J. Reddy's whistle signalled mass celebrations as the title was secured.

CELEBRATION NIGHT
Our club celebration night takes place on Friday night next at 8 p.m. at the Scouts Den, Abbeyside. The under-12 medals will be given out as well as the under-12 and under-11 Player of the Year Awards. Music is by Mad Hatter disco and admission will be £2. The disco will be over by 11 p.m. and will be strictly supervised.

THANKS
A big thank you to John McGovern for his splendid work with these young players throughout the year. Over the last year they have had 104 training sessions approx. of 2 hours each time. This equates to 26 full working days. Some com-



JUBILANT ABBEYSIDE UNDER-12 TEAM CELEBRATE LEAGUE TITLE WIN — Back row (l. to r.) J. McGovern (manager), L. Sheehan, P. Wade, M. Moloney, M. Maher, S. Drummey, A. Flynn, P. Lynch, J. Young. Front row (l. to r.) L. Wade, D. Sheehan, C. Mansfield, D. Byrne, E. Hennessey, J. Reynolds.

mitment for a true club man.

SPECIAL MENTION

A special mention must be given to the young lads who have played under-11 and under-12 for the club this year. Their dedication, enthusiasm and affection for the club has shone through their playing efforts and fundraising assistance. It is very heartening for the future of the club that these players are at such an early age adopting this correct and responsible attitude and one can feel confident that when they reach adulthood the club will be an extremely strong and progressive one.

HARLOW TRIP

The club has been invited on a trip to Harlow and it is envisaged that our under-12 team will travel over in early August and play a game. This trip will be well supervised and it is hoped that it will be an educational event as the itinerary would include a trip to Madame Tussauds etc.

ABBEYSIDE A.F.C. UNDER-9 LEAGUE

Chelsea — Nicholas O'Riordan, Steven Meaney, Amy Jordan, David Cummins, Adam O'Riordan, Mark Fehilly, Brian O'Dwyer, Gary Walsh, Michael Organ, Joe O'Doherty, John O'Sullivan, Ryhs Mitchel.

Celtic — Aaron Flanagan, Ciara Duffy, James Coade, Barry Morrissey, Rachel Lacey, Craig O'Connor, Shane Whelan, Sarah Kenneally, Christopher O'Grady, David Walsh, Billy Ryan.

Liverpool — David Power, Stephen Langan, Alice Sweeney, Alan Akehurst, Eoin McCullagh, Jamie Organ, Richard Curran, Kenny Healy, Alan Tobin, Michael Duff, Conor O'Neill.

Man. Utd. — Jason Healy, Barry Moloney, Conor O'Dwyer, Jamie Mills, Sharon Kenneally,

Sean Fehilly, Jessica Flanagan, David Crotty, Robert James, Brian Curran, Clodagh McGovern, John Power.

RESULTS TO DATE

Celtic 2 Liverpool 0 - Aaron Fleming (5), Barry Morrissey (8).

Chelsea 3 Man. Utd. 2 - D. Cummins (2), N. O'Riordan (5), G. Walshe (9), Jason Healy (11 and 12).

Celtic 2 Chelsea 0 - Sarah Kenneally (8), Barry Morrissey (12).

Man. Utd. 1 Liverpool 4 - Jason Healy (4), David Power (2, 3, 8, 9).

Chelsea 1 Man. Utd. 0 - N. O'Riordan (14).

Celtic 1 Liverpool 5 - Aaron Flanagan (5), David Power (4), James O'Mahoney (5, 9), David Power (11, 12).

Chelsea 3 Liverpool 1 - Gary Walsh (2, 5, 12), Alice Sweeney (12).

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Chelsea	4	3	0	1	7	3	9
Celtic	3	2	0	1	5	5	6
Liverpool	4	2	0	2	9	7	6
Man. Utd.	3	0	3	3	3	8	0

Next league night on Friday, May 29 at 5.45 p.m. at soccer field.

FIXTURES

Man. Utd. v Celtic at 6.15 p.m., Chelsea v Liverpool at 6.30 p.m., Celtic v Liver-

pool at 6.45 p.m., Chelsea v Celtic at 7 p.m.

UNDER-9 LEAGUE

Our Under-9 League continues and so far the standard of soccer has been very high with some great young prospects on show. Goals galore have been a feature and some great individual scoring feats by people like David Power who scored five for Liverpool against Celtic and young Gary Walsh whose hat-trick crushed Liverpool.

A big welcome to new player this week, Rhys Mitchel who has joined us from Africa.

BEST WISHES

Heartiest best wishes for a speedy recovery to John Power who is currently laid up in hospital. Hope to see you back and fit again on the field of play very soon, so get well soon.

LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 6, 16, 23. No jackpot winner. Next week's jackpot £800. Draw on Friday night, May 29 at Under-9 Leagues at 7 p.m. Thanks for your support.

STUDENT SCHEME

Any student eligible for the Student Summer Jobs Scheme please contact John Kenneally at (058) 41548 if interested in a place with Abbeyside A.F.C.

UNDER-12 LEAGUE RECORD — '97/'98

Away	Waterford Glass	3-0 won
Home	Waterford Glass	5-0 won
Home	De La Salle	6-1 won
Away	Rathgormack	7-0 won
Home	Seaview	9-0 won
Home	Hibs	8-4 won
Away	Kilmacow	2-1 won
Away	Railway Athletic	2-1 won
Away	De La Salle	3-1 lost
Home	Rathgormack	10-0 won
Away	Kilmac'	2-2 draw
Home	Railway Athletic	3-1 won
Home	Kilmacow	4-2 lost
Away	Hibs	5-1 won
Home	Kilmac'	2-1 won
Away	Seaview	9-0 won

Played 16 For 71 Against 19 Points 40

UNDER-12 TEAM SQUAD

1. Declan Byrne, 2. Patrick Lynch, 3. Mark Maher, 4. Jason Fraher, 5. Jason Reynolds, 6. Mark Moloney, 7. Philip Wade (capt.), 8. Eamonn Hennessey, 9. Diarmuid Sheehan, 10. Christopher Mansfield, 11. Liam Sheehan, 12. Stephen Drummey, 13. Anthony Flynn, 14. Luke Wade, 15. James Young.

SCORERS

S. Drummey 27, C. Mansfield 15, P. Wade 6, E. Hennessey 4, L. Sheehan 4, M. Moloney 2, P. Lynch 5, A. Flynn 2, J. Young 2, D. Sheehan 2, M. Maher 1.



ABBEYSIDE'S DELIGHTED SUPPORTERS SALUTE THEIR TEAM



Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Notes



Participants in the Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Clubs Deise Tour. Included is Claire O'Doherty Ryan's Super Valu (sponsors). (Photo: Rory Wyley)

SUCCESSFUL DEISE TOUR

Last Sunday the club successfully organised its first ever Deise Tour, a national leisure cycle sponsored by Ryan's Super-Valu, Dungarvan.

Leisure cyclists from various clubs travelled to Dungarvan to take part in the tour in brilliant weather conditions.

After signing on in Ryan's Super-Valu carpark, cyclists went to the Grove in Abbeyside where they divided into two groups. Philip Cleary led a large contingent of cyclists on a challenging 63 mile course while Aisling Conroy brought the more leisurely cyclists on a 33 mile tour.

The longer route via the coast road took in Seafield school, Bunmahon, Kill church, Kilmeaden, Fiddown Bridge and Carrick where riders stopped at the Hill View Lounge for refreshments before heading back via Leamybrien to Dungarvan.

The shorter 33 mile route via the coast road took in Seafield school, Ballylaneen for refreshments, the junction with the Wa-

terford/Dungarvan road, Kilmachthomas, Fewes, onto Mahon Bridge and back to Dungarvan via Leamybrien.

The club is extremely grateful to sponsors Ryan's Super-Valu for their generous support on the day and especially the deli staff who prepared the delicious sandwiches. Thanks also to the Dungarvan Civil Defence who were a reassuring back up for the riders and to Dungarvan Soccer Club for the use of their excellent facilities at Kilrush after the event.

Thanks also to Seamus Connolly who donned the apron for the day and was a good hand at pouring tea! A true 'domestique'.

Next Sunday, May 31st it will be the turn of Midleton C.C. to host a leisure tour. The 90 mile Tour of the Vee trip will travel through east and north Cork, West Waterford and South Tipperary. Assemble at Midleton GAA pavilion at 9 a.m. For further details contact Tracey Buckley (021) 632132.

RACING RESULTS

Last Sunday our underage riders were in action in Fermoy in the Silver Pail Grand Prix. In the u-16's David Geary rode extremely well to finish in second place while in the u-15's Edward Kelly came a very creditable 5th. All our senior riders also performed well on the day, those being Joe Kelly, Tony O'Mahony, Pat Kenneally, Tony Murray and Henry Crowley.

HOGAN FOR DUNBOYNE

Thomas Hogan has been selected to ride as part of an Irish junior team in next weekend's Dunboyne 3 day event, promoted by Eagle C.C.

UNDERAGE FIXTURE

As reported last week, our underage cyclists are in action next Sunday, May 31st here in Dungarvan up the well known Strike's Hill course as part of the Underage Munster League.

This ongoing league will select the best riders (on a points basis) to compete in a national final in Tuam. Sign on at 12 noon

at Two-Mile-Bridge

We wish all our riders the best of luck and encourage club members to come along and support them on the day.

RAS WINNER

Congratulations to Ciarán Power, Comeragh C.C., winner of this year's FBD Milk Rás - the third Waterford man ever to win the event.

SATURDAY SPINS

Organised cycles continue as usual, 10 a.m. from John Foley's Kilrush on Saturdays, and 10 a.m. from Grattan Square each Sunday. All are welcome to come along and join the group. All fitness levels will be catered for.

Next Saturday Philip Cleary will lead fast cyclists on a good training spin while Seamus Connolly will bring leisure cyclists on a more relaxed route.

MARACYCLE TRAINING

Week 13 of the training schedule for this year's Cooperation North Maracycle is as follows - Monday 10 miles easy; Tuesday 25 miles; Wednesday 15 miles; Thursday 25 miles; Friday rest; Saturday 25 miles; Sunday 60 to 70 miles.

BALLYRAFTER RIDING CLUB

The summer activities of the Ballyrafter Riding Club have so far been quite hectic with members having a great choice of events.

In late April two teams travelled to Cloyne for the Regional Qualifier of the National Showjumping Farmers' Journal Team competition. The event, well organised by the Beech Crest Riding Club, was held outdoors when many other events were cancelled, but the ground held up extremely well despite some nasty thundery showers.

The team of Catherine Kiely, Cappagh, Mary Joyce-Curtin, Killeagh and mother and daughter representatives Jennie and Erica Hill, Conna, took third of fifteen teams competing and just missed out on a qualify-

ing place.

The second team of Richard Whitmore, Ballinamult, Joan Dahill, Glencairn, Eleanor Dalton, Modeligo and Pat Moloney, Dungarvan, all gave good performances and the club were proud to be represented by two full teams this year having struggled to put one team together in its first year just twelve months ago.

After the rains of April the summer arrived in full measure for the Evening Ride at Dromana. The evening sun brought a great gathering of members and friends for what turned into a superb evening, further enhanced by Mrs. McGrath's fresh strawberry cheesecake which any members who missed out on had huge regrets.

The fortnightly Dressage

Lessons have been surprisingly popular and with so many Dressage Competitions now for members, more and more people are actively improving their riding which benefits their overall performance.

Punchestown International Horse Trials was the next outing and again the wonderful summer weather made cross country day one to remember. It was almost a trip down memory lane being reminded of school outings on the bus and as usual the "wild gang" sat at the back entertaining everyone.

Another eventful evening is promised on Thursday with a Ridden Fun Night being held, but no one knows yet what surprises are in store. All will be revealed on Thursday.

Dungarvan Sea Angling Club Notes

EVENTS

The calendar of events for this year are as follows — we start on June 14 with the inter-firms (teams of four), sponsored by Baumann Jewellers and Tackle. Individual prizes sponsored by Casey TV and Video, and the Con Hayes Memorial Shield (sponsored by the Hayes family).

On July 5 the Waterford Glass Trophy (individual) sponsored by Dungarvan Crystal. On the same day we have the RNLI team event. Teams of 4 to be drawn by the Committee. Proceeds to RNLI Helvick.

On July 25/26, the Yoplait 2 Day Gold Medal International takes place (sponsored by Yoplait).

On August 9, we have the Anchor Bar Perpetual Trophy Inter Pubs teams of four. Team prizes, individual prizes and the Shanley Trophy sponsored by Shanley family and the Guinness Group.

Our last competition of the year is the Minnies Bar and Restaurant on September 6 (sponsored by Paddy and Betty O'Brien).

All entries must be paid up two days prior to competition. Contact Seve Baumann (phone 058-41395); Damien Dillon (phone 058-42806).

DUNGARVAN PREMIER PIGEON CLUB

On Saturday 16th May our pigeons flew from Monaghan, 152 miles. The pigeons were liberated at 10.35 am and first home were clocked at 13.12 pm, belonging to Tom and Mark Drummey.

MONAGHAN RESULT

1st - Tom and Mark Drummey, time 13.12, velocity 1701-5. 2nd - O' Donnell Bros. time 14.11, velocity 1234-2. 3rd - O' Donnell Bros. time 14.14, velocity 1219-6. 4th G. J. K. Crotty, time 14-17, velocity 1202-5.

Our next race was from Lurgan, 172 miles on 23rd May. The pigeons were liberated at 8.30 am and first home were clocked at 12.46pm belonging to J. Moylan. Our next race will be from Larne, 204 miles.

LURGAN RESULT

1st - J. Moylan, time 12.46.15, velocity 1185-9. 2nd - Tom and Mark Drummey, time 12.47.05, velocity 1184-7. 3rd - Tom and Mark Drummey, 12.50.19, velocity 1170-07. 4th - G. J. K. Crotty - 12.58.03, velocity 1141-1.

POINTS TABLE AFTER FIVE RACES

1st - Tom and Mark Drummey, 9 points. 2nd J. Moylan, 8 points and M. Donnelly, 8 points.

WATERFORD HANDBALL NEWS

Golf Classic A Great Success

On Friday last, 22nd May, the Waterford Handball Board held their Annual Golf Classic in the Dungarvan Golf Club.

Very fittingly, it was once again sponsored by Waterford Crystal, who have been heavily involved in sponsoring handball at national and international level to great effect in recent years. This Classic continues to attract large entries, both from within the county and further afield, and in all 33 teams participated. The day itself was ideal and the winning scores were good. Old friendships and rivalries were renewed and new friendships made.

The importance of this classic in the scheme of things for those promoting handball in County Waterford cannot be overstated. Plans are well advanced for the provision of a state of the art Championship 60x30 handball alley for Dungarvan and the county. Hopefully we will be able to cut the first sod soon. Our golfing friends have been very supportive over the past 3 years and the money raised through the Classics goes directly towards the very substantial cost of the new handball court. Some of our young Juvenile Handball players, potential beneficiaries of this planned development

were on hand last Friday helping with the day's administration of the Classic.

The County Board are very appreciative of all who contributed to the fund-raising success, particularly the sponsors, Dungarvan Golf Club, both captains and staff and of course the participants. David Walsh deserves special mention as all would acknowledge that his drive and enthusiasm off the fairways makes this particular annual Classic an outstanding success.

The team on form last Friday was captained by Michael O'Sullivan and he led John Gough, Tony Brady and Vincent O'Mahony to victory against very stiff opposition. During the course of the presentation ceremony last Friday night, Fr. Pat Moran availed of the opportunity to introduce Waterford's recent All-Ireland Handball winners, Ciaran Shield and Kenny Keane to the gathering with their medals.

With the all round support forthcoming there is every reason to look forward to further championship challenges with confidence.



Pictured at the presentation of prizes were (l. to r.) David Walsh (Secretary Handball Board), Michael O'Sullivan, John Gough, Tony Brady, Vincent O'Mahony and Bro. Finbar Spring O.S.A.

CUNNIGAR PITCH AND PUTT CLUB NOTES

LOTTO

We had one winner of our jackpot of £2,600 last week. Numbers drawn were 4-12-15-26. The lucky winner was Paddy Street. Well done Paddy! Next week's jackpot will be £200. Thanks for your support.

TOURNAMENT

A good number of players turned up last Wednesday for our tournament. First nett went to Andy Keohan and T. F. McCarthy; first gross to Adrian O'Shea and Tomás Maher.

This Wednesday (tonight's) tournament will be four ball better ball. Draw for partners at 4.30 p.m. Tee off times 6 to 6.30 p.m.

SCRATCH CUP

Our annual scratch cup gets under way next Sunday, which is sponsored by Ben O'Neill, O'Connell Street. Some lovely prizes

on offer, with a television going to the overall winner. We hope all our locals will support this competition. All Cunnigar players to play by 12 noon.

COURSE CLOSED

Due to work being carried out for the scratch cup our course will be closed for green fees from Friday till Monday morning of this week. We regret any inconvenience to the public. Any member with a bit of time on hand this week to do the work on the course would be a great help.

LEAGUE

Ferrybank got the five points, just 3 points ahead of our players. Cunnigar are now four points ahead of the field. Once again, Andy Keohan won the nett for the second time with a great score of 91 nett.

We have a great chance of

taking the title for the first time. Our next game will be held on June 23 at the Waterford Crystal venue.

COUNTY STROKE PLAY

Over 100 players took part in the County Championships last Sunday at Waterford Crystal. A good number of Cunnigar players took part and did themselves proud.

County Stroke Play results — Senior — P. Power (91 gross), R. Malone (96 gross); Inter — Liam Horan (98 gross), Tim O'Rourke (103 gross); Junior — P. Kennedy (104 gross), A. Keohan (105 gross).

BEST WISHES

Best wishes to John Carroll who will be representing the Cunnigar Club in the All-Ireland Match Play finals in Dublin next weekend. — SHOUT FORE

St. Augustine's Triumph In Munster Schools Golf



Photo shows (l. to r.) Jack Lynch, Chairman G.U.I., Munster Branch, John Troy, Donal Williams (coach), David Briden, Martin Lavan (capt.), Sean O'Halloran, Matt Keane, Sec./Manager Charleville Golf Club, Paudie Morrissey, Pat O'Connor, match referee G.U.I. and Sean MacMahon, Hon. Secretary G.U.I. Munster Branch.

Last Thursday, May 21 at splendid condition and it became obvious early on that course management when St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan recorded their first ever win in the provincial final of the Irish Schools Golf Championships. The St. Augustine's team of Martin Lavan (Dungarvan Golf Club), Sean O'Halloran (D.G.C.), David Briden (Gold Coast G.C.), Paudie Morrissey (G.C.G.C.) and John Troy (G.C.G.C.) put in a great performance to win the event by 6 shots from the holders Crescent College (Limerick). The other teams competing were Colaiste Chriost Ri (Cork) and St. Brendan's (Killarney).

With only four out of the five scores to count it was quickly confirmed by Pat O'Connor the G.U.I. official in charge that St. Augustine's had won the title for the first time ever.

The two strongest teams, handicap wise, were St. Augustine's led by team captain Martin Lavan playing off 3, Sean O'Halloran with 5 handicap, David Briden off 7 handicap, Paudie Morrissey, 9 handicap and John Troy playing off 12 and the Crescent team with two 4 handicappers, 2 players with 6 handicap and one 9 handicapper. So on paper the title appeared to rest between these two teams who were paired together. The Limerick team would have started favourites having reached the All Ireland final last year.

The holders, however, had not counted on the consistent play of the Dungarvan lads who were determined to make their mark in this competition. The narrow tree-lined course was in

After a well deserved meal the five players were presented with their individual Ring Crystal Trophies, the Munster Golf Shield and the Munster Pennant by the Chairman of the Munster G.U.I. Jack Lynch. Other G.U.I. officials present included Pat O'Connor, match referee, and Sean MacMahon, match secretary. The best score of the day was a 78 gross by James Bruen of Chriost Ri.

The team now goes on to the All Ireland semi final in August at Birr G.C. This success is a result of the coaching and encouragement given to the junior golfers by the local golf clubs and schools. Everybody now hopes that the team will go on to further success in the All Irelands next August.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S WIN FIRST MUNSTER PENNANT

GOLD COAST GOLF CLUB NOTES**GOLD COAST — THE SUCCESS STORY CONTINUES**

Another chapter in the 1998 Gold Coast success story was written last weekend when our Jimmy Bruen team surpassed all our expectations and overcame all odds to reach the Area Final of the Jimmy Bruen Shield at Tramore Golf Club.

Our first encounter was against Faithlegg Golf Club on Thursday evening last which we won by three matches to two, our wins coming from the pairs of Morrie Ferncombe and E. P. Kiely, Brian O'Connor and Ian Pericho and Tom Considine and Sean Walsh, our other pairs of Pat Power and John McGrath and Mark Lenihan and Kiki Cullinane just narrowly losing out in their matches.

Attention then turned to Saturday morning where we faced the host club Tramore Golf Club. Tramore, steeped in tradition in cup and shield events, were well fancied and had last year knocked us out of the same competition. However the Gold Coast men showed the same spirit and determination that the Pierce Purcell team displayed weeks previously and a shock result was in store for the hosts. Both teams were evenly balanced and the Gold Coast notched up two wins with John McGrath and Pat Power and Brian O'Connor and Ian Pericho securing two out of the three required matches.

David Briden and Mark Lenihan were all square with their opponents coming down the 18th and Tramore looked in control as they were on in three on this Par 5 and the Gold Coast men short in three. But David Briden showed his masterful touch around the green by chipping an approach shot to leave Mark Lenihan a putt of about 12 feet which he executed effectively to secure their Par. Tramore then faced a 5 feet putt in front of their own large galleries, to half the match but missed the putt for Gold Coast to clinch their third win and overall victory.

After a brief lunch break, the next round was under way where we faced our neighbours Dungarvan Golf Club. This was the second time in three weeks where we faced our neighbours in a G.U.I. fixture. Again the teams were evenly balanced and both sides secured two wins each with our two wins coming from pairs Brian O'Connor and Ian Pericho and from Tom Considine and Mick Ahern.

The only remaining match left was between John McGrath and Pat Power for Gold Coast and Tony Brady and Michael Hanrahan for Dungarvan who were having a real tussle with the match finishing all square after 18 holes.

Down the 19th the pairs went and the match swung the Gold Coast way when Pat Power produced one of the shots of the tournament with a majestic approach shot to the Par 4 to about 15 feet.

Dungarvan failed to get on in two and the Gold Coast men were faced with two putts to win. When John McGrath rolled his putt to the lip of the hole the match was won and Gold Coast had surpassed even their wildest ambitions by claiming a place in the Regional Final the very next morning against Waterford Castle.

Next morning the Castle, who came out the much

1998 GOLD COAST PIERCE PURCELL TEAM

Pictured above are the victorious Gold Coast Pierce Purcell Team who carry the hopes of Waterford in the Munster semi final against Dooks Golf Club (Kerry) on July 26 next at Limerick Golf Club. Front row (l. to r.) Brian O'Connor (selector), Kiki Cullinane, Conor Clancy, Michael Kavanagh, Johnny Hourigan, Tony Dunford, John White, James Veale (Captain '98). Back row (l. to r.) E. P. Kiely, Michael Troy, Thomas Fennell (President '98 & selector), Michael McGrath, Paddy Walsh, John McGrath, Thomas Larkin, Tom Walsh, Brendan O'Brien (selector).

fresher side having only played one previous match as against the Gold Coast who faced their fourth match in as many days, played excellent golf and well deserved victory and won the final comprehensively by four matches to one.

May we wish Waterford Castle the very best of luck in the Area Final next weekend and we hope they go on and bring Munster glory to the county.

Well the dust has still to settle on this tremendous and exciting three weeks for Gold Coast Golf Club which saw us take our place in our very first Munster semi-final in the Pierce Purcell on July 26 next and saw us reach a regional final in the Jimmy Bruen.

Well done to the panel of players for giving us the memories of their heroic performances and a glimpse of what's to come in the future, the caddies and the supporters who travelled to the fixtures over the last few weeks and who made their presence felt and the selectors Thomas Fennell, Brian O'Connor and Brendan O'Brien to whom an enormous amount of credit is due, who have produced a brilliant recipe for success from which to build on for future years.

RESULTS

Monday/Friday - 9 Hole Stableford Re-Entry. 1st - John White (13) 23 pts., 2nd - Ned Murray (15) 22

pts.

Monday - 9 Hole Stableford H/H/cap. Winner - Jim Norris (23) 18 pts.

Thursday, May 21 - 18 Hole Stableford. Winner - Roddy Healy (17) 40 pts. C.S.S. 38 pts.

Thursday, May 21 - 9 Hole Mixed Scramble. Winner - Deirdre Hannigan (32), Sean Ormonde (24), Paddy Walsh (15) 27 1/18.

Saturday, May 23 - 18 Hole Stableford X cards. Winners - John White (13), Tom White (16) 47 pts.

Sunday, May 24 - 18 Hole Stableford C.S.S. 37 pts. sponsored by Standard Life. 1st - John Regan (18) 38 pts., 2nd - Eric Maher (18) 38 pts., Gross - Tim O'Regan (5) 33 pts., 3rd - Dermot Dobbyn (18) 36 pts.

GOLD COAST CUP

The second round of the Gold Coast Cup is due for completion by the June 7. It is up to each member who has qualified for the second round of this competition to make contact with your opponent and arrange a mutually acceptable time.

JUVENILES NEWS

Again I would encourage the juvenile members to attend the lessons every Saturday morning at 10 a.m. given by David Hayes P.G.A. Dungarvan Golf Club. All juvenile members and especially the beginners are welcome and encouraged to attend. The lesson starts next Saturday

at 10 a.m. in Dungarvan Driving range.

CAPTAIN'S PRIZE

Mr. James Veale presents his prize on the weekend after next. Qualification rounds take place on Friday/Saturday, June 5/6 with the best 80 cards going forward to Sunday, June 7. Timesheets, which are posted in the kiosk, are filling up but there are still a lot of spaces left for both Saturday and Sunday. Members please do not leave it to the last minute to put your name on the timesheet. This is the biggest prize of the year presented in the Gold Coast Golf Club and the Captain and the committee are expecting that this will be the biggest turnout for a Captain's Prize ever in the short history of the Gold Coast Golf Club. Presentation of the Captain's Prize will take place in the Gold Coast Hotel on Sunday night, June 7 and all members are invited to attend and their partners.

FIXTURES

Monday/Friday, May 25 - May 29 - 9 Hole Stableford Re-Entry sponsored by Michael Carroll Motors.

Monday, May 25 - 9 Hole Stableford H/H/Cap and for new members.

Thursday, May 28 - 18 Hole Stableford.

Thursday, May 28 - 9 Hole Mixed Scramble starting at 5.30 p.m.

Saturday, May 30 - Open Dunhill Golf Classic.

Sunday, May 31 and Monday, June 1 - Open 3 Man team sponsored by Waterford Joinery Ltd.

LADIES GOLF CLUB NOTES

Results - 18 Hole Stableford competition kindly sponsored by Mansfield Bros. Accountants and Estate Agents, O'Connell St. 1st - Joan Mansfield (17) 74 pts., 2nd - Deirdre Hannigan (32) 68 pts., 3rd - Mary Fenton (35) 67 pts., 4th - Cass Dolan (34) 66 pts.

Fixtures - 10 Hole Stableford competition sponsored by Spar Supermarket, O'Connell St. Prop. Mr. John Walsh. Also 18 hole competition sponsored by East Cork Oil. Members are reminded to enter for the Lady Captain's Prize by putting their name on the list provided in the locker room. There is also a 9 hole competition for those unable to play in the 18 hole.

The Lady Captain's Prize takes place on Sunday, June 7. Draw for partners on Friday at 8 p.m.

Golf Lessons - For those interested golf lessons take place in the Norris Driving Range. Details in Locker Room.

Well Done - Well done to the Bruen team for the great effort they put in to reach the Area Final in Tramore on Sunday last. Better luck next year.



CAPTAIN'S PRIZE - Pictured at the presentation were seated (l. to r.) Ned Murray (2nd), Willie White, Vice-Captain Gold Coast Golf Club and Michael Kavanagh (winner). Back row (l. to r.) Tom Fennell, Club President, Donal Considine (best gross), John Coade (3rd) and James Veale, Club Captain. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB NOTES

INTERMEDIATE AND MINOR SCRATCH CUP

The intermediate and minor scratch cups drew a very big entry on Sunday to play in ideal weather conditions and on a well manicured course. The Intermediate Cup was won by Philip Long of Frankfield on the breakdown from Dave Mahoney. Philip just proved he is an all round sportsman being the proud winner of an F.A.I. Cup medal with Cork City last week. The Minor Cup was won by John Murphy of West Waterford.

Once again we wish to thank Murphy's Brewery for their continued support of our club and their very generous array of prizes for both competitions.

HANDBALL CLASSIC

Congratulations to St. Augustine's College on winning the Munster Schools final at Charleville Golf Club on Thursday last.

RESULTS

Sunday, May 24 — Intermediate Scratch Cup (sponsored by Murphy's Brewery) C.S.S. 71 — 1st Philip Long, Frankfield (12) 80 (back 9); 2nd Dave Mahoney (12) 80; 3rd Tom Lineen (12) 81; 4th Frank O'Donoghue (13) 82. Best Nett - Sean Healy, Youghal (17) 66; 2nd Nett - Ml. McNamara, Glengarriff (16) 69.

Minor Scratch Cup (sponsored by Murphy's Brewery) C.S.S. 71 — 1st John Murphy, West Waterford (19) 85; 2nd Niel Parkes, West Waterford (22) 90; 3rd John Keane, West Waterford (20) 90 (back 9); 4th Pat Halloran (19) 91; Best Nett - Jim Halloran (23) 74 (back 9); 2nd nett - Sean Daly, Lismore (19) 74.

Saturday, May 23 — 18 Hole Singles, C.S.S. 37 pts — 1st Noel Brennan (14) 41 pts; 2nd Brendan O'Kennedy (11) 40 pts; Gross - Martin Lavan (3) 34 pts.

Friday, May 22 — Waterford Handball Classic (sponsored by Waterford Crystal) — 1st Tony Brady, Dungarvan G.C. (8), John Gough, Dungarvan G.C. (6), Vinny O'Mahony West Waterford G.C. (17) and Ml. O'Sullivan, Golf Coast G.C. (22) 133 pts; 2nd Patsy Horsom (8), Pat Phelan (10), Brian Dillon (11) and Sean

Wade (13) all Dungarvan G.C. 130 pts; 3rd Des Cleary, Dungarvan G.C. (14), Cyril Power, do. (16), Tony Keaver, do. (13), Damien O'Reilly, Waterford G.C. 130 pts; 4th Jimmy Wemyss (11), Gerry Byrne (11), David Kirwan (13) and Billy Queally (14) 129 pts.

FIXTURES

Friday — Captain's Scramble 7 p.m. sharp. Saturday/Sunday — Captain's Prize (kindly presented by Mr. Tom Phelan). Monday, June 1 — Open 2 Person Scramble (sponsored by Jim Quinn Agricultural Merchant, Ring (058) 43310 / 41605 or Pro Shop 44707 for time sheets.

LIFEBOAT CLASSIC

For your notebook, reserve Saturday, June 6, team of 3, male or female, £60. Get your name on the time sheet. More next week.

LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 3, 15, 17, 19. No jackpot winner. £25 winners were Aileen Stacey and Donna Donnelly. Next week's jackpot £1,600.

DUNGARVAN LADIES GOLF NEWS

Results — Saturday, May 16 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st Sylvia McGrath (18) 38 pts. Sunday, May 17 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st Bernie Hayes (15) 42 pts; 2nd



Pictured before teeing off for the second round of the Ulster Bank All Ireland Ladies Fourball Championship are the Dungarvan Golf Club team seated (l. to r.) Louise Fleming, team captain, Peter Finnegan, Manager Ulster Bank, Dungarvan, Margaret O'Donnell, Lady Captain. Back row (l. to r.) Mary Ann Coffey, Breda McCarthy, Betty O'Brien, Aileen Stacey and Kathleen Beresford. (Photo: Joe McGrath)

Josephine Melody (14) 39 pts; Gross - Betty O'Brien (8) 28 pts; 3rd Brid Killigrew (28) 37 pts. Tuesday, May 19 — Start of Season — Winner, Brid Killigrew (28) 43 pts; Silver, Emer O'Kennedy (14) 40 pts; Bronze, Marie Fahey (26) 41 pts. Saturday, May 23 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st Elayne Kirwan (33) 43 pts; 2nd Marie Brennan (36) 41 pts.

Fixtures — 9 Hole Stableford for ladies on Saturday/Sunday of the Captain's Weekend. Tuesday, June 2 — 18 Hole Stableford Open sponsored by Maria Moloney.

West Waterford Golf Club Notes

CAPTAINS WEEKEND

Next weekend is captains prize time again, Tom Butler for the mens club and Mary Spratt for the ladies club. The timesheets for this major event are posted in the clubhouse with the draw for partners on Wednesday evening next. Judging from this weekend results Frank Walsh might have peaked too soon with his fine 65. However there are plenty of dark horses in the field. All will be revealed next week.

MINOR SCRATCH CUP SUCCESS

In the Dungarvan Minor Scratch on Sunday last, West Waterford players filled the first three places. Well done to John Murphy on his fine win, also Niall Parkes second and John Keane third.

CLUB MIXED FOURSOMES

The men are requested to enter names on draw sheet on notice board. There are already 32 ladies entered.

BRUEN SHIELD IN TRAMORE

West Waterford went down in Round 1 to Youghal but the Gold Coast continued their giant killing act beating Faithlegg, Tramore, Dungarvan only to fail at the final to Waterford Castle.

RESULTS

Gallup Open Qualifier. 1st - Ian McCarthy (14) 41 pts., 2nd - Leslie Bone (16) 40 pts., Gross - Mark Shanahan (5) 30 pts.

High Handicap Competition. 1st - M. O'Dwyer, 2nd - J. Murphy, 3rd - B. Hilliard, 4th - O. Broderick.

Saturday, May 23. 1st - J. Ryan (11) 70, 2nd - F. Cooney (9) 71.

Sunday, May 24. 1st - F. Walsh (10) 65, 2nd - J. Murphy (5) 7.

FIXTURES

Wednesday, May 27 - Gallup Open Qualifier Timesheet.

Friday/Saturday/Sunday, May 29/30/31 - Captains Prize.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to St. Augustine's College on their Munster Final success. Best wishes in the All-Ireland

semi-final in Birr Golf Club.

LADIES GOLF CLUB NOTES

A.I.B. Open Ladies Day — Another successful day was had on Sunday last when a large number of ladies participated in the Open Singles which was kindly sponsored by A.I.B., Dungarvan.

Enticed by both weather and the beautiful array of prizes, the scoring was high with Alicia Browne (22) taking first prize with 40 pts. Congratulations to all the prizewinners and indeed well done to all the participants. A special word of thanks to A.I.B. for their sponsorship. Prizewinners as follows —

1st - Alicia Browne (22) 40 pts., 2nd - Sheila Denn (21) 39 pts., Best Gross - Vera Nugent (14) 25 pts., 3rd - Mary French (33) 38 pts., 4th - Joan Sheehan (18) 36 pts.

Ford Ladies Strokeplay Qualifier — On Thursday last the Ford Qualifier was run over 18 holes with the following category winners qualifying to play in the next round and in Muskerry Golf Club next month. Cat. A - Phil Byrne (11) 79 nett, Cat. B - Alicia Browne (22) 71 nett, Cat. C - Mary French (33) 76 nett.

Lady Captain's Prize — One of the most popular events of the golfing calendar will run this weekend



Pictured before teeing off for the second round of the Ulster Bank All Ireland Ladies Fourball Championship are the West Waterford Golf Club team seated (l. to r.) Lilea O'Dwyer, Peter Finnegan, Manager Ulster Bank, Dungarvan, Alicia Browne. Back row (l. to r.) Marie Lenane, Vera Nugent, Bridget Spratt, Tess Reynolds and Phill Byrne. (Photo: Joe McGrath)

with Lady Captain, Mary Spratt and Captain, Tom Butler hosting their Captains Prize Weekend. The Lady Captain's Prize will be run over two days (Saturday and Sunday) with participants playing 18 Holes Stableford on both days.

All ladies should ensure that their names are on the timesheet now as draw will take place for playing partners for Saturday. We wish both Mary and Tommy and all members a most enjoyable and successful weekend.

NAOMH BRID G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

UNDER-12's BEATEN

On Monday of last week our under-12's played their first game of the year when they took on St. Oliver's in the first round of the championship in Modeligo.

This year, Naomh Brid have few players on the age for under-12 so the team put out was very young. Many of the players were playing their first championship game for the club.

Although beaten 0-2 to 3-3, Naomh Brid had some very good players on show on the night. Stephen Coffey was very good in corner back. Beside him Aidan Hickey had a very good game at full-back. Shane Hourigan at wing back was excellent and our two wing forwards, J. J. Coffey and Declan Queally had good games.

Our team was Jamie Barron, Stephen Coffey, Aidan Hickey, Niall Power, Johnny Buckley, Shane Troy, Shane Hourigan, Brian McCarthy, Christopher Cashman, Declan Queally, Seamus Power (0-1), J. J. Coffey (0-1), Eoin Walsh, Paul Coffey, John Power (Knockmeal). Subs were John Power (Redgate), David Power, Kieran McCarthy, Diarmaid Walsh.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

On Monday night we played at Knockanore in Round 2 of the Under-14 Hurling Championship.

Tonight (Wednesday) we were to play Brickeys in Round 2 of the Under-12 Hurling Championships at 7 p.m.

On Saturday we have Round 3 of the Under-14 Hurling Championship when we are at home to Tramore at Modeligo at 3 p.m. All players to be at the ground no later than 2.40 p.m.

On Monday we play Round 3 of the Under-12 Championship when we are away to Tallow. All players are to be in Tallow not later than 7.10 p.m.

PUB SINGING COMPETITION

By now all the heats of the Pub Singing Competition, organised by Alice Burke, have taken place. The club benefits from this contest and we would like to thank Dunford's, Dunne's, Melody's and Deckie's for taking part. Alice also has organised a raffle. There are some great prizes to be won. The first three are hampers and we urge all our players and supporters to buy these tickets which cost £1 for a book of three. All our under-12's were given tickets recently and they should be returned to the selectors as soon as possible.

We thank Alice for taking the time to organise this fundraiser. Cystic Fibrosis also benefits from this venture.

FÉILE SKILLS

On Monday night one of our under-14's were selected to take part in the Féile skills on Wednesday evening in Cappoquin. The players selected should be at the field by 6.45 p.m. and have a club jersey with him.

PHOTOS

Those who ordered the photos of our under-16 team should pay for them as soon as possible. As only four photos were required, they will cost £8.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the local girls who were part of the Waterford ladies football team who beat Clare in the National League Final in Tipperary Town on Sunday afternoon.

Congratulations also to the county senior hurlers who defeated Kerry in Tralee on Sunday.

TRAINING

Training continues this week and every player is asked to attend. If two of our teams are training on the same night and if a player is on two panels, he should train with the younger age group.



Brickey Rangers G.A.A. Notes

RYAN'S SUPER VALU LEAGUE

We recorded a win over Ardmore last week in the league at Bushy Park and we play Kilrossanty this Sunday morning at home. A time is to be arranged for this match. The team against Ardmore was J. Sheehan, Bob O' Brien, Jim McGrath, Owen Morrissey, Barry Kinsella, James Cooney, Richard Halpin, Brian Power, Terry Whelan, Mickey Donnelly, John Paul Donnelly, Patrick Halpin, Mark Nugent, Owen Fitzgerald, Sean Condon.

During the course of the game Fergus Nugent replaced Sean Condon and Vincent O' Brien replaced Jimmy Sheehan.

JUNIOR LEAGUE

We play Faha in Bushy Park this Friday 29th May at 7.00.

HURLING

A stronger Geraldines team beat us last Friday night in Aghlish. Training continues Wednesday in Bushy Park.

COUNTY DUTY

Best wishes to Bob O' Brien who is presently selected on U-16 County Duty.

BEST WISHES

Best wishes and a speedy recovery are extended to Patrick Halpin who is hospitalised at the moment.

Waterford J.F. Team

Waterford Junior Football team for Munster championship game versus Tipperary on Saturday next 30th May

Alfie Kirwan (Kilrossanty)

Brian Whelan Kilrossanty	Alan Power St. Saviours	Dan Crotty Rathgormack
David Ryan Nire	Pat Walsh Nire	Alan Reynolds Tramore

Aiden Ahearne
Ballinameela

Eddie Burke
Kilmurray

Tony Corcoran St. Saviours	Ger Walsh Nire	Fran Halpin Rathgormack
Niall O'Connor Kilrossanty	Ger Power Rathgormack	Paul Fitzgerald Gaultier

Subs. — Derek Wyse (St. Saviours), Eddie Power (Kill), Jacko Kiely (Kilrossanty), Kevin Lonergan (Kilrossanty), Connie Power (Nire), John Power (Kill), Pat Fitzgerald (Modeligo), Brian Arrigan (St. Saviours).

CLASHMORE GAA CLUB NOTES

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy to the O' Halloran family, Ferry-point on the death of Kathleen. In the presence of a large crowd she was laid to rest last Sunday morning. Ar dheis De go raibh a h-anam.

FIXTURES FOR THIS WEEK

Minor Hurling — On tonight, Wednesday, we make the long journey to Stradbally to take on the home side in round 3 of the league. Throw in time 7.30 pm.

Junior Football — On Friday night we play Dungarvan in round 4 of the Western Board Junior Football league in Clashmore. Throw in at 7.30 pm.

County Football League — On this weekend we are due to play Kilmacthomas in Kilmac', the Ryan's Super Value Division 2 league. A win in this game is a must if we are to get out of the relegation zone. Please check with Tim O' Keeffe as to date of match.

Primary Game — Well done to Paudie O' Rourke, Clashmore N.S. and Michael Flavin, Kinsalebeg N.S. who both played with Waterford last Sunday against Kerry. Although Waterford were well beaten both lads acquitted themselves well, with Paudie probably the last Waterford player.

Munster Championship — Best of luck to Michael Fenton and his Waterford colleagues who take on Tipperary in the Munster Championship on Saturday night in Clonmel at 8.00 pm.

Summer Camps — Once again our club has been chosen by Coiste Peil, Co. Phorthlairge to host a summer camp this year. This

years football camp will take place from Monday July 27th to Friday 31st. The camp will run each day from 10.00 am to 2.30 pm. The fee this year is £12 for the week or £3 per day. Money will be collected on the first morning of the camp. All participants will receive a summer camp T-shirt free. More details later.

The club also intends to run a hurling camp but the date has not been set yet.

LADIES FOOTBALL

U-14 Football — Waterford play the Munster U-14 football final next Saturday. We have five players on the panel: Aileen Barron, Una Leahy, Mary O' Rourke, Lorraine O' Brien and Yvonne Coughlan. Best of luck girls.

IN ALL-IRELAND FINAL

Well done to club player Ed Beresford who played a major role in Rockwell Agricultural College's All-Ireland semi-final success last Thursday. Ed won the man of the match award ahead of several current inter-county players. After the game he was presented with his award.

He plays in the All-Ireland final this Thursday in Gottenbridge. Well done Ed and the best of luck. The club are proud of your efforts.

INTERMEDIATE HURLING LEAGUE

Our weekend game against Saint Mary's was postponed as a mark of respect to the late Kathleen O' Halloran. The game will be re-fixed at a later date.

LOTTO DRAW

Patrons please note that the weekly Lotto draw has been changed to Monday nights. This has been done for the summer months due

to the fact that we are playing league games every Saturday night. With half of these games away it was proving difficult for club officials to get back to run the draw. Monday night last results:

£10 winners were Maura Keogh, Kinsalebeg. John Beresford, Clashmore. Eileen McGrath, Knockmealmore. Tony Ledingham, Youghal and Orla Hickey, Piltown.

Next Monday nights draw is in Cooper's Bar. There was no winner, numbers drawn were 7, 12, 13, 16.

JUVENILE CLUB

Under 12 Hurling — On Saturday we had our first outing in this grade. With many of our players playing in their first ever hurling game we certainly got a baptism of fire. Kilrossanty playing against the wind banged in a goal before we got time to blink. They continued to dominate to half-time and led at the break by 4-5 to no score. Still our lads were getting the hang of the game. The second half proved a much better affair from a Clashmore point of view with our lads scoring three points to Kilrossanty's 1-1. Final score, Kilrossanty 5-6 Clashmore 0-3. With more games our lads will definitely improve and every one of them is very keen.

Team: E. Kelly, Des. O' Brien, A. Condon, D. Allen (0-1), S. Kelleher, C. Burke, M. Barron, J. Seward (0-1), C. O' Keeffe, S. Dalton (0-1), C. O' Rourke, F. Maher, S. Mangan, D. Coughlan, K. Murphy.

Man of the match was Des O' Brien. Our next game is on Sunday morning away to Colligan. We will be leaving at 10.30 am. Training on Thursday

evening at 6.30 pm.

UNDER 14 HURLING

On Monday evening we gained some revenge for Saturday's under 12 defeat when we had a three point win over Kilrossanty in the Under 12 Hurling championship. This was very close with the issue in doubt right up to the final whistle. Paudie O' Rourke opened the scoring with a free after three minutes. Kilrossanty levelled. Paudie again put us in front but again Kilrossanty struck back. Playing with the stiff breeze Kilrossanty dominated to the break. A further point and a goal right on the stroke of half time put them 1-3 to 0-2 in front at half time.

Playing with the wind in the second half, Clashmore piled on the pressure. P. O' Rourke struck over a fine point. Sean Fleming also raised a white flag and we were slowly closing a gap. Cillian O' Keeffe goaled and we were one in front. Kilrossanty rallied and levelled again with a fine point. One last attack from Clashmore and after good work by Marcus Prendergast and James Ledingham, Sean Fleming found the net to seal victory.

Team: M. McGrath, J. Collins, M. Burke, P. O' Rourke, D. Allen, C. O' Keeffe, J. Seward, G. Kelly, J. Flavin, A. Mulready, M. Prendergast, J. Ledingham, C. Coughlan. Subs used: S. Fleming, K. Connery, F. Maher.

Man of the match M. Prendergast. Well done lads. Our next games are away to Kilmacthomas on Wednesday and away to Ferrybank on Saturday.

SPEEDY RECOVERY

A speedy recovery to Gavin Dower who broke his wrist over the week-end. Hope to see you back in action in a few weeks.

ST. DECLANS COMMUNITY COLLEGE NOTES

St. Declans Win Waterford Colleges U-18 Football Final

ST. DECLAN S KILMATHOMAS 1-12
DUNGARVAN CBS 2-5

Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling League

COLM MORRISSEY TAKE STAGE HONOURS

Despite the strong wind on the main Cappoquin road, Colm Morrissey put in an exceptional ride to win stage 3 of the Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling League. Colm, a newcomer to the cycling scene, took almost four minutes off his previous best and should he continue this improvement, he will challenge strongly for overall honours.

Second on the stage was Vincent Tutty who has really taken to cycling and running of late. He showed an improvement of over two minutes to record a P.B. of 47 mins. 46 secs. Surely the most impressive time recorded on the night was that of Michael Power who rode around in 41 mins. 11 secs. to take third place on the stage. Given more favourable weather conditions, he should have a good crack at breaking the forty minutes barrier.

Others to impress on the night were Michael Curran (4th on stage). Gearoid Fraher (who recorded a P.B. OF 40.59. All cyclists are reminded that helmets must be worn. Stage IV commences at 7 p.m. sharp this Wednesday, May 27.

Stage 3 results and points as follows — 1, Ger Wyley 22 pts. (39.36); 2, Gearoid Fraher 32 pts. (40.59); 3, Tony O'Mahony 26 pts. (36.37); 4, Joe Kelly 33 pts. (38.43); 4, Michael Power 33 pts. (41.11); 6, Tony Murray 38 pts. (39.13); 7, Edward Kelly 40 pts. (39.29); 8, Tony O'Sullivan 43 pts. (41.56); 9, Martin Veale 48 pts. (42.57); 10, Kevin Forde 49 pts. (42.55); 11, Jim Meehan 57 pts. (43.05); 12, Eamonn O'Doherty 62 pts. (44.48); 13, Francis Barry 64 pts. (45.00); 14, Anthony Dwyer 66 pts. (44.51); 15, Paudie Flynn 68 pts. (45.21); 16, Eamonn Terry 69 pts. (43.51); 16, Seamus Casey 69 pts. (45.17); 18, Tony Elstead 72 pts. (—); 18, Michael Curran 72 pts. (45.06); 20, Siobhan O'Mahony 74 pts. (46.00); 21, Patrick O'Doherty 76 pts. (45.03); 22, Eamon Phelan 83 pts. (45.59); 23, Pat Kenneally 84 pts. (39.24); 23, Vincent Tutty 84 pts. (47.46); 25, James Moore 85 pts. (48.32); 26, John Coleman 86 pts. (48.19); 27, Stella Terry 87 pts. (48.05); 28, John Houlihan 88 pts. (50.11); 28, Liam Hurley 88 pts. (46.34); 30, Michael Joyce 89 pts. (47.42); 31, Alan Ryan 92 pts. (48.54); 31, Steve Listwan 92 pts. (—); 33, Michael Roche 93 pts. (45.14); 33, Eamon Power 93 pts. (—); 35, Liam Lynch 94 pts. (44.51); 35, Eddie Moore 94 pts. (50.42); 35, Brian Moore 94 pts. (—); 38, Ray Dwyer 95 pts. (—); 38, Colm Morrissey 95 pts. (53.29); 40, Philip Cleary 97 pts. (—); 41, Seamus Connolly 99 pts. (—); 42, James Veale 100 pts. (46.52); 43, Pat Keane 105 pts. (—); 44, Justin Coonan 107 pts. (—); 44, Albert McGrath 107 pts. (51.14); 44, Eoin McGarry 107 pts. (49.44); 44, John Moloney 107 pts. (53.44); 48, James Twomey 108 pts. (—); 49, Pat Fitzgerald 109 pts. (—); 50, Eddie Elstead 111 pts. (47.02); 51, Jim O'Keefe 115 pts. (—); 52, Ther English 117 pts. (—); 53, Tony Ryan 118 pts. (—); 54, Patsy O'Connell 120 pts. (—); 54, Paul Keating 120 pts. (—); 56, Terry Keohan 130 pts. (55.42); 56, Breda Hogan 130 pts. (57.48).

St Declan's College won its first senior county football title with a hard earned victory over a skilful C.B.S. side in a game played at Kilmathomas.

Honours were even at half-time as seven Kilmac' points from seven different players were matched by two goals and a point by CBS.

In the second half the greater physical strength of the St. Declan's side began to tell. M. Ahern began to dominate mid-field, J. O'Leary and D. Power tightened the defence, while T. Curran got the attack moving more constructively.

The game was effectively sealed by a fine D. O'Reilly goal fifteen minutes from time.

Best for St. Declan's: M. Ahern, T. Curran, J. Kennedy, D. Power and D. Hearne.

Team: K. Kirwan, D. O'Reilly (1-1), D. Power, K. O'Reilly, D. Hearne, J. O'Leary, N. Barry, M. Ahern (0-1), T. Costelloe (0-2), N. Power (0-1), G. Power, B. O'Leary (0-1), J. Kennedy, T. Curran (c.) (0-3), L. Barry. Sub: P. Prendergast.

This game marked the last appearance in St. Declan's colours of a number of fine players who have given much over the years to the college. We wish them all the very best in their future playing careers.

TROCAIRE

COLLECTION - £3,196

The pupils of St. Declan's Community College have every reason to be proud. The enormous sum of £3,196 was raised by the school during the recent Trócaire 25hr. Fast. This figure was only surpassed by three major city schools, one in Dublin, the others in Limerick and Cork.

As a mark of appreciation the Fund-raising Director of Trócaire Ms.

Margo Rice came to personally thank all the pupils and teachers for this

wonderful result. She gave a very informative talk to all class groups on the work of Trócaire world-wide. She reminded the pupils that their concern for the poor of the developing world was greatly appreciated and that £3,196 will save many lives.

AWARDS NIGHT

The 4th Year and Special Awards night will be held in St. Declan's on

Thursday night at 7.30 p.m.

Waterford Community Games

Community Games Special Activities Weekend



The Waterford Cross Country team who took part in the Community Games Special Activities Weekend (sponsored by Telecom Eireann/Credit Union).



Waterford group photographed at the Credit Union Community Games Special Activities Weekend in Mosney recently.

COMMUNITY GAMES SENIOR ALL IRELAND QUIZ

The brains of Ireland congregated in the Kileshin Hotel, Portlaoise, for the All Ireland Credit Union Community Games senior quiz at the weekend.

Teams of two over seventeen and two under, from such far apart locations as Canigart in Donegal and Taghmon in Wexford, Kinslough in Leitrim and Abbeydorney in Kerry pitted their wits against each other over ten rounds and in a nail-biting finish. Newbridge - Ballygar - Toghergan representing Galway edged out Ballyhadreen of Roscommon by a single mark with Kingscourt upholding a great tradition of high place finishing securing third place.

The final markings of 91, 90, 89 show the exceptional answering standard in a competition where the questions ranging over a great variety of topics re-



Waterford's James Ledingham and Liam O Lonain at the Community Games Special Activities Weekend

quire a high standard of general knowledge and of current affairs.

Prior to presenting the awards National President, George O'Toole complimented all teams on their standard of excellence, thanked them for travelling some very long distances and praised the officials for their efficiency in the conduct of what was a great cultural event.

Placings — 1st Newbridge - Ballygar - Toghergan (Galway) 91 pts; 2nd Bal-

laghadreen (Roscommon) 90 pts; 3rd Kingscourt (Cavan) 89 pts; 4th Drum - Clonown (Roscommon) 87 pts.

A special award to Downs, Co. Westmeath for securing the highest mark for 20 questions on Community Games.

Representing County Waterford Community Games were Ring - Old Parish - Grange - Ardmore with Catherine O'Sullivan, Breda Flaherty, Kevin Gallagher and Tish Coady.

ATHLETICS BY RACE LEADER

MICHAEL HEFFERNAN LEAPS INTO THE RECORD BOOKS

St. Augustine's College perennial domination of the Boys East Munster Schools Track & Field Championships continued at the Regional Sports Centre in Waterford last Wednesday when the school won the overall trophies in the junior, intermediate and senior grades. A total of twenty individual titles were claimed with the senior squad accounting for a dozen of these.

From a programme of fifty eight events, only one record was broken and this was achieved by St. Augustine's Michael Heffernan who eclipsed the one year old Triple Jump record of 13 metres 48 cm set by Michael Murray with a highly impressive new mark of 14.20 metres. This was the Cappoquin boy's second record breaking feat this year as he also set new figures at the Munster Under-18 Championships in Nenagh last January. He completed a double last week in winning the Long Jump with a leap of 6.57 metres. If the National Junior Indoor champion can repeat these distances at the forthcoming Munster and All-Ireland Schools Championships, then he would be scoring valuable points in his school's attempts to win back the coveted College of Science trophy.

Apart from Michael Barrett's splendid win in the senior 3000 metres, all the Friary's title wins in this grade were achieved in the technical events. Michael Murray recorded a treble in the Hammer, High Jump and Hammer. Doubles were achieved by Ronan Curran in the 110 metres Hurdles and the Pole Vault and by Michael Morrissey in the Shot Putt and Discus. Jordi Byrne won the 2000 metres Steeplechase and Eamonn Cashin was tops in the 2000 metres Walk.

In the intermediate grade, John Mark O'Leary scored a Discus and Hammer double while Eamonn O'Donnell won the 800 metres in a handy 2 mins. and 9 secs., just four seconds outside Joe Hendry's record set last year. Well known handballer, Ciarán Shields cleared six metres even to win the Long Jump where he shared some obvious potential for this event.

St. Augustine's turned up some new names in the junior grade with Rick Hanrahan winning the Pole Vault and Gary Burke taking honours in the Hammer event. Thomas Cashin followed in the footsteps of his older brother, Eamonn with a good win in the 1200 metres race Walk. The Friary's sole winner in the minor grade was All-Ireland cross country champion, James

Ledingham who won the 800 metres in 2 mins. 17 secs.

The only other local school to figure at the championships were St. Declan's, Kilmacthomas. The minor relay team were third behind High School, Clonmel. Robert Wade was second in the intermediate 1500 metres and third in the 800 metres. Former Dungarvan A.C. juvenile, John Ryan won the intermediate 200 metres and 400 metres Hurdles with High School, Clonmel.

The Munster Schools Girls and Boys Championships take place in Cork this Saturday.

St. Augustine's Results From East Munster Championships

Minor grade — James Ledingham (1st) 800 metres 2 mins. 17 secs., (3rd) Long Jump and Shot Putt.

Junior grade — 200 metres - Michael Twomey (2nd); 1500 metres - James Ledingham (2nd); 1200 metres Walk - Thomas Cashin (1st) 7 mins. 14 secs., Seamus Lavan (2nd), Rian McGrath (3rd); Shot Putt - Shane Considine (3rd), Sean Cleary (4th); Discus - Sean Cleary (2nd), Gary Flavin (3rd); Javelin - Michael Brennan (2nd); Hammer - Gary Burke (1st) 32.6 metres, Sean Cleary (3rd); Long Jump - Shane Considine (2nd); Triple Jump - Michael Twomey (2nd), James Ledingham (3rd); Pole Vault - Rick Hanrahan (1st) 2.60 metres, James Ledingham (2nd).

Intermediate grade — 200 metres - Tadhg Clancy (3rd); 400 metres - Eamonn O'Donnell (3rd), Niall Hennessy (4th); 800 metres - Eamonn O'Donnell (1st) 2 mins. 9 secs., Denis Byrne (4th); 1500 metres - Denis Byrne (4th); 3000 metres - John Paul McCarthy (4th); 400 metres Hurdles - Eamonn O'Donnell (2nd), Billy Harty (4th); 2000 metres Walk - Christopher Coughlan (2nd); 4 x 100 metres Relay - St. Augustine's (3rd) and (4th); Long Jump - Ciarán Shields (1st) 6.00 metres, Tadhg Clancy (3rd); High Jump - Liam Houlihan (2nd), Eamonn O'Donnell (3rd); Pole Vault - Liam Houlihan (2nd), John Hurney (3rd); Shot Putt - John Mark O'Leary

(3rd); Discus - John Mark O'Leary (1st) 36.1 metres, Billy Harty (3rd); Javelin - Ciarán Shields (3rd); Hammer - John Mark O'Leary (1st) 37.2 metres, Roger Byrne (3rd).

Senior grade — 200 metres - William Collins (2nd); 1500 metres - Gary Lyons (4th); 3000 metres - Michael Barrett (1st) 9 mins. 35 secs.; 110 metres Hurdles - Ronan Curran (1st); 400 metres Hurdles - William Collins (3rd); 2000 metres Steeplechase - Jordi O'Byrne (1st), Fionn Gregor (2nd); 4 x 100 metres Relay - St. Augustine's (4th); Discus - Michael Morrissey (1st) 39.8 metres, Michael Murray (2nd), Mark Power (3rd); Javelin - Michael Murray (1st) 43.40 metres, Kenneth Power (2nd), Mark Power (3rd); Hammer - Michael Murray (1st) 51.1 metres, Michael Morrissey (2nd), Mark Power (3rd), Fionn Gregor (4th); Long Jump - Michael Heffernan (1st) 6.75 metres, Michael Murray (2nd); High Jump - Michael Murray (1st) 1.75 metres, Andrew Burke and Gary Hurney (3rd); Triple Jump - Michael Heffernan (1st) 14.20 metres, Ronan Curran (2nd), Michael Murray (3rd); Pole Vault - Ronan Curran (1st) 3.60 metres, Gary Hurney (2nd), Ken Power (3rd).

Some East Munster Record Holders

John Treacy (Cappoquin) holds the senior 5000 metres record since 1974 with a time of 14 mins. 30 secs. Joe Brice (St. Augustine's) is the Intermediate Discus record holder since 1975 with a throw of 49.46 metres. Frank O'Brien holds the Junior Discus (51.54 metres) 1977, the Intermediate Discus (16.40 metres) 1980, the Senior Shot (15.54 metres) 1983 and the Discus (52.30 metres) 1982. Other local record

ST. AUGUSTINE'S COLLEGE TEAMS, WINNERS OF THE OVERALL AWARDS AT THE EAST MUNSTER TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS IN WATERFORD LAST WEDNESDAY



Pictured above are the St. Augustine's Senior Team with Michael Heffernan 4th from right front row.



Pictured above are the St. Augustine's Intermediate Team

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Pictured above are the St. Augustine's Junior Team

holders are as follows -
Senior — Austin Flavin - 400 metres Hurdles (1996) 57.6 secs.; Derek Hayes - 110 metres Hurdles (1995) 15.24 secs.; High Jump (1996) 1.95 metres; Jamie

Costin - Walk (1995) 12 mins. 37 secs.
Intermediate — Derek Hayes - High Jump (1994) 1.93 metres, B. Hayes - Javelin (1992) 51.12 metres, Jamie Costin - Walk

(1993) 8 mins. 42 secs.
Junior — Derek Hayes - High Jump (1992) 1.75 metres, Morgan Hamm - Javelin (1993) 41.82 metres, Jamie Costin - Walk (1991) 5 mins. 46 secs.

ATHLETICS BY RACE LEADER**MUNSTER EXPRESS
CO. CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Athletes from the western side of the county were once again to the fore at the second day of the Munster Express sponsored County Track & Field Championships in Waterford last Sunday.

Pride of place goes to Walter Mansfield (Ring/Old Parish) who won four titles in the under-13 category. Walter won the High Jump, Shot Putt, 200 metres and Hurdles events. K.C.K.'s Jason Fraher scored a treble in the under-11 800 metres, High Jump and Shot Putt while the Ring/Old Parish trio of Kate O'Brien, Eoin Murphy and James Ledingham also won three titles each. Older juveniles to record hat tricks were K.C.K.'s Niamh Cummins and Siobhan Dunphy and Dungarvan's Tadhg Clancy. Doubles were won by Edel Morrissey (K.C.K.) and Ring/Old Parish athletes, Clare Ducey, Kelly Shalloe and William Collins.

WESTERN TITLE WINNERS

Under-10 — David McCarthy (K.C.K.) 800 metres, Relay - K.C.K.; Under-11 — Clare Ducey (Ring/Old Parish) 800 metres and Hurdles, Jason Fraher (K.C.K.) 800 metres, Shot Putt, High Jump, Relay - K.C.K.; Under-12 — Kate O'Brien (Ring/Old Parish) Hurdles, Long Jump, Discus, Michael Veale (K.C.K.) Shot Putt, Eanna Donnelly (Ring/Old Parish) 800 metres; Under-13 — Clare O'Sullivan (K.C.K.) Long Jump, Louise Coughlan (Ring/Old Parish) Walk, Edel Morrissey (K.C.K.) 200 metres and 800 metres, Eoin Murphy (Ring/Old Parish) Hurdles, Walk and Triple Jump, Walter Mansfield (Ring/Old Parish) High Jump, Shot Putt, 200 metres and Hurdles; Under-14 — Triona Shalloe (Ring/Old Parish) 800 metres, Thomas Cashin (Dungarvan) Walk, James Ledingham (Ring/Old Parish) 800 metres, High Jump, Triple

Jump, Mark Prendergast (Ring/Old Parish) 200 metres; Under-15 — C. Ahearn (Dungarvan) Shot Putt, William Harty (Individual) 3000 metres; Under-16 — Niamh Cummins (K.C.K.) 200 metres, Long Jump, Hurdles, Eamonn O'Donnell (Dungarvan) Hurdles, Tadhg Clancy (Dungarvan) High Jump, Shot Putt, Hammer; Under-17 — Siobhan Dunphy (K.C.K.) Walk, 800 metres and 3000 metres, Kelly Shalloe (Ring/Old Parish) 200 metres and Long Jump, William Collins (Ring/Old Parish) Hammer and Triple Jump, Michael Barrett (Cappoquin/Ballinameela) 3000 metres; Senior — Ellen Wall (Hammer), Ailish O'Brien (Discus), Frank O'Brien (Hammer), Jason Flynn (Shot Putt) all from West Waterford A.C.

**DUNGARVAN'S RESULTS
FROM COUNTY
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The following is how the juveniles from Dungarvan A.C. fared at the Munster Express Track & Field Championships in Kilbarry last Sunday.

Eamonn O'Donnell (under-16) 1st 100 metres Hurdles, 2nd 800 metres and 3000 metres, 3rd High Jump and Triple Jump; Joe O'Donnell (under-16) 3rd Shot Putt; Mark O'Donnell (under-14) 2nd 800 metres and 3rd Triple Jump; Sinead Crotty (under-11) 2nd Long Jump and 3rd 800 metres; Emma Murphy (under-12) 2nd Long Jump; Louise Foley (under-13) 3rd Long Jump; Thomas Cashin (under-14) 1st Walk; Catherine Ahearn (under-14) 1st Hammer, 2nd Discus, 3rd Javelin and 3rd Long Jump; Una Power (under-11) 2nd 800 metres; Relays — Under-11 2nd - Sinead Crotty, Una Power, Lorna Foley, Dawn Tutty; Under-13 2nd - Emma Murphy, Louise Foley, Emer Walsh, Ailish Hansberry.

**JOE RUNS IN
SCOTLAND**

Russian Veteran Indoor 800 metres champion Joe Gough will run in the Scottish Outdoor Championships in Dumfries on Saturday week, June 6.

CUNNIGAR RACE

The SmithKline Beecham Rás Na Rinne will take place over the Cunnigar Peninsula on Friday, June 5 at 8 p.m. This will be the third race in the Ger Wyley Sports Summer Series. The fourth race will be held in Butlerstown on Saturday, June 13 at 7.30 p.m.

**PRIMARY SCHOOL
SPORTS**

The first day of the 14th annual West Waterford Primary Schools Sports for small schools will take place in St. Augustine's College on this Tuesday, June 2 at 6.30 p.m. Participating schools are Villierstown, Glenbeg, Garranbane, Kinsalebeg, Kilmacthomas, Modeligo, Ballinameela, An Rinn, Clashmore, Scoil Gharbháin, Coolnasmear, Ardmore, Grange, Touraneena, Carriglea, Cappoquin, Ballycurrane. Last year's winners, Ballyduff will participate in the Big Schools section this year.

The Small Schools Finals will be held on Tuesday, June 9 and the overall finals between the first three finishers in each event in the overall small schools finals and the participants from the big schools will be held on Tuesday, June 16. Big schools are reminded that their closing date for entries is Friday, June 5.

**THIS WEEK'S
FIXTURES**

Thursday, May 28 — Ballycotton Nike Summer Series - Ballyandreen 5 miles road race at 8 p.m.

Saturday, May 30 — Munster Schools Track & Field, Cork.

Tuesday, June 2 — West Waterford Primary Schools Sports, St. Augustine's College at 6.30 p.m.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to Eddie Halloran and family, Clashmore on the recent death of his mother last week. May she rest in peace.

**K.C.K.
ATHLETIC
CLUB NOTES****TRACK & FIELD
COUNTY
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The second round of the Track & Field County Championships were held in R.S.C. Kilbarry on Sunday last, May 24. All athletes performed very well with Niamh Cummins taking four County titles, Jason Fraher three titles, Edel Morrissey and Siobhan Dunphy two titles and David McCarthy and Claire O'Sullivan taking one County title each. The following is the full list of results -

Boys — Under-10 - David McCarthy (1st) 800m, Conor McGrath (2nd) 800m, Relay (1st) David McCarthy, Conor McGrath, Eoin Walsh, Diarmaid Walsh; Under-11 - Jason Fraher (1st) 800m, Shot, High Jump, (2nd) 80m Hurdles, Relay (1st) Jason Fraher, David McCarthy, Conor McGrath, Eoin Walsh; Under-14 - Michael Flynn (2nd) 80m Hurdles, (3rd) High Jump.

Girls — Under-13 - Claire O'Sullivan (1st) Long

Jump, Lisa McCarthy (3rd) 800m, Walk, Relay (1st) Edel Morrissey, Claire O'Sullivan, Sara Conroy, Claire Cashin; Under-16 - Niamh Cummins - (1st) 200m, 110m Hurdles, Long Jump, Long Jump Senior, (3rd) Javelin, Helen Reilly (2nd) 200m, 800m, 110m Hurdles; Under-17 - Siobhan Dunphy (1st) 3000m, Walk, (2nd) 200m.

**NEW SCHOOLS
200m RECORD
FOR EIBHLIS**

Congratulations to Eibhlis Ahearn on winning the Intermediate 200m in the East Munster Girls Track & Field Schools Championships which were held recently and in doing so she broke the 200m record which stood since 1980. Also well done to Niamh Cummins who came second in the 80m Hurdles and 300m Hurdles and Helen Reilly who came second in the High Jump.

Eibhlis and Niamh were representing Ard Scoil na nDéise and Helen competed for St. Declan's, Kilmacthomas.

**Ring/
Old Parish
A.C. Notes****COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The final section of the County B.L.O.E. Track & Field Championships were held at the R.S.C., Waterford on Sunday in ideal conditions. There was a very disappointing turnout again. Our club won the bulk of the medals on offer and retained the Bishop Russell Trophy for the Best Overall Club over the two days. Results as follows -

Girls under-11 — Claire Ducey (1st) 800m Hurdles and 800m; Under-12 - Kate O'Brien (1st) Hurdles, Long Jump, Discus, (2nd) 800m, Aine Lombard (3rd) 800m; Under-13 - Louise Coughlan (1st) Walk, Aileen Barron (2nd) 800m, (3rd) 200m, Tracy Shalloe (3rd) Hurdles, Discus; Under-14 - Triona Shalloe (1st) 800m, (2nd) Hurdles, 200m, Long Jump, (3rd) Javelin, Yvonne Coughlan (3rd) Discus; Under-15 - Rosemarie Fleming (2nd) 200m, Under-17 - Kelly Shalloe (1st) 200m, Long Jump, (2nd) Javelin, Hammer, Discus, (2nd) Senior Long Jump, (3rd) Senior Discus.

Boys — Under-11 - William Prendergast (2nd) 800m, (3rd) Hurdles; Under-12 - Eanna Donnelly (1st) 800m, (2nd) High Jump, (3rd) Shot, Jason Seward (2nd) Hurdles, (3rd) 800m, High Jump; Under-13 - Walter Mansfield (1st) 200m, Shot, High Jump, (2nd) Hurdles, (3rd) 800m, Owen Murphy (1st) Walk, Hurdles, T.J., (2nd) Shot, Ross O'Shea (1st) 800m, (3rd) 200m, High Jump, Gary Nugent (2nd) 800m, High Jump, 200m, (3rd) Walk, Shane Kelly (2nd) Walk, (3rd) Hurdles, Under-14 - James Ledingham (1st) 800m, High Jump, T.J., (3rd) 200m, Marcus Prendergast (1st) 200m, (3rd) Hurdles, Liam O Lionain (2nd) Walk, (3rd) 800m; Under-17 - Will Collins (1st) Hammer, T.J., (2nd) 200m, 800m.

**SCHOOLS TRACK &
FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Some of the best of our older juveniles will be competing in the Munster Schools Track & Field Championships at the R.S.C., Cork on Saturday. Having qualified at the East Munsters last week, we wish them all the best of luck and hopefully some of them will go on to the All-Irelands.

GRANGE/FERMOY A.C.**OPEN SPORTS**

Grange/Fermoy A.C. hold their Open Sports on Monday next, June 1 at St. Colman's College starting at 1 p.m.

MOSNEY BRONZE

Congratulations to the ten athletes who won a magnificent bronze medal at the under-13 cross country in Mosney on Sunday week last. This is a unique event in that the boys and girls run in the one race with the first 4 boys and first 4 girls counting towards the team total. After finishing 4th in the heat on Saturday, they came out and excelled on Sunday morning to take 3rd place behind Meath and Limerick. Eight out of the 10 athletes are members of the Ring/Old Parish Athletic Club, namely Eanna Donnelly, Gary Nugent, Shane Kelly, Michael Flavin, Eoin Murphy, Aine Lombard, Tracy Shalloe and Kate O'Brien. They were joined by Edel Morrissey and Lisa McCarthy from the K.C.K. club.

DUNGARVAN BOXING NEWS

Boxing Tournament In Crotty's Inn Leamybrien

A lot of end of season hiccups for this the last tournament of the year, James Keohane could not be matched, Richard O'Leary failed to turn up, Jeremy O'Mahony was sick, and the fight everybody came to see between Frankie Keniry and Chris Moran did not take place due to problems in the Waterford camp.

Dungarvan still had four boxers in action but not to any great success except for Jamie Donovan who was the only winner. Ben McCombie and Sean Halahan were both fighting much more experienced boxers but nonetheless they put on a very brave display and this will be a learning experience for them. Ben was beaten by Ger Burke of Clonmel and

Sean was beaten by Paddy Reilly of St. Paul's. Garry Collins who was not his usual self, was very sluggish, his opponent Neill O'Grady of St. Paul's seemed a lot sharper, however, the punch that caught him in the first round and ultimately forced him to retire in the second, was more of a slap to the nose when they were breaking from a clinch. This is definitely a fight to be put in the diary for next season.

The champion of the night for Dungarvan was Jamie Donovan when he took on for the second time Tramore boxer Steven Piper, the first time, was in the Lawlors Hotel tournament, and it was a close fight with Jamie emerging the winner. This time it was a more clear cut

decision as Jamie was punching stronger and faster, you could see he had been training and was more prepared for his opponent this time.

Fight of the night was Denis O'Brien, Tramore and Christy O'Donoghue, Clonmel, the Tramore boy won this fight but it was a very close contest with both boxers throwing very clean accurate punches.

Robert Simpson, Saviour Crystal, had a very impressive win over Mark Laurence, St. Paul's.

Denis O'Neill Saviours Crystal had all the Prince Nasseem foot work and punches when he beat Martin Burke, St. Paul's — a very entertaining and classy fight considering they are only eleven years of age.

Causeway Tennis Club Notes

The big event on our calendar is our Senior Open Week which starts on Sunday, 7th June. I am sure that there is lots of practice going on for this event with old and new partnerships getting together. By now you should all have your

entries in, if not please do so before the weekend or you will be too late.

We are hoping to have a big entry again this year with players from some of the Munster Counties Kilkenny and Wexford. Club members make sure that your entry is

in by Friday.

Congratulations to Ger Cusack on getting his Vets Munster cap. We hope that Teresa Keane and Ger did well at the weekend when they played in the InterPro in Belfast.

Thanks to John Moran, Michael Collins, Donal McGovern, T. M. Keane, Bernadette Sheridan and Margaret Cusack who travelled to St. Annes on Sunday to take part in the Rover Competition and well done to T. M. Keane and Donal McGovern on getting through to the final day. John Moran and Michael Collins were unlucky not to get through for a place in the final day, which will be held in Dublin 23-25 July.

The ladies ladder seems to be going well, the doubles ladder seems to be struggling come on and get out there and play those games. The men's ladder should be up and running this week so watch the notice board for same and get those games going. The practice will be good for the Comeragh Oil Open Week.

Any third level students who are interested in Summer Work under the Student Summer Scheme please contact the Causeway Tennis Club or any committee member.

Again don't forget the Open Week, there will be some great tennis played from the 7th June to the 13th June when the finals will take place, so do drop in to watch some of the tennis.

Cappoquin Pork & Bacon Blackwater Cycling Club News

WEEKEND RACING RESULTS

Last Sunday our riders competed in the Silver Pail Grand Prix in Fermoy. In the under 12 race Gearoid Turraoin, Eoin Whyte and our newest rider Sean Young from Ring represented the club. All three riders were in the prizes. Gearoid rode a brilliant race and as the pace hotted up in the final 500 metres made a decisive attack for the line but narrowly missed victory by a wheel rim and finished in second place. Eoin Whyte rode well and finished in fourth place. Sean Young in his first race got first unplaced under 11. Our sole representative in the junior race was Brian Moore who rode well and finished in the bunch.

The next race in the Underage Munster League is the Hill Climb on Strikes Hill next Sunday, May 31. The distance for each age group will be as follows: under 11 and under 12 — one mile; under 13 and under 14 — two miles; under 15 and under 16 — three miles. Sign on at Twomilebridge at 12 noon.

Watch this space for details of event 3.

West Waterford Motor Sport Ltd



INTERNATIONAL AUTOGRASS RACING

On Sunday next, May 31 West Waterford Motor Sport Ltd. in association with Lisimore Hotel are holding an International Autograss Event in Ballysaggart, Lisimore, Co. Waterford. On Sunday next drivers from England, Wales, Northern

and Southern Ireland will compete in the "Irish Autograss Championship". A full race programme will be run as well as the hugely popular "team race". Racing starts at 1 p.m. and a superb days racing is guaranteed.

SCRUTINY

Drivers are reminded that scrutiny for the international

event will take place on Saturday evening at 7 p.m. All drivers are asked to attend as scrutiny on Sunday is only for clubs from Northern Ireland and U.K.

▲ Danny O'Rourke will face tough opposition from U.K. and Northern Ireland drivers on May 31st next.

Champions To Ride New Tramore Racetrack

Champion jockeys Mick Kinane and Charlie Swan have agreed to test drive the newly laid track extension at Tramore racecourse at 10.30 on Thursday, May 28.

Each jockey will ride a racehorse round the track and give a report on the improvements. Well known on the international racing scene, Kinane and Swan have ridden races all over the world and their comments are eagerly awaited. The directors of the racecourse are confident of a ringing endorsement.

During the past nine months thousands of tons of soil were moved from the centre of the course to build an embankment on which to lay the new sods for a one furlong extension to the track.

Karl Casey, director of the racecourse, believes the extension will improve safety, give better viewing of the track, and improve the standard of racing at Tramore. "This is further demonstration of our commitment to the track and to improving facilities for owners, jockeys and punters," says Karl.

The first actual race over the new laid grass will take place at the evening meeting on Tuesday, June 2.

RACE MEETING

Whit Tuesday summer race meeting at Tramore sees £36,500 in prize money and also features the

£10,000 Bank of Ireland Chase. First race is at 5.30 p.m. and admission is £7, with OAPs and students £3. Bars and restaurants with Tote facilities and close circuit TV SIS. Bus Eireann £1 each way special. An ideal family day out.

WATERFORD & TRAMORE RACES

Next Meeting

**WHIT TUESDAY
2nd JUNE '98**

- Come and Enjoy the Best of Irish Racing
- Bars & Restaurant with Tote Facilities and close circuit T.V. SIS
- Lots of Entertainment/Live Music
- Bus Eireann - £1 Each Way Special - to/from Races

£36,500 in Prize Money

Featuring
The £10,000 Bank of Ireland CHASE

ADMISSION - £7 OAP S & STUDENTS - £3

JUNE 2nd - Summer Race Meeting

**EVENING - 1st RACE 5.30p.m.
ENJOY THE CRACK AT THE TRACK!**

Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Indoor Hurling Tournament

The Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Club is very much involved on the indoor hurling scene and it's an area in which the club intends investing to a greater degree in the future. Our photos were taken at St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside on the final night of this year's indoor season when a total of eighty (80) youngsters from our parish were in attendance enjoying themselves.

Top right photo shows (back row, l. to r.) — B. Ryan, D. Henley, J. Healy, A. Tobin, K. Kelleher, P. Bergin, C. Enright, C. O'Neill, E. McCullagh, D. Power; front — C. Ryan, K. Healy, D. Walsh, W. J. Kiely, D. Drohan, B. Walsh, C. McGovern.

The second photo shows (back l. to r.) , S. Delahunty, M. Geary, D. Enright, S. Enright, J. Phelan, D. Ryan, D. O'Hare, P. Curran, S. O'Hare, M. Collins, E. Brackett, A. Crowe; front — J. O'Driscoll, S. Lannigan, D. Shanley, A. Shiel, M. Ferncombe, L. Harty, C. O'Connor, D. Mansfield, R. Ryan, J. Ryan.

The third photo shows (back, l. to r.) , D. Cummins, T. Hanrahan, C. Moloney, J. Tobin, C. O'Dwyer, D. Henley, J. Power, J. De Fusco, D. Curran, E. Tobin, M. Earley, J. Mills; front — L. Beresford, P. Curran, M. O'Donnell, S. Crotty, C. O'Hare, E. White, R. Dunford, C. O'Grady, D. Morrissey.

The bottom photo shows (back, l. to r.) — A. Curran, M. O'Halloran, L. Coffey, D. Tobin, E. McCullagh, K. Kelleher, C. O'Neill, J. Organ, M. Coffey, G. Cuddihy, N. Coffey; front — S. Dunford, R. Murphy, J. Leahy, M. Fehilly, J. G. Nagle, G. Walsh, D. Walsh, J. Sheehan, M. O'Connor.



Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Club Notes

UNDER-21 FOOTBALL WESTERN FINAL

On Monday next, June 1, Ballinacourty Under-21 footballers play defending county champions Stradbally in the Western final at the Fraher Field at 2.30 p.m. All players to be in attendance at the venue at 1.45 p.m. sharp. A special appeal is made to all members to give their support to the lads for Sunday's final.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Ballinacourty v. Tallow — This JFL game goes ahead at the Tallow venue on Friday evening next, May 29. Transport leaving Kiely's corner at 6.30 p.m.

COUNTY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Ballinacourty are due to play St. Saviours this coming weekend. Players will be notified of the arrangements. Due to the U-21 divisional final a special effort is required from all players for both the junior and intermediate teams.

SYMPATHY

The club extends its sincere sympathy to the members of the Clancy family on the death of their mother, Mrs. Annie Clancy. The Clancy family's contribution to our club has been significant over the years as Mickey (R.I.P.), John, Pete and Ollie were among the most skilful hurlers ever to wear the Blue and Gold, while that tradition has been maintained by her grandsons

Conor, Myles and John.

Sincere sympathy is also extended to Eddie O'Halloran (N.T.) on the death of his mother Mrs. Kathleen O'Halloran.

CONGRATS

Congratulations are extended to former club player Tom Enright and his bride Patricia, who were married last Saturday. Although based in England for a period, Tom's interest in club affairs has never waned.

JUNIOR HURLING LEAGUE

Abbeyside 4-14
Kilgobinet 1-13

Our junior hurlers won this highly entertaining league game at the club grounds on Friday evening last.

Team — E. Byrne, B. Hayes, B. Keohane, L. Barry, P. Breen, G. Collins, J. Donovan, S. McGrath, J. Hayes, P. Cummins, M. Kinsella, P. Veale, L. Brennan, B. Beatty, G. O'Connor. Sub. used Pat O'Brien.

THE PRIMARY GAME

Congratulations to James Phelan, Abbeyside N.S., who was a member of the Waterford Schools primary team which played Kerry in Tralee on Sunday last.

U-12 TOURNAMENT

Under-12s will play in a tournament in Cork next Saturday. The under 9s and 10s will play in a tournament in Ballyduff. Training on Thursday night at 7 p.m. Training as usual for the under-8s on Saturday morning at 10.30 a.m.

DUNGARVAN G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

JUVENILE NOTES

At our own grounds on Monday 18th May we took on Abbeyside in the U-12 hurling competition. This was our first game played under the new rules, no solo running, which meant pick and strike it certainly speeded up the game and the result was an outstanding game of hurling from two evenly matched teams, they kept the ball moving on the ground which was a pleasure to watch.

The lead changed on several occasions and after a hard but very entertaining game the result was a draw which was very fair. Final score Dungarvan 5-4. Abbeyside 4-7.

Team: Kevin Stack, Emmet Mullaly, Jonathan Regan, John Byrne, Christopher Troy, John Paul Tutty, Daniel Murray, John Ahearne, Jamie Nagle, Kieran Wall, Michael O'Mahoney, John McDonagh, Darren Hamilton, Brian Bannon, Kirk Sullivan, James Dalton, J.O'Keefe, A. Donovan, M. Murphy, J. Corcoran, J. Cullinane.

Many thanks to Paddy for the preparation of the pitch and special goal posts with nets etc. All added to a very enjoyable evening. The surface was in tip top condition which added to the speed and skill displayed by both teams.

MIDLETON TOURNAMENT

On Saturday last our U-12 team travelled to Midleton to take part in an intercounty tournament for the Dave Hogan Cup. Teams competing were Bruff (Limerick) Abbeyside, Midleton and Dungarvan. This was a tough tournament during which our boys in all their games gave terrific performances. They certainly played with pride and commitment, no quarter asked for or given. We deservedly won the tournament as we were undefeated in all our games. From our goalie and captain, Kevin Stack, full back Jonathan Regan, centre John Paul Tutty, Jamie Nagle, Brian Bannon centre field, Michael O'Mahoney centre forward to Kirk Sullivan full forward. Kirk ended up our scorer in chief of the tournament with five goals. Jamie Nagle was voted top player and received a special trophy. All our backs performed very well, J. Byrne, E. Mullaly, C. Troy, and J. Dalton. Our forwards also performed well, K. Wall, J. McDonagh, D. Hamilton and John

Ahearne. A great cheer went up when Charlie McAllister (organiser of the tournament) presented the Dave Hogan Cup to Kevin Stack and each player received a tournament medal. Well done to all concerned.

Team: K. Stack, E. Mullaly, J. Regan, J. Byrne, C. Troy, J.P. Tutty, J. Dalton, B. Bannon, J. Nagle, K. Wall, M. O'Mahoney, J. McDonagh, John Ahearne, D. Hamilton, K. Sullivan, J. O'Keefe, A. Donovan, M. Murphy, J. Cullinane, W. Drumme.

Our thanks to the Midleton Juvenile G.A.A. Club and especially to Charlie McAllister for the invitation and for the way they looked after us.

Our U-10 team also took part in the Midleton Tournament and also performed with distinction. They were beaten by one goal by Midleton who were the winners. Conor Keating was voted man of the match and was presented with his special trophy. Well done and thanks to all who came along to look after the players.

Team: Wayne Flynn, Conor Keating, James Ducey, Darren Sheehan, Tony Ferncombe, Michael O'Shea, Michael Ryan, Kealan Barry, Shane Tobin, Tony O'Donoghue, Damien Power, Brian McDonagh, Michael Buckley, David Buckley, Christopher Power, Barry Hamilton, Anthony Dalton, Darren Power.

JUNIOR HURLING

On Friday night last we took on Fourmilewater in the junior hurling league. We started off badly conceding a soft goal after two minutes. We then started to come more into the game and dominated a lot of the first half exchanges but we missed a lot of scoring opportunities and we led at half time by 2-11 to 3-3. In the second half we started to take control again and got some nice scores and again we missed a lot of chances. We had some patches of brilliant hurling by our midfield and forwards — some great scores from Bert Ahearne, Grahame Nagle and the evergreen "Pele", Tyler Walsh made some extraordinary saves in the goal for Fourmilewater. Fair play to Fourmilewater they came storming back into the game and scored another three goals before the final whistle.

Full time score Dungarvan 3-18, Fourmilewater 6-7.

Team: S. Kiersey, A. Harney, O. Sheridan, B. Shanahan, E. Morrissey, J. Flynn, G. Cusack, J. O'Mahoney,

B. Ahearne, S. Cunningham, D. Flynn, G. Nagle, D. Power, G. Butler, D. O'Callaghan, S. O'Brien, J. Veale, S. Moore.

INTERMEDIATE HURLING

On Saturday evening last we took on Colligan in the Intermediate Hurling league. This was a fairly good game of hurling but missed chances were to prove costly to us and we lost the game by 5 points.

BEST WISHES

We send best wishes for a speedy recovery to Christopher Gough who received an injury recently. We hope to see him fit and well soon.

MEMBERSHIP

This is the last call up for membership. Remember you cannot take part in any draw for All Ireland Tickets unless you are a paid up member, and most important of all that you intend to travel.

EXAMS

We wish the very best of luck to all our players, boys and girls who will shortly be sitting for their Junior and Leaving Cert. Exams.

CAKE SALE

The Parents of the underage teams are holding a Cake Sale on Sunday 31st May at the C.B.S. Hall after the 10 o'clock Mass. This cake sale is in aid of the Juvenile Club and you are asked to hand in cakes, buns, etc. before 10 o'clock. Please come along and supports this worthy cause.

TALENT COMPETITION

The Club are holding a Talent Competition, sponsored by Carling commencing on Thursday night 23rd July at 8 p.m.

The Competition will take place in Lawlor's Hotel. £750 in prize money, as follows — £400 first prize, £100 second prize, £50 third prize, and 4 heat winners £25 each. £100 for nominator of winner.

Music will be supplied by Willie White. Cover charge £1 per heat, £2 semi-final and £2. Final.

Entry Form may be obtained from Secretary, or any member of Sub Committee, i.e. Margaret Cunningham, Claire Dee, Anne Butler, Maura Curran, Paddy Fitzgerald, Kieran Curran and Noel Sheehan.

WELL DONE

We say well done to the Waterford Senior Hurlers on defeating Kerry in the Munster Championship. We now look forward to the semi-final against Tipperary on Sunday week.

Waterford Ladies Football Notes

Waterford Hold Out Against Strong Clare Challenge

WATERFORD 3-10 CLARE 4-6

Over the years, ladies football has produced many cliffhanger finishes, games of fluctuating fortunes. None more so than Sunday's League Final between Waterford and Clare at Tipperary Town. Fifty minutes of Waterford domination followed by a late surge from Clare that saw them almost turn a fifteen point deficit into victory.

It was heart stopping stuff. Over the years Waterford have proved to be the comeback team, on occasion turning defeat into victory. On this occasion it was almost the reverse as the Déise girls were relieved to hear the final whistle.

A fairly strong breeze blew towards the country goal at Sean Treacy Park as Waterford dominated the early exchange but shot far wide before Geraldine O'Ryan scored three consecutive points between the 7th and 12th mins.

A Clare breakaway in the 13th min. ended up in the Waterford net after confusion in defence but Waterford recovered quickly and Aine Wall (twice) and Caitriona Casey (free) restored the three point advantage. Midfield supremacy by Olivia Condon and Caitriona Casey saw the Waterford forwards get a plentiful supply of the ball which they didn't always put to good use.

The Waterford defence easily coped with sporadic Clare attack and Geraldine O'Ryan's 21st min. goal, followed by a point three minutes later, gave them a true reflection of the play. Sylvia O'Brien closed the first half scoring with a Clare point.

With the wind at their backs, Waterford expected a Clare onslaught but it was Waterford who continued to dominate with a Mary O'Donnell point. After ten scoreless minutes, Geraldine O'Ryan scored a brilliant goal, Claire Ryan and Martina O'Ryan tacked on points and Clare appeared to have no answer.

A magnificent weaving run by Geraldine O'Ryan set up Mary O'Donnell for a great goal in the 51st min. Waterford were 15 pts. ahead and cruising. Then came the Clare rally. Midfielders Eithne Morrissey and Annie Ryan stormed into the game. Ryan kicked a point and Majella Griffin slammed home a goal. Waterford definitely panicked and Clare

took full advantage.

They scored 3-5 in a twelve minute spell including injury time, Ryan scoring two goals. Indeed it took a brilliant save by injured 'keeper Sarah Hickey when she deflected a Sylvia O'Brien pile driver over the bar in the 63rd min. to save Waterford. The kickout brought the final whistle and huge relief for Waterford.

It remains to be seen what both teams true form is but it surely sets up an intriguing Munster Final at Fraher Field on Saturday, August 15 as both sides will surely overcome Cork and Kerry respectively.

Waterford owed much to Sarah Hickey's late save. The defence played well for a long time with Paula Walsh, Siobhan O'Ryan and Noirin Walsh prominent. Midfield did well until their late fade out but the attack never hit the high spots they achieved against Monaghan. Geraldine O'Ryan was brilliant, she got good support from Mary O'Donnell but the rest can play better.

Clare served notice that they are an up and coming team and they will come to

Dungarvan with plenty of confidence. They are extremely fit at the moment but it remains to be seen if they can hold that until August. Waterford have plenty of room for improvement and greater fitness should sort out a lot of the problem.

Waterford — S. Hickey, P. Walsh, S. O'Ryan (capt.), N. Walsh, A. Crotty, D. O'Rourke, J. Torpey, O. Condon, C. Casey (0-1), R. Hallahan, M. O'Donnell (1-1), F. Crotty, A. Wall (0-2), C. Ryan (0-1), G. O'Ryan (2-4). Sub - M. O'Ryan (0-1), D. Nagle.

After the game National President, Noel Murray had the pleasant duty of presenting the cup to next door neighbour, Siobhan O'Ryan.

UNDER-14 MUNSTER FINAL

Waterford v Kerry

Saturday sees the Under-14 Munster Final between Waterford and Kerry at a Cork venue. Kerry have been very impressive defeating Limerick and Clare. However Waterford turned in a good display defeating Cork in the semi-final scoring 3-12 in the process and they definitely have the potential to win.

Waterford Colleges

Under-15 1/2 Hurling Semi-Final

DUNGARVAN C.B.S. ADVANCE TO FINAL

Dungarvan C.B.S. 1-8 St. Paul's, Waterford 1-4

Dungarvan C.B.S. advanced to the Waterford Colleges Under-15 1/2 'A' Hurling Final after a hard earned win over St. Paul's, Waterford in the county semi-final played at Mount Sion club grounds recently.

Dungarvan C.B.S. led by 0-5 to 0-3 at half-time. St. Paul's snatched a goal midway through the second half to narrow the led to a point. A late goal by Jimmy Moore gave the C.B.S. a four points victory.

Best for Dungarvan C.B.S. were Raymond Connery, John Aherne, Raymond Kirby, Willie Kiely, Christopher Morrissey, Stephen Sheridan, Johnny Lynch, Pat Veale and Sean Dempsey who was the most impressive of the forwards.

Scorers were Jimmy Moore 1-1 (0-1 free), Sean Dempsey 0-3, Philip Beausang 0-1, Johnny Lynch (0-1), Pat Veale (0-1), Christopher Morrissey 0-1.

Dungarvan C.B.S. — Raymond Connery (St. Oliver's), Sean Kiely (Abbeyside), John Aherne (Naomh Bríd), Denis Coffey (Naomh Bríd), Raymond Kirby (Dungarvan), Willie Kiely (Kilgobinet/Colligan), Brian Flynn (Kilgobinet/Colligan), Stephen Sheridan (Dungarvan) capt., Christopher Morrissey (Brickey Rangers), Pat Veale (Dungarvan), Philip Beausang (Ardmore), Johnny Lynch (Dungarvan), Sean Dempsey (Naomh Bríd), Jimmy Moore (Abbeyside), Ronan Keating (Dungarvan). Sub - Donal O Murchadha (An Ghaeltacht) for Ronan Keating.

G.A.A. League Tables

COUNTY SENIOR HURLING

Section A P W D L Pts.

Roanmore	2	2	0	0	4
Ballygunner	2	1	1	0	3
Lismore	2	0	2	0	2
Dunhill	2	1	0	1	2
Portlaw	2	0	1	1	1
Fourmilewater	2	0	0	2	0

Section B

Tallow	2	2	0	0	4
Ballyduff	2	1	1	0	3
Passage	2	1	0	1	2
De La Salle	1	0	1	0	1
Mt. Sion	2	0	0	2	0
Erin's Own	1	0	0	1	0

WEST FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Div. 1

Ballyduff	3	3	0	0	6
Ballinameela	3	2	0	1	4
Emmetts	3	2	0	1	4
Old Parish	3	1	1	1	3
Kilgobinet	3	1	1	1	3
Tallow	3	1	0	2	2
Stradbally	3	1	0	2	2
Ballinacourty	3	0	0	3	0

Div. 2

Clashmore	3	3	0	0	6
Nire	3	3	0	0	6
Brickys	3	2	0	1	4
Dungarvan	3	1	1	1	3
Faha	3	1	1	1	3
Ardmore	3	1	0	2	2
Geraldines	3	0	0	3	0
Affane	3	0	0	3	0

Div. 3

Sliabh gCua	3	3	0	0	6
Kilrossanty (B)	3	2	1	0	5
Eire Og	2	1	0	1	2
Melleray	3	1	0	2	2
Ballysaggart	2	0	1	1	1
Stradbally (B)	3	0	0	3	0

WEST HURLING LEAGUE

Div. 1

Abbeyside	4	4	0	0	8
Shamrocks	4	4	0	0	8
Clashmore	4	3	0	1	6
Stradbally	4	2	0	2	4
Colligan	5	2	0	3	4
Dungarvan	4	1	0	3	2
St. Marys	3	1	0	2	2
Cappoquin	3	0	1	2	1
Ring	5	0	1	4	1

Div. 2

Ballysaggart	5	4	0	1	8
Geraldines	4	3	1	0	7
Kilgobinet	4	3	1	0	7
Ballinameela	4	2	0	2	4
Ardmore	5	1	0	4	2
Lismore	6	0	0	6	0

Div. 3

Tallow	4	4	0	0	8
Dungarvan	4	3	0	1	6
Kilrossanty	3	2	1	0	5
Ballyduff	4	2	0	2	4
Fourmilewater	4	1	1	2	3
Cappoquin	5	1	0	4	2
Modeligo	4	0	0	4	0

Div. 4

Tourin	2	2	0	0	4
Geraldines (B)	2	2	0	0	4
Clashmore (B)	3	1	0	1	2
Brickys	2	1	0	2	2
Old Parish	2	1	0	1	2
Glen Rovers	3	0	0	3	0

Geraldines GAA Notes

JUNIOR 'B' HURLING LEAGUE

On last Friday evening we defeated the Brickys in Aglish on a score of 4-5 to 0-7. So far we have won all the games at this level and our trainer and selectors would like to see more players turning up at training.

Team — J. Mernin, T. Langan, J. Tobin, R. Hurley, V. O'Brien, T. Cullinan, D. Carlton, T. Scanlon, M. O'Brien, K. Cotter, E. Mernin, S. Motherway, J. Ware, B. O'Connell, S. Osborne, G. Broderick, S. Osborne, M. Cullinan.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the Waterford team on beating Kerry last Sunday. Also to St. Olivers on winning the under 21 Western football final last Saturday.

Congratulations to Sheamus Coughlan, Aglish on winning £100 in the W.L.R. Radio Bingo during the week. The book was purchased at Hurley's Filling Station, Aglish.

WEDDING BELLS

Congratulations to Janice Dee and Michael Buckley who got married last Friday.

GET WELL

The club would like to wish Michael Kiely a speedy recovery after spending a few days in hospital.

Shamrocks G.A.A. Club Notes

CLUB LOTTO

The numbers drawn last weekend were 6, 12, 13, 21. There was no jackpot winner and the following won £10 each, Margaret Murphy, Tallow, John Corkery, Carrigeen, Ann Flanagan, Killenagh, Paul Quill, Youghal, Sheila McGrath, Dunmoon.

On next Saturday night the jackpot will be £1,500 and as they say about the National Lottery "It could be you".

CONGRATULATIONS

Congrats' to Waterford senior hurlers on their victory over a gusty Kerry team in the Munster championship game on Sunday last at Tralee and we wish them all the best in the semi final against Tipperary on Sunday week.

INTERMEDIATE WESTERN HURLING LEAGUE

Our 4th round game v. Ring which was to have been played at Knockanore on last Saturday evening was postponed.



Pictured above are the Ring Primary School team who took part in the gael Linn organised football tournament held in the Meath Gaeltacht, Rath Cairn, recently

C.L.G. Na Rinne

PEIL F21 CLUICHE CEANNAIS AN IARTHAIR

Naomh Oilibhéar 1-5 An Ghaeltacht 0-7

Bhí an mí-ádh ar an nGaeltacht anseo. Bhí go leor seilbhe acu chun é a bhuachaint ach n'f'oir imigh cúsaf i gceart ar an lá. Bhí an-chluiche ag Séamus Ó hAodha agus Maidhc de Paor.

An Fhoireann — M. de Grás, M. de Paor, T. Ó Cadhla, E. Mac Craith, S. Ó hAodha, D. Breathnach, N. Tóibín, C. Ó Riain, S. Ó Drocháin, F. Breathnach, T. Ó Meachair, M. Ó Drocháin, R. Góch, C. Ó Muirithe, T. de Paor. Ionadaithe - T. Breathnach do E. Breathnach, C. Ó Murchadha do M. de Grás (gor-taithe), M. Óg de Paor do R. Góch.

COMÓRTAS PEILE GHAEL LINN

Thaisteal Scoil Náisiúnta na Rinne go Ráth Cairn i gCo. na Mí don gcomórtas peile seo inar ghlac scoileanna Gaeltachta agus lán Ghaelacha páirt.

Bhí ceithre fhoireanna sa ghrúpa agus bhí na babhtaf tosaithe ar bhonn sraithe. Ar an Aoine bhuaidh SN na Rinne ar Ghaelscoil Dhoire ach ar an Satharn bhuaidh foireann ó Cheathrú Thaidhg/Scoil na hEachléime i Maigh Eo orthu. Bhí an tríú cluiche in aghaidh Baile an Fheirtéirigh ó Chiarraí fíorthábhachtach mar gurb iad na buaitheoirí a raghadh chun cinn. Bhuaidh foireann na Rinne agus dá bhí sin bhíodar tríd go dtí an cluiche leathcheannais ar an nDomhnach in aghaidh na Ceathrú Rua ó Chonamara. Ní raibh an t-ádh le hógá-naigh na Rinne anseo faraoid agus bhí an bua ag an gCeathrú Rua.

Bhain gach éinne an-thait-neamh agus an-thairbhe as an deireadh seachtaine agus tá ard-mholadh tuille ag gach éinne a chabhraidh chun an turas seo a eagrú.

IMREOIRI FAOI AOIS

Bhí beirt chailín ón Rinn ar fhoireann peile cailíní faoi 14 a bhuaidh ar Chorcaigh an tseachtain seo caite, Ealga Ní Aodha agus Deirdre Breathnach.

Agus tá cúigear buachall ón Rinn ar phainéal faoi 16 na nIar-Dhéise, Cian Ó Conchúir, Pádraig Ó hArtaigh, Maidhc Ó Drócháin, Liam de Grás agus Diarmaid Ó Meachair.

COMÓRTAS PEILE NA GHAELTACHTA

An deireadh seachtaine seo, tugann peileadóirí sin-seara na Rinne aghaidh ar Chomórtas Peile na Gaeltachta atá ar siúl i gCloich Cheannfhaola i nDún na nGall. Táimid tar éis a bheith an-chóngarach an comórtas seo a bhuachaint le cúpla bliain anuas ach idir rud amháin nó eile, n'f'oir bhuamar fós é. Beidh formhór na gcluichí beo ar Raidió na Gaeltachta agus beidh na cluichí ceannais á gcráladh beo ar TnaG.

Go n-éirf an t-ádh le foireann na Rinne san iarracht seo.

Comortas Peile Na Gaeltachta

Comortas Peil Na Gaeltachta will take place next weekend (May 29-June 1) in Cloich Cheann Fhaola, with football teams from all the Gaeltacht areas, Dublin and London competing in senior and junior championships.

Raidió na Gaeltachta's mobile studio, An Rodai, will be at Pairc Naomh Fionnan, Falcarragh, providing live commentaries, reports and interviews from one of the major annual Gaeltachta events.

An Rinn will take part at junior level.

STRADBALLY GAA NOTES

TRAMPS BALL

Yes, the time has come again for the greatest night of crack. Of course I speak of The Tramps Ball. Many people missed it last time and they missed a wonderful night of crack and enjoyment. Yes the costumes are now ready, some will not have to dress at all, some will get into the spirit of the night and try and win the prizes on offer. Please come along and enjoy the spirit of the occasion, join in with your friends and support the Club in their efforts to stay among the top in the County. Tickets are available from players and will be available at the door on Sunday night next May 31. Come early to ensure a seat.

JUVENILE NIGHT

Wednesday, June 3, sees the return of Bim Connors to the Village in a fund raising night for the Juvenile Club. Those that heard Bim and his Band will not forget his wonderful voice and the music of his Keyboard player. Subscription only £2 and is good value and of course you are helping the youth of the Parish.

UNDER 21

Many of you will have seen the Western Board's fixtures for the coming weekend and on these you will see the under 21 final down for decision. The Stradbally Club regrettably will not be able to fulfil this fixture as five of their starting line up and one of their panel of only 18 players will have to sit the Leaving CRT Exams. The Club recognises that this exam is the most important exam that these players will have to do in their lifetime.

The Western Board do not seem to recognise the importance of these exams. These young players cannot be expected to play in such an important match before such important exams. With so many of our panel doing exams, the chances of injury is too high and the club will not risk their futures. We hope that sanity will prevail and the good of the players will be put before Western Board's fixture list.

TRAINING

Yes, training is in full swing for all teams. Kieran Heffernan and Noel Costello are looking after the Senior and Intermediate teams, Sean Ahearn is working with the minor teams, Noel Costello with the Under-14 and George Walsh Under-12.

UNDER 12

George Walsh, our hard working intercounty player, took his charges to Knockanore to play the local side in the under 12 championship last Monday evening. The very young team played well and came home winners. George would like to thank all who brought their cars to the match and supported the young players. It is very important for the parents to take an interest in the younger players.

LOCAL NEWS

The village is now getting ready for the Tidy Towns Competition. The Flowers are being planted for this year's display. The Village is looking beautiful, lets hope visitors to the area bring home their litter from the beach and surrounding area. Let's hope the footpaths do not take too long more as the road is very dangerous for the school children going and coming from school. It was bad enough the footpath torn up, but the holes on the other side of the road have made it more dangerous.

Ardmore G.A.A. Club Notes

JUNIOR HURLING LEAGUE

Our adult hurling side went under by one point to Ballinameela in a league game played in Ardmore on Saturday evening last. Having found it very difficult to get in any practice between games, this was quite a pleasing performance and hopefully when everyone is available after exams and injury as well as intercounty duty, then there should be a good squad available for a shot at the championship.

PRIMARY GAME

Michael Flavin had a fine game with the Waterford Primary School team in Tralee on Sunday last and although they were beaten, they received a lovely set of gear which I am sure Michael will wear with pride in the weeks and months ahead.

Waterford senior hurlers achieved their objective when they qualified to meet Tipperary in Cork on Sunday week. Much will be said about their effort but this will not count for anything as the game against Tipperary will be all that matters. Kerry was quite a difficult assignment coming on the back of a league final defeat and now that the team are only 70 mins. away from a Munster final and a possible All-Ireland semi-final place, I am sure that they will make a supreme effort to get the win which all their loyal supporters are crying out for.

ALL TICKET GAME

It appears that Sunday week's match will be an all ticket affair so if you require tickets, it would be advisable to get your name in as soon as possible as there is sure to be a huge demand

for them.

MEMBERSHIP

Now is probably a good time to remind both our players and supporters that the time for renewing membership is fast approaching with May 31 as the FINAL deadline. Everyone is also reminded that the privileges of membership will not be open to those who are not paid up and needless to say this will include Munster semi-final tickets so don't say that you have not been informed and on time.

DÉISE DRAW

The final Déise Draw will also take place on this weekend and all promoters are asked to make sure that all of their money is with the treasurer as soon as possible as the club has set the June club meeting as the date when a final report will be before the executive of our club's performance. Up to now we have been having very little luck so maybe this will change on this Friday when we hope to have a winner.

LOTTO

Once again the Lotto is beginning to grow as on Sunday night last in Paddy Mac's Bar, we had no winning selection matching the numbers 2, 10, 17 which were drawn. Our five consolation prizewinners were Conor McCarthy, Ardmore; Adrian O'Donnell, Monea; Nicholas Cunningham, Newtown, Grange; Rosie Donegan, c/o Keevers Bar; John Hennessy, The Grove, Ardmore.

Next week's draw returns to The Cliff House Hotel so if you want to win then get your ticket from any of the local outlets and sellers. Once again our thanks to Paddy Mac for their help and hospitality in what was

a very busy weekend for them.

JUVENILE AFFAIRS

Minor Hurling — Our minor hurlers recorded their second win of the league campaign when they had a comfortable victory over Clashmore despite being short a number of regulars.

Under-14 Hurling — The under-14 hurlers had a very busy week with three matches being played. On Monday they went under to the Brickeys by a few points. On Thursday they had a draw away to Portlaw and on Saturday they were again beaten by Roanmore by a few scores. They are certainly getting plenty of games but as they are over such a short period, it is difficult to get any practice in.

Under-12 Hurling — The under-12 hurlers also began their campaign last week when we had Cappoquin as visitors. After a lovely game, Cappoquin emerged winners. We had a very young side out with new recruits, the O'Mahony twins Anthony and Sean making their club debut here and both had good outings and we look forward to their continued improvement as we have games against St. Olivers, Brickeys, Tallow and Naomh Bríd to come and it is only with practice that we will improve.

Under-14 & Under-16 County Panels — A good number of our players are presently at trials for both under-14 and under-16 western and county panels. We have Frankie North and Billy Harty involved as selectors and we wish all of our representatives the best of luck. The under-14's will be in action in early July while the under-16's will not be in action until November now that the Og Peil competition in Limerick has been discontinued.

PEIL NA nÓG

The weekend of July 3/4/5 will be a very busy one for our under-14 footballers who will be guests of the Robert Emmets Club in Co. Donegal for the Féile Peil Na nÓg at which we will be Waterford's representatives.

Our Juvenile Secretary, Pádraig Ó Foghlú will be contacting all of the parents in the near future with the details of what we are sure will be a trip to remember. Needless to say there will be a huge amount of planning to be done for such a long journey and each family will be asked for a contribution towards the trip as the club will have to raise a substantial amount of money to ensure that every child will have a great trip. With this in mind, the club will be having a draw for

some substantial cash prizes.

The confined draw will be held on the last weekend in June and we are sure that it will receive the support of the community so that we can properly send the young boys and girls to Donegal. We will be asking a good number of people to sell these tickets so if you are asked to either sell or buy a ticket, we would appreciate your help as it will take the combined efforts of everyone to ensure the success of both the draw and the Donegal trip.

WELL DONE, MARY AND JAMES

We congratulate brother and sister, James and Mary O'Donnell who both won national titles on Sunday last. Mary was part of the Waterford ladies team who won the National League title with a one point win over Clare while James was in goal for the Cork Vocational Schools side who captured the All-Ireland title. Both games were played in Thurles so this is a unique double for this great sporting family. Again our congratulations.

OVERSEAS VISITORS

A large travelling party of overseas visitors were guests of Ardmore A.F.C. over the weekend but they were fascinated with Gaelic games also and on Saturday afternoon last, they played a mixed game of Gaelic football at the G.A.A. pitch with the locals, some of whom again came out of retirement and had a ball so to speak. A great time was had by all and we were happy to oblige with the match.

BEST OF LUCK

The Waterford senior footballers will travel to Clonmel on Saturday night for their first round encounter with Tipperary who have already beaten Limerick. Games between these sides are always close so we hope that the footballers can keep the county's championship fortunes on a winning streak and they carry our good wishes for another Déise victory.

The junior team will also be in action and we wish them the best of luck also. As a result of these games being played on Saturday, the next round of the Ryan's L&N League will probably take place on Sunday evening so all players please check with Nicky Keating if we are in action.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

The junior footballers are due to travel to Affane on Friday evening so again check with Austin Flavin to verify travel arrangements etc.

G.A.A. Fixtures

The following are fixtures for Sunday, May 31 in the Ryan's Super Valu Leagues—

Division 1 —

Gaultier v. Rathgormack, 7.30 p.m. (R. O'Neill);
Tramore v. Stradbally, 7.30 (B. Power);
Ballinacourty v. St. Saviours, 7.30 p.m. (T. Maher);
Dungarvan v. Kilrossanty, 7.30 p.m. (P. Walsh).

Division 2 —

Sliabh gCua v. Kill, 7.30 p.m. (J. M. Kelly);
Affane v. An Rinn (postponed);
Butlerstown v. Dunhill, 7.30 p.m. (T. O'Leary);
Kilmacthomas v. Clashmore, 7.30 p.m. (F. Lonergan).

Division 3 —

Bonmahon v. Shamrocks, 7.30 p.m. (S. Flynn);
De La Salle v. Modeligo, 7.30 p.m. (T. Byrne);
Rathgormack B v. Newtown, 12 noon (T. O'Leary);
Brickeys v. Kilrossanty B, 12 noon (T. O'Sullivan).

All games in Round 7 changed to Sunday, May 31. All remaining back fixtures will be arranged by County Board and will be completed before final rounds of each league commences.

All results to be telephoned to Co. Board PRO, D. O'Meara or Declan Barron, on Sunday night if possible. Home club responsible for this.

Waterford G.A.A. Results

County Football League —

Division 1 — St. Saviours 2-8, Tramore 1-7;

Division 2 — Dunhill 1-6, Ring 0-9;

Kill 1-11, Affane 1-10;

Butlerstown 2-12,

Geraldines 2-3;

Division 3 — De La Salle 2-15,

Newtown 0-7, Bonmahon 3-9,

Brickey Rangers 0-11.

Co. Senior Hurling League —

Roanmore 2-8, Portlaw 1-10.

Sargent Cup Senior Hurling —

De La Salle 3-17, Fourmilewater 0-6.

West U-21 (B) Football Championship Final

St. Olivers 1-5, An Gaeltacht 0-7.

West Hurling League —

Division 1 — Colligan 2-16, Dungarvan 1-11;

Division 2 — Abbeyside 4-14, Kilgobinet 1-13;

Ballinameela 2-6, Ardmore 1-8;

Division 3 — Kilrossanty 1-13, Cappoquin 0-11;

Dungarvan 3-18, Fourmilewater 6-7;

Ballyduff 2-14, Modeligo 0-4;

Division 4 —

Geraldines (B) 4-5, Brickey Rangers 0-7;

Tourin 1-10, Glen Rovers 1-5.

West Football League —

Division 3 — Melleray 2-7, Stradbally (B) 1-4.

East Intermediate Hurling League —

Ballygunner 4-12,

Ferrybank 0-9; De La Salle 3-10, Clonea 0-10;

St. Saviours 2-18, Ballydurn 1-8.

East Junior Hurling League —

Tramore 2-7, St. Saviours 2-3;

Clonea 1-15, Ballyduff 1-8;

De La Salle 2-8, Ballygunner 2-3;

Erin's Own 1-13, Ferrybank 1-3;

Dunhill 2-4, Kilmacthomas 0-7;

Mt. Sion 4-11, Butlerstown 2-4;

Portlaw 4-10, Roanmore 2-8.

West Minor Hurling League —

Cappoquin 2-3, Abbeyside 0-5;

St. Olivers 4-8, Fourmilewater 5-4;

Ardmore 3-9, Clashmore 1-6.

Fitzgerald Cup SH Tournament Final

Lismore 3-15, Ballyduff 3-14.

Fourmilewater Hurling Club Notes

CARDS

1st - Mary Morrissey and Seanie Barrett; Joint 2nd - Liz O'Riordan and Patricia Fennell, Bidy Walsh and Josie O'Gorman; Lucky Tables - Vincent Wall and Paddy Walsh, Paul Byrnes and Richard Harte.

LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 2, 9, 12. No jackpot winner. Next week's jackpot £800. The five winners of £20 each were Eileen Mulcahy, Glasha (x 2); Liam O'Grady, Skeheens; Dick Koeffe, Ballymacarbry; Jim Cliffe, Touraneena.

LEAGUE RESULTS

Junior Hurling League — Dungarvan 3-18 Fourmilewater 6-7.

Minor Hurling League — St. Olivers 4-8 Fourmilewater 5-4.

Sargent Cup Senior Hurling — De La Salle 3-17 Fourmilewater 0-6.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

MUNSTER SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

SURVIVAL IN TRALEE

Waterford Make Very Hard Work Of Beating Kerry

WATERFORD 0-20 KERRY 1-9

Waterford played themselves into the provincial semi-final and set themselves a meeting with Tipperary at Páirc Uí Caoimh on next Sunday week when they defeated Kerry in Tralee.

To describe the game as anything other than a nightmare would be understating the tension which existed for spectators going into the final ten minutes when Kerry, playing well above themselves, came level with us in the 57th min. It was a game in which the players were never happy and could do little right until near the end when Kerry, after shooting a total of 14 wides, began to give up their hopes of winning.

For Kerry it was a ten out of ten effort while Waterford will treat it as a match which posed many questions that will have to be answered before we take on our old rivals, Tipperary in the semi-final. Our display at Tralee will not be enough to win us a place in the final.

Kerry were far better prepared than we had expected and were obviously very highly motivated and having sensed this at a very early

stage, Waterford experienced a degree of nervousness which effected their performance. It must also be said that Kerry had several very good players, some of whom enhanced their hurling profile very considerably throughout the hour.

Our inability to score goals continued to be a worrying feature of our displays and having gone through two matches with raising a green flag is a matter that will certainly occupy the thoughts of the management team over the next two weeks. Another feature of our display in Tralee was the number of times that players were dispossessed when moving forward. Kerry looked more experienced at this particular skill than we did at times.

However Waterford did pull away to win by eight points in the finish and they have played themselves into the semi-final and in the end

that is what counts at the moment.

SUPPORT

One of the most pleasing aspects of the day out at Tralee was the huge Waterford support who made their presence felt in the 4,500 crowd who were there. Hurling is not the number one game in the Kingdom and this was clearly reflected in the small attendance of Kerry supporters who were very well outnumbered. The day was overcast and an early morning mist had left the ground in a damp and moist condition.

PLAY

Kerry played with the very strong wind which seemed to increase as the match progressed. Waterford were first to score when Ken McGrath pointed in the 3rd min. Paul Flynn, from a free, had our second point a minute later. A great point from play by Richard Gentleman was added to by his midfield partner, Brendan O'Sullivan to level the game in the 6th min.

Kerry went ahead in the 7th when Mick Slattery pointed from play. Brendan O'Sullivan put the homeseide

2 pts. in front when he pointed from play in the 8th min. A great point by Dan Shanahan, the first of his total of six all from play, was followed with a point by Ken McGrath after great work by Tony Browne.

Ken McGrath was wide from a free before Dan Shanahan had his second score to put us back in front on the 15th min. Paul Flynn from play and a wonderful Ken McGrath score, also from play, put us three points clear in the 21st min. Two further splendid points, one by Dan Shanahan after receiving from Tony Browne in the 25th and another from the man himself, Tony Browne left us 0-9 to 0-4 in front at the break.

STRONG WIND

With a strong wind blowing with us, big things were expected in the second half but Kerry were first to score when Tom Maunsel pointed in the first minute. Both sides had wides before Dan Shanahan, playing in top gear all through the game, had another great score. Then came the Kerry goal which was kicked into the

Waterford net by substitute, John Dunphy who had been supplied with the ball by another substitute, Tom O'Connell. Paul Flynn and Brendan O'Sullivan exchanged points. Brendan O'Sullivan had another and only a single point separated the sides here in the 14th min. Paul Flynn pointed a free in the 17th min. and a great point by Mike Slattery kept the margin to the minimum. Then came the equaliser for Kerry when midfielder Richard Gentleman sent over a delightful point from play. The alarm bells were now sounding all over the place and Waterford looked to be in real trouble with the score Kerry 1-9 Waterford 0-12.

Fortunately the next 12 mins. saw Waterford add a further eight points without reply but it was inaccuracy more than lack of effort which denied them the

scores that they probably deserved. The final whistle brought relief to Waterford who must have been weary from the tension, more than the effort.

Waterford — B. Landers, T. Feeney, S. Cullinane, B. Flannery, S. Frampton, F. Hartley, B. Greene, T. Browne (0-2), P. Queally, D. Shanahan (0-6), K. McGrath (0-3), D. Bennett (0-1), B. O'Sullivan, A. Kirwan (0-1), P. Flynn (0-6). Subs - M. White (0-1) for B. O'Sullivan, J. Daly for D. Bennett.

Kerry — J. Healy, T. Cronin, S. McIntyre, I. Brick, P. Cronin, M. McCarthy, W. J. Lean, B. O'Sullivan (0-4), R. Gentleman (0-2), P. Cronin, C. Walsh, T. Maunsel (0-1), V. Dooley, I. Maunsel, M. Slattery (0-2). Subs - T. O'Connell for V. Dooley, J. M. Dooley (1-0) for I. Maunsel.

Ref. - S. McMahon (Clare).

PRIMARY SCHOOLS G.A.A. NEWS



THE PRIMARY GAME

Photo shows the Waterford Primary Schools football selection who will play their counterparts from Tipperary in an exhibition game which will take place before the Munster senior football championship between Waterford and Tipperary in Clonmel on Saturday, May 30.

Pictured front row (l. to r.) Shane Flynn (Fenor N.S.), Richard Harney (Fenor N.S.), Fergal Walsh (Scoil Ris), Martin Sheehan (St. Stephen's), Mark Gahan

(Scoil Lorcain), Wayne Gater (Scoil Lorcain), Michael Power (Mount Sion), Robert Phelan (Holy Cross), Paul Stephenson (Ballyduff N.S.). Back row

(l. to r.) Adam Power (Scoil Ris), Dermot Atkins (St. Declan's), Paul Hanlon (Crehana N.S.), Billy Goodwin (Holy Cross), Michael Doherty (St. Declan's), Tadhg Guerin (St. Declan's), Kevin Walsh (Crehana N.S.). Mentors — Bro. Anslem and Sean Keegan.



SYMPATHY

Our very sincere sympathy is extended to the Clancy family, Abbeyside on the death of Mrs. Annie Clancy of Home Rule Street, which occurred on Friday last. The Clancy family's contribution to G.A.A. affairs in Abbeyside has been enormous by any standards going back over 40 years or more.

The late Mickey Clancy, John (who was honoured by the Waterford Mens Association in New York for his contribution to G.A.A. affairs there some years ago, Pat (Pete) and Ollie as well as grandchildren in the Clancy family, have all played their part with distinction for the club in hurling and football.

Mrs. Kathleen O'Halloran of Ferrypoint, Kinsalebeg, Youghal who died over last weekend was mother of a family whose contribution to the Clashmore club and to the county was immeasurable. Without exception her sons Jack, Eddie, Roger, Tom and Billy played major roles in the life and progress of their club over they years.

May they both rest in peace.

TICKETS FOR LIMERICK/CORK MATCH

A limited number of stand tickets are available for the Cork versus Limerick senior hurling game at the Gaelic Grounds, Limerick on Sunday next and patrons wishing to obtain tickets for that game, should apply to County Treasurer Tony Morrissey not later than tomorrow, Thursday

Waterford v. Tipperary In Senior And Junior Football Championship At Clonmel On Saturday

County Hopeful Of Making A Breakthrough

Disappointing is the only way of describing our championship record over the past ten years. A period during which we have lost to all the other five counties—some on a few occasions.

In fact if we search through the records of the past decade we will not find a single championship victory to our credit. The sad fact about the whole situation is that in the county we do have footballers capable of playing against top-class opposition, but unfortunately, not all of these players are prepared to give a commitment to the county team in the same measure in which they give to their clubs. This situation means that we rarely have the best fifteen to represent us. To put the whole thing in context, too many of our footballers lack county pride and the clubs to

which they belong are satisfied to leave it this way. In the circumstances, it is almost impossible for us to make progress on the inter-county front. We as a county are fortunate in having such dedicated people as Joe Curran, Jim McGrath and a few others prepared to give it their all, year in and year out in preparing teams to represent the county and without getting the total co-operation of a number of players and clubs

Throughout the national league we did have some great performances from the team against quality op-

position—because of the way in which the league was structured - but at the same time we had no success.

Tipperary are our opponents on Sunday — they having managed to beat Limerick by a solitary point in a game of two halves.

There was a time when we were well able to handle Tipperary, but in recent years, our record against our neighbours has been disappointing in the Munster championship.

TIPPERARY IN FORM

A tremendous performance by under 21 player Declan Browne helped Tipperary to a narrow victory over Limerick three weeks ago, but the Premier county had other splendid players in the veteran Peter Lambert, who has many times helped the frustrate Waterford, Conor O'Shea, Timmy Cummins, Brendan Cummins, etc. and now these will be all out to win a place in the Munster semi-final in three weeks time.

In the opening round, Tipperary defeated Limerick by 1-13 to 1-12 in Limerick, thus maintaining their good first round record.

Last year they defeated Waterford by 2-7 to 1-5 in Fraher Field and when we clashed in Thurles back in 1994 they beat us by the unusual score of 5-14 to 0-15. In the previous year again Tipperary beat us by 3-10 to 0-13 and in 1992 the score was 2-13 to 0-13 again, in their favour, so Waterford will be achieving something if they beat them here on Saturday evening.

WATERFORD PANEL

The Waterford panel has changed very little since last year and most of the players who have shown commendable loyalty to the county. Sadly for the people who are doing their utmost to bring on football in the county, some players who are considered good enough for the team choose not to train. Also there are clubs who do not encourage players to train with the county. The latest bit of very disappointing news is that Railway Cup player and regular centre halfback on our team, Nial Geary

has opted to play with Nemo Rangers in the Cork football championships on Saturday

evening. In fairness to the Cork County Board they agreed to facilitate the fixture by changing the Nemo game, but things did not work out and Geary is now likely to opt out altogether.

The players on the Waterford panel are more or less the same group of players who have served the county for the past several years and include, Tom Brennan, Michael Fenton, Liam Daniels, George Walsh, Don Mahon, Richie Power, Liam Dalton, Martin Power, Oliver Costello, Nial Curran, Stephen Cunningham, Matty Kiely, Ger Walsh, Jason Crotty, etc. etc. and it is expected that these players will backbone the side for Saturdays match in Clonmel.

I have no doubt that team will give it their all and push Tipperary to the last and in doing this they could very well win. But we are the outsiders and the underdogs as Tipperary's display against Limerick and their record against Waterford, entitles them to be named as favourites.

Under 21 Football Final

The meeting of Stradbally and Ballinacourty in the divisional under 21 football final has been brought back to the original date and will go ahead at Fraher field on Bank Holiday Monday next at 2-30 p.m.

Ballinacourty qualified after beating Dungarvan and Ardmore while Stradbally had victories over Clashmore and Kilrossanty. Both were very impressive in the early rounds and followers will be disappointed if this game is not of a very high standard. Both will have supplied players to the county football teams for the championship meetings with Tipperary on the previous Saturday evening.

Waterford S.F. Team

Tom Brennan (Tramore)

Andy Hubbard Newtown Jason Crotty Rathgormack Michael Fenton Clashmore

Kierran Whelan Kilrossanty Ger Walsh Stradbally Matty Kiely Kilrossanty

Don Mahon Butlerstown Richard Power Rathgormack

Anthony Fitzgerald Gaultier Liam Daniels Gaultier Collin Keane Ballinacourty

Nial Curran Stradbally Martin Power Rathgormack Oliver Costello Stradbally

Subs. — K. Cunningham, W. Kavanagh, Paul Foley, L. Daniels, S. Cunningham, K. Walsh, J. Walsh, K. Hennessy, L. Hurney.

Junior Football v. Tipperary

With Waterford and Tipperary being allowed to play their second best teams, the standard of football in this championship has improved quite a lot in the last two years.

Last year, following a decisive win over Limerick, Waterford got to the semi final and played reasonably well against Kerry in Killarney, but at the same time we were outclassed.

This year, Tipperary juniors inflicted a heavy defeat on Limerick (in Limerick) in the first round, so they will be pretty confident of beating Waterford in Clonmel. The margin of their victory may be a pointer to Tipperary's standard (it was 1-14 to 0-3), so they will not be very easy to overcome.

However, Waterford can field a strong team in this grade and the panel are quite an accomplished group of footballers — all with senior club experience and including players like, Pat and Ger Walsh, David Ryan all Nire seniors, Alan Power and Tony Corcoran, St. Saviours, Alfie Kirwan, Kilrossanty (goalie), Brian Whelan, Kilrossanty, Liam Curran, Ring, Eddie Burke former Dungarvan player, etc., etc. With these and others of an equal standard, we should be able to mount quite a challenge and maybe surprise Tipperary.

The junior side, as previously, are rather hurriedly prepared and do little collective training. (They did have a challenge game against Imokilly on Monday evening in Fraher Field). The lack of pressure in preparation is one of the reasons given for having so many good players preferring to play in the lower grade. This can hardly be described as a commendable reason.

The management team are Tom Cunningham, Stradbally, Tommy Hennessy, Kill and John Kiely, Kilrossanty. This game is timed for 6.15 p.m. in Clonmel.

GAELTACHT SCHOLARSHIPS

On Saturday next students from clubs in many parts of the county will attend for interview for the Scholarships to Colaiste na Rinne for the July/August course.

The scheme is open to girls and boys who have an association with their local club. The first interview is set for Portlaw at 11 a.m. and the second will take place at Lawlors Hotel at 3 p.m. Successful applicants will be notified within three weeks of the interviews.

Western Board Meeting

The next full meeting of the divisional board will take place at Dungarvan on Wednesday June 10th. Arrangements for the start of the adult championships will be announced at this meeting and a number of Referee's reports will be dealt with. The board have expressed disappointment that a number of clubs are not taking part in the minor leagues. These leagues had been requested by clubs.

MINOR HURLING TOURNAMENT

Waterford minor hurlers played Tipperary in a tournament final at Fraher field on Saturday evening last and were badly beaten in a match that was very much a non event. This was the second leg of the competition and the second time that we were given the run-around by our neighbours. A massive improvement will be needed if we are to have any hope of beating Cork in the provincial semi-final here at Fraher field in July.

The halftime score was 4-10 to 0-7 and at the finish, Waterford trailed by 4-20 to 0-13.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Ryans Super Valu Football Leagues

The playing of the senior and junior football Munster championships at Clonmel on Saturday evening is not going to interfere with the county football leagues and games in all three divisions are fixed for the coming weekend. The majority of these matches will take place on Sunday evening, but patrons are advised to check with the local club for accurate details.

This is round seven and it is at a stage where some clubs already know their fate, but gone out of contention will continue to play and avail of the competition to prepare themselves for the championship which is likely to commence in July.

Gaultier v Rathgormack

This is important for both. A defeat for Gaultier would almost certainly put them out of contention and a defeat for Rathgormack could harm their prospects of being one of the top two teams at the final stage.

Playing the game at home will mean something to Gaultier but with the way Rathgormack are playing at the moment, this advantage might not be enough.

Tramore v Stradbally

Losing to Stradbally was a setback for Tramore and they will need to win here to get back into contention. Players from both these clubs will have players engaged with the county teams on Saturday evening

and consequently may not field at full strength for the engagement. However it does look as if Stradbally will be too strong and are given the vote, even though the game is scheduled for Tramore venue.

Ballinacourty v St. Saviours

I do not expect to see either of these clubs engaged at the finish of the league as each has fallen behind after a promising start. These sides clashed in the final of their division last year when the city team were successful. On form there is little between them, but Ballinacourty have home ground advantage and this may mean something to the local club.

Kilrossanty A Bye

As Dungarvan have withdrawn from the league, Kilrossanty will take the points and this will leave them at the top of the league table.

Division 2

Sliabh gCua v Kill

The Touraneena team are doing very well in the league and look sure to be there at the finish. This tie will be played on home ground and here it seems that another victory is on the cards, but Kill are improving and will be further from the bottom of the table, than many other clubs when the league runs its course.

Kilmacthomas v Clashmore

Apart altogether from the league points at stake here, these teams will be using this game as a marker for

the championship. Each is a strong contender for the intermediate championship. Clashmore played very well against Sliabh gCua in their last game when beaten only by a point. A repeat of the form might do the trick for them, even though the game has a Kilmacthomas setting.

Affane v Ring

Both have just an outside chance of being involved at the finish so a victory will keep the hopes of the victory alive for awhile longer. Both are doing reasonably well in the league.

Butlerstown v. Dunhill

Of the two, Butlerstown appear to be the form side here and home ground advantage should help them to continue winning.

Division 3'

In this division De La Salle will be fancied to beat Modeligo at the city venue, Shamrocks should have a fruitful journey to Bonmahon, Brickeys will try to get the better of Kilrossanty in Bush Park and at home, Rathgormack's second string may prove too much of a problem for Newtown.

Western Board Leagues

The Divisional Board also have a list of football league matches scheduled for the weekend when they hope to complete Round 4.

Ballyduff with home ground advantage will be fancied to beat An Sean Phobal and the same will apply in the case of Kilgobinet who have the same advantage against Ballinameela.

Emmetts will play hosts to Stradbally's second string and may record another satisfactory result up in Colligan while Tallow should be good enough to account for Ballinacourty in their scheduled meeting in Tallow.

Division 2

In this group, Ardmore will be favourites to beat Affane, Clashmore will hope to beat Dungarvan, the Nire will hope to account for Geraldines and Fahá will be favourites in their tie with Brickeys at Bushy Park.

Div. 3

The matches scheduled to be replayed in this division will see Kilrossanty favourites to beat Eire Og at Leamybrien, Melleray Rovers attempting to beat Sliabh gCua in Touraneena and Stradbally having Ballysaggart as their guests and fancied to win.

Young Hurling Camogie Prospects



DUNGARVAN C.B.S. SECONDARY SCHOOL—Dungarvan C.B.S. won the Corn Na Phiarsigh recently when they beat Charleville from Cork in the final. This photo was taken in Dungarvan G.A.A. pitch at the final training session before the final and shows trainer, Mr. Pat Collins with some of his panel.

BALLINAMEELA N.S. — Anthony Condon, Whitechurch, 11 years old, Rang 5. — Anthony is a real live-wire at sessions and gets really involved. On last Tuesday's visit the school field sod resembled Semple Stadium and was neatly trimmed. Anthony is into horses and is tough and a great trier. His uncles, Johnny and Michael Buckley are good hurlers with Cappoquin and this lad is making great progress. He wanted to know would his favourite hurler Ken McGrath visit the school.

ST. MARY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL, DUNGARVAN — Lorna Ferncombe, 12 years old, Rang 6. — Lorna's home is at Congress Villas and she is a very active well-behaved girl. Comes from a well known Dungarvan sporting family. Her dad, Paddy and her grandfather, Peter (Snr.) and her uncles have been outstanding players with Old Boro teams down the years. On Wednesday our last visit coincided with the school's Sports For All Day. The organisation was first class and all the children had great fun. Well done to Sr. Mary Cullinan (Príomh Oide) and her staff for all their help and a most enjoyable day. Lorna showed great enthusiasm at the session and has the coordination to play any sport she chooses.

PRIMARY GAME

Sixteen young boys from schools as far apart as Tallow to Mount Sion, Ferrybank, Tramore, Clashmore etc. had their big day in Tralee last Sunday. Before the game they met most of the Waterford senior hurlers in the dressing room. Unfortunately the occasion seemed to get to many of them and they never hurled to their potential. A completely different team will now go on to Cork to play Tipperary on Sunday week. This is a good move by new Munster Chairman, Sean Kelly as it increases participation and gets more schools involved.

SECOND ALL-IRELAND MEDAL FOR JAMES O'DONNELL OF ARDMORE

James played in goal for Cork Vocational Schools who beat Galway last Sunday in Thurles and collected his second All-Ireland medal. He attends Scoil Eoghan, Youghal and learned the basics in Ardmore N.S. and his club. Well done, James.

NEXT WEEK'S COACHING DATES (HURLING)

Tuesday, June 2 — Ardmore N.S.
Wednesday, — Lismore C.B.S. N.S.
Thursday — Aghlish/Villierstown.
Friday — St. Joseph's, Dungarvan.

SPECIAL CONGRESS

The motion to remove Rule 21 from the official guide is the most serious proposal ever to come before a Congress and understandably there is nationwide interest in the outcome of the debate at the Special Congress due to be held on this Saturday at the Burlington Hotel.

The first of the two motions listed is from Central Council and it simply proposes that the long standing controversial rule be deleted.

The second motion is listed in the name of the Management Committee and here it is proposed that the Rule be suspended. On the face of things this second motion is no different from the first, as if the motion is suspended, there is no doubt, but that it will stay gone.

It is certain that the fears and the concern of the delegates in the Northern counties will have an influence on the outcome as it is expected that counties in the Republic will be swayed by the feelings of the Northern people.

To delete the rule would likely be seen as a gesture of goodwill from the G.A.A. and a decision in support of the Peace Process while defeat for the proposal would further damage relations between the different factions in the North.

ST. OLIVERS TAKE U-21 FOOTBALL 'B' FINAL

St. Olivers 1-5 An Gae tacht 0-7

The standard might not have been great, but as a contest, spectators could not have asked for better. At no stage was there more than two points between the sides and for a long while it looked like ending all square, but the Gaeltacht side found themselves unable to make full use of their chances and Olivers battled very gamely to hold out by a single point.

A Pat Donovan goal in the 23rd. minute enabled the Olivers to stay level at 1-1 to 0-4 at half time.

Playing against the strong breeze in the second half Olivers went into an early lead and remained in front narrowly all the way to the finish.

PRESENTATION

After the final, acting Board Chairman, Tom Cunningham in presenting the Shield to St. Olivers team captain, Caimin Radley, paid tribute to both sides for a great game and complimented them on the progress being made at underage level. Caimin suitably replied.

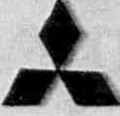
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Mernin, J. Tobin, K. McGrath, T. Power, M. Walsh, J. Stack, M. Murray, P. O'Donovan, T. Keane, C. Radley, A. Walsh, O. Walsh, J. Fletcher, T. McCarthy.

Gaeltacht — M. Grace, M. De Paor, T. O Caodhla, O. McGrath, S. Hayes, D. Brett (scored two good points) N. O Toibin, S. Drohan, C. Tobin, E. Breathnach, T. Maher, P. Tobin, R. Gough, C. Murray, T. Power, Sub. K. Murray for M. Grace (inj.)

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