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Glencairn And Parts Of Lismore Without Water

A large number of householders in Glencairn and Parks Road, Lismore, were without water on Sunday last. The problem arose as a result of a leaking valve at the reservoir which left water levels very low and pipes were consequently airlocked.

This problem is unique in the area but excellent work

carried out by the water caretaker Liam Buckley on Saturday restored supply to the area on Sunday morning.

Local Co. Cllr. Willie McDonnell received numerous phone calls from people complaining of the water shortage as many were unaware of whom to contact

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Pretty Wedding



Maggie Whelan, Riverview, Kilmacthomas and Johnno Power, Walshe's Place, Kilmacthomas, who were married recently in Our Lady of Mercy Church, Kilmacthomas. The reception was held in Clonea Strand Hotel.

(Photo by Kiely)



Niamh Murphy, daughter of Francis and Nuala Murphy, Glenmore, Dungarvan who was conferred with a B.A. Hons. Degree in Geography and Archaeology from U.C.C. recently.

Creamery Closure Is Biggest Disaster Town Ever Faced

BY AISLING CONROY

SAYS UNION OFFICER

NEGOTIATIONS AT CRITICAL STAGE BETWEEN UNIONS AND AWG

Unions representing workers at the former Waterford Foods plants in Dungarvan and Kilmeaden are continuing to resist plans by Avonmore Waterford Group to close down the milk processing plant in

Dungarvan. The closure is set for the end of this month with the loss of 135 full time jobs and 45 part time jobs.

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Ballyduff Salmon Festival

Mark Johnson, Rod Maker, Ballyduff, presenting his fishing rod to Pat O'Connor on behalf of John Savage, winner of 1st prize. Left to right: Tom Enright (Treasurer Ballyduff Community Council); Mark Johnson, Pat O'Connor and Ian Powell. →



▼ (Below left) — John Lawlor, winner of the daily prize (Sunday 16th August) presented by Paddy Jim Feeney (Vice-Chairman Ballyduff Community Council).

(Below centre) — Leslie Jackson from Cork, winner of the weekly salmon raffle, donated and presented by Ian Powell, The Blackwater Lodge. ▼

(Below right) — James Ahern, winner of 2nd prize, presented by John Conway, Ballyduff Salmon Festival Committee.

Photos by KATHRYN CASHMAN



KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

Question
I am in receipt of the One-Parent Family Payment (OFF) and I get a Rent Allowance from the Community Welfare Officer. I have been offered a place on a Community Employment scheme. How will this affect my entitlements?

Answer
Lone parents in receipt of the One Parent Family Payment can have gross earnings of £6,000 (£115.38 a week) and retain their full payment. So you would be paid the single rate for the C.E. Scheme - £89.75, and retain your full One-Parent Family Payment.

In relation to the retention of secondary benefits, these will only be retained provided the total household income does not exceed £250.

Separately, in relation to the Rent Allowance, the maximum amount of Rent or Mortgage Interest Supplement that may be retained is £250 maximum a month for people on Community Employment, Back to Work and Jobstart. So if for instance you are getting £300 a month towards your rent then it is likely to be reduced to £250. All participants must make a standard contribution of £8.10 towards their accommodation costs.

[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: Tuesday 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.; Thursday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Telephone 05844633].

Praise For Initiative To Collect Silage Wraps

A member of Waterford County Council has urged farmers throughout the county to join "Operation Silage Wrap", an initiative taken by the plastics industry and the National Co-op Farm Relief Services.

Cllr. Fiachra O Ceil-leachair feels that giant black plastic bags used to wrap silage are a major threat to the environment and that their management is an important issue.

"Each silage wrapper weighs one kilo and should not be allowed to drift around the landscape once the silage bale has been opened. The "Operation Silage Wrap" is now on target to collect 2,500 tones of silage wrappers by the end of this year. The service, where silage wraps are collected from farms by the Farm Relief Service is funded by a levy of ten pence on every silage bale. This is a low cost method of removing a mountain of waste plastic from farms everywhere. It is also an essential service for REPS farmers who are prohibited from either burying or burning waste wrapping. I would urge people to ensure they participate in this scheme and wish it every success.

Leader Crossword Solutions

QUICK SOLUTIONS
ACROSS: 1 Distracted; 9 Cheer; 10 Met; 11 Rot; 12 Acre; 13 Idol; 15 Sweet; 17 Seems; 21 Hail; 22 Mare; 25 Rat; 26 Ova; 27 Asset; 28 Negligence. DOWN: 2 Ideal; 3 Threaten; 4 Admire; 5 Tote; 6 Dared; 7 Scare; 8 Stole; 14 Delegate; 16 Written; 18 Share; 19 Hawaii; 20 Spit; 23 Music; 24 Gong.

SIMPLEX SOLUTIONS
ACROSS: 1 Comprehend; 9 Steam; 10 Hen; 11 Rat; 12 Hold; 13 Idol; 15 Otter; 17 Spine; 21 Inns; 22 Pest; 25 Let; 26 Out; 27 Extra; 28 Compensate. DOWN: 2 Ocean; 3 Pamphlet; 4 Exhale; 5 Eons; 6 Dared; 7 Ashen; 8 Stall; 14 Spotless; 16 Fanatic; 18 Pills; 19 Centre; 20 Great; 23 Petal; 24 Form.

MONEY MATTERS

WHAT TO DO IF YOU FIND YOURSELF IN DEBT

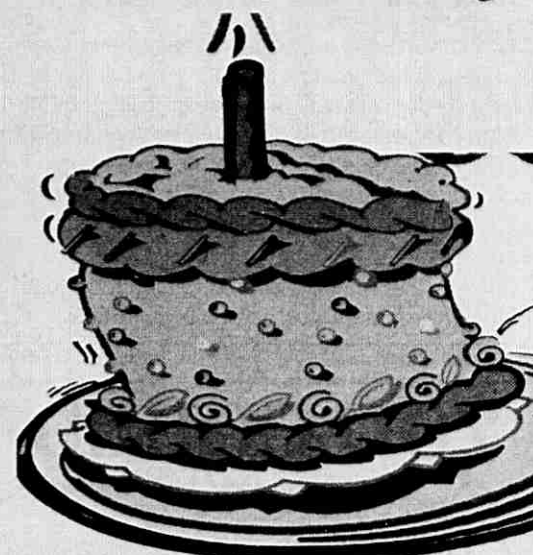
- ★ DO NOT ignore the problem. It will not go away. Take action now. Seek advice if necessary.
- ★ WORK out a budget. Calculate your total income and expenditure on a weekly and monthly basis. Are you getting everything that you are entitled to? Check social welfare payments etc. and seek advice on entitlements. Be careful not to exclude any debts, arrears or credit payment. Do not forget about occasional items such as, school expenses, Christmas, etc.
- ★ BE REALISTIC about your basic needs for fuel, food, clothing etc. and examine your expenses to see where any economies can be made.
- ★ LIST everything you owe including arrears and work out how much you can afford to pay your creditors.
- ★ INFORM your creditors now that you are in difficulty. Show them your budget. Reputable lenders will have a reasonable view if they know the circumstances.
- ★ IF you have come to an agreement with creditors MAINTAIN IT without fail. If a creditor does not accept a reasonable offer of repayment, SEEK ADVICE.
- ★ DO NOT ignore letters, reminders or default notices.
- ★ ALWAYS ATTEND court hearings and bring a copy of your budget.

Remember, the Money Advice & Budgeting Service will be happy to help you with your financial problems.

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.

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Local Authority and Health Board Dispute Is Deferred Pending Ballot

A planned nationwide strike of 30,000 Local Authority and Health Board general workers due to commence on Monday, 7th September last, has been deferred pending a ballot on new proposals which have

emerged from protracted negotiations at the Labour Relations Commission in Dublin last week.

The dispute concerns maintenance of this group of workers agreed parity with the craft group arising from the Analogue Agreement which was concluded last July. The proposals include some productivity measures in exchange for the new agreement.

ATGWU Regional Industrial Organiser, Tony Mansfield, said that the ballot would take place between September 11th and 28th.

He stated that it was regrettable that it had to take the threat of industrial action and such protracted negotiations to get workers what they were entitled to under the 1993 Agreement.

The ATGWU represents the workers in Waterford County Council, Dungarvan UDC and the workers in the South Eastern Health Board and Tony Mansfield said that they had fought hard for this result which was in line with their members claims and he advised that the group of unions were recommending acceptance of the new proposals.



Stella Jensen with her pedigree Old English Sheepdog "Sheba," who won first prize for Best Groomed and Cared for Dog at the Dungarvan Show recently.

UDC Investigate Sewer Leak Into Harbour

Dungarvan UDC are currently investigating a major sewer leak into Dungarvan quay at Carberry's Lane (i.e. the laneway between the Anchor Bar and Ryan's Super Valu).

Local Urban Councillor Austin Flynn has called on officials to take immediate steps to stop the leak, claiming that raw sewerage has been leaking into the inner harbour at an alarming rate over the past week. Engineers from the Council have already inspected the area.



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Kids Stuff IF YOU'RE LUCKY YOU MIGHT SEE AN OTTER IN YOUR LOCAL RIVER

UP to the 1940s otters could be found in rivers throughout the country. Since the end of the last war the otter population has been falling rapidly. Man has been the otter's main enemy. Anglers hunted it because it lived by killing fish – and pollution drove the otter away from all but the cleanest rivers in the remotest parts of Scotland.

But now that man is learning to take more care of the environment, the otter is beginning to

make a comeback.

Otters are now protected by law and attempts are being made to conserve the remaining population and encourage them to breed.

The creature is a member of the weasel family which also includes stoats, pine martens, mink and polecats.

Their streamlined body is perfect for swimming and their webbed feet act as powerful

paddles in the water. They are able to see as well under water as on the surface and their stiff whiskers help them feel their way in muddy waters or in the dark.

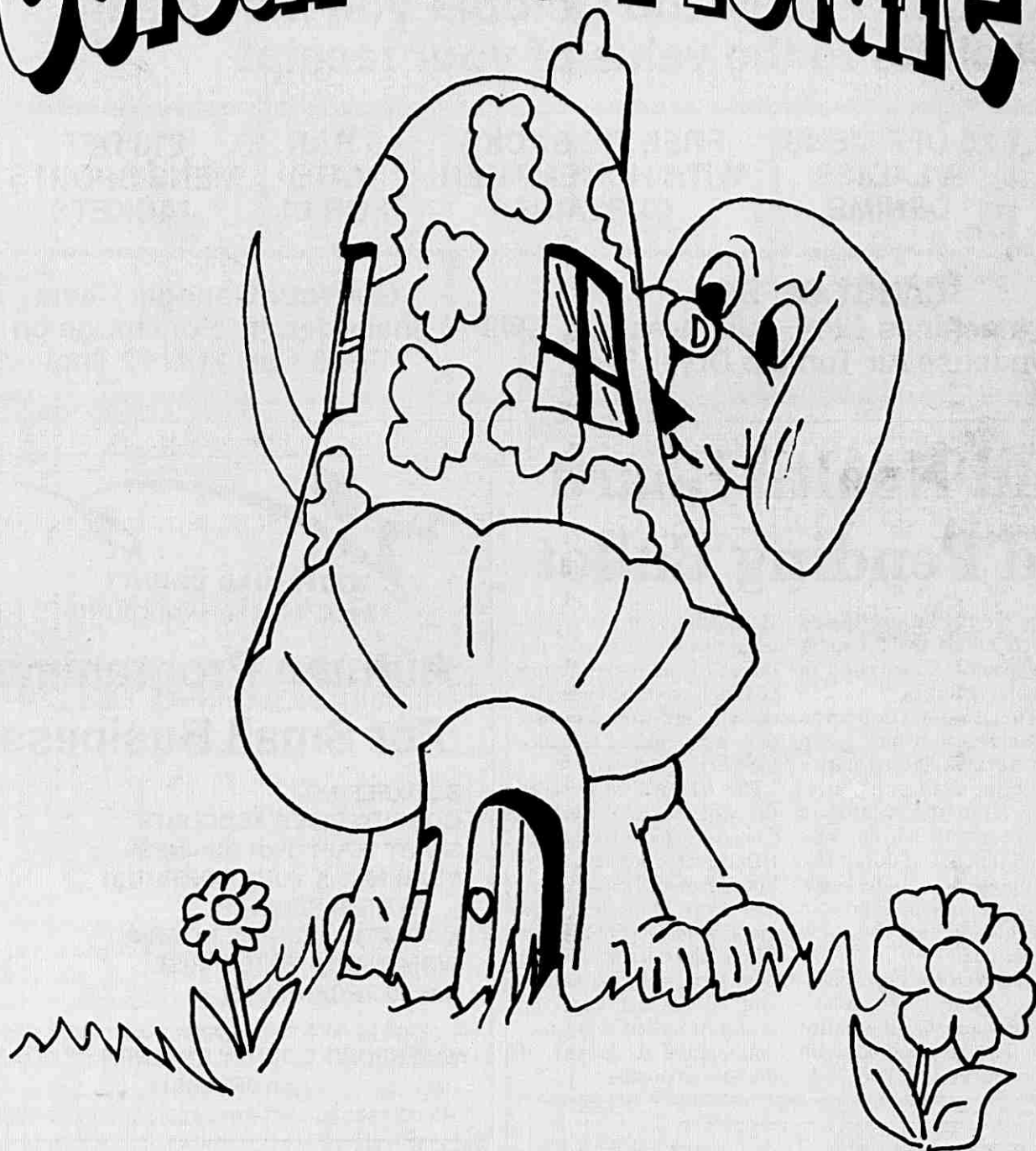
When diving they are able to slow down their oxygen consumption by reducing their heartbeats.

The male otter is called a dog and the female is called a bitch. Otters are playful creatures. They chase each other and pretend to fight especially during courtship.



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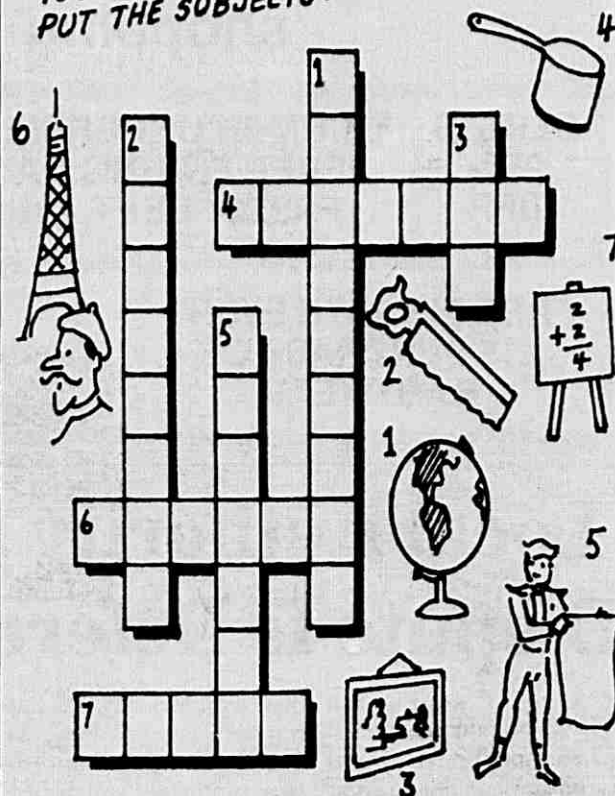
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Entries to reach the "Leader Office" on or before September 14, not later than 12 noon.

Congratulations to: Thomas Houlihan, Ballymacmague, Dungarvan, winner of last week's Colouring Competition.

CLASSROOM CROSSWORD

THE PICTURES SUGGEST SUBJECTS YOU MIGHT BE TAUGHT AT SCHOOL. PUT THE SUBJECTS INTO THE CROSSWORD.



Quick Quiz

- On what kind of tree does *Malus pumila* grow? (a) Apple (b) Pear (c) Cherry
- What colour are the flowers of the shamrock? (a) Blue (b) Pink (c) Yellow
- The leaf of which tree is the national emblem of Canada? (a) Oak (b) Ash (c) Maple
- The wood from which tree is used in the making of cricket bats? (a) Willow (b) Elm (c) Beech
- What is the correct name for the Snapdragon? (a) Antirrhinum (b) Helianthus (c) Linaria
- What is the more common name for Ling? (a) Lavender (b) Heather (c) Broom
- What colour are the flowers of the Laburnum tree? (a) Yellow (b) White (c) Red
- Which wild flower has the Latin name *Digitalis Purpurea*? (a) Cowslip (b) Foxglove (c) Buttercup
- What name is given to the fruit of the blackthorn? (a) Hip (b) Haw (c) Sloe
- From which tree do conkers come from? (a) Sweet Chestnut (b) Filbert (c) Horse Chestnut

Answers

1 (a) Apple; 2 (b) Pear; 3 (c) Linaria; 4 (a) Willow; 5 (a) Antirrhinum; 6 (b) Heather; 7 (a) Yellow; 8 (b) Foxglove; 9 (c) Sloe; 10 (c) Horse Chestnut.

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HAPPY COUPLE

Niamh Morrissey, daughter of Michael and Maevie Morrissey, 59 Springfield, Dungarvan and Kieran Fitzgerald, son of Paddy and Mary Fitzgerald, 7 Emmet Street, Dungarvan, who were married in St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan. Fr. O'Mahoney officiated. The reception was held in the Park Hotel —(Phone: Sean Byrne).

Welcome For Revised Boreenatra Development

As reported in a previous edition of the 'Leader', a planning application for a 2 storey/dormer development on the site of Fennell's garage at Boreenatra drew a number of objections from nearby residents. Concern was expressed that the proposed dormer type building would be out of character with the surrounding residential environment of Strand Street and Boreenatra.

As a result of these objections and representations made by local Urban Councillors, it has now transpired that a revised application is being lodged with the local authority for the demolition of the existing buildings and the con-

storey structure incorporating commercial units on the ground floor. The UDC is to press ahead with its plans to develop a car park on part of the Fennell's Garage site.

Welcoming what he described as the "scaling down" of the development, Cllr. Fiachra O Ceilleachair said the revised development is more favourable to the residents of the area and seen by some as an improvement on the derelict existing buildings.

He stressed however that one or two considerations will have to be looked at such as the entrance/exit to the proposed building due to the narrow width of Buttery Lane and general car parking in the area.

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REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



In our "Remembering Other Days" series this week we feature the Dungarvan teams of 1964 who won three Western titles - under 16 hurling, under 16 football and minor hurling (three games against Abbeyside) and u-16 hurling county champions at a medal presentation ceremony at the Courthouse, Dungarvan that year. Photo shows (back row, l. to r.) Michael Norris, Sean McGrath, Eamonn Keyes, Damon Flynn, Timmy Healy, Peter Hayes, Michael Donnelly, Noel Dwyer, Thomas Dwyer, Sean Franklin, Nicky Bell; middle row: Kevin Fleming, ———. Bridin Ni Criostoir, Mary Harney, Francis Woods, Tommy Egan, Tommy Wall, Mickie Fraher, John Reilly, Sean Daly, Jackie French (who is a Cork minor selector this year and have reached the all-Ireland), Pat Walsh, Christie Phelan, Sean Flynn, Sean Murphy, Anthony Carlton, Michael Rossiter; front: Alice Cullinan, Bridie Cunningham, Jim Walsh, Tom Toibin, Tom Cunningham, Bro. Looney, Mossie McGrath and Liam Power.

Ireland's Forgotten Rebellion In Cappoquin

A series of lectures will be given in three locations connected with the failed rising of 1849 by Anthony Breen, the author of a new book entitled *The Cappoquin Rebellion 1849* which is published this September. Until this time the 1849 movement has been neglected by most historians, but original new research by the author can demonstrate that the attack on the police barracks at

Cappoquin was part of a wider conspiracy involving attacks on other military and police barracks in Waterford and Tipperary. Though the attempt has been dismissed as 'abortive and amateurish' the book and lectures will highlight its significance in the development of the Fenian Brotherhood and later nationalists movements.

The lectures will be held at: Tuesday 15th September

at 7.30 p.m. — Waterford Municipal Library Lady Lane, Waterford. Contact Dermot Power 051 873501.

Wednesday 16th September at 8.00 p.m. — The Day Care Centre Shanbally, Cappoquin. Contact Orla Hayes 058 53333.

Thursday 17th September at 8.15 p.m. — Herne's Hotel Parnell Street, Clonmel. Contact Richard Howley 052 21630.

Mr. Breen normally writes reports on Land History for the Local Archaeology Unit in Suffolk and spent a great deal of time in the County Record Offices of East Anglia. During his research he came across a letter that described the attack and which is published for the first time in the book.

He has previously transcribed a document on the 1798 rebellion which is published this autumn in Carlow, again a document found in East Anglia.

"Unlike 1798 or 1848, the incident is not engraved on the national consciousness no monuments and the graves of those killed are sadly neglected", stated the author.

"The attack has been dismissed as a purely local incident, I had to address the problem of why Cappoquin and not Dungarvan, Clonmel, Cashel or Carrick-on-Suir, as attacks were planned on each of these places."

The Cappoquin Rebellion is published this September to coincide with Mr. Breen's visit, priced £6.20, it consists of 96 pages with illustrations and will be available at each of the lectures.



NEW ULSTER BANK SERVICETILL — Ulster Bank recently opened a new servicetill at their branch at 37 Grattan Square, Dungarvan. A cheque was presented to the charity "The Guide Dogs for the Blind" by Ulster Bank to mark the occasion. Picture shows Mr. Pat Burke and his guide dog Brandy, who accepted the cheque on behalf of The Guide Dogs for the Blind, and Mr. Peter Finnegan, Manager Ulster Bank, Dungarvan.

Ardmore Art Weekend

Ardmore Enterprise Co-op in association with the County Waterford Arts Office are holding a weekend of painting in the ICA Hall, Ardmore commencing at 7 p.m. on Friday, 18th September until 5 p.m. on Sunday, 20th September.

The facilitators are Anne Carleton, Cork who teaches privately and at 'An Grianan' and Eddie O'Connor originally from Lismore who has spent the last 25 years teaching in Canada. The tutors will cater for beginners and more experienced artists alike with a fact and fun filled painting weekend.

The fee for the weekend is £15 per person (including light refreshments), places are limited and completed applications will be accepted on a first come first served basis.

For an application form please contact Caroline O'Sullivan at Ardmore Tourist Office on 024/94444. This project is funded by Waterford County Council's Arts Grants Scheme.

An overview of the weekend includes practical sessions using oils, discussion on choosing subjects and themes for paintings, use and mixing of colours, etc., as well as a social night out in Paddy Mac's Lounge and Keever's Bar.

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DARRERS DUNGARVAN

Marian Finucane Announces This Year's Date For Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning

Thursday, September 17 is the date set for Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning — the biggest nationwide fundraising event run by the Irish Hospice Foundation each year.

Now into its sixth year and supported by Bewley's, Hibernian Swift Points Credit Card and 2FM, this hugely popular 'coffee drinking

day' has become an eagerly awaited date for thousands of people all over the country when they can get together for a cup of coffee to help raise money for their local Hospice group.

To celebrate the event's sixth birthday, Bewley's are giving away free coffee to all their coffee morning hosts as well as donating

proceeds from coffee sales in their cafes during the day. Hibernian Swift Points Credit Card are offering all hosts and participants the chance to win one of six sunshine holidays worth £1,500 each.

As Marian Finucane explains:

"The idea behind Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning is really simple. The Hospice asks individual hosts and companies to invite friends and colleagues to meet for coffee. For each cup of coffee served, they ask for at least £1. Last year, over £750,000 was raised this way and this year we hope to raise even more.

The Hospice now needs as many people as possible to join as Coffee Morning hosts. Gatherings of any size are more than welcome — from 2 to 2,000."

To register as a host for Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning, contact your local hospice group or call 1-850-432-432.

Coffee mornings can be arranged anywhere — at



Marian Finucane

home, at work, in clubs, schools, universities — the possibilities are endless. All over Ireland, hospices and home care nurses, part funded by local hospice groups, deliver hospice care to the community. Your local hospice group needs your support in order to continue this vital service. Please pledge your support for your local hospice group by registering now as a host for Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning.

SPEED LIMIT SOUGHT FOR GRANGE

Waterford County Councillor Fiachra Ó Ceilleachair is asking the local authority for areas to be speed-limited when the review of such designations takes place shortly. He says there is a reasonable case to be made for the vicinity of Grange church to have a speed limit.

"The stretch of main road from past Flemings Cross up to the bend near the creamery has important community focal points. It features access to a creamery, a school and a hall in addition to the church at the crossroads. The safety levels of local residents would be improved by this development. I remain hopeful that the relevant authorities will see the point," he said.

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★ **SCORPIO** **OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22**

Old ways may be best but leave room for new fangled fashion. Find a balance between the conservative and the unusual and you have a winning combination. This week, first impressions are important. In love, nothing in your wildest dreams could have prepared you for what is about to happen next. Hang on to your hat as surprise follows pleasant surprise. **Telephone 1550-151-308 for a full astrological assessment**

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★ **ARIES** **MARCH 21 to APRIL 20**

No matter how tempted, be sure to keep things under your hat. Spilling the beans too soon could prove to have disastrous consequences. Be thankful for small mercies and minor miracles and remind others to do the same. This is a week when the facts speak for themselves. Situations become clearer as communications become more open. **Telephone 1550-151-301 for more on love and luck, work and money.**

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★ **SAGITTARIUS** **NOV. 23 to DEC. 21**

Recognise that love is about involvement. Being detached may make you feel more in control but at the end of the day will lead to disappointment. Be strong enough to share. In work or business, someone is driving you mad. Before you give up and finally go around the twist, try to sort things out. A trip may be delayed. Be flexible when making arrangements. **Telephone 1550-151-309 for more astrological news and views.**

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★ **TAURUS** **APRIL 21 to MAY 21**

Avoid thinking of yourself as being too old or too young for any course of action. Deadlines are a pressure but as ever, when you set yourself to it, no task is impossible. This week, expect a D-day. Be prepared to throw your hat into the ring. You are a recognised contender, a sought after ally and a respected opponent. At last you are catching up on chores. **Telephone 1550-151-302 for a detailed astrological analysis**

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★ **CAPRICORN** **DEC 22 to JAN 20**

Being honest makes all the difference. Impress on others, the necessity for truth and clarity. This week, you get the opportunity to wave the white flag and to play peace maker between two warring factions. Someone in another country is thinking about you and dying for an update. Why not get in touch? Developments in other quarters will affect current decisions. **Telephone 1550-151-310 for more on love and luck.**

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★ **GEMINI** **MAY 22 to JUNE 21**

You are seeking guarantees in a situation where there are none available. Remember, nothing ventured, nothing gained. This week, take a risk. At least then, you will know you tried. Give it your best shot. Someone does something really sweet for you and makes you smile. It is good to have a friend. In work or business, you feel that you have taken one step forward and two steps back. **Telephone 1550-151-303 for details**

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★ **AQUARIUS** **JAN 21 to FEB 19**

No matter how tough the going, don't pull out of the race. Regardless of misgivings, you remain a strong contender. Split second timing is your key to success. This week, someone else may make the suggestions, but it is up to you to make the choices. Don't allow yourself to be overly influenced by your nearest and dearest. It is time to be assertive and decisive. **Telephone 1550-151-311 for an in depth celestial assessment**

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★ **CANCER** **JUNE 22 to JULY 23**

Congratulate someone on a fine performance. Recognise and acknowledge the efforts that others make. Family relations improve as a point of disagreement is finally put to rest. Enjoy a new sense of peace and well-being as old anxieties fade into the background. Money matters are bound to improve during this prosperous period. It is time to take a break or to plan a holiday. **Telephone 1550-151-304 for an in depth update**

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★ **PISCES** **FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20**

Someone has you scared stiff. Speak up and demand to know where you stand. You have no time for hanging around. This is a constructive week when you can find clarity if you seek it. The facts speak for themselves so be sure to listen out for them. Someone is prepared to provide you with inside information. It is important to stay out of situations that do not concern you. **Telephone 1550-151-312 for a detailed analysis**

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★ **LEO** **JULY 24 to AUGUST 23**

Another routine week? Not on your life. Enjoy a sense of electric excitement brought about by a new opportunity. Life is what you make it and you are certainly making good. You and someone never argue about the important things and you always make up. You may be chalk and cheese but at the end of the day, you make a winning combination. Finances improve. **Telephone 1550-151-305 for a full astrological assessment**

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★ **VIRGO** **AUGUST 24 to SEPT. 23**

This is a week to take a gamble, especially in a situation where you have little to lose. Be prepared to expand your repertoire and to explore new territories. In love, insist on a happy ending. In work, recognise that you are an undisputed champion. Have faith in your abilities. You are on the brink of an unanticipated but much deserved success. A letter from a friend brings good news. **Telephone 1550-151-306 for more astrological news**

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★ **LIBRA** **SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23**

If someone sees fit to make a song and dance, be prepared to bring the curtain down. In work or business, you are giving a fine performance. In love, get ready for a well deserved encore. Being different suits you. Stand out from the crowd and you are bound to be noticed. This is a week for making impact and turning heads. An unforeseen opportunity comes to light. **Telephone 1550-151-307 for a detailed update.**

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Now To Nurture A Perfect Lawn

A GOOD lawn takes years of care and nurturing to achieve. With plenty of time and the right sort of attention, almost any garden can have a lawn fit to bowl on. But it is far more than simply a case of weed, feed and mow. Here are a few tips on how to cope with everyday lawn problems.

DROUGHT
Symptoms - Yellowish brown patches develop through the lawn and in extreme cases the whole area may become discoloured. The damage usually occurs in late spring or summer. The problem is caused by dry weather and inadequate watering. Free-draining sandy soils are most at risk.
Control - Water regularly in the early evening providing enough water for deep penetration. To improve drought resistance feed regularly and leave cut grass on the lawn if drought conditions are forecast. Allow the grass to grow fairly long and avoid mowing too closely.

CATS AND DOGS
Symptoms - Lawns and other grassed areas are dug up, fouled or scorched with urine.
Control - Areas visited consistently by cats should be regularly watered and netting can also be used to protect plants and lawns. Repellent substances based on pepper-



BOWLING GREEN: A good lawn takes care and attention

dust, naphthalene or aluminium ammonium sulphate are available but these often fail to give more than temporary protection.

DOLLAR SPOT
Symptoms - Small straw-coloured patches appear in the autumn. At first they are small but the patches join together to form larger patches. They darken with age. The disease appears mainly in mild damp weather and is caused by the fungus sclerotinia homeocarpa.

Control - Improve soil aeration and remove thatch. Treat the area with a suitable fungicide such as benomyl, carbendazim or thiophanate-methyl.

LEATHER JACKETS
Symptoms - Brown patches appear in the lawn in mid-summer and maggots are sometimes visible. The problem is caused by the larvae of the crane-fly which feed on the grass roots. They are greyish-brown maggots up to 1.5 inches long.

Control - Soak affected areas of the lawn with water and cover with sacking or black plastic sheeting for a day to bring the leatherjackets to the surface. They can then be removed and killed. Use carbaryl against newly hatched larvae in mid-autumn. Problems are worse following a wet autumn.

ALGAE AND GELATINOUS LICHENS
Symptoms - Slippery areas of green or greenish-black form on the surface of the lawn. The problem is caused by gelatinous lichens and algae which are particularly common on poorly drained soils.

Control - Try to improve the drainage and also aerate the lawn. Prune back any trees or shrubs which overhang the area creating shaded damp sections. Apply any standard lawn care products that contain dichlorophen.

RED THREAD
Symptoms - Tiny pale pink and red threads of fungus develop on small patches of grass. These later become bleached. The problem is caused by the fungus Corticium fuciforme which is common after heavy rain. It is also troublesome when the soil is nitrogen deficient or poorly aerated.

Control - Improve turf maintenance by aerating, scarifying and feeding as necessary. Fungicides should not be necessary on a well-kept lawn but where the problem is severe use benomyl, thiophanate-methyl or carbendazim.

ÉIGSE SLIABH gCUA

On a still Friday evening as the sun set behind Dyrick and Broe in the Knockmeal-downs, Donal Connolly opened Éigse Sliabh gCua in Touraneena. In speaking of the Gaelic heritage of Sliabh gCua, he remembered with affection the great dancing teacher, Marguerita Millea-Hallahan and reminisced about the brothers of the singer and musician, Labhrás Ó Cadhla who used to come rambling to his parents house. He praised community initiative highly and remarked how important it had been in achieving a clean county in Waterford and securing the prize of an advance factory. He strongly emphasised that the role of local government was to serve the needs of the people but to do so the people needed to tell the officials what they wanted. In this regard he drew audiences attention to the new county development plan and in particular the proposals for the village of Touraneena. In keeping with the bilingual theme of the Éigse, Mr. Connolly drifted easily from Irish to English and all in Halla an Pobal were well stimulated for the main speaker, Nioclás Mac Craith.

Bhí leacht Nioclás cosúil le na timirí insan seanaois. Chroch sé a learscáil idir dhá piosáí adhmaid a cuireadh in aghaidh an falla agus bhí an clár dubh thuas ar mbord. Ní dhearna sé dearmad ar na fir nó na mná mór le rá in oidhreacht ghaelach Sliabh gCua. Shíleamar go raibh saghas drama ar suil mar nuair a luainn sé Dónal Ó Fearachair, Pádraigh Ó Cadhla, Pádraig Ó Milleadha, Labhrás Ó Cadhla, Pilib Ó Foghlú, Tomás Breathnach agus Pádraig Ó Fianúsa agus a gcuid shaothair chuir sé a gcuid pictiúirí an barr an learscáil. Mhol sé go haird iad agus thaispeáin sé conas a raibh tionchar Donncha Rua Mac Conmara mar oide ar gach gné de forbairt an gaolainn i Sliabh gCua agus insna nDéise.

Mhinigh sé dúinn conas mar a tharla na sloinnte gaelacha agus fear maith. Ní raibh aon leisce air chun a adhmaid go raibh mac raith níos cearta na mac craith ach thaitnigh lucht an Bhéarla an leagán Mac Craith agus o shin go McGrath.

Nioclás also highly praised community initiative agus bá é a thuarim nach raibh fáth ar bith gan meánscoil gaelach a bheith i Thuar na Fhíona. Luigh sé mar shampla scéal na Rinne ina bhfuil oideachais aitiúil ar fáil ó an cliabhán go dtí an ardeistimearach agus mar sin ní aon easpa le garsúr nó cailíní de foireann peil agus iomaíneacht.

Nioclás' lecture was very interactive and by the end of the night, the audience had

become familiar again le slocht as Eachtra Ghiolla an Amaráin and with Donnacha Rua's best known poem today Bán Chnoic Éireann Ó. Needless to say, when the lecture was over, Nioclás spent quite a while dealing with all the questions raised by his most stimulating and provocative talk. The evening closed with a beautiful tea provided by the Touraneena Womens Club.

Saturday proved to be a fine, delicate example of those rare mornings which sometimes appear in early autumn. You could see for miles and all Sliabh gCua was bathed in sunshine even as far as the Galtees in the distant west. Dr. Pádraig Ó Macháin, of the Dublin Institute of Advanced Studies spoke on the manuscripts of Sliabh gCua. He had many pleasant surprises for his audience first when he handed them a copy of a manuscript by Donncha Rua, one of the 5,000 of the Irish manuscripts which still survive. However it got better as he announced he had just found abroad a copy of Eachtra Giolla an Amaráin made by Thomas Harney of Stradbally which contains Donncha's final reworking of the poem. On the Eachtra itself, Pádraig pointed out that although it is written in comic vein, it should probably be appreciated as a most clever and surreptitious Aishling. In other words a seditious and revolutionary poem in support of the exiled Stuarts.

Pádraig contrasted the good conditions and patronage enjoyed by the medieval writers of the Gaelic manuscripts to the bad light and poor conditions suffered by the later writers. He also showed how the relationship between printed material and the manuscript form was complimentary. He highlighted the life and output of Seán Ó Muiríosa from Monatouk and his connection with the great Seán Ó Dálaigh. Seán Ó Muiríosa's great grand-daughter, Katie O'Brien of Boherboyrea, Melleray preserved the manuscripts and carried on the family scribal tradition to the extent that Pádraig argues she has to be seen as the last of the long line of this tradition. Similarly he sees Máire Ó Caoimh (Máire Bean Uí Bhré) of Glenafalla as one of the last in the line of Sliabh gCua poets.

In the afternoon the Éigse left on its eagerly awaited turas stairiúil agus litriochta and Thomas Hallahan's bus saw everyone safely and comfortably over some of the most winding and demanding roads. Thanks to the kindness of Mr. Patrick Hickey, the Éigse was fully able to appreciate the great bulk of Sleady Castle and to admire the wonderful tech-

nical skills of its ancient builders. It was ironic as everyone was being shown around that a troupe of King Charles spaniels arrived on the scene to vet the visitors as this breed was developed around the same time that the castle was built i.e. 1630. The bus gave a bird's eye view of Carraig na Codlata or Sleepy Rock as the tour headed for Knockboy and Réidh na dTiompáin. Pascal de Paor sang Ó Milleadha's Pumpa Bharra Cnoc Buí at the actual pump which, unfortunately, no longer provides water. The guides pointed out the birthplaces in Réidh na dTiompáin of Pádraig Ó Fianúsa and of Pádraig Ó Milleadha, Tomás Breathnach and Dan Fraher in Gleann Sceithin. The bus descended slowly to Kilkeany and down Bun A' Bhóthar to the Nire Road. At Knockalisheen Bridge, Séamus Ó Cofaigh told of the tragic aftermath of the fair of Clonmel in 1931 when a horse and cart and three men were capsized by a rut cut by a flood on the surface of the bridge. Two of the three reached dry land but a poor man called Coffey and the horse were drowned. The Éigse visited the beautiful Nire Chapel and were entertained by Daniel Thompson singing "The Rose of Tralee" as the bus returned to Ballymacarby and back to Touraneena in time for the tea.

The special concert produced and directed by Maurice Hallahan, with the assistance of Michael Kirwan, proved a wonderful success. The format borrowed heavily from the old tradition of cuairtaíocht and the rambling house. The floor was circled by tables and chairs with a fine 'orchestra' of Sliabh gCua musicians arrayed against the wall. Once more the Womens Club served a fine tea and everyone had plenty of chat before the music began. Emma Murphy, one of the youngest in the hall, gave a fine rendition of Sliabh Geal gCua. Matthew Fahey of Kilnafrehan played a sweet, gentle solo on the flute.

There was more marvellous singing from Breda Kirwan, Tomás Ó Cofaigh and Aine Ní Fhiannúsa. Séamus Ó Cofaigh sang Sliabh na mBan, Micheál Óg Ó Longain's well known lament for the United Irishmen who were betrayed and defeated by the redcoats near nine mile house in 1798. Bhí sé ag eirí níos treise le gach vearsa. Séamus also sang Na Tincéirí for which he is rightly renowned. Daniel Thompson beautifully embellished Ireland, Mother Ireland and Bernadette Gleeson brought new freshness to Droimeann Donn Dilis. All the songs were interspersed

by the fine playing of the orchestra and the dancing was of the high standard and lightness of foot that one associates with the teaching of Maurice Hallahan. Tomás Ó hÍcí sang Comeragh's Rugged Hills and of course the Schoolroom of Kilbrien. Although the concert ran for an hour and a half, it seemed that a bare 30 minutes had elapsed.

Sunday was a bit cloudy but there was a good attendance in St. Mary's Church for 11 a.m. Mass. An tAthair Conn Ó Ceilleachair celebrated the rite in Irish and English and a special tribute was paid to Pádraig Ó Fianúsa 1914 - 1990 writer, teacher and poet. The Touraneena Choir had a full repertoire of Irish hymns and Pascal de Paor and Aine Ní Fhiannúsa read both epistles as gaeilge. In his sermon Fr. Ó Ceilleachair praised the life and work of Pádraig and recalled the enthusiasm he first encountered when as a youngster he cycled to Ring from Abbeyside. Aoife McCabe read the Prayers of the Faithful which were specially composed for the occasion and Marie Power narrated the bringing up of the offertory gifts. Chán Seán Mac Craith as Rinn an Ár n-Athair le Seán de hÓra agus bhí sé ar fheabhas agus tar éis an communion dúirt Aine Ní Fhiannúsa an paidir deas Naomh Pádraig a cuireadh a h-athar Phádraig tús le gach lá leis.

When Mass ended a good crowd made its way to the grave of Pádraig Ó Fianúsa just behind the sacristy. His daughter Aine said a decade of An Coroin Mhuire agus thug Nioclás Mac Craith óraid caoin, cnéasta, ciallmhar, áileach, oillte. Mhol sé duthracht Phádraig agus conas mar a lean sé oilseach go deo don a creideamh agus a smaointe féin. Luigh sé gach áit inar mhuin Phádraig o Tulach an Iarainn go Coill Mhic Thomáisín. Bhain an slua ard thaitneamh as iarracht iontasach Nioclás agus chun an caipín a chuir leis chan Seán Mac Craith Roisín Dubh.

Seán Whelan then thanked all who had contributed and taken part in Éigse Sliabh gCua and expressed a wish that next year would be even better. There was time for a quick cup of tea and then up to Kirwan Park to see Shamrocks play Sliabh gCua. The pairing was most fitting as Pádraig Ó Fianúsa had taught Irish classes in Cnoc an Óir. It was an interesting match of football and Shamrocks won handily. The spirit of the Éigse lingered on in Touraneena on Sunday night but a great weekend eventually came to an end. Le cúnadh Dé beidh an Éigse níos fearr an bliain seo chugainn.

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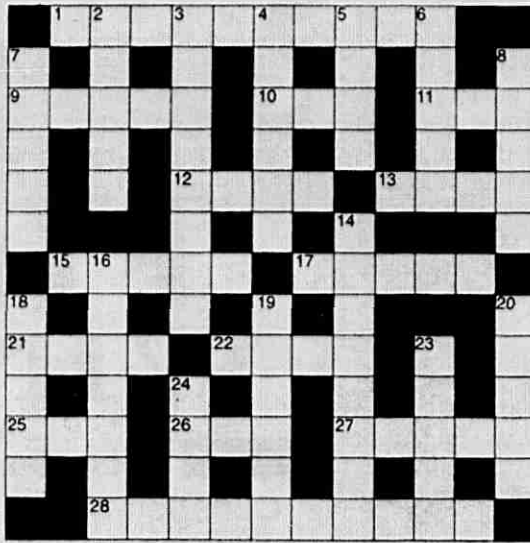
Simplex Clues

ACROSS

1. Grasp mentally (10).
9. Mates might provide water in vapour (5).
10. Egg-layer (3).
11. Coward who betrays associates (3).
12. Space below the decks (4).
13. Image of a god (4).
15. On numerous occasions (5).
17. Part of a bound book (5).
21. Taverns or hosteleries (4).
22. Step over a nuisance (4).
25. Allow to rent (3).
26. Not at home (3).
27. One of a film crowd (5).
28. Make suitable amends for (10).

DOWN

2. Large body of water



- (5).
3. Advertising leaflet (8).
4. Breathe out (6).
5. Nose could be ages (4).
6. Had the neck to (5).
7. Shane might be pale (5).
8. Come to a stop (5).
14. Completely free
- from dirt (8).
16. One with intemperate zeal (7).
18. Medicinal pellets (5).
19. Focal point (6).
20. Of very considerable degree (5).
23. Lesser or minor (5).
24. Shape a document (4).

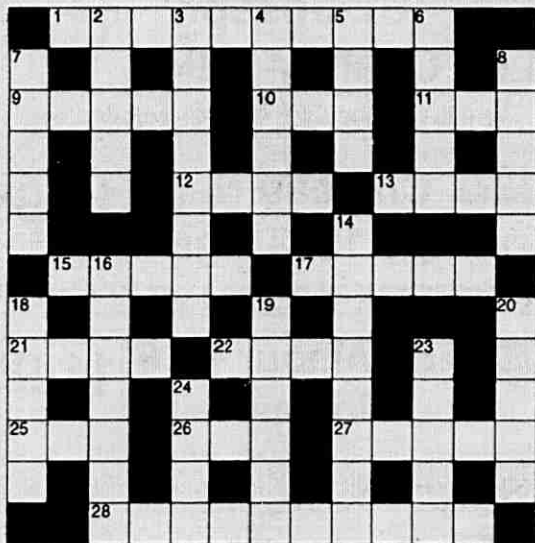
Quick Clues

ACROSS

1. Sidetracked (10).
9. Applaud (5).
10. Bumped into (3).

11. Decay (3).
12. Land measure (4).
13. Deity (4).
15. Dessert (5).

17. Appears (5).
21. Greet (4).
22. Female horse (4).
25. Rodent (3).
26. Eggs (3).
27. Valuable (5).
28. Carelessness (10).



DOWN

2. Perfect (5).
3. Intimidate (8).
4. Respect (6).
5. Carry (4).
6. Goaded (5).
7. Frighten (5).
8. Robbed (5).
14. Envoy (8).
16. Inscribed (7).
18. Apportion (5).
19. American state (6).
20. Venom (5).
23. Harmony (5).
24. Medal (4).

NOTE - Simplex and Quick Crossword answers are different.

Age Of Beauty

OILY SKIN

Oily skin can often begin at puberty and is caused by a number of different factors. Over secretion of oil from the sebaceous glands, incorrect cleansing, skin hygiene and incorrect diet may all cause oily skin. However too much oil and grease in the diet does not always worsen or cause oily skin. It can also be linked with medical problems; in such cases a visit to the doctor is essential.

Oily skin has open pores, is discoloured and sallow. Its surface often resembles the skin of an orange and will feel thicker than dry or normal skins. It has a shiny surface with tendency to blackheads and it is coarse to look at and to feel. Oily skin is more prone to pimples and blemishes but tends to be less prone to wrinkles and fine lines than dry skin. However when lines and wrinkles do occur, they are deeper and more pronounced.

Pimples are ducts in the skin which become infected when they are clogged up with dead cells, dirt and oil. Blackheads and clogged follicles and when they are not cleansed properly they can often lead to pimples which gives the skin a sallow appearance. It is possible for a person with oily skin to wash the face too often. It is often believed that oily skin is dirty and that washing frequently will remove the grease. Yet too much washing can actually aggravate an oily skin. Excessive washing will only remove the oil and not the dirt, dead cells and bacteria underneath the skin.

1. Follow a balanced diet to help improve the skin.
2. If you think an oily skin is due to a medical problem, consult your doctor.
3. An oily skin should not be washed or any abrasive scrubs used too often as they can aggravate the skin.

FAMILY HEALTH

By Dr. DAVE BARRY

Q: My children aged nine and three behave very badly on car journeys that last longer than ten minutes or so. They won't stay still in their seats, they argue and even cry. This makes going anywhere a nightmare. Have you any suggestions?

A: What you describe is a fairly common reaction when children of different ages are confined in a small space without guidelines on how to keep themselves occupied. It may be your older child has mixed feelings about the younger sibling joining the family and chooses the car as the place to act out these feelings. Both your children need help in thinking about ways to make the car trips more pleasant for everyone. Talk to your children together and individually about this problem. Get them to try and think of ways to make the time pass more easily. Some families have special games they play during car trips such as I Spy or 20 Questions. Others have special books or tapes that are only for use in the car. Your children will feel more like co-operating if they can help think up ideas.

Q: I was admitted to hospital with excruciating abdominal pain which was diagnosed as pancreatitis. No one told me why this happened or how to prevent it recurring. Can you help?

A: The pancreas lies in the middle of the abdomen close to the duodenum and gall bladder. Its main functions are to produce digestive enzymes and insulin which controls carbohydrate metabolism. Acute pancreatitis can produce severe abdominal and back pain accompanied by profound shock and collapse. The most common cause is gallstones. These can move out of the gall bladder and temporarily block the duct leading from the pancreas. In effect this causes the pancreas to attempt to digest itself. Although many cases don't appear to have primary cause, viruses, alcohol, injury and certain drugs may be to blame. Your doctors will have checked for these and presumably not found anything. A low-fat diet and avoiding alcohol should help prevent further trouble.

Chef's Corner

Menus for the week

Lemon & Sultana Cheesecake

Preparation — 20 mins.
Cooking — 1 hr. 20 mins.
Serves — 8
 1 large sponge flan case
 2 oz (50g) unsalted butter
 3 oz (75g) caster sugar
 1 lb (450g) curd cheese
 3 eggs, beaten
 Grated rind of 1 lemon
 1 tsp (5ml) vanilla essence
 1 oz (25g) cornflour
 5 oz (125g) thick Greek yogurt
 3 oz (75g) sultanas
 4 tbsp (60ml) lemon curd
 Icing sugar to dust

- Using an 8 in. (20cm) loose-based, spring-clip tin as a guide, cut out a circle of sponge from flan case.
- Grease and line tin, then press sponge circle into the base. Beat together butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Add curd cheese and beat well.
- Gradually beat in eggs, then stir in lemon rind, vanilla essence, cornflour, yogurt and sultanas.
- Place the tin on a baking sheet and pour in cheesecake mixture. Spoon lemon curd into a piping bag fitted with a fine nozzle. Pipe lines of lemon curd across top of cheesecake. Drag a skewer through lemon curd at 1 in. (2.5cm) intervals, alternating the direction.
- Bake at 325°F/175°C/Gas Mark 3 for one hour. Turn off heat and leave in oven for 20 mins. until firm. Remove from oven then cool. Chill until ready to serve. Remove from tin and dust with icing sugar.

Salmon Steaks En Papillote

Preparation — 15 mins.
Cooking — 15-20 mins.
Serves — 4
 2 tbsp oil
 15g/1/2 oz butter
 2 large oranges
 4 (175g/6 oz) salmon steaks
 6-8 unpeeled prawns
 6-8 fresh sprigs of coriander
 Salad and crusty bread to serve

- Preheat oven to 190°C/375°F/ Gas Mark 5. Line a large baking sheet with greaseproof paper. Heat oil and butter in a small pan and brush some of the mixture on to the paper.
- Squeeze the juice from one of the oranges and stir into the remaining oil mixture. Dip each salmon steak into the orange oil, turning to coat all over. Place on the prepared baking sheet. Repeat with the prawns.
- Slice remaining orange and place round the fish. Add half the coriander and season with salt and freshly ground black pepper.
- Brush another large piece of greaseproof paper with the orange oil mixture and place over the fish. Secure the edges of the two sheets of greaseproof paper by scrunching together completely enclosing the fish.
- Bake for 15-20 mins. until the fish is tender. Heat the remaining orange oil mixture and place in a small serving bowl. Discard the coriander sprigs and garnish with the remaining coriander. Serve immediately with salad and crusty bread.

Household Hints

1. Double cream will whip more easily when a tablespoon of milk is added. To make it go even further, gently fold in a stiffly beaten egg white.
2. Apple peeling is easier if you place the fruit in boiling water for a few minutes before using, the skin almost comes off by itself.
3. Remove damp or greasy marks from suede by rubbing in a little fuller's earth. Leave for approximately an hour and then brush it out.
4. When fur boots or wellingtons are damp on the inside, dry them with a hairdryer to save time. If very wet inside, stuff with crumpled, warmed newspaper and leave overnight. Then use a hairdryer.
5. If vegetables such as turnips, carrots or celery have gone a little soft, stand them in a bowl of cold water overnight. They will be firm and crisp the next morning.

Health Tips from "Remedies"

Hops (or Humulus)

The bitter taste of hops, which is well known by beer drinkers, largely accounts for the herb's ability to strengthen and stimulate the digestion. Hops are also sedative and make a valuable remedy for sleeplessness and excitability. Blended with other herbs like valerian, hops are good for stress, anxiety, tension and headaches. Their anti-spasmodic action makes hops useful for certain types of asthma and for period pain. Guinness is not available at: **REMEDIES ABBEYSIDE** (But a tincture of hops are!)



Pictured at the grand opening of Breathnach's Spar Supermarket in Ring are (left to right) Mark Gough (Spar), An tAthair O Choilligh, P.P., Rinn/Sean Phobal, Maire Mhic Craith, Sheila Breathnach cutting the tape, Páidí Breathnach, proprietor and Eddie Cashman (Spar).

County Enterprise Board Announces Assistance Programme For Autumn

The County Enterprise Board has had a busy year so far with £262,489 allocated in direct grant aid to small enterprise. The immediate creation of 60 full-time jobs is very satisfactory, particularly as it is the result of a low cost per job of £4,375. It is also worth noting that this core figure of 60 does not re-

flect the potential of these small companies to realise further jobs as they become more established, nor does it include figures for additional employment in companies assisted by the Board over the last four years.

Over the coming Autumn, the Enterprise Board will be running a series of pro-

grammes which may be of interest to entrepreneurs.

A half-day seminar on 'Marketing on the Internet' will be delivered by Irene McGoe, author of the book of the same title. Electronic commerce offers unlimited opportunities for Irish firms, to conquer the international marketplace. Small to medium sized enterprises are no longer at a competitive disadvantage in this virtual environment. Irene will highlight the opportunities and pitfalls of the Net as a marketing tool and looks at ways in which it can remove distribution channels, increase margins, reduce transaction costs and, most importantly, bring the firm into direct contact with the end-customer. Date: Monday 28th September. One to one sessions with firms which want to look more deeply into a 'Net' strategy will be supported as merited.

Start Your Own Business Programme for those with ideas who want to move onto the next step — starting in mid-September.

Support for Exhibition and Fair Attendance — list of exhibitions taking place internationally is available from the Board (subject to approval).

Business Planning — the Board also assists those with business ideas to develop a thorough

business plan.

The year 2000 and the challenge it poses for owners of computer systems will be the subject of another half day's seminar which will give the participants a lay person's understanding of the problem and will explain how to decide if they need to take further action in relation to their own systems. Assistance may also be given with correcting systems which are not compliant.

A 12 week bookkeeping programme will take the participants through the set-up and maintenance of a comprehensive bookkeeping system for small business — starting Monday, 21st September — 7.30 to 9.30 p.m., based in Tramore. A computerised accounts programme will also be considered if demand is sufficient.

Following a successful initial programme in sales techniques, the Board are offering a second opportunity to take part in this one day seminar which is followed by one on one sessions at your own premises where you will be assisted to implement a workable sales system. Also starting in mid-September.

Finally, following on the enthusiasm shown for the previous course, a Women into Enterprise programme will run again this autumn.

For details of any of the above, you can contact Gerard Enright or Anike Tyrell on 058-44811 at the Waterford County Enterprise Board, Cross Bridge Street, Dungarvan.

COUNTDOWN TO NATIONAL TIDY TOWNS RESULTS

18 WATERFORD ENTRIES IN '98 COMPETITION

The final round of judging is completed in the 1998 national Tidy Towns competition. A total of 724 towns and villages have entered the Tidy Towns competition this year. The competition is once again sponsored by Super Valu supermarkets and is organised by the Department of the Environment and Local Government.

Clonakilty, County Cork, Kilkenny, County Kilkenny and Terryglass, County Tipperary were awarded the top honours in the 1997 competition, with Terryglass taking the overall national Tidy Towns title. The national winner receives a £10,000 prize presented by Super Valu Supermarkets, alongside a commemorative plaque and the prestige of taking the national title. This year's winner will be announced on Monday 14th September by Mr. Noel Dempsey T.D., Minister for the Environment and Local Government and Mr. Eoin McGettigan, Chief Executive of Super Valu Supermarkets, at a reception in Dublin Castle.

18 Waterford towns and villages participated in this year's competition. The County Award winner in 1997 was Stradbally on 234 marks. County Award runners-up in 1997 was Ardmore and Lismore on 230 and 222 marks respectively.

Eoin McGettigan of Super Valu said that he welcomed the growing interest in Tidy Towns, reflecting the tremendous benefits that participating towns and villages enjoy.

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FARMING LEADER



Waterford County Macra na Feirme annual awards night in conjunction with Dungarvan Show. Ballyduff Macra na Feirme who won club of the year award pictured with the National President Tommy McGuire and Patrick Browne, AIB Bank Dungarvan (awards sponsors). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

County Waterford ICMSA News

ICMSA MEET A.W.G. IN SOUTH EAST AREA

A delegation from ICMSA in the South East met with senior management of A.W.G. which included Billy Murphy, Michael O'Reilly and Michael O'Neill.

The main issues raised included milk price and the affects of the problems in Russia, super levy, milk leasing, butter fat, transport, I.S.U.'s and progress of merger.

ICMSA/HIBERNIAN INSURANCE PACKAGE

The ICMSA/Hibernian family farm insurance package is now nearing the end of its second year in operation. John Quigley, Area Officer with ICMSA in the South East region spoke to Jim McMahon Manager of the Kilkenny Hibernian office during the week who said he was delighted with the success to date and that farmers are pleased with the level of service offered by Hibernian in this new package.

He said that Hibernian offer a great range of cover for the typical family farm including storm cover which is very important considering the weather over the last few years and also cover for young drivers.

Any farmer seeking a free review of cover should contact their local Hibernian office or Jim McMahon, Branch Manager, Kilkenny Office or their new farm adviser in the South East region, Christy Doherty at 087-2854057 concluded Mr. McMahon.

ICMSA ADVISE FARMERS TO APPLY FOR ADDITIONAL EWE QUOTA NOW

Mr. T. J. Nally, Chairman of ICMSA's Sheep Committee advised any farmer interested in acquiring ewe quota that application forms are now available in local offices of the Department of Agriculture and Food to apply for an allocation of ewe quota from the National Reserve.

Mr. Nally said that over 100,000 ewe quota rights are likely to be available from the reserve in 1999 and is free to producers who qualify for it. It presents an ideal opportunity, Mr. Nally said, for farmers who wish to expand their sheep enterprise or who wish to establish a sheep enterprise to acquire ewe quota.

Qualification for an allo-

cation is also easier this year, Mr. Nally said, as people who exceed the income limits may qualify for an allocation.

Mr. Nally concluded by advising farmers who intend applying to ensure that their application is submitted before the closing date, Friday, 18th September 1998.

COUNTY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

John Quigley, Area Officer in the South East region reminds executives in the region that all county A.G.M.'s will be held in October.

Waterford IFA Strongly Reject AWG Grain Price Proposals

An emergency meeting of Waterford IFA Grain Committee held on Tuesday, 1st September unanimously rejected recent AWG grain price proposals of £73/tonne for feed barley and £76/tonne for wheat.

Waterford IFA Grain Chairman, Alex Heskin said that "AWG had reneged on promises made at the time of the merger that they would be "market leaders" with regard to price".

The meeting felt the prices on offer were totally unacceptable when compared to Dairygold, who were reported as paying £75/tonne for feed barley and £80/tonne for feed wheat. Mr. Heskin continued by saying that the increase in intervention price of £4.50 was not reflected in the AWG price.

The Waterford Grain Chairman went on to say that in peripheral areas of the AWG region where there is strong competition, substantially higher prices were being paid by the Group and that growers in areas where lack of competition exists are being exploited by being forced to accept the very low AWG price.

In conclusion, Mr. Heskin called on the Avonmore Waterford Group to deliver on their merger commitments by paying grain growers a realistic price for grain.



CONSIDER JOINING THE REPS SCHEME

The total number of farmers in Co. Waterford participating in the Rural Environment Protection Scheme now numbers over 480. The average farm size within the county participating in the scheme is 105 acres. Each participant is being paid an average of £3,600 per annum or £18,000 over the five year period of the scheme. Many participants are being paid the maximum of £5,000 per annum or £25,000 for the period of the scheme. Some participants with land in National Heritage Areas are being paid £6,200 per annum.

To date, Teagasc has completed 282 (60%) of these plans. We strongly recommend that all farmers stocked at 1.3 acres per livestock unit or less intensively, should contact their local Teagasc Adviser to assess their suitability to participate in REPS.

Most of the drystock farmers especially and the less intensively stocked dairy farms cannot afford to ignore this significant source of income.

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DAIRYING

GRASS BUILD-UP

Target grass cover on the farm should be 1,000 - 1,200 kgs DM/ha (av.)

This will be achieved with a rotation length of 35 - 40 towards the latter half of September.

Second cut after grass will be grazed from the second week to the end of the third week of September, thus increasing the rotation length.

Therefore, paddocks being grazed around the 22nd September may have been last grazed on the 18th August.

If growth has been above average this could result in paddocks getting too strong resulting in excessive decaying at the base.

However unlikely this may seem, keep watching the fields to assess the situation. Understocked farms are more vulnerable.

It seems as if Nitrogen reserves are lower than usual this autumn.

Use 30 - 40 units of N on grazing fields.

Use a little more on Silage fields and new reseeds. Use N up to 20th September on heavy soils and probably to the end of the month on light soil.

CATTLE

CATTLE PUSH

★ If you think there is no money in cattle then they must be fed with the cheapest ingredients possible at this time — Grass or cheap meal.

★ Performance at grass depends on quality and supply of grass. Over 60 days in late Autumn (Teagasc, Grange), the following performances were achieved:

Where grass was scarce the carcass gain was 4.2 kgs, worth £7.77.

Where grass was borderline, the carcass gain was 15.6 Kgs, worth £28.86. Where grass was plentiful, the carcass gain was 22.2 kgs, worth £41.

★ The economics of meal feeding is very dependent on meal price:

At £150 per ton, the margin over meal per Kg carcass gain is 5 pence.

At £125 per ton, the margin over meal per kg carcass gain is 35 pence.

At £100 per ton, the margin over meal per kg carcass gain is 65 pence.

These figures are based on a response of 12 kg meal to 1 kg carcass gain on Grange trial and beef at 84 pence per lb.

A simple message: feed the cheapest meal possible (barley, pulp, and gluten mix).

★ Cattle (steers) that are within 6 weeks of finishing will respond to 2.5 Kgs meal at grass even when grass is plentiful.

An economic response was got when grass was scarce from mid September onwards.

★ Beef heifers gave an economic response to meals when grass was scarce. But lost money when grass was plentiful.

★ Farmers, should review the grass situation for cattle from mid to late September. If it is getting scarce, some cattle should be housed to allow grass rotation to stay at 35 days, approx.

This will result in a saving of winter feed because grass will be available longer — to November.

★ To protect regrowths cattle should only remain in each field 2 days or less.



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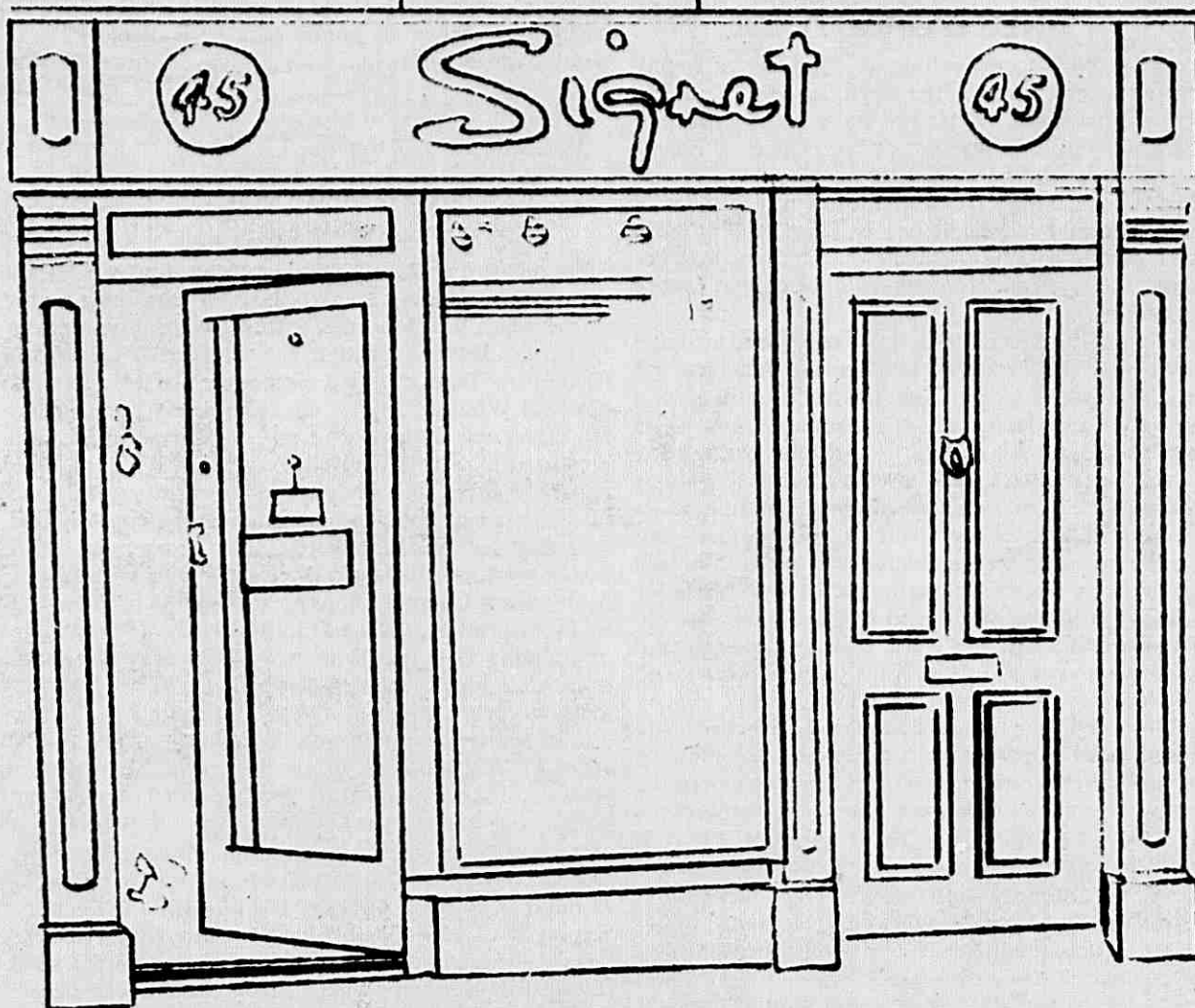


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**Dungarvan Chamber
Of Commerce Notes**

In excess of 50,000 completed tickets were returned for our "Shop Local" Dungarvan Promotion Campaign. This surely represents a high level of interest from the public in this and other similar promotions. We would hope and we believe that by promoting Dungarvan on a continuous basis as a shopping and business venue that we will increase business turnover and establish greater customer loyalty to Dungarvan outlets.

The format for the draw which took place in Lawlors Hotel last Wednesday (September 2) was such that it provided equal opportunity for customers of small and large businesses alike, in so far as two tickets were drawn from the completed entries of each participating business to be

included in the final draw which was made by Mr. Lar Hart, Chairman Dungarvan U.D.C. The winner of the £500 Shopping Spree was Mr. Michael Keane, Leigh, Ring, Dungarvan. The winning ticket was submitted by Copytype Secretarial Services, Main Street, Dungarvan. We offer our congratulations to Michael and Geraldine O'Connor (Proprietor Copytype Secretarial Services). We would also like to thank Mr. Lar Hart for officiating at the draw.

Between now and the next campaign we will continue to run our painting and "word" competitions in both local papers. The concept behind these competitions is to create greater public awareness of local businesses and the service which they provide. We hope that in doing this peo-

ple will stop to think before travelling outside of the town for these services. It is far too early yet to gauge the public response to these competitions but given the kind sponsorship of the local financial institutions and the attractive prize money on offer, we would certainly expect fairly large entries each week.

We want to convey our thanks and appreciation to the financial institutions in agreeing to sponsor this campaign.

As part of these competitions we are seeking to compile a database of items available in each outlet which the proprietors wish to have promoted. A circular has been sent to each participating business requesting that they list, in order of priority, those items which they wish to be

associated with their business. I would ask that if you have not already done so, to return these forms to our offices at 21 Church Street as soon as possible.

September is barely upon us and we are already planning for Christmas. We have high hopes and ambitions for our Christmas Campaign in 1998.

We will, if at all possible, provide a "Christmas Wonderland" at a central venue in the town. In order to ensure the success of this project we would very much welcome the assistance of any individual or group who can assist with the design and layout of the premises. We would appeal to local artists, architects, childrens play groups and local schools to contact us with any ideas they may have.

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BALLYMACARBRY NOTES

Double Honour For Caitriona In Mosney

Caitriona Fenton from Ballymacarbry carried the torch at the opening ceremonies at the Community Games in Mosney this year and won a gold medal in the under-14 art competition. This was Caitriona's 6th year taking part in the national finals in Mosney. To date Caitriona has won two silver and two bronze medals.



Caitriona Fenton

Marian O'Flynn who is also from Ballymacarbry won a bronze medal in the model making competition (under-14). This was Marian's second year clay modelling in Mosney. She won a silver medal in 1997.

PRETTY WEDDING

The beautiful parish church of St. Mary at Newcastle was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Saturday, August 8, the feast of Blessed Peter Faure, when Jason, son of Noel and Ann Parker, Highfield Grove, Clonmel was united in matrimony to Anne-Marie, daughter of Tony and Mary Rushe, Liam Lynch Terrace, Newcastle. The marriage ceremony with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing was solemnised by Rev. Fr. Patrick Gear C.C. Fourmilewater/Newcastle assisted by Rev. Fr. O'Leary, St. Olivers, Clonmel in the presence of a large number of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

The bride, given away in marriage by her father, Tony was attired in an ivory duchess satin gown with a long train. She carried a bouquet of lillies and orchids. She was attended by her sister Antoinette Rushe and her cousin Fiona Spillane as bridesmaids. Their dresses were a lovely burgundy colour. The best man was Gordon Parker (brother of the groom) and the groomsman was Owen O'Callaghan (friend of the groom). The flowergirls were Aisling and Roisin Brophy (cousins of the bride). They were attired in burgundy over ivory. The pageboy was Kevin Landers (cousin of the groom). Music during the church ceremony was by Siobhan Walsh, Tony Cahill and Majella Cahill.

With the church ceremony over, the entire party left for Hotel Minella, Clonmel where the wedding reception took place and where a most enjoyable and musical time was had by all for many hours. After the cake was blessed the toast of the bride and bridegroom was appropriately honoured and felicitous speeches given by many guests. Later in the evening as the happy couple left on their honeymoon which is being spent in Crete, they were accorded a most congratulatory and enthusiastic send off accompanied by the best wishes of all present for a life of unclouded happiness in the years that lie ahead.

RECENT DEATHS

LATE MRS. KATHLEEN LANDERS (NEE O'GRADY)

Profound and sincere feelings of regret were widely expressed at the news of the death of Mrs. Kathleen (Kitty) Landers (nee O'Grady), Kilbrien, Ballinamult which sad event took place at her residence on Friday, August 28 after an illness of short duration.

The deceased, in her late seventies, was a member of a well loved and respected family, formerly O'Grady, Knockboy. Her passing is all the more poignant as her daughter Eileen Connolly passed to her eternal reward just a month ago.

A loving wife and mother devoted to her husband Bobby who predeceased her by some six years and her family, she was a lady of outstanding qualities who possessed a wonderful warm personality and made friends with ease. All callers to her home were made feel truly welcome as she was a caring neighbour abounding in Christian charity who made an immediate and lasting impression by virtue of her courteous and easygoing nature which endeared her to all. She was possessed of an old world charm that was refreshing for all who were indeed privileged to have made her acquaintance and accordingly her demise is deeply and justifiably mourned by her family, neighbours and many friends.

Many tributes have been paid to this lady but perhaps the finest was paid to her on Sunday evening when all walks of life were represented in the vast concourse of mourners who were present when her remains were removed from her residence to St. Patrick's Parish Church, Kilbrien where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Michael Kennedy P.P. Kilgobinet/Colligan/Kilbrien. On Monday morning, the feast of St. Raymond, requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul celebrated by Rev. Fr. Michael Kennedy P.P. After Mass as the rain poured down, a loving member of the community was laid to rest in the family plot with her husband and daughter. Fr. Kennedy officiated at the graveside in the presence of another large concourse of mourners who were present to pay their final respects to a dear Christian friend whose memory they will cherish. To her sons and daughters and her many relatives we extend our sympathy.

Go dtugadh Dia solas na bhflaitheas da anam.
(Undertakers - Drohan's, Dungarvan).

LATE MR. PATRICK PRENDERGAST

It is with deep and sincere regret the district learned of the death of Mr. Patrick (Paddy) Prendergast, Barvaukeen, Clonmel which sad event took place at Saint Teresa's Nursing Home, Cashel on Wednesday 2nd September. Deceased in his eighty fourth year was the last member of an old and respected County Waterford family formerly of Knockaunbrandaun, Ballymacarbry. He had a well known association with the Golf Club at Clonmel and was noted for his instinct in finding a lost golf ball. Quiet and inoffensive he was truly one of nature's gentlemen, possessed with an old world charm who was always welcome in what ever company he found himself. For many years he had not enjoyed the best of health and his passing though unexpected came as a shock to his many friends. On Thursday evening his remains were removed from Condon's Funeral Parlour, Clonmel after prayers and the rosary was recited by Rev. Fr. Green C.C., S.S. Peter and Paul's, Clonmel to Saint Helena's Parish Church, Nire Valley by the Mountain Road. As they passed the old Prendergast homestead where Patrick was born the cortege stopped and said a silent prayer. His remains were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher C.C., Nire/Touraneena. On Friday morning the feast of Saint Rosalie (Virgin) requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of his eternal soul, the cele-

brant was Rev. Fr. Kelleher P.P. After Mass as the Autumn rain came down one of the districts best loved was laid to rest in the family plot. Fr. Kelleher P.P. officiated at the graveside. To his relatives we tender our sympathy.

I Liontaib Dé go gcastar sinn.
(Undertakers Sean Condon, Clonmel).

LATE MR. PATRICK WHELAN

His many friends and neighbours in the Nire Valley and the surrounding districts learned with deep regret of the death which occurred after a long illness borne with true Christian fortitude at Saint Patrick's Hospital, Cashel on Thursday 3rd September of Mr. Patrick (Paddy) Whelan (Matt), Glenanore, Ballymacarbry. Deceased was a member of one of the best loved and respected Nire Valley families, the Matt Whelans, Glenanore. Paddy was acknowledged over the years as one of nature's gentlemen, whose unassuming courtesy and outgoing sincere nature were readily appreciated by all who knew him. He gave a life long service with Waterford County Council where he was held in high esteem by Engineers, overseers and fellow workers. He was an outstanding Gael and followed the fortunes of his native Nire/Fourmilewater/Waterford, one of his proudest moments were when the Nire won their first Senior title captained by his grand nephew Pat Walsh, their second title captained by another grand nephew Ger Walsh and last captained by another grand nephew Ian Walsh, that was an honour indeed. He rarely missed a game at Fraher Field, Dungarvan which ever it be, football or hurling. He was a person who never counted the cost but gave of himself whole heartedly when a helping hand or encouragement was required. He was indeed the essence of good humour and established lasting friendships by virtue of his unassuming nature and kindness to all who were indeed fortunate to know him, and who now feel a deep sense of personal loss as they deeply mourn his passing. Many tributes have been paid to this fine gentleman, but perhaps the finest was paid to him when all walks of life were represented in the large concourse of mourners who were present when his remains were removed from Condon's Funeral Parlour, Clonmel after prayers were recited by a member of the Franciscan Friary, Clonmel to Saint Helena's Parish Church, Nire Valley where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher, P.P., Nire/Touraneena. Also present was Rev. Fr. Michael Cullinan C.C., St. Mary's, Clonmel. On Sunday morning the feast of Saint Eleutherius the 10.00 am Mass was celebrated for the repose of his gentle soul, the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Kelleher P.P. After Mass as a south easterly gale blew across the Nire Valley one of its best loved citizens was laid to rest in the shadow of Saint Helena's Church where he had worshipped the Lord for the past seventy years. Fr. Kelleher P.P. officiated at the graveside in the presence of a large concourse of mourners who were present to pay their final respects to a Christian friend. To his brothers and sister and his many relatives we extend our sympathy.

Ta siochain agus suaimhneas bainte amach aige.
(Undertaker Sean Condon, Clonmel).

LATE MR. THOMAS HALLINAN

It is with deep regret we record the death of Mr. Thomas (Tom) Hallinan, Auhavoulavaine, Ballinamult which sad event took place at St. Joseph's Hospital, Clonmel on Saturday 5th September. On Sunday evening his remains were removed from O'Donoghue's Funeral Home, Clonmel to St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater and on Monday after requiem Mass interment took place in the adjoining Cemetery.

(Full obituary next issue).

FOURMILEWATER HURLING CLUB LOTTO RESULTS

Jackpot £200. Numbers drawn were 4, 18, 19. No winner. The five winners of £20 each were Eileen

Mulcahy, Glasha; Helena Doocey, Curtiswood; Mairead O'Regan, Cahir; Paul Boland, c/o Gerry

Hallinan; Eoin Wall, Hanora's Cottage, Nire Valley. Jackpot this week £300.

BALLYMACARBRY ICA NEWS

Ballymacarbry Guild ICA will hold their September meeting in St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymac' on Monday night, September 14th at 8.30 pm.

Dungarvan Scout Troop Notes

*11th Waterford
Scout Unit*



This week we take another look back to the 1970's and we hope you enjoyed viewing some of the photographs of that era. Next week we hope to have another photograph of the 70's and it will be interesting to see some of the hair styles and style of uniform from that decade. Photo shows back row (l. to r.) Jimmy Heir, Damien Geoghegan, Brendan Morrissey, Paddy Walsh (leader), Roddy Healy, Damien Slater, Hud Kelly, Billy Wright. Front row (l. to r.) Johnny Hanley, Dermot O'Shea, Frank Curran, Mark Fehilly, John Desmond, Liam Og Kelly, Jack Keating and Steven Stack.

Tesco Ireland Meets Local Food Producers

Waterford is a county associated with a long tradition of food production - everything from dairy products to apples, cheese to vegetables. In order to encourage growth and development in this sector, Waterford In Business, a local business development company, has been taking steps to look at what the larger retailers and chains, both in Ireland and the UK really want from their suppliers.

Waterford In Business is part of a EU funded INTERREG project, established to develop economic growth in designated areas in Ireland and Wales, by promoting cross-border trading between the two areas.

The company, based in Dungarvan, has a strong working relationship with its reciprocal office Pembroke In Business, based in Pembroke Dock, Wales.

Both sides have been working with small and medium sized businesses in both regions, offering research, support and development advice to these companies since 1996. As a part of Waterford In Business'

campaign to promote local food producers, Tesco Ireland was invited to participate in a presentation of food produce organised by the Dungarvan based company.

Tom Nolan, the Irish Trade Development Director with Tesco Ireland travelled to Dungarvan to look at these products and also to offer advice on the direction the producers should be taking.

Tom believes that in order for good producers to become more viable in the international, national and even local markets, greater efforts must be made to adhere to the appropriate standards; the most relevant being the Hazard Analysis

Critical Control Point or HACCP. This involves putting in place a system to identify hazards to safe food production, assess these risks and determine effective preventative measures. Once put in place, these preventative measures offer the best health and safety precautions to the consumer.

Salmonella and botulism outbreaks are just some examples of what can possibly go wrong with food production and having the HACCP system in place is the best preventative method for such a crisis.

While some companies do comply with these measures, more do not and Waterford In Business feels

that these businesses should be considering implementing the HACCP system in order to increase their competitive edge in the market place. In order to facilitate companies that are interested in this area, Waterford In Business is planning to run a HACCP training programme this autumn in Dungarvan.

If you are a food producer, can you really afford not to take the best preventative steps possible to ensure the highest standards of your products?

For further information contact Nicola Casey or Noelle O'Connell at Waterford In Business at 21 Church Street, Dungarvan. Tel.: 058-45300.

O'SHEA DEMANDS FUNDING FOR DIALYSIS SERVICES

Waterford Labour T.D. Brian O'Shea has called on the Minister for Health and Children, Brian Cowen to immediately provide the required funding so that the number of patients receiving renal dialysis services at Waterford Regional Hospital is restored to 48 per week. The number has reduced to 40 because of new funding constraints. The remaining patients, said Deputy O'Shea, are being forced to travel to Cork and Dublin. The Health Board is providing ambulances and taxis are being provided to transport these patients.

"It is shameful that something like this could happen in this day and age. The nurses and facilities are available at Waterford Regional Hospital. All that is needed is the money. The buck stops with Brian Cowen," he declared.

Cappoquin Notes

CAPPOQUIN MACRA NA FEIRME NOTES

Dungarvan Show — On Thursday, July 30 the Efficiency Finals were held. The show team comprised of the following members -

Patrick Walshe, Pat Hennessy, Eoin Collender, Edward Burns, Liam Begley, Daniel O'Donnell, Mary Cliffe, Norma Smiddy.

Later the Show Dance was held at Clonea Strand Hotel and the club was honoured by Hazel Hallahan winning the photographic competition and overall the club were runners-up in the Club of the Year.

A.G.M. — The Annual General Meeting of the club was held on Friday, August 28. A large attendance was present. The chairman thanked all his fellow officers and clubmates for a very successful year just passed. The following officers were elected:

Chairperson - Tom Cliffe, Asst. Chairperson - Daniel O'Donnell, Secretary - Norma Smiddy, Asst. Secretary - Mairead Noonan, President - Michael O'Donnell, Vice-President - Eoin Collender, Treasurer - Edward Burns, Asst. Treasurer - Pat Hennessy, P.R.O. - John O'Donnell, Asst. P.R.O. - Eoin Collender.

New members are most welcome and anyone who is interested in joining the club please contact Tom at (058) 54168 or Norma at (024) 92846 or speak to any mem-

ber of the club.

County Executive — Seven of our members obtained posts at the County Executive A.G.M. which was held on Wednesday last. Details are as follows:

President - Liam Hallahan, Secretary - Anita Meagher, Young Farmers Affairs Secretary - John O'Donnell, Sports & Social Chairperson - James Meagher, Efficiency Secretary - Tom Cliffe, I.F.A. Reps - Eoin Collender, John O'Donnell, Arts - Norma Smiddy.

Stock Judging — Two of our members, namely Eoin Collender and Daniel O'Donnell, won the County Finals of the Macra Na Feirme Stock Judging. Eoin won the junior sheep and Dan won the junior beef. Well done lads.

Tug Of War — Our mens team, coached by Tom Cliffe, comprised of Eoin Collender, Pat Hennessy, Michael Prendergast, Michael O'Donnell, John O'Donnell, Patrick Walsh, Tom McGrath, Robert Collender and Liam Begley. They took part in the Macra National Finals which were held in Ballyduff on Sunday, August 31. The team pulled very well beating Bree (Wexford) and Dungarvan in the earlier rounds and qualifying for the semi-final against Ballyduff which was won quite convincingly. The final was

against Ardahey, Co. Monaghan and on the day Ardahey just shaded it. Well done to all.

Our ladies team comprised of Christine Collender, Linda Collender, Mary Cliffe, Anita Meagher, Grainne Moynihan and Norma Smiddy who all performed well on the day also.

Birthday Greetings — Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Pat Hennessy who celebrated his 21st birthday last weekend.

Best Wishes — Finally the club would like to wish Grainne Moynihan the very best of luck in the future as she takes up employment in England.

CAPPOQUIN LOTTO

Cappoquin Community Development Company Ltd. held its Lotto draw on Monday last, September 7. The numbers drawn were 6, 11, 18. There was no jackpot winner. Next week's jackpot will be £900. There were six consolation prizes of £10 and the winners were Mrs. Eilish Dallon, David Kiely, Michael Ormonde, Ward Fraher, Nora Landers, John Murphy. Congratulations to everyone. Next week's draw will be held on Monday afternoon next, September 14.

WATERFORD CITY & COUNTY CHARITY FOR THE BLIND

All involved with the Charity for the Blind would like to thank the people of Cappoquin for their kind generosity during their recent collection.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to the Gallagher family, Cappoquin on their recent bereavement.

NEW ARRIVAL

Congratulations to Sean and Hilda Daly, Affane on the birth of their first child, a baby girl.

BOYS SCHOOL 45 DRIVE RESULTS

1st and 2nd - Jenny Fraher and Mike Pratt, Nora Lonergan and Peg Kelly, 3rd - Helen and Willie Cunningham, Lucky Table - Maura Maher and Esther Walsh.

FAWLTY'S 45 DRIVE RESULTS

1st - Peg Murray and Bridget Murray, Joint 2nd - Helen Cunningham and Mrs. Maura Murray, Catherine Whelan and Helen Morrissey.

CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE SCHOOLBOYS SOCCER

Leagues Commence — We have under-13 and under-11 teams commencing their leagues in the next two weeks and training for both teams start tonight (Wednesday) at 6.30 in Affane. The under-13 team have their first fixture on Saturday afternoon away to Castlebridge. This is a very tough fixture to start with and we will need to be at full strength to have a chance here. Players please contact manager Michael Looby (52033) for the time of this fixture.

Red House League Draw — Sellers are reminded that we only have a couple of weeks left so please make a big effort.

Late Mr. Willie Gallagher — The club would like to extend deepest sympathy to the family of Willie Gallagher who passed away last week. In his day Willie made a huge contribution to the community in Cappoquin especially the Scout movement. Our friendship with Willie was in recent times. While working on the new pitch (a task that has gone on forever it seems) he would always appear on the corner of the bank overseeing our work, complimenting us, advising us, sometimes criticising us when necessary but always encouraging us. At times we may have been there working alone and a word from Willie before we departed would remind us why we were doing it and make the effort worthwhile. He was a man that worked for the youth and believed in the youth as do we. We will miss his wit, his jovial sarcasm, his lovely phrases. It is a great pity he did not live to see our job completed for I know it would have pleased him no end. Let's hope he continues his encouragement from his new home. No doubt he will have some influence with the Lord himself - if ever there was a saint.

Waterford County Council — We intend to apply for full permission for change of house plans and permission for a garage with entrance and septic tank at Ballylemon Upper, Cappagh, Co. Waterford. Signed: Margaret and Dominic Clancy.

AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN GAA CLUB

Draw — Draw for All-Ireland Hurling Final tickets will take place in Walsh's Hotel on Thursday the 10th September at 9.00 pm sharp. Any member requesting a ticket must be present at draw and be prepared to pay for the ticket on the night.

Lotto — Winning letters were C-K-Z. With no jackpot winner. £10 prizes won by Tommy O'Regan, Cook St., Mrs. Crotty (snr) Affane, Rita Kiely, Green St. Next draw is for £500. Jackpot will take place on 12th September in the Sportsman's Bar and all are welcome.

Planning Notices

Waterford County Council — Permission is sought for alterations to existing house including new entrance and septic tank and percolation area at Ballingowan, Leamybrien, Co. Waterford. — Signed: Sean Quilty.

Waterford County Council — I intend to apply to the above authority for full planning permission to construct new 2-storey dwelling with new entrance gates, driveway, septic tank and percolation area at Ringaphuca, Dungarvan. Signed: Muiris O'Ciostóir.

Waterford County Council — We, David and Sheila Ironside, are applying to the above authority for planning permission to carry out additions and renovations with septic tank and percolation area at Glen Upper, Modeligo, Cappagh, Co. Waterford.

Waterford County Council — We intend to apply to the above authority for full planning permission to construct new house with entrance gates, driveway, septic tank and percolation area at Newtown, Grange, Co. Waterford. Signed: Alan Power and Caroline Morgan.

Dungarvan Urban District Council — We wish to apply to the above authority for full planning permission for an extension to the side of our house at Shandon, Dungarvan. Signed: Mr. and Mrs. T. Carroll.

Waterford County Council — We intend to apply for full permission for change of house plans and permission for a garage with entrance and septic tank at Ballylemon Upper, Cappagh, Co. Waterford. Signed: Margaret and Dominic Clancy.

St. Mary's Parish Notes

7th SEPTEMBER Choir Meeting — A meeting of St. Mary's Parish Choir will take place on 9th September in the Sacristy at 7.30 pm. All members must attend.

Siól Retreat — A new group will commence on 15th September. Anybody who is interested please contact Sr. Gertrude, Presentation Convent (058) 41359.

Novena — Novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help will continue on Monday evenings at 7.30 pm in St. Mary's. There will be no morning Mass on Monday's during the Novena.

Augustinian Pilgrimage To Knock — The Annual Augustinian pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Sunday, September 13th. Tickets available at the Augustinian Friary.

Radio Mass — Radio Mass will continue to be broadcast each morning on 98.5 fm.

Emergency Telephone No. — (086) 2334282.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Angling Bye-Law Closed Season (Proposed)

It is the intention of the Southern Regional Fisheries Board to have a Bye-Law introduced whereby a person shall not angle for Salmon or Trout with Rod and Line in the Waterford District during the period commencing 1st day of October and ending on 16th March in the following year.

Southern Regional Fisheries Board, Anglesea Street, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary

YOGA

Dungarvan Family Centre
Monday, 21st Sept.
Ten nights
7 p.m. - 8.15 p.m.
Instructor: Mary Brennan
Contact Claudia 058-45111

NOVENAS

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, now and forever. Amen. Your request will be granted, no matter how impossible it may seem. Favour requested. Publication must be promised. — M.E.

NOVENA TO SACRED HEART — Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked you for many favours. This time 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 prayer, not mine. Amen. Say this prayer for three days, promise publication and favour will be granted. Never known to fail — C.P.

THANKSGIVING to Our Lady, Sacred Heart, Father Pio, St. Rita, St. Anthony, Our Lady of Good Counsel, for favours granted. Publication promised.

NOVENA - MIRACULOUS PRAYER — Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked for many favours. This time 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 own merciful eyes, it will become your prayer, not mine. Amen. Say this prayer for three days, promise publication and prayer will be granted. Never known to fail. With grateful thanks. — M.G.

GLENVIEW UTD F.C.

Bolger Cup - Clashmore 2 Glenview 3. A great second half fight back from two goals down saw Glenview advance to the next round of the Bolger Cup. Clashmore were on top in the first half and deserved the 2-0 half time lead. Glenview fought back strongly in the second half and goals from Conor Donnelly, Alan Ryan and Kevin Curran saw us come away with a hard earned victory.

Team: Niall Maher, Ger Power, Hugh O'Donnell, Tony O'Donnell, P.J. Dolan, Aidan Power, Alan Ryan, Conor Donnelly, Pat Hallissey, Kevin Curran, Phil McGrath. Subs: Eddie Budden and Pat Casey.

Fixtures — I would like to ask all players to check the R.H.L. notes for this week's fixture. If we are playing at home Aidan Power and Pat Hallissey will line the field.

MURRAY BROTHERS WIN IN MUNICH

Congratulations to local oarsmen, Pat and Milo Murray on their remarkable display of rowing in Munich where they had a comfortable win over hosts Germany who came second and third in the mens senior pairs. The Murrays are bringing back an impressive two World Championship Gold medals to Ireland.

This is not the first time the Murray brothers had great wins at World Championship level. The Cappoquin lads won an outstanding seven international gold in the World Masters held in Australia. They have also had big wins in Austria, Holland and Yugoslavia with Club Chairperson, William O'Donoghue with them at every stage.

We say well done lads and wish them the very best of luck in the future.

Non-Stop Giveaways At Shaws Dungarvan

Launched on September 1, Shaws Dungarvan are offering shoppers the chance to shop for free. Simply retain the receipt of all purchases made during the month of September and if the date matches the free shopping day to be announced on Friday, October 2 by WLR Radio, the customer receives Shaws shopping vouchers to the total of their receipt.

stop giveaways and Shaws have some fantastic offers not to be missed !!
Candy Washing Machine at £249
Candy Condensair Tumble-dryer at £249
Candy Dishwasher at £249
25% off Blinds
10% off Sports Jackets for men
£5 off all Denims
Free brief with every purchase of a Triumph or Play-

tex bra

Free baby bibs with every £15 purchase of babywear
5 Barmats only £1
Free fitting day with Triumph Underwear on Friday, September 11

Free personal inscription engraved on Donegal China on Friday/Saturday, September 11/12.

During this week free draws and giveaways will be on a daily basis with WLR Radio station adding to the festive atmosphere by broadcasting live in-store at Shaws Dungarvan on Friday, Sept. 4 (with thanks to Geoff Harris and all WLR staff).

Congratulations to Mrs. Maud Curran, Ring, Dungarvan who won a fabulous Fruit of the Loom Bicycle in a draw held recently in Shaws Dungarvan. And Mary Brennan of Pinewood Lawn, Dungarvan who won a

Shaws £2,000 voucher for penning the best Back-To-School limerick.

Whether It's free gifts or special offers, all customers are winners at Shaws Dungarvan.

Avonmore Waterford Group Announce Increase In Turnover

Avonmore Waterford Group revealed details of its financial performance over the first 6 months of this year last week and showed a strong growth in operating profit which was up by over 26% on the same period in '97.

The company's turnover up to July 4th last stood at £1,198.05 million and agricultural trading was reported to be satisfactory despite very disappointing performances in the Irish and UK pigmeat operation.

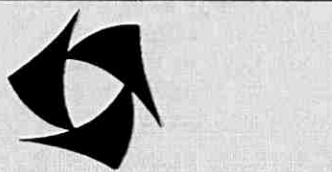
With regard to the rationalisation programme announced by the then newly merged Group last November, plans to fully integrate and reorganise the company are on schedule and due to be completed next year. Activities have already ceased in a number of plants and depots around the country and discussions with employee representatives are progressing satisfactorily in respect of the remaining locations designated for closure such as the milk processing facility in Dungarvan. Just over 504 redundancies have been either agreed or effected to date.

Looking to the future, the Chairman of AWG, John Duggan said the Group continues to view the future with confidence.

Due to the extremely difficult international environment for some parts of the Group's meat business, profits in the division in the first half of the year were below expectations. The meat division however is expected to show a considerable improvement in the second half of this year.

Elsewhere within the Group, consumer foods, food ingredients and the agricultural trading division continue to perform well and a number of development opportunities are being

progressed.
A dividend of 2.25p per share will be paid to shareholders in October.



PLEAN OIÐHREACHTA NAÍSÍÚNTA

AG BAINISTÍÚ NA HOIÐHREACHTA NAÍSÍÚNTA SA MHÍLAOIS NUA

COMHCHOMHAIRLIÚCHÁN POIBLÍ

Tá Síle de Valera, T.D., Aire Ealaíon, Oidhreachta, Gaeltachta agus Oileán, tar éis rús a chur le hullmhú Plean Oidhreachta Náisiúnta de réir gealltanais sa Chlár Rialtais Clár Gníomhaíochta don Mhílaois Nua. Is mar a leanas na téarmaí tagartha d'fhorbairt an Phlean Oidhreachta Náisiúnta:

"Plean náisiúnta a fhorbairt chun an oidhreacht nádúrtha, an oidhreacht ailtireachta agus seandálaíochta (sachtrannais agus dochoirreais), uiscebealaí intire an Stáit, agus an oidhreacht dhochtúiméadach agus cartlainne a chosaint, a chaomnú, a bhainistiú agus a chur i láthair."

Beidh na nithe seo a leanas san áireamh sna téarmaí tagartha:

Oidhreacht Nádúrtha:

Flora agus Fauna

Gnáthóga

Gnéithe Geolaíochta

Nithe eile a bhaineann le Bithéagsúlacht, go háirithe i gcomhthéacs an Phlean Bithéagsúlachta Náisiúnta

Oidhreacht Seandálaíochta:

Láithreáin, séadchomharthaí, limistéir, tírdhreacha, déantáin/rudaí seandálaíochta ar thalamh agus faoi uisce.

Oidhreacht Ailtireachta, Ealaíne agus Staire:

Foigeanmíh, struchtúir, páirceanna, gáirdíní agus rudaí a bhfuil tábhacht ailtireachta, ealaíne agus staire ag baint leo.

Tírdhreacha Nádúrtha agus Cultúrtha

Uiscebealaí Intire

Oidhreacht Dhochtúiméadach agus Cartlainne, lena n-áirítear cartlainne ceoil thraidisiúnta

Leis an bPlean Náisiúnta déanfar athbhreithniú ar an staid láithreach i ndáil leis na socrúithe riaracháin, maoinithe agus reachtaíochta don oidhreacht náisiúnta agus déanfar straitéis agus gníomhaíochtaí don todhchaí a leagan amach ann. Is é an cuspóir atá ann ná plean comhtháite a dhéanamh do bhainistiú na hoidhreachta náisiúnta sa Mhílaois nua.

Is mian leis an Aire go mbeidh an oiread daoine is féidir páirteach i bhforbairt an Phlean Oidhreachta Náisiúnta. Iarrar ar chomhlachtaí agus ar dhaoine aonair leasmhara aighneachtaí i scríbhinn, a bheidh le breithniú le linn ullmhú an Phlean Oidhreachta Náisiúnta, a chur chuig an seoldh seo a leanas Eoin 16 Samhain, 1998:

Máing Ryan, Príomhoifigeach,
An Roinn Ealaíon, Oidhreachta, Gaeltachta agus Oileán,
Dún Aingirín,
43-49 Bóthar Mespil,
Baile Átha Cliath 4.
Teilefón: (01) 6670788 fóna 2004 nó 2354

An Roinn Ealaíon, Oidhreachta, Gaeltachta 7 Oileán
DEPARTMENT of ARTS, HERITAGE, GAELTACHT and the ISLANDS

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This modular inter-university degree programme is available to adults throughout Ireland. Students study modules in History, Literature, Philosophy, Psychology, Sociology, at home, with support from the National Distance Education Centre, tutors, and occasional tutorials in local study centres. Students register with Dublin City University, NUI Maynooth, NUI Cork, NUI Galway, or the University of Limerick and accumulate credits towards the Diploma in Arts or the Bachelor of Arts.

There are no formal entry requirements for those aged over 23 years on 1st January 1999.

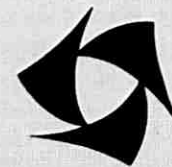
An information meeting for these programmes will be held in: Waterford Institute of Technology, on Saturday 19th September, at 11.30am.

Further information and an application pack may be obtained by writing to (postcards please):

OSCAIL - The National Distance Education Centre,
Dublin City University, Dublin 9. Fax: 01 704 5494.

Details on OSCAIL courses are available from: <http://www.dcu.ie/ndec>

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NATIONAL HERITAGE PLAN

MANAGING THE NATIONAL HERITAGE IN THE NEW MILLENNIUM

PUBLIC CONSULTATION

Síle de Valera, T.D., Minister for Arts, Heritage, Gaeltacht and the Islands, has initiated the preparation of a National Heritage Plan in accordance with a commitment in the Programme for Government *An Action Programme for the Millennium*.

The terms of reference for the development of the National Heritage Plan are as follows:

"To develop a national plan for the protection, conservation, management and presentation of the natural heritage, the architectural and archaeological (moveable and immovable) heritage, the inland waterways of the State, and documentary and archival heritage."

The following will be covered by the terms of reference:

Natural Heritage:

Flora and fauna

Habitats

Geological features

Other Biodiversity elements, particularly in the context of the National Biodiversity Plan.

Archaeological Heritage:

Archaeological sites, monuments, areas, landscapes, artefacts/objects on land and underwater

Architectural, Artistic and Historic Heritage:

Buildings, structures, parks, gardens and objects of architectural, artistic and historic importance

Natural and Cultural Landscapes

Inland Waterways

Documentary and Archival Heritage, including traditional music archives

The National Heritage Plan will review the existing situation in relation to the administrative, funding and legislative arrangements for the national heritage and will set out strategies and actions for the future. The purpose is to produce an integrated plan for the management of the national heritage in the new Millennium.

The Minister wishes to have the widest possible participation in the development of the National Heritage Plan. Interested bodies and individuals are invited to make written submissions by 16 November, 1998, for consideration in the preparation of the National Heritage Plan, to:

Máing Ryan, Principal Officer,
Heritage Policy Division,
Department of Arts, Heritage, Gaeltacht & the Islands
Dún Aingirín,
43-49 Mespil Road,
Dublin 4.
Telephone: (01) 6670788, ext. 2004 or 2354

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Lismore Notes



No Political Clout In Lismore

As we write our notes this weekend, we have still no news on the destination of the litter free award. In fact there is a 'deafening silence' with information impossible to obtain. Lismore was judged in the tourist town category and from what we can ascertain came out on top with a total of 272 pts. out of a possible 300.

This had Lismore ahead of the other two towns in this category - Tramore and Dunmore East. As we have written so many times in the past few weeks, the prize for the eventual winner in the county is a £1m factory. We cannot understand why the town deemed the winner has not been announced yet. We wonder is politics at this stage raising its ugly head and helping to sway the

final decision of where the factory will be situated. If politics will decide this, then Lismore will once again lose out. Lismore unfortunately does not have enough political clout to sway a factory in this direction.

We do not hear any politicians coming out and saying Lismore should get a factory more especially as it is the only town in West Waterford without an industry. Last week we met a former resident and past pupil of CBS Lismore now domiciled in the capital who told us he reads our notes every week but we are only wasting ink and time in plugging for an industry in our notes. Like ourselves he was a pupil in the CBS when news broke of the proposed chip-board factory for Lismore.

We mentioned this item a couple of weeks back and the excitement that was felt by teachers and pupils and the town of Lismore that at long last Lismore would have an industry. What happens? A factory that was destined for Lismore was literally taken out of our hands and placed in Waterford. Why? Because of political clout, should we say votes. Here we are almost 40 years on still waiting for an industry but with the best opportunity now with the litter free award.

Lismore, which is a designated heritage town, depending solely on tourism and weather and we all know the summers we are getting, so it is imperative that our elected representatives use all their 'power' to obtain this industry for Lismore. Just a reminder, next year will see local elections take place and the knock on the door for a vote will be interesting especially if Lismore loses out with this factory.

PRESENTATION SECONDARY SCHOOL, LISMORE

Visit Of French Students — Eleven French students arrived on Saturday 6th September in Lismore. They were accompanied by their teachers, Madame Gautier and Monsieur Latourel.

They will attend Lismore Presentation Secondary School for two weeks and they will be accommodated by the families of the Presentation pupils. We wish them well and hope their stay will be enjoyable and beneficial. This is the third time pupils from Ecole Beaulieu have come to Lismore.

Their school has about two hundred pupils and is located in the Eastern part of Brittany near the town of Rennes.

Presentation Secondary School Volleyball Champions — We congratulate our Munster Volleyball Champions who travelled to Mosney last weekend. Team members are; Jovita Lyons, Emer Feeney, Bernadette Broderick, Gillian O' Donnell, Esther Cahill (Captain), Sinead Bennett, Lisa Geary and Nicola Barry. They won the All-Ireland Semi-Final playing against Leitrim and unfortunately lost the final against Kildare.

Great credit is due to team managers/coaches, Elaine Harpur and Karen McCormack. Lismore Presentation Secondary School pupils and teachers are proud of these great volleyball players and know they they will be an inspiration to other volleyball players in the school.

We wish continued success to Lismore/Ballysaggart Community Games.

First Year Walks Her Way To Success — Congratulations to Sharon Lawless who won a Gold Medal in the Under 13 Walking Race in Mosney. Thirty two counties competed in the race and in the final Sharon came first out of 12.

1998 Leaving Cert Students of Lismore — We wish the Presentation girls and the Christian Brothers boys every success as they will soon be starting their third level courses having performed very well in their Leaving Cert.

New First Years — We welcome our new first years who are settling in very well.

Scoil Bhothar na Naomh — Cuirimid faillte roimh na daltaí agus na muinteoirí uile chun an scoile seo.

BUNSCOIL BHOTHAR NA NAOMH NOTES

Friday September the 4th proved to be an historic day for the Primary School going children of Lismore. At 9.15 am the doors of the new school were opened for the first time. The sense of excitement and anticipation was palpable as children assembled in their new school uniform.

Bunscoil Bhothar na Naomh is an impressive building and a credit to everyone involved in the project especially the wider Lismore Community whose support made this dream a reality. Canon Nugent P.P. V.F. blessed each classroom on Friday in the presence of the children. The date for the official opening of the school is yet to be decided.

To the students, staff and management, we wish many years of happiness and success in a school that you can be proud of.

BALLINVELLA LADIES CLUB NOTES

After our summer recess we are back at the school house on Monday night, September 14th at 8.30 pm sharp.

Carla Blake will be our special guest and for all those gardening enthusiasts amongst you she will be discussing all aspects of gardening.

Our last outing was our ladies day out where we took in garden centres, Stephen Pearse, Pottery Ballymaloo Cookery School, Shopping in Cork, bowling in the Coliseum, a fabulous meal in Fr. Prout Restaurant and we ended the day dancing our feet off in Rathgormack.

We would love to see new faces at the School House to meet our guest and anyone who has ever come has never been disappointed and is always tempted to return to some other evening during the year. We look forward to seeing you. Light refreshments will be served as usual.

DEATHS

Late Miss Mary Norris — The death took place on Monday August 31st of Mary Norris, Chapel St., Lismore at Waterford Regional Hospital after a brief illness. Her remains were removed to St. Carthage's Church on Tuesday September 1st from Ryan's Funeral Home and the burial took place on Wednesday after 11.00 am Mass to Rathgormack Cemetery. Deepest sympathy is extended to her brother, nieces and nephews, relatives and friends. May she rest in peace.

LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

Results — 1st Tuesday Bacon, C. Whelan (10), F. Corcoran (12), M. Forde (17), C. Ahearne (22). 2nd, S. Landers (9), J. Power (9), P. Walton (14), R. Ormonde (4). Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 18 Hole Classic Scramble, 1st, S. Power (6), P. Bennett (9), J. Bennett (12), M. Cahillane 52.3. 3rd, D. Burke (17), J. O' Leary (15), M. O' Mahoney (21), A. Duggan (22) 52.5. 4th, N. Walsh (17), P. Cummins (12), B. Foley (18), J. O' Sullivan (16), 55. Best Ladies, C. Ormonde (10), D. Power (10), S. O' Meara (12), M. Beecher (25), 59.5.

Fixtures — Saturday 12th September, 18 Hole Stableford, society. Sunday 13th, Ladies Presidents Prize, (Mrs. G. Barry). Friday, Saturday 18th and 19th, Ballysaggart GAA Golf Classic.

LADIES GOLF NOTES

Results — 2nd September, 18 Hole Stroke in aid of Conquer Cancer. 1st; J. Cahillane (36) 63 nett. 2nd; P. Doyle (37) 65 nett. 3rd; A. Allen (12) 66 nett. 28th September, 9 Hole 3 Ball Scramble. 1st; N. Foley (2), K. Casey (45), W. Casey (15), 26.8. 2nd, P. Morrissey (13), J. Hornibrook (12), P. McCarthy (11) 27. 3rd; P. Morrissey (13), P. Walton (15), M. Morrissey (31), 27 1/11. 4th; D.C. Lee (18) D. Lee (28), D. Power (10) 27 1/3.

Fixtures — 9th September, 18 Hole Competition. 13th September, Lady Presidents, Gretta Barry, Prize, draw for partners, Thursday at 5.00 pm.

C.L.G. NA NOG LIOS MOR

Roanmore Tournament — Our under 8 and under 9 hurlers travelled to Waterford city on Saturday last to participate in tournaments run by the Roanmore club. Our under 8's ran out convincing winners in their section with victories over Cappoquin, De La Salle and Ferrybank. The under 9's played 3 closely contested games against St. Saviours and against Kilkenny sides Piltown and Mooncoin.

The players that travelled to Roanmore were as follows; Dean Pratt, Lar Byrnes, Keith Dowd, Maurice Shanahan, John Prendergast, Shane Humphries, Philip Bennett, Emmett Byrnes, Dermot Nugent, Gavin Pratt, Pdraig Prendergast, Robert O' Keeffe, William O' Keeffe, Stephen O' Keeffe, Sean Leahy, Jason O' Sullivan, Niall Ahearne, Shane Linehan, Christopher Cashel, Ross Hannon, Ronan Walsh, Brian Bennett and David Fitzgerald.

Tournaments — On Saturday 19th September our U-10 hurlers will take part in an eight team tournament in Youghal while on the same day our under 12 hurlers have been invited to participate in an 8 team competition run by the Bishopstown GAA Club in Cork City.

Meeting — A meeting of juvenile committee will take place on Monday night next September 14th in the Community Centre at 9.00 pm.

Under 13 Hurling; Fitzgerald Cup Final — The final of the U-13 hurling championship against holders Ballyduff was due to take place on Sunday morning last but was called off because of the weather conditions.

Under 12 Football — Our under 12 footballers played a challenge game against Kilworth on Wednesday night last.

LISMORE GAA DRAW

Weekly Draw — £50; Adam and Aimee c/o 4 Parks Road. £30; Mrs. Nellie Fitzgerald, New Street. £20; Miss Kathleen Power, Mayfield. £15; Master Cillian Lee, Fernville. £10; Mr. Dave McGrath, Cappoquin. £10; Miss Kathleen Power, Mayfield. Promoters Prize; Mary Landers. Next draw takes place on Sunday 13th September.

Lismore Lotto — Numbers drawn were 7-22-24. No winner. Jackpot next week is £1,300. £25 voucher to Pauline Heffernan for goods to be purchased at John O' Gorman's.

ANNUAL CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

The Annual Church Gate Collection for Lismore Athletic Club will be held this Saturday 12th and Sunday 13th September. We would be grateful for your support. Thank you (Adv.)

ST. CARTHAGE HOUSE PROGRESSIVE 45

Winners; Josie Curley, Kitty McCarthy, Miss Murray, Jim Russell, Paddy and Mary Power. Raffle; Mary and Mike Whelan, Martin Sheehan, Jean Byrne, Lucky Tables; Niall Maher, Eamonn Morrow, Kevin Keniry, Tom Humphries.

ABBEYSIDE TOPICS

OUR LOCALITY

Browsing through the material in the Abbeyside Reference Archive on Sunday last I came across a booklet called "Stepping Back" which contained stories behind some of Abbeyside's Historical Sites, Events and Famous People.

It was presented to A.R.A. on the 10th day of March 1996 by Abbeyside Girl Guides to commemorate their visit to the Archive. Underneath I reproduce one of the articles called - The Pond and Strandside South.

'Fishermen came and fishermen went to learn your 3R's to here you were sent'.

For 79 years Abbeyside National School stood opposite the Pond. Built in 1891 it was opened on Monday the 22nd of August 1892 and was to remain the seat of education in the village for the following 65 years. It consisted, in the main, of two identical rooms, one for the boys, the other belonging to the girls. Conditions were far from ideal. Problems included multi-classes, two teachers in one room and no electricity supply. The heating system for the school amounted to one open fire. Overcrowding was a major problem, especially in the girls school and this was the main reason behind the construction of the new six classroom school nearby in Sheares Street. The new National School was blessed and opened by Very Rev. John Roche in the Spring of 1957. The Old School at the Pond was demolished on the 13th of July 1970.

As with any coastal village, the sea played an important role in village life. There were sailors and fishermen in most families and the Pond was the ideal vantage point from which to observe the activities in the Bay. The pier was built in 1954.

Youngsters too gathered at the Pond to play. During the summer months they fished for "Gowleys" or spent their time diving into the water at high tide.

The road from the Pond to Abbeyside Church is known as Strandside South. In times past "Epworth Cottage", the birthplace of Professor Walton stood here. Along here you can see the last remaining thatched cottage in the village i.e. Tierney's Farm, and nearby is the reputed side of St. Catherine's Holy Well. In Famine times the stores of Carbery and Galwey, which were situated in the vicinity, were blessed by the guardians to house the poor, and to alleviate overcrowding in the workhouse. Undoubtedly these old streets of Abbeyside have more stories to tell - if only they could talk.

(Another article from 'Stepping Back' next week).

ABBEYSIDE SCOUT NOTES

WILLIE GALLAGHER

It was on a very wet Sunday evening at Glenshelane that I first met Willie Gallagher when he arrived on site with a group of Cappoquin Cubs. It was so long ago that those Cubs could have Cubs of their own today.

I last met Willie at his home very recently when he gave me money for a charity event. In the intervening years I got to know a man of rare qualities. He was one of life's givers and the word 'yes' was more often used by him than 'no'. He had views on many subjects and was always willing to air them !! He liked to stir things up and was always positive and helpful. His great ability to communicate with young people always fascinated me. He gave much to scouting at all levels but particularly in his native Cappoquin.

In later years his health was not good but he never lost his great sense of humour and it was always an enjoyable event to meet him. He taught us a lot by his example and hospitality and will be sadly missed by all who were privileged to have known him.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam dílis. — Scribe.



HOUSING DEVELOPMENT

An enormous amount of building is planned for the Abbeyside/Ballinroad/Ballinacourty area in the very near future. At present, plans are in hand for a huge housing development in Ballinroad and also in the Tournore area. A notice in the local papers last week stated that permission to build 47 houses in Skehacrine is applied for and the latest news on the building front is that the area known as the Hermitage has been purchased by a developer for housing. Also in the past year the roadside from Barnawee Bridge to the Gold Coast Complex has become studded with new

houses.

Abbeyside, more and more over the years has become the residential area of Dungarvan and if it continues to be so, then it cannot be too long before our population reaches the six thousand mark.

The authorities, however, should realise that adequate green-field space should be allowed for in the midst of all the housing development. It is their responsibility to plan properly and to strike a balance between necessary development and the overall environment.

PATTERN MASS

Many people were pleased that the religious side of the Festival was not overlooked on pattern weekend. A special Mass was requested by the committee and was celebrated by Fr. Doherty P.P. with Fr. W. Dee (retired P.P.) as con-celebrant. There was a splendid attendance with members of the committee involved in the celebration. Mrs. Mary Rossiter did the readings and the Parish Choir led by internationally known ballad-tenor Michael O' Duffy sang appropriate hymns accompanied by organist Dr. Jim Stacey.

A homily on St. Augustine, the patron Saint of Abbeyside was preached by Fr. Doherty who reminded the congregation that one of the stained-glass windows in the church depicted St. Augustine and another window honoured his mother Saint Monica.

BALLINROAD I.C.A.

This group will resume their monthly meetings on Wednesday 9th of September at 8.30 pm in Clonea Strand Hotel.

Set Dancing will commence on Monday 21st September in Clonea Strand Hotel.

New members are most welcome.

PONGO AT BALLINROAD

The Tuesday Pongo Sessions will recommence in Ballinroad Hall on the 15th September at 2.30 pm. All are welcome. These get-togethers were very successful last winter and the Pongo players outing was very enjoyable.

Abbeyside Pattern Results 1998

SATURDAY SPORTS RUNNING

Boys — Under-4 - 1. David Earley, 2. Lee Mulhearn, 3. Richard Forsey; Under-6 - 1. Stephen Flynn, 2. Kealan Kiely, 3. Brian Delaney; Under-8 - 1. Raymond Tobin, 2. Craig Kinghorn, 3. Shane Whelan; Under-10 - 1. Mark Mulhearn, 2. Trevor O'Donnell, 3. Billy Ryan; Under-12 - 1. Patrick Hurney, 2. Paul O'Donnell, 3. Anthony Whelan; Under-12 - 1. Nicholas Veale, 2. Paul O'Donnell, 3. Patrick Hurney.

Girls — Under-4 - 1. Elizabeth Morrissey, 2. Aisling Veale, 3. Kelvey Delaney; Under-6 - 1. Jemma King, 2. Amy Desmond, 3. Amanda Power; Under-8 - 1. Sarah O'Brien, 2. Jenny Preston, 3. Elizabeth Morrissey; Under-10 - 1. Yvonne O'Brien, 2. Sarah O'Brien, 3. Aoife Nagle; Under-12 - 1. Susie Lonergan, 2. Tara Kiely, 3. Sally Lonergan; Under-12 - 1. Niamh Briggs, 2. Tara Kiely, 3. Susie Lonergan.

NOVELTY EVENTS Balloon Race

Boys under-4 - 1. David Earley, 2. Patrick Houlihan, 3. Brian Delaney; Girls under-4 - 1. Roisin Preston, 2. Mary Kate Coleman, 3. Jenna Guiry.

Abbeyside Pattern Dinghy Sailing Race

1. Don Bradley and Mark Crowe (D.H.S.C.), 2. Pat Keane and Edward Keane (D.H.S.C.), 3. Alex Ballot and Michael Shine (D.H.S.C.).

Abbeyside Pattern Cruiser Sailing Race

1. Martin Landers (Cork Garda Sailing Club), 2. Maurice Breathnach (D.H.S.C.), 3. Austin Flynn (D.H.S.C.).

Clothes Pegs

Ladies — 1. Teresa Wright, 2. Nora Delaney. Mens — 1. Michael Wright, 2. Chris Thomas. Juveniles — 1. Anna Young.

Tip The Bucket

1. J. Riordan and E. Moore, 2. Sean Crotty and Mick Brett, 3. Martina Landers and Caroline Kinghorn.

Skittles

Ladies — 1. Margaret Coleman, 2. Peg Murray. Men — 1. Kieran Veale, 2. Pat Earley. Juveniles — 1. Jason Healy, 2. Billy Ryan.

Boys under-11 - 1. Jason O'Brien and David Cahill, 2. Raymond Tobin and Jonathan Fraher, 3. Paul O'Donnell and Kevin Ryan.

Girls under-11 - 1. Susie and Sally Lonergan, 2. Niamh Organ and Jenny Preston, 3. Sarah Kenneally and Tara Kiely.

Sack Race

Boys under-7 - 1. Shane Whelan, 2. Craig Kiely, 3. Brian Delaney.

Girls under-7 - 1. Sarah O'Brien, 2. Claudine Fraher, 3. Jenny Preston.

Mixed Piggy Back

1. Niamh Briggs and Sarah O'Brien, 2. Jason O'Brien and Shane Whelan, 3. Jason Healy and Stephen Fehilly.

Ladies Sack Race

1. Grainne Earley, 2. Ann Landy, 3. Michelle Delaney.

Treasure Hunt

Juveniles — 1. Sarah Foley, Niamh O'Brien and Danielle Kirwan; 2. Paul O'Donnell, Anthony Whelan and Kevin Ryan.

Seniors — 1. Deirdre Colender and Mary McGrath, 2. Sinead O'Shea.

Egg & Spoon

Boys under-7 - 1. Peter Marriott, 2. Patrick Houlihan, 3. Shane Whelan.

Girls under-7 - 1. Amy Desmond, 2. Jenny Preston, 3. Christine Moore.

Wheelbarrow Race

Boys — Under-9 - 1. Trevor O'Donnell and Sean Fehilly, 2. Peter Marriott and Raymond Tobin, 3. Kenneth Kelleher and David Earley; Under-11 - 1. Wayne Drummy and David Flynn, 2. Jason O'Brien and David Cahill, 3. Jonathan Fraher and Raymond Tobin.

Girls — Under-9 - 1. Roisin Briggs and Aoife Nagle, 2. Claudín Fraher and Jenny Preston, 3. Kelly Moone and Mary Kate Coleman; Under-11 - 1. Sally and Susie Lonergan, 2. Sarah O'Brien and Elizabeth Morrissey, 3. Sarah Preston and Claudín Fraher.

Three Legged Race

Boys Under-9 - 1. Sean Fehilly and Trevor O'Donnell, 2. Shane Walsh and Shane Whelan, 3. Raymond Tobin and Peter Marriott.

Girls Under-9 - 1. Roisin Briggs and Aoife Nagle, 2. Claudín Fraher and Jenny Preston, 3. Sarah O'Brien and Elizabeth Morrissey.

Horse Shoes

Ladies - 1. Breda O'Donnell, 2. Peg Murray. Men - 1. Miguel Garcia, 2. Pat Donovan.

Juveniles - 1. Aoife Hally.

Baby Show

Under 18 months - 1. Sarah Louise Landers, 2. Ross and Keith Organ.

18 months to 3 years - 1. Shannon Monahan, 2. Paul Tobin.

Barperson's Race

1. Jim Egan, 2. Kieran Daly.

Stretcher Race

1. An Gabhas, 2. Minnies.

Langan Cup

Abbeyside won by beating Dungarvan, the score being Abbeyside 4-10 Dungarvan 1-8.

TALLOW NOTES

Brideview United. A.F.C. Notes

TONY BOLGER CUP

DOUBLE FOR UNITED

Yes both of our junior teams advanced to the next round. Our first team recorded a big away win in Affane while our second team won at home after extra-time.

Affane 0

Brideview Utd. A 5

A big away win here for our first team away in Affane. Apart from the win it was terrific to see Eoin Murphy back again in Utd.'s colours. Murphy has not lost any of his skills and indeed grabbed two goals to put Utd. on the road to victory. Dermot Henley added two more goals and Denis Martin also got in on the scoring act to give Utd. a comfortable win.

A good win here especially as injuries, work and holidays saw Utd. field without many of its first team. Out on Sunday last were Brian Henley, John P. Grey, Stuart Barry, Shane McCarthy and John Donovan. Hopefully most of these players will be back for the league.

Utd. - B. Sheehan, P. Curley, D. Martin, G. Sice, R. Henley, S. Pratt, J. Doyle, S. Curley, E. Murphy, P. Curley and D. Henley.

Brideview Utd. B 4 Valley Rangers B 2 (A.E.T.)

Our B team served up a real thriller on Sunday morning last despite the terrible wind and rain. Our neighbours from Conna namely Valley Rangers staged a marvellous second half comeback to take the game to extra-time.

Utd., playing with a gale force wind to their backs, went in front after just 8 mins. through Brian Donnelly. Tomás McCarthy put our lads 2-0 up after 20 mins. and they held this led until the break.

Rangers fought back in the second half, helped by a strong wind and were a little bit lucky perhaps as both goals looked to be O.G.'s. However they all count and at the final whistle the sides were level at 2-2.

The first period of extra-time failed to produce a goal but Utd. proved stronger in the second period. James Beecher struck a great volley which saw the ball end up in Rangers net to put our lads 3-2 in front. The final goal came from the penalty spot which saw William Murphy give Rangers 'keeper no chance. It was a great individual move by Ronan Cronin which led to the penalty. Cronin picked up the ball in midfield before beating off three defenders

and ended up in the box only to be brought down. So Utd. advance to the next round. A good win here for Utd.

Utd. - J. Fitzgerald, T. McSweeney, D. Doyle, F. Power, I. Farmer, W. Murphy, J. Beecher, L. Ahearne, L. Murphy, B. Donnelly, T. McCarthy. Res.: J. Tobin, T. Mulcahy, R. Cronin (all used).

Man of the match: All players played well here but James Beecher may just have pipped Ian Farmer.

NEWS TO HAND

One of the lads seemed to have a new girlfriend or has he? Another local chap has really got into dancing and I am not talking about on the floor. No he prefers to dance on chairs and he was not alone either, right girls. One or two of our players were put to bed early last week. Maybe it was the best thing as no way could they walk a straight line.

BOTTOM PINCHED

A local girl, having a drink by the bar, chatting with some friends suddenly she says whose pinching my bottom? To make a long story short, it proved to be a false alarm although one of her friends felt that she really had a big smile on her face. Right D. D.!!

UNDER-17 CHALLENGE GAME

Brideview Utd. 0 Lismore 3

Utd. fielded a very young side in this challenge game due to a variety of reasons. We found ourselves a goal down at the break. Lismore grabbed two more in the second half to give them a good victory.

Utd. - K. Keating, M. Keating, M. McGrath, S. Mills, P. Tobin, W. Henley, A. Tobin, D. Keniry, A. Tobin, O. Fitzgerald, M. Goulding. Res. used: C. Goulding.

NEXT WEEK

As more people are still handing in money for sponsorship for the festival, the committee will not thank everyone until next week in case someone is left out.

LOTTO

Last week's numbers drawn were 3, 6, 12, 14. No winner. Match 3 winners were Mary O'Riordan, Helen Cunningham, Alan Hennessy, Michael Condon, Mrs. K. Ahern, Aisling Cusack, Francis Murphy, Tracey Barry and Caroline Curley. Well done folks. Jackpot next week is £1,600 and the draw takes place on this Friday night in The Cor-

ner House at 9.30.

ON THE MEND

We are glad to report that John William McCarthy (Old Road) while still in the Mater Hospital in Dublin is on the mend. John had no shortage of visitors on Saturday last due to the soccer match in Dublin. John is in good form but it will be some weeks yet before he will be back home.

THANKS FOLKS

A word of thanks to all the boys in the Tallow area of Waterford County Council for a job well done. Tallow finished top of the list for cleanliness in the county. Who knows, maybe we will get the advance factory.

KING OR QUEEN

Well, we can announce that we now have got a king of 45. After a terrific final between the seven lucky finalists, Mick Grady won the final. A play-off between Sean Sheehan and Joe Geary to decide second place saw Sean Sheehan clinch second spot after a marvellous game. Anyway, to everyone who competed we say thanks a lot. Oh, and watch this space.

UNDER-13 CHALLENGE Youghal 9, Brideview 0

We travelled to Youghal last Saturday to play another pre-season friendly and were on the receiving end of a heavy defeat. We were up against a much superior Youghal team but we showed our determination, especially in the first half when we went in at the interval just 2-0 down.

The woodwork denied William Curley when through on goal and at the other end Graham O'Neill made several fine saves in goal.

At the start of the second half Youghal ran riot, scoring heavily in the first 10 minutes. Our midfield were overran for a while but steadied again in the last quarter. Defenders Giles and Cunningham showed again how steady they are when under pressure. We were missing four players from our last game, so some players were out of position but we must learn to lift our heads and keep playing when things are going against us.

Training continues this Friday at 7 p.m.

United — G. O'Neill, K. Casey, A. Goulding, S. Giles, N. Cunningham, M. Curley, R. Geary, E. Condon, C. Herlihy, W. Curley, W. O'Neill. Res., J. O'Neill, A. Daly (both used).

FIXTURES

Managers will be notified of fixtures for the coming weekend. Please to get in touch with their manager.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mick McCarthy and the Rep. of Ireland side on their marvellous victory over Croatia. As one paper said "like old times at Lansdowne Road" and so it was. There is still a long way to go and no doubt Mick may not be 100% pleased but it was a great start and our younger players will have learnt a lot from this game.

Well done, and as usual, the Tallow gang enjoyed themselves.

WINNING NUMBERS

The following are the winning tickets for the draw which took place in The Corner House Bar, so check your tickets: (1) 297 white AA 7K 2049; (2) 311 white AA 7K 2049.

WANTED

Wanted — Dart players for the local bar. Names to be in by this Sunday night.

TALLOW HORSE FAIR

Mounted Gardai A Big Attraction — A star attraction at this year's Tallow Horse Fair was the visit of the Mounted Gardai from Dublin. They proved to be a big hit with locals and visitors alike.

SIXTY YEARS IS A LONG TIME

Yes, one could say it's a life time and so it is, but that's the number of years Richard Lombard of Ballyhooley has been coming to the Tallow Horse Fair.

Richard was in good form when I met him on the morning of the fair. He remembers his first Tallow Fair when his father brought him. Richard has seen many changes since his first fair. There would be no need for a car park for starters, he said.

"I have never missed a Tallow fair since that first one," he added, "and I still get a kick out of coming here. The sun shining like this will bring a big crowd" he said and, sure enough, he was right as it was the biggest crowd to attend the horse fair for a number of years. The number of horses was also up on previous years. Let's hope Richard is back for next year. No doubt he will be.

SYMPATHY

The club extends its deepest sympathy to the Slattery family and McDonnell family on the sudden passing of Alexandra. May she rest in peace.

C.L.C.G. TULACH AN IARAINN

TALLOW JUVENILE G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Under-8 And Under-9 Hurling

The under-8's and under-9's travelled to Waterford last week to take part in a ground hurling tournament organised by the Roanmore Club. It was a good opportunity for the lads from Roanmore, Brickeys, New Ross, Dunhill/Fenor and our own boys to sharpen their ground hurling skills, a facet of the game which is too often neglected as lads get older.

Coaches Rachael Ryan, Eamonn de Paor and Diarmuid Hallahan were well pleased with our lads performance as the under-9's won out their group and the under-8's finished runners-up in theirs. There were many fine individual performances on the day and none more so than our two 'keepers, Barry Moroney and Sean Sullivan who are showing great promise in this position. Thanks to all the parents who travelled to Waterford.

Full panel of under-8's and under-9's - S. Sullivan, B. McCarthy, K. Hallahan, K. O'Brien, E. Sheehan, D. Mulcahy, K. Curley, C. Murphy, E. Roche, T. Daly, A. Pratt, B. Moloney, T. Ryan, C. Herlihy, S. Feeney, S. Ahern.

Under-14 Football

First game is away to Affane this Sunday. Leaving the Square at 10.45 a.m.

SEE CAN YOU SCORE

The last game in the See Can You Score series will be the All-Ireland Hurling Final between Offaly and Kilkenny. Jackpot £200. Sponsor for this game is Finbarr McCarthy Esq. The Juvenile Club would like to thank all our supporters who contributed to See Can You Score since its inception. It has been a tremendous success allowing us to consolidate and develop our underage club.

Birthday Wishes

Club Rúnaí Rachael celebrates her birthday this Friday. She refused to reveal her age but Maura says she's still being spoon fed.

CLUB DEVELOPMENT

As part of our long term development strategy, the Juvenile Club has identified the need to put in place proper structures to enhance and facilitate the growth of underage hurling and football in Tallow. To this end over the coming months, we will be looking closely at all aspects of procedure within the club to see where improvements can be made. It is no longer good enough just to be putting teams on the field. Many areas need to be addressed including coaching, team management, discipline, motivation, presentation of teams, decline in playing numbers and general organisation within the club. We will welcome an input from parents, former players or anybody with an interest in the club. We are an ambitious club and intend setting our standards on and off the field accordingly. As the club renaissance is still in its embryonic stage, it is vital at this juncture that we formulate a well thought out strategy and put in place the changes needed with clear guidance to achieve full potential. This is the task to which we have to apply ourselves diligently over the winter months and something that cannot be rushed into.

"De réir an seanfhocal. Is i ndiaidh a chéile a thógtar caisleáin."

MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Best of luck to our minor hurlers who play Abbeyside in the championship tonight (Wednesday).

Finscéal Románsaíocht San Iománaíocht

Hurling is sexy - a big hit with the opposite sex. The experts tell us it was always thus however. One of the celebrated stories from the old sagas and romances is that of Diarmaid and Gráinne. Although she was already betrothed to Fionn Mac Cumhaill, Gráinne fell in love with Diarmaid. In one translation from the wonderful story "Toraíocht Dhiarmada Agus Gráinne", Gráinne falls in love with Diarmaid when she saw him hurling.

"Of a day when a hurling match was played on the green of Tara between Mac Lú and Fionn on the one side and Cairbre of the Liffey and the men of Tara on the other, I sat high up at the window of my sunny chamber to see the game. Thou didst remain sitting with some other that day not meaning to take part in play but at last when the game began to go against thy friends, I saw thee start up and snatching the hurley from the man nearest to thee, thou didst rush into the thick of the crowd and before sitting down thou didst win the goal three times on the green of Tara. At that hour my eyes and my heart were turned to thee and well I knew thee today in this banquet hall, though I know not thy name till the druid told me. At that same hour too I gave thee my love, what I never gave and never will give to any other."

**TALLOW
COMMUNITY
CENTRE BINGO
RESULTS**

Mrs. Howard, Kilworth; Jim Lenihan, Conna; Patricia O'Neill, Scart; Michael Savage, Youghal; Mary Biddy Rumley, Conna; Pauline Lombard, Aghish; Lily McCarthy, Tallow; Mick Condon, Ballindangan; Mary O'Rourke, Lismore; Mrs. Deady, Dungourney; May Goulding, Mitchelstown; Mary Pratt, Tallow; Noel Long, Park; Marion Donovan, Mitchelstown; Nora McCarthy, New Street; Dan Hoare, Conna; Lisa Hennessy, Ballynoe; Mary Griffin, Mitchelstown; Colette Condon, Kilworth; Liam Sheedy, Mitchelstown; Martina O'Keeffe, Lismore; Mrs. Feeney, Ballyduff.

Next Sunday night's jackpot £725 on 48 calls or less.

**ST. PATRICK'S
PARISH HALL,
TALLOW**

Progressive 45 Drive Results - Sept. 2. 1st - Bertie Neville and Mick Pratt; 2nd - Batt Cantillon and Toinette Tobin; 3rd divided - Liam O'Brien and Helen Condon, Eileen O'Callaghan and Esther Walsh; Table Prize - Pad Walsh and Eric Curley; Raffle - Dick Tobin and Pad Walsh.

Cards tonight (Wednesday) at 8.30 p.m.

**KNOCKANORE,
GLENDINE,
KILWATERMOY
COMMUNITY
COUNCIL NOTES**

Extra Lights — Many thanks to Waterford County Council who have sanctioned two public lights for Kilwatemoy. The Community Council will meet the cost of these. Already a deposit has been paid by the Community Council. We look forward to the erection of the lights by the E.S.B.

Meeting

A meeting of the Community Council will be held in Knockanore on Wednesday night next, September 16 at 9 p.m.

**NEWS OF TOWN AND
ROUNDAABOUT**

PRAYING SCRIPTURE

On 15th September another Síol Retreat will commence. This is a Scripture-based retreat and helps people to pray and find new and deeper meaning in their lives. If interested, contact Sr. Gertrude, Presentation Convent. Telephone 058-41359.

DUNGARVAN G.A.A. LOTTO

Numbers: 21, 4, 24, 19. No winner. Next week's jackpot £2,000. Two winners of £25 each. Pat Kiely, Clogherane, Dungarvan; Mary Salmon, Keating Street, Dungarvan.

**DUNGARVAN TOURISM/FEILE NA nDEISE
LOTTO**

Numbers Drawn: 1, 12, 14, 15. No jackpot winner. Winner of £25: John McGrath, TSB, Dungarvan. Next week's jackpot will be £500.

DUNGARVAN BRIDGE CLUB

Bridge recommences on Thursday, September 10, at 7.30 p.m. in the Park Hotel.

RECENT DEATHS

**Late Joseph
Hayes**

The untimely passing of 30 year old Joseph Hayes, 18 Church Street, Dungarvan saddened the local community. Son of Morgan and the late Anna, Joseph was a person of very high academic ability. His Leaving Certificate from the local CBS was of top drawer quality, no surprise when Joseph proceeded to UCC to study electrical engineering. Most popular with fellow students and acquaintances, we extend our deepest sympathy to his father, brothers, sisters and many relatives at this time.

On Saturday Rev. Fr. G. O'Connor C.C. was present at the Kiely Funeral Home for prayers after which the cortege left for St. Mary's Parish Church. Requiem Mass followed on arrival. In the presence of a large and representative gathering the Liturgy of the Word was read by Paul (brother) and Bernadette (sister) while Declan and Vincent (brothers) shared the Prayers of Intercession. Sisters Maria and Monica brought the offertory gifts to the altar while the musical tributes were sung by Lorna Jane Murray (nee Daly). Pall-bearing duties were carried out by Joseph's four brothers and Francis Whelan and John McKeever (brothers-in-law). After the Holy Sacrifice the interment followed in the old churchyard cemetery. Rev. Fr. Michael Kennedy C.C. (who celebrated the requiem Mass), Very Rev. Fr. N. O'Mahony P.P., Very Rev. Fr. J. Gough O.S.A., Rev. Fr. D. Slator OSA were present to give words of comfort and support to the bereaved.

Chief mourners were Morgan (father), Maria, Bernadette and Monica (sisters), Vincent, Paul, Brendan and Declan (brothers), Francis Whelan, Brendan Costello and John McKeever (brothers-in-law), Rev. Fr.

John Doran OSA (uncle), Kitty Hayes, Kitty Smith, Margaret Puzenat, Mary Murphy, Alice O'Dea, Lily Kehoe and Helen Murphy (aunts) and a circle of other relatives including three nephews and six nieces and many friends.

(Funeral arrangements were by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

**Late Bridget
(Biddy)
O'Reilly**

With sadness and regret we record the passing of Biddy O'Reilly, Main Street, Ardmore which occurred in the early hours of Thursday morning last at Drumhills Private Nursing Home where she had spent the last few years. In her late eighties Biddy was well known and enjoyed the esteem of the entire community in Ardmore.

On Friday evening Rev. Fr. P. Butler C.C. led the relatives, friends and acquaintances in rosary and prayers at the Kiely Funeral Home before the funeral cortege left for St. Declan's Church, Ardmore. Following the 10.30 a.m. requiem Mass on Saturday the interment took place in the Old Cemetery, Grange.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Biddy's nephews Michael, Hugh, Tommy, nieces Joan, Bridget, Elizabeth, Deirdre, her grandnephews, grandnieces, great grandnieces, relatives and friends.

'Faoi bhrat Mhuire go raibh sí'

Full obituary in next issue. (Funeral arrangements were by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

**Late Kathleen
(Kitty) Landers
(nee O'Grady)**

It is with feelings of deep regret we record the passing of Kathleen (Kitty) Landers, (nee O'Grady), Kilbrien, Ballinamult which sad event occurred on Saturday, August 29.

Kitty was a kind and gentle lady much loved and respected by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. A native of Knockboy she had reached her 78th year and though she had not enjoyed the best of health for some years, she bore her final illness with true Christian fortitude. Her jovial disposition and willingness to help others made her a great parish favourite. She loved animals and her much loved white cat was well known in Kilbrien. Her death is all the more poignant due to the fact that her daughter Eileen

only predeceased her by only four short weeks. Her passing is much regretted not only by her sorrowing family but also by her many friends. May she rest in peace.

Following rosary recited by Fr. Kennedy P.P. removal was from her residence to Kilbrien Church where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Kennedy P.P., Fr. Ahearne P.P., Fr. Cooney OSA and Fr. Breen P.P. Ballyclerihan and followed by a large and representative cortege of mourners.

Following requiem Mass celebrated by Fr. Kennedy P.P. assisted by Fr. Kennedy C.C., Fr. Cooney OSA, Fr. McGrath, Mullinahone interment took place in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. Kennedy P.P. officiated at the graveside in the presence of the full choir of clergy present and in the presence of a large gathering. The lesson was read by Paul O'Leary, Michelle Flynn, Aidan Morrissey and Jackie Connolly.

The chief mourners were Ned and Johnny (sons), Maudie, Bridget, Kathleen, Josie, Alice and Abby (daughters), daughters-in-law, sons-in-law, sisters-in-law, grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

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

**Late Kathleen
O'Brien (nee
Daly), Sheskin,
Stradbally**

Chief mourners were Jackie (husband), Tom and Michael (sons), Maureen (daughter), Michael and John Daly, Maurice Foley (brothers), Tony Reynolds (son-in-law), Fidelma (daughter-in-law), brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nephews, nieces, grandchildren David and Doireann.

**NIGHT
MUSIC
CLASSES**

There will be a registration evening for music classes on Thursday next, September 17th at 7.30 pm in Modeligo Community Centre. These classes, under the supervision of Nicky Shanahan, will be open to everyone, both adult and child. Instruments; Tin Whistle, Recorder, Button Accordion, Piano Accordion, Keyboard and Violin.

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WEST WATERFORD NOTES



IN HOSPITAL

Our very good wishes for a speedy recovery to Mrs. Lil Beston, Clashmore presently in hospital recouping from a leg injury. Hurry up and get well soon is the message from all your friends, Lil.

CAITRIONA STAR OF THE GAME

Clashmore girl Caitriona Casey was really on form on Sunday last when she struck home six mighty points for Waterford against Mayo in the semi-final of the senior ladies football championship played in their home county at Dungarvan.

Waterford secured a comfortable victory over Mayo with a final score of Waterford 1-15 to Mayo 1-4. The efforts of another Clashmore girl Deirdre O'Rourke also contributed to Waterford's success but on this occasion

the player of the game was the brilliant Caitriona Casey. Well done to Waterford and best of luck in the All-Ireland Final.

CARD RESULTS

The results of last Monday night's 45 Drive in Clashmore were as follows:

Winners - Paddy and Nell Foley, Joint 2nd - Bobby Morrison and Jimmy Roche, Eileen Delaney and Maura McGrath, Kevin Gallagher and Breda, Best Last Five - Jack Douris and Paddy Hurton, Last Game - Peggy Hurton and Stephen Cunningham. Well done all.

DEBS BALL

On Thursday night last some local debutantes and their partners enjoyed the annual Loretto Convent Debs Ball at Loretto Convent, Youghal. A very enjoyable night was had by all. Con-

gratulations, girls.

LATE MR. BERNARD SMIDDY

The death has taken place of well known Youghal farmer, Mr. Bernard Smiddy of Beanfield. Bernard died peacefully at Cork University Hospital on Saturday last, September 5 following illness.

His removal took place from Egan's Funeral Home in Youghal to the Holy Family Church on Sunday evening. Following requiem Mass on Monday, Bernard was laid to rest in North Abbey Cemetery.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to his wife Bree (nee Colbert, Ardmore), his son John, daughters Ann, Mary and Brigit, his brother Dominic (Clashmore) and his sisters Sr. Baptista, Margaret, Jenny and Gabriel and all his relatives and friends. May he rest in peace.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

A very special congratulations to Carina Kelly, daughter of Tom and Kitty Kelly, Piltown who celebrated her 21st birthday at the Decies Bar in Clashmore on Saturday night last. A student nurse in England, Carina is wished all the best by her family and friends. Happy birthday, Carina.

SYMPATHY

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Tony Ryan and family, Dungarvan on the very sad death of a wonderful wife and mother, Mrs. Veronica Ryan. A very well known and popular teacher at Ardmore National School, she will be dearly missed by everyone. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a nam.

COOPERS DARTS

A very successful meeting to form a darts club took place at the Coopers and the

following officers were elected:

Chairperson - Sean Foley, Secretary - Francis O'Rourke, Treasurer - Tom (Cooper) Cunningham, P.R.O. - Billy Prendergast, Selectors - Sean Foley, Tom (Cooper) Cunningham and Michael (Mitch) Baker, Delegates - Tom (Cooper) Cunningham and Sean Foley.

Best of luck this season. All players welcome. News of an exciting house competition beginning shortly. Further details later.

CLASHMORE/KINSALEBEG

COMMUNITY GAMES

National Finals Medal For Our Club — On a year when Waterford athletes gave one of their best performances ever at a National Final of Community Games, we are delighted to report success for our own club Clashmore/Kinsalebeg.

Representing Waterford in the National Finals from Clashmore/Kinsalebeg were Declan Coughlan (under-10 Hurdles), James Ledingham (under-14 800m), Marcus Prendergast (under-14 100m Sprint), Una Leahy, James Ledingham, Yvonne Coughlan and Marcus Prendergast (Under-14 Relay team). Well done to each of you who took part and congratulations to those who qualified for the semi-finals.

On this occasion pride of place must go to our 800m athlete, James Ledingham. James gave a great performance to take the silver medal in this event. Congratulations and well done, James.

Our thanks to everyone especially Tony Shalloe who assisted with the training and organising the athletes for the National Finals.

BALLYSAGGART NOTES

GAA LOTTO RESULTS

The numbers drawn last week were 2-3-16-21. There was no winner of the jackpot. £10 winners were; Mary Bennett Lenane, Lismore. Helena Walsh, Ballysaggart. Mgt. Fennessy, Glendeish. The jackpot for Tuesday 8th September is £1,500.

BENEFIT NIGHT

Just a reminder that the fund raising night to help with Michael Kearney's medical expenses goes ahead on this Friday night 11th September at Meagher's Bar. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

CARD RESULTS

3rd September, 1st; Pad

Walsh and Pa Geoghegan. 2nd and 3rd divided; Jackie Houlihan and Kathleen Coleman. Denis Roche and partner. Nellie Devine and Stephen Cunningham. Best last 5; Sheila Lomergan and Maggie Parker. Lucky tables; Tony and Anne McGrath. Pat O' Connor and Mike Whelan. Raffle; Donie Roche and Jackie Houlihan. Nellie Devine and Joan Byrne.

COMMUNITY GAMES SUCCESS

Congratulations to Tom Bennett who was a member of the Waterford team who won the Marathon in the Community games at Mosney at the weekend.

Kilrossanty Notes

KILROSSANTY G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Junior A Football — The Junior A footballers played Rathgormack in the replay of the Junior A League Final in Walsh Park, Waterford on Sunday evening last. This was a tough match for the 60 mins. but at the final whistle Kilrossanty ran out winners on the score of 1-10 to 1-9. After the match, the cup (sponsored by Friends of Waterford Football) was presented to Tom Prendergast, captain of the winning side by Seamus Grant, Secretary of Waterford County Board G.A.A.

Team - Richard Hayes, Pat Hayes, Tom Prendergast, Paul Lennon, Jay Kirwan, Kevin Lomergan, Eamonn Flynn, Ger Houlihan, Dermot Kiely, Seamus Veale (1-0), Jack Kiely (0-1), Darrell Donnelly, Tommy Kiely (0-7), Nicky Hayes (0-2), Alan Kiely. Sub: Walter Power for Dermot Kiely.

Well done to all concerned and the selectors.

The Junior A footballers will play Shamrocks in Touraneena Tournament in Kirwan Park this Sunday evening at 6 p.m. for the O'Keeffe Cup.

Junior B Football — The Junior B footballers played Stradbally in the championship last Friday night in Leamybrien. From the first five minutes, the Kilrossanty lads were in full command until the final whistle. The score was 1-17 to 2-1.

Team - J. Paul Hallahan, Noel Walsh, Pat Prendergast, Charlie Foley, Richard Cotter, Pat Keating, Paudie Kirwan, Walter Power, Vinny Walsh, P. J. Houlihan (0-3), Pat Whyte (0-4), Kevin Casey (1-1), Tom Flynn (0-2), John Dempsey (0-3), John Power (0-2). Subs: Tom Keating (0-1) for K. Casey, Kenny Houlihan (0-1) for T. Flynn, Colm O'Brien for John Power.

Under-13 Hurling — Well done to our under-13 hurlers on winning the Fitzgerald Trophy last Saturday in the Dungarvan G.A.A. pitch. On the way to this final, we had good wins over Stradbally, Cappoquin and Fourmilewater. Our opponents in the final were Colligan and a good hard game was expected. At the interval Colligan led by the only score of the first half 1-0 to no score.

In the second half our lads got down to the business and in a thrilling second half, we took the scores brilliantly and won on a scoreline of 4-2 to 1-1. Dale Power received a beautiful plaque and a set of medals

for the team from Paddy Foley, Ardmore. Well done to all involved.

Team - Michael Walsh, Stephen Ryan, Sean Crotty, Stephen Prendergast, David Prendergast, Thomas O'Brien, Kieran Ryan, Brian Lally, Patrick Curran, Eoin Darcy, Dale Power (capt.), Michael Kirwan, Wayne Power, Joey Veale, Michael O'Donnell. Subs used: Paul Flynn for W. Power, Stephen Raher, William Raher, Eoin Power, Darren Walsh, Fintan Walsh, Conor Hayes, David Halley.

Under-14 Football — Barry and Mark Prendergast represented the club on the west team in the annual game in Kill last Saturday in the O'Regan Cup. The western team won easily defeating the eastern team 2-13 to 2-2. The lads received lovely trophies after the match.

Under-14 football challenge v St. Marys in Kilrossanty Field this Saturday at 2.30 p.m.

Underage Football — The Under-12 and Under-14 Championships will be starting in mid September. Over the past couple of weeks they have played a number of challenges with Clashmore, Brickeys and Stradbally. The under-12's played Brickeys last Friday evening and are due to play Ballinacourty next Friday in Abbeyside.

Under-10 Hurling — Under-10 hurling v Kill this Sunday at 11 a.m. in Kilrossanty Field. This is for a set of medals kindly sponsored by Tom Riordan.

Please have hurleys, helmets and shinguards for the match.

Under-12 Football — Under-12 football challenge v Abbeyside at Abbeyside this Friday night. 6 p.m. to be in Leamybrien.

Talent Contest — As announced in last week's notes, the club are running a talent contest starting on October 2. All kinds of talents welcome. Main sponsors will be Guinness. Winner each night will receive £50. See posters in your area for more information. Entries to be in by September 26 to (051) 291254 Crotty's Inn or T. Coffey (051) 291193. £1,000 in prizes.

Senior Football — Kilrossanty take on Gleann Na nDéise in the quarter-final of the championship this Saturday night, September 12 at Fraher Field, Dungarvan at 6.45 p.m. This is a game which we hope to win if all players will play at full strength and would put us into the semi-final.

Kilrossanty Notes

WEDDING BELLS

Congratulations to Anne-Marie Whelan, Kealfoun and Benny Wade, Kilgobinet who were married recently in Few's Church. Best wishes to you both for your future together.

FIELD DAY

With so many other attractions on Sunday week last, our thanks must go to all who turned out in support of the event. Credit too to the organisers. £305.05 was raised for the development of the hall.

GOOD WISHES

Good wishes to Fr. Liam O'Callaghan S.S.C. who visited us last Sunday week to celebrate Mass. We thank him for his visit and wish him well in his mission - Pakistan.

Liam is nephew of Kathleen Connors of Adramone and nephew of the late Jimmy Whyte of Cutteen.

NEW ARRIVAL

Congratulations to Richard and Christine Houlihan of Crough on the birth of their baby boy over the weekend.

LEAMYBRIEN SCHOOL BUS SERVICE DRAW

The winners of £25 each were Helen Quinn, Kealfoun; Brian Whelan, Ballymurrin, Kill; Paddy Dee, Leamybrien; John Moloney (Snr.), Cahiraun, Kill. Thanks to all who bought tickets for the above.

I.C.A.

I.C.A. meeting in Kilrossanty Hall next Monday night, September 13 at 8 p.m. Hope to see all members refreshed after the break and with new ideas for the coming year.

KILROSSANTY G.A.A.

Clotto — The Clotto for £1,500 was not won on Sunday night last. The numbers drawn were 9, 19, 20, 23. The winners of £20 each were John Kiely, Ballingown and Ned Dee, Graiguerush. Sellers prize of £10 went to Ger Walsh, Grawn. Next Clotto on September 20.

Déise Lotto — Déise Lotto will be held in Lawlors Hotel next Monday night. Tickets to be back to Mairead Coffey by Sunday night.

Ladies Football — Well done to Christina Keating, Ciara Prendergast and Stephanie Hallahan on their great victory over Monaghan in the Under-16 All-Ireland Final. The team was managed by Johnny Kirwan. Well done to all.

Senior Ladies Football — Well done to the Waterford senior ladies who had a good win over Mayo last Sunday in Fraher Field and in doing so qualified for the All-Ireland final against Monaghan on October 4 in Croke Park. Triona Whyte was a sub on the team.

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

Weekending Sept. 6. Winning numbers drawn 16, 17, 20. New jackpot £1,200. The five winners of £10 each were Sinead Condon, Johnny McGrath, Con Hogan, Clonmel, Patsy Lonergan, Ardfinnan, John and Terry Fitzpatrick.

ÉIGSE SLIABH gCUA
See full story on page nine.

TOURANEENA RACQUETBALL CLUB NOTES

Underage Coaching — Last weekend saw plenty of racquetball being played as the Irish juvenile team manager, Christy Slattery and four members of the Templederry Club travelled down to participate in a coaching weekend.

On Saturday night Michelle Hogan, Daniel Shanahan and Matthew Ryan, who are members of the Irish junior team who are travelling to the World Championships in December, were joined by former international player Tara Kennedy and they played against our three international players Niamh, Mairead and Seamus.

These games were fast and competitive and they should prove advantageous to our players over the coming weeks.

On Sunday morning Christy provided coaching for many of our underage players and it was good to see so many take advantage of this opportunity. He started at 10.30 a.m. and continued straight through until 2 p.m.

He gave some excellent advice about all aspects of the game and encouraged the players to practise all the various shots on a regular basis and try to improve on their overall techniques. Over the past 18 months our players have established themselves as one of the top three clubs in the country.

They have achieved this through hours of hard training in ball work and fitness. There is now a strong belief that many of our players are on the verge of a breakthrough at provincial and national level but to achieve this they have to obtain a superior level of fitness than their opponents and they have to develop a superior array of shots which can only happen with plenty of practice.

The news about Niamh, Seamus and Mairead being selected to represent Ireland in the World Championships should provide the perfect spur for these players to go on and achieve top honours. If they put in the necessary work, there is no

doubt that many of our players will emulate the achievements of Niamh, Seamus and Mairead in the not too distant future.

Over the next three months our players will be participating in the inter-provincial trials and Munster and All-Ireland Uneven Championships.

Many of our players are currently training hard for these championships. A typical week's training for one of our top underage male players is a three mile run three times a week, three 40 min. ballwork sessions and one competitive tournament game. Hopefully the players that are doing this training will achieve their just rewards over the next couple of months.

Interprovincial Trials —

The trials for the Munster junior racquetball team will be held in Touraneena on Saturday, September 19. These trials should provide some top class games as they will include the finest players in the province. Some games may be played on the previous Friday evening depending on the amount of entries. Our players that are eligible to participate in these trials are as follows:

Under-12 - Niamh Coffey, Fiona Gleeson and Seamus Power, Under-14 - Aoife Hickey, Mairead Hickey, Michelle Gleeson, Marie Quinlan, Willie Power, Tristan Hickey and Jack Power, Under-10 - J. J. Coffey and Eoin Walsh.

Flancare Knockout Championships — Games continue in the Flancare Knockout Championships over the next week. Tomorrow night (Thursday) sees John Power play Sean Dalton, Niamh Coffey plays Marie Quinlan and Jack Power plays Stephen Cliffe. On Monday evening next Eanna Power plays Sean Dalton and Colin Gleeson plays Colm Geary.

Tuesday evening sees John Myles play Willie Power, Paul Gleeson play Seamus Power and Tristan Hickey play either Jack or Stephen.

Marie And Willie Lead Running Leagues — Tonight's stage of the Autumn Running League is the final one in this series and it could well prove to be the closest and most exciting to date. Marie Quinlan leads the 24 mile league and Willie Power leads the 3.1 mile league but both leaders have only a slender one point lead.

In last week's stages Aoife Hickey smashed open the 2.4 mile record when she completed the course in 18 mins. flat. Tristan Hickey produced a personal best time of 19.57

in the 3.1 mile course to record an impressive stage victory. Seamus Power was also in impressive form and recorded his fourth P.B. in a row. Last week's results were as follows:

3.1 Mile - 1. Tristan Hickey (19.57), 2. Pat Keane (18.08), 3. Jack Power (22.00), 4. Seamus Power (26.13), 5. Eamonn Power (22.41), 6. Aidan Hickey (24.12), 7. Willie Power (20.30), 8. Denis Coffey (20.40), 9. Shane Hickey (24.24), 10. Tom Condon (23.41), 11. Frankie Connolly (20.02), 12. Brendan Kiely (25.33).

2.1 Mile - 1. Aoife Hickey (18.00), 2. Fiona Gleeson (22.10), 3. Marie Quinlan (21.39), 4. Michelle Gleeson (19.50), 5. J. J. Coffey (20.31), 6. Eileen Hickey (28.59).

The league tables are as follows:

3.1 Mile - 1. Willie 9 pts., 2. Pat 10 pts., 3. Tristan 19 pts., 4. Jack 19 pts., 5. Eamonn 20 pts., 6. Seamus 20 pts., 7. Tom 22 pts., 8. Shane 22 pts., 9. Denis 27 pts., 10. Aidan 36 pts.

2.4 Mile - 1. Marie 6 pts., 2. Michelle 7 pts., 3. J. J. 9 pts., 4. Fiona 16 pts., 5. Eileen 19 pts.

Tonight's stage starts again at 6.45 p.m. There will be five bonus points for anybody who produces a personal best time and a further five points bonus for anybody who can knock 30 secs. off their personal best time.

NAOMH BRÍD G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Under-14 Football Championship Gets Underway — We kick start our quest to win the Under-14 Football Championship on Saturday when we visit Aglish to play St. Saviours.

We play in Div. 2 which is the hardest group to pick the winner from as after the St. Oliver's game, we play Nire at home, Kilrossanty away and Ballyduff at home. All five teams have an equal chance of the Divisional Championship.

Players are asked to be at the Aglish grounds by 2.45 p.m. for a 3 p.m. start. For those who don't know where the Aglish pitch is, it is behind the school just below the church.

Best Of Luck — We wish the best of luck to Seamus Power and his partner, Joe McGovern (Kilgobinet H.C.) in the 6 x 30 Munster Under-12 Handball Doubles Final. Earlier this year Seamus and Joe won the 40 x 20 final.

Seamus was also part of the Touraneena team beaten in the Div. 3 Féile Handball Final and also during Féile won his second Div. 3 skills runners-up medal in a row. As you are aware Féile is

an under-14 competition and Seamus is only 11 years of age.

All-Ireland Final — Congratulations to the county senior ladies football team on their win over Mayo on Sunday and so reaching the All-Ireland Final against their arch rivals Monaghan who had a two point win over Meath.

Let's hope that the senior team can make it a hat-trick of All-Irelands this year on October 4.

Debut — On Sunday evening last Adrian Lonergan who was one of our star under-16 players this year made his championship debut for St. Marys when he came on as a second half sub and scored a goal.

Hopefully next year we will see some more of last year's and this year's under-16 teams in adult championship action.

TOURANEENA BADMINTON CLUB NOTES

As the new season is about to begin and ladies and men's teams have to be submitted shortly, we are holding our annual general meeting on Wednesday, September 9, at 9 p.m. at the Community Centre. All members and intending members are welcome to attend.

Many thanks to all who supported our sponsored walk held recently. Anyone with a sponsorship card, please return to any committee member.

Brickey Rangers G.A.A. Notes

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Brickey Rangers 1-7 Ballyduff 0-10 — Everyone agreed that the above final scoreline with the teams finishing "all square" was a fair result of this fast, competitive and very entertaining second round of the intermediate championship which was played at the Colligan venue on Saturday evening last. It was that kind of game; either team could have won and yet neither team deserved to lose. It was reminiscent of other great footballing battles between these two clubs down through the years.

Our own very young squad gave a battling performance of which they can be very proud. They showed great character to come from behind when they trailed by one point with only minutes remaining. It was certainly a night when the boys became men. The replay promises to be a crowd-puller.

Our lineup was: Vinnie O'Brien, Owen Morrissey, Jimmy Sheehan, Stephen Walsh, Kevin Walsh, James Cooney, Richie Halpin, Brian Power, Olan Casey, Mickey Donnelly, Jim McGrath, J. P. Donnelly, Barry Kinsella, Patrick Halpin, Colin Keane. Sub used: Alan Kinsella.

MINOR FOOTBALL — We play Affane this Thursday evening in the Western final at the Fraher Field at a time to be finalised.

ROANMORE U-8 AND U-9 HURLING TOURNAMENT — Last Saturday we travelled to Roanmore to take part in an Under-8 and Under-9 ground hurling tournament being held by the club.

The Under-8s were grouped with Tallow, St. Oliver's and Roanmore. The team played some excellent ground hurling and were easy winners over St. Oliver's and Roanmore, but Tallow were to prove much harder opponents. This was a very close game however and the team gave all they had and won by two goals.

There was great excitement among the children as they were presented with their medals by Stephen Frampton.

Panel of players — Philip Walsh, Mark Cummins, Niamh McGrath, Shane Kearney, Mark Shalloe, Gavin Flynn, Philip Spratt, Barry O'Halloran, Craig O'Connor, Aidan Walsh, Jamie Tobin.

The Under-9s were grouped with Dunhill/Fenor, New Ross and Tallow. The boys had a good win over Dunhill/Fenor and lost to Tallow and New Ross. Tallow won this group.

Panel of players — David Curran, Trevor Whelan, Darragh Shalloe, Ciarán Lane, Liam Hansberry, John David O'Connell, Philip Walsh, Shane Kearney, Mark Shalloe, Gavin Flynn.

Well done to all the children who travelled on the day. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Roanmore for inviting us to this very well run tournament.

DANCING CLASSES — Children's dancing classes resume this Thursday night, September 20 at 5.30 p.m. in Bushy Park. Beginners welcome. Adult classes will not resume until October.

SPORTS DAY — Due to the adverse weather conditions our sports and outdoor Mass had to be cancelled. A new date will be fixed later.

ALL-IRELAND TICKETS — All-Ireland tickets will be raffled for paid up members on Thursday night at 8.30 p.m. in the clubhouse.

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DUNGARVAN DRAMATIC CLUB NOTES

At a recent meeting of Dungarvan Dramatic Club it was decided that our next production will be Lennox Robinson's "Drama At Inish". This is a great favourite with many members and will provide some great acting roles. It will be produced by Margaret Dennehy and staged from mid-November in the Park Hotel.

The play, set in a seaside Hotel in the thirties, concerns a group of actors who

bring a series of plays to enliven the Summer Season. Fed on a diet of Ebsen and Chekhov, the local denizens soon find themselves wanting to be as angst-ridden as their dramatic role models often with hilarious results. "Drama At Inish" is a farcical comedy calling for a large cast of thirteen - eight men and five women.

Readings will be held in the Park Hotel at 8.00 pm on Tuesday 15th September. All are welcome to try out for a part.

Might I take this opportunity to remind all unpaid members that membership is now due to Breda Regan, our treasurer.

MODELIGO NOTES

LOTTO

Winning numbers drawn were 2-5-11. No winner. Jackpot on Saturday is £1,400. Will lady luck blow in your direction this weekend. Get your tickets fast as demand is high. Good luck!

£10 winners; Rev. Fr. P. Queally, Modeligo. Michael Dalton, Glen. J. Drohan, Cappagh. Maureen Twohig, Cappagh. Brian Denn, Bawnfaun.

GET WELL

Wishes are sent to all our parishioners who are feeling under the weather at present. Hope to see you back to full health soon.

DEVOTIONS

Call along to Modeligo Church any Friday night and join our prayer group. Everyone is welcome. Join us also between 6.30 pm and 7.30 pm on Saturday nights for Benediction and Reflection.

West Waterford Hospice Notes

The Hospice would like to thank the Summer Bridge Club for their recent donation which was raised over the summer months.

We would again like to remind people of the annual coffee morning which is being held throughout the country on behalf of the Hospice movement. The event is again sponsored by Bewleys. Whilst the event is taking place nationwide, all money raised in any area is for the use in the provision of services in that area. Anybody interested in holding a coffee morning can contact (058) 41162/41063 for further details.

Dungarvan Musical & Choral Society Notes

We are very happy to present Edmund Rice Musical & Choral Society's "Summer Musical Extravaganza" in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan on Thursday September 10th at 8.00 pm sharp. Admission £5.

This promises to be a great night out for all music lovers. This Waterford Society has won many awards for their productions over the years so we are looking forward to a real treat on Thursday.

All members of Dungarvan Musical & Choral Society are invited to an Extraordinary General Meeting on Monday September 21st at the Park Hotel at 8.00 pm. All members past and present are welcome to this very important meeting.

Shaun's Show



The "Dungarvan Leader," in association with WLR FM bring you "Celtic Classics" on Shaun Organ's Afternoon Programme.

When you hear any of the songs listed being played on Shaun's Show and if you are the tenth caller on 051-872248 you will win one of many prizes. These songs could be played any time Monday to Friday between 3 p.m. and 6 p.m. — So stay tuned!"

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- Paul Brady - Crazy Dreams
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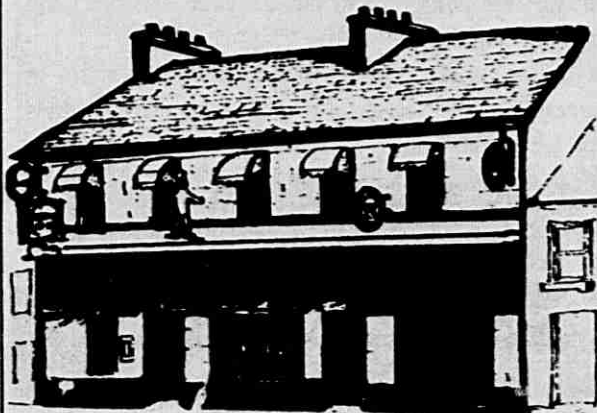
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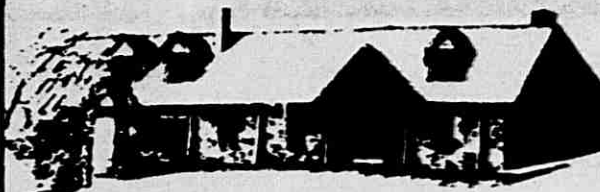
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Dungarvan Branch M.S. News

On Saturday, August 29th our sponsored cycle took place. Ladies and Gents started off at Grattan Square at 9.10 am on to Waterford, Carrick, Clonmel, Cahir, Clogheen, up the Vee, on to Cappoquin and finished at Grattan Square. At 6.20 pm the first stop was at Red Square, Waterford. 2nd stop was Central Bar, Cappoquin. When the cyclists arrived back in Dungarvan they were greeted by Counsellor Nora Flynn, Chairperson of Waterford County Council and Hart Chairman of Dungarvan Urban Council. Our sincere thanks to all the cyclists, the sponsors, the civil defence who provided us with an ambulance and driver Denis Moynihan, the Garda motor

cycle escort John Collins, to Pat Norris Vice Chairman of Clonmel County Council. A special word of thanks to Frank Murphy who did a wonderful job on the day and his partner Jerry McGrath, Bewley's, Waterford. Nora Flynn, Central Bar, Cappoquin, Sean Murphy and Tony Coffee, Paddy O' Donnell for all his help, and of course our bucket collectors who did a trojan job and anyone who helped in any way to make our cycle such an outstanding success. Anyone who wants to return cash to the committee please hand in same to Mairead McGrath, Richie Pratt or Peter Butler. Open meeting on September 23rd in the Park Hotel at 8.30 pm.

Dungarvan Toastmasters Has A Lot To Offer

Dungarvan Toastmasters is affiliated with Toastmasters International, the world's leading organisation devoted to the improvement of individual communication and leadership skills. We are one of 8,000 clubs worldwide. The club was founded in 1990. We meet on 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan at 8 p.m. sharp. Our next meeting is on Thursday, September 10. Visitors are most welcome.

Members Have Opportunities To:

- ★ Learn and practice techniques of effective public speaking.
- ★ Prepare and deliver formal speeches on subjects of their own choosing.
- ★ Give impromptu talks on assigned topics.
- ★ Gain speaking experience that relates to specific career needs.
- ★ Sharpen their listening/evaluation skills.
- ★ Learn proper parliamentary procedure.
- ★ Preside as a meeting chairman.
- ★ Gain valuable leadership management experience.

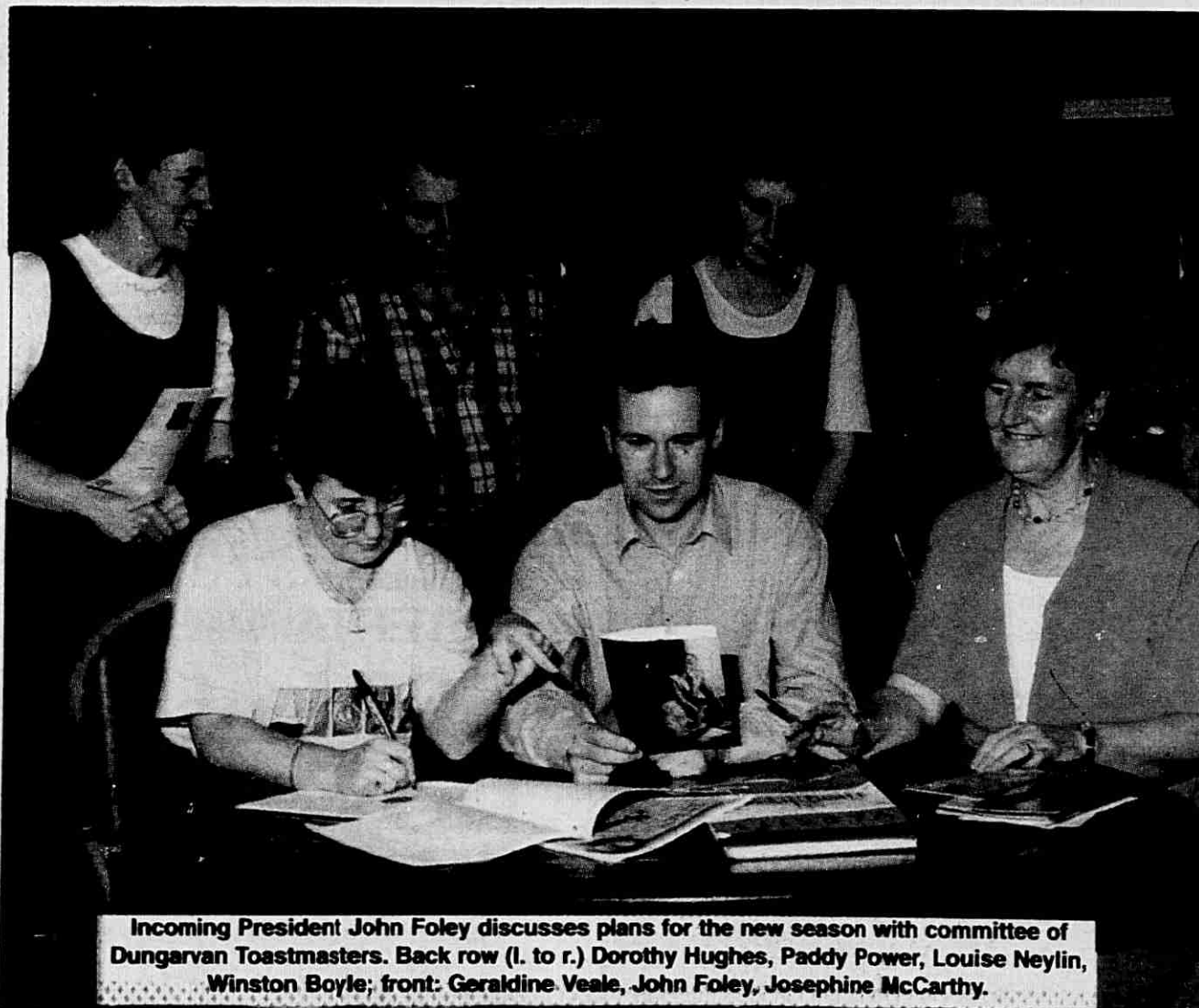
★ Gain personal confidence that will help when speaking to one person or one thousand.

★ Enter Toastmasters International Annual Speech Contest "the World Championships of Public Speaking".

Tom Peters, best selling author — "In Search Of Excellence" and "The Pursuit of Wow" tells us "join Toastmasters, oral communication skills count. Height and hair colour may be in the genes but public speaking isn't. One good answer to the public speaking problem is Toastmasters. They do a fabulous job of helping people shape up their communication skills."

Harvey Mackey, best selling author — "I've never met anyone who didn't think Toastmasters was super valuable to their career. We gain self-esteem, self-confidence, assertiveness. This makes us better sales people, better managers, better leaders."

Les Brown, author - Live Your Dreams - "If you want your dreams to come true you must have confidence in yourself and your abilities. A Toastmasters Club can give you that confidence. Make your dreams a reality. Join a Toastmasters Club."



Incoming President John Foley discusses plans for the new season with committee of Dungarvan Toastmasters. Back row (l. to r.) Dorothy Hughes, Paddy Power, Louise Neylin, Winston Boyle; front: Geraldine Veale, John Foley, Josephine McCarthy.

Gymnastic Success For Local Girl In Community Games



▲ Pictured above is Kellie Duggan who represented Waterford at gymnastics in the girls under-12 section at this year's National Finals of the Community Games in Mosney.

Kellie finished joint first against competitors from 32 counties with a score of 8.5. After deliberations Kellie received the silver medal. This was the first gymnastic medal won for Waterford in the 27 year history of the Community Games.

Kellie trains under Clare Blake from Clonmel, at Dungarvan Sports Centre and is a pupil at St. Mary's School, Dungarvan.

FIRST GYMNASTIC MEDAL FOR WATERFORD IN THE HISTORY OF THE COMMUNITY GAMES

AUTOGENIC TRAINING

Autogenic Training is one of the most powerful techniques ever developed for reducing stress, promoting relaxation and awakening the innate healing powers that we all possess. A.T. is now available at the Family Centre, Mitchell Street, Dungarvan. Over a period of eight weeks participants receive simple step by step instructions explaining how to perform a series of easy mental exercises which help them to achieve deep relaxation of mind and body. Through A.T. the subconscious mind becomes receptive to the healing effects of the therapy. Participants learn how to improve wellbeing, combat illness, increase energy levels, release latent creativity, deal with unresolved emotions, phobias and anxieties and also improve concentration and memory.

An Autogenic Training Course begins at the Family Centre on Tuesday, September 15 at 8 p.m. As numbers are limited, early booking is advisable. An explanatory leaflet, together with booking form, may be had at the Family Centre or by phoning Joe Colfer on (051) 370818.

Official Opening Of Breathnach's SPAR Supermarket In Ring

Among the famous cartoon characters who attended Breathnach's grand opening of the local SPAR Supermarket in Ring was Fred Flintstone pictured over with a crowd of young supporters who attended the opening.



Crowds Attend Opening Of Breathnach's Spar In Ring

A new experience in local supermarket shopping was officially opened in Ring last Saturday with the grand opening of Páidí Breathnach's Spar supermarket.

Crowds of local well wishers attended the opening activities with face painting for the kids as well as free minerals and crisps and a special visit by Fred Flintstone and the Tayto man. Visitors were treated to a cheese and wine reception in the new Spar premises which are designed to the latest modern standards.

Every hour between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. a super free draw was held for customers with such prizes as hampers, vouchers and electrical goods etc.

Performing the official opening was Páidí's mother Mrs. Sheila Breathnach while local parish priest Fr. J. Kiely blessed the new building. Also present at the grand opening was an outside broadcast unit from WLR which greatly added to the occasion offering many giveaways and prizes.

True to the Spar name, Breathnach's has "all you need when you need it" from newspapers, wines, briquettes and frozen foods to an instore bakery, hot deli, delicatessen and fresh flowers etc.

Watch out for the upcoming Autumn promotion at Breathnach's featuring three Walt Disney children's breakfast sets.



The Tayto man entertains a huge crowd from Ring at the opening of Breathnach's local SPAR Supermarket last Saturday.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

JUNIOR CERT CELEBRATION

Dear Editor,
The results of the Junior Cert. Examination will reach schools for publication on Wednesday next, 16th. September. As in previous years, a joint celebration event will be held for all students of the Dungarvan area in the Sports Centre that night. A Student Committee is presently making the necessary arrangements for the event.

For some years now there has been a capacity attendance and this year is expected to be no different. Admission will be by ticket only, and students should note that if they do not have a ticket they should not turn up as they will not gain entry under any conditions.

Tickets for the evening at £4.00 will be sold to eligible students in St. Augustine's College at 1.15 p.m. Friday, 11th September for pupils of the College and Dungarvan Sports Centre at 1.15 on Friday 11th September for other Dungarvan students. Tickets will be sold on a first come, first served, one per person basis. It is expected that no tickets will remain unsold after Friday. Students wishing to attend should make arrangements to be at one of the venues to get their tickets at that time.

The following arrangements will also apply:
* Only students of the

present Junior Cert classes and upwards will be eligible and allowed to attend.

* An upper age limit of 17 will apply to those not presently attending school.

* A mineral bar only will be in operation. Anyone who is known to have been drinking prior to the event will be refused admission.

* Doors will open at 8.30 and close at 9.45 p.m. and anyone who cannot for some exceptional reason come by that time should make prior arrangements at the venue.

* Students will be asked to consent to a clothes search.

This is the eleventh consecutive Junior Cert. celebration and previously it was hugely successful. The Committee this year will be using all the previous years experiences to improve the enjoyment and running of the event and it is expected that this year will be better than ever.

Should any parent wish to make recommendations regarding the event or be part of the planning or supervision, they should contact the undersigned by Monday 14th. September.

We look forward to a successful, enjoyable and orderly celebration for all the students.

Yours sincerely,
TOM KEITH
Manager, Sports Centre

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IN MEMORIAMs



AHEARNE — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of Nora Ahearne, late of Ballyphilip, Knockanore, who died on September 14, 1994. You gave us all you had to give, Gifts both big and small, Most of all you gave us love, The greatest gift of all. You would not wish for sadness, You never cared for fuss, Just to be remembered, And loved by all of us. (Sadly missed, never forgotten by your loving husband Declan and family.)



BEECHER — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Philomena Beecher, late of Knocknamuck, Tallow, who died on September 15, 1995. R.I.P.

Anniversary Mass on Saturday, September 12, at 7.30 p.m. in Tallow Church. A date that's filled with sadness,

Returns to me today, To mark the day you left me, In such a sudden way. In thoughts I see you just the same, In love and pride I speak your name, Memories are like leaves of gold, They never tarnish, never grow old. Those you loved don't go away, They walk beside you day by day, Your memories are my greatest treasure, To have, to keep, to love forever. Although I smile and make no fuss, No one misses you more than me, And when old times I do recall, That's when I miss you most of all. You were the best the world could hold, Loving helping hands, a heart of gold. (Loved and remembered always by your loving husband, Tom.)

BEECHER — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Philomena Beecher, late of Knocknamuck, Tallow, who died on September 15, 1995. R.I.P.

One of the saddest things in life to bear, Is to need your mother and she's not there, She never thought when leaving home, She would never more return, That she in death so soon would sleep, And leave us here alone. Our thoughts are always with you, Your place no one can fill, In life we loved you dearly, In death we love you still. We never fail to pray for you, We never cease to care, We wish we could go home again, And find you waiting there. Happy memories last forever, Of days when we were all together, Each of us in our own way, Have special thoughts of you today, Unseen, unheard but always near, Still loved, still missed, still very dear. (Loved and remembered always by your daughters Bernadette, Bridget and Linda.)



BUCK — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Tony Buck, late of 5, New Houses, Kilmacthomas and Glen, Clonea, Dungarvan, who died on September 10, 1996. R.I.P.

Sad are the hearts that loved you, Silent are the tears that fall, But living our lives without you, Is the greatest heartache of all. Dear is your memory, Sweet is your name, Close to our hearts you will always remain. May the wind of love blow softly, And whisper for you to hear, That we, your family, miss you, And wish that you were here. (Always remembered by your loving mother, brothers, sisters and their families.)

COLEMAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my husband, Michael Coleman, late of Ballygalane, Lismore, who died on September 13, 1996.

I lost my life's companion, A life linked with my own, Day by day I pray for you, As I go through life alone. The house you left is lonely now, And I am lonely too, Those left behind are good and kind, But my heart still aches for you. (Sadly missed — your loving wife Nan.)

COLEMAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Michael Coleman, late of Ballygalane, Lismore, who died on September 13, 1996.

Your life was never selfish, For us you only lived, Not for what you received, Only what you could give. You taught me many things, Dad, That I would have to do, But you never taught me how to cope, With the sorrow of losing you. (Always remembered and sadly missed — your loving son Jim.)

COLEMAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Michael Coleman, late of Ballygalane, Lismore, who died on September 13, 1996.

Simple words, but very true, Dad, We will always love and remember you, Will those who think of him today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered — your loving daughter Margaret, and son-in-law John and grandchildren Shaun and Ronan.)

COLEMAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear granddaddy, Michael Coleman, late of Ballygalane, Lismore, who died on September 13, 1996.

You took such special care of me, When I was very small, May God reward you "Pappa," The best Granddad of all. (Always remembered — your loving grandson Shaun.)

COWMAN — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear brother, Willie Cowman, late of Tilbury, London and Bynneville, Dungarvan, who died on September 11, 1995.

Words are few but thoughts are deep, Memories of you will always keep, A loving smile, a heart of gold, These are the memories we all hold. You always had a smile to share, Time to give and time to spare, Someone to turn to, loving and true, One in a million, Willie, that was you. (Always missed and fondly remembered by your loving sisters Anne and Birdie, nieces Lorraine, Teresa and families and other relatives and friends.)



FOLEY — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear wife, Carmel Foley (née Power), late of Coolbagh, Clashmore, who died on September 4, 1995.

When the emptiness of missing you, Is more than I can bear, I whisper Carmel I love you, And always find you there. For in my world of memories, You fill my heart with pride, I'll never walk alone, Carmel, You are always by my side. (Deeply missed and always loved by your loving husband Redmond Foley.)

When we tell you kissed us better, Mum, With care you dried our eyes, We know that you are still doing it, Mum, For your own two little boys. (Always loved by your two sons Redmond and Cormac.)

FOLEY — Third Anniversary — In memory of my sister Carmel Foley (née Power), Tramore and Clashmore, who died September 4, 1995.

CARMEL
You shall not grow old, As we that are left to grow old, Age shall not weary you, Nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun, And in the morning, we will remember you. (Sadly missed by Breda, John, John Paul, Caitriona, Diarmuid and Odhran.)

FOLEY — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of John Foley, late of 10, St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on September 10, 1990.

Will those who think of him today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Missed and always remembered by his loving father Joe and brothers and sisters.)

HAYES — In loving memory of Con and Mary Hayes, late of Youghal Road, Dungarvan, whose anniversaries on September 12 and 4 respectively.

Will those who think of them today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by their family.)

IVERS — Thirtieth Anniversary — In loving memory of our father, Richard Ivers, late of 30, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on September 9, 1968.

Behind the gates of heaven, There is someone special there, A Dad who loved so dearly, A Dad who always cared. You gave us all you had to give, Gifts both big and small, But most of all you gave us love, The biggest gift of all. The tears in our hearts we can wipe away, But the pain in our heads will always stay. (Always remembered by your loving family at home and abroad.)

KEARNEY — In loving memory of Pa, late of Ahaunboy, Glencairn, a dear husband, father and grandfather, whose thirteenth anniversary occurs on September 10. A sudden call from God on high, You had no chance to say goodbye, Without farewell you fell asleep, But memories of you will always keep. (Loved and remembered by his wife Mary and family.)

MOYLAN — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Paddy Moylan, late of Dungarvan, who died on September 9, 1997. Will those who think of him today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Never forgotten by his son Paddy, daughter-in-law Maria and grandchildren Christina, Brian, Michael and John Paul.)

O'CONNOR — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth O'Connor, late of Ballinaha, Tallow, who died on September 13, 1997. Mass offered. A smile for all, a heart of gold, One of the best this world could hold, Never selfish, always kind, These are the memories you left behind. (Always remembered by your loving son Rich and daughter Noreen.)

O'CONNOR — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth O'Connor, late of Ballinaha, Tallow, who died on September 13, 1997. Mass offered. No need for words except to say, You are loved and remembered, every day. (Sadly missed by your loving daughter Maura, son-in-law Tom and family.)



KNOX — First Anniversary — Treasured memories of my dear sister Cora (née Walsh), late of Friary Street, Dungarvan and of Slieverue, who died on September 10, 1997.

Will those who think of her today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Sadly missed by your sister Mary, nephew, nieces and their families.)

O'DWYER — Sixteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of James, late of 16, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on September 9, 1982.

As down the road of memories, We gently tread today, Our loving thoughts are with you As life goes on its way. Time may heal the heartaches, Like the smile that hides the tears, But happy memories keep you close, Despite the passing years (From his loving family.)

POWER — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Nuala Josephine Power (née McMahon), 76, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on September 10, 1997. May she rest in peace.

We cannot bring the old days back, When we were all together, The family chain is broken now, But memories live forever. (Power family at home and England.)

POWER — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Nuala Josephine Power (née McMahon), 76, Congress Villas, Dungarvan and late of Newry, Co. Down, who died on September 10, 1997.

Sad are the hearts that loved you, Silent are the tears that fall, But living our lives without you, Is the greatest heartache of all, May the wind of love blow softly, And whisper for you to hear, That we, your family, miss you, And wish that you were here. (Sadly missed by your loving family Desmond, Liam, Patricia, Florence and Bridie McAteer of Newry, Co. Down.)

IN MEMORIAMs



POWER — First Anniversary
— In loving memory of Nuala Josephine Power (née McMahon), 76, Congress Villas, Dungarvan and late of Newry, who died on September 10, 1997.
A year has passed, Nuala,
So this to you I say,
The Lord watch,
Between me and thee,
When we are absent,
One from another,
To know how much I love
you,
No one will ever know,
My hearts still aches with
sadness,
My silent tears still flow,
For all the gifts I ever had,
However great or small,
To have you for my wife,
Nuala,
Was the greatest gift of all.
(Sadly missed, loving husband John.)

POWER — First Anniversary
— In loving memory of Nuala Josephine Power (née McMahon), 76, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on September 10, 1997.
We hold you close within our
hearts,
And there you shall
remain,
To walk with us throughout
our lives,
Until we meet again.
So rest in peace, dear loved
one,
And thanks for all you've
done,
We pray that God has given
you,
The crown you've truly
won.
(From Mikes, Polly, Darren,
Valerie, Karen and Garry.)

POWER — First Anniversary
— In loving memory of Nuala Power, 76, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died September 10, 1997.
The Lord will raise you up on
eagles wings,
Bear you on the breath of
dawn,
Make you shine like the
sun,
And hold you in the palm of
His hand.
Ours is just a simple
prayer,
God bless and keep you in
His care,
Your name is often men-
tioned,
Our thoughts are with you
still,
You haven't been forgotten,
You know you never will.
(Always remembered by your
neighbours Catherine and
Mary.)

POWER — First Anniversary
— In loving memory of Nuala Power, 76, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died September 10, 1997.
Quietly today your memory
we treasure,
Loving you always, forget-
ting you never.
Never more than a thought
away,
Loved and remembered
every day.
(Never forgotten — her brother-in-law Jerry, Kathleen and family.)

RIORDAN — First Anniversary
— In loving memory of Jim Riordan, late of McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who died on September 17, 1997. R.I.P. Masses offered.
No special day is needed
For us to think of you,
For you were someone special,
And we thought the world of
you.
Will those who think of Jim
today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by his
wife Sheila and family.)

WHELAN — Eleventh Anniversary
— In loving memory of Patrick Whelan, Bridge Street, Lismore, who died on September 6, 1987.

DAD
Cancer hit us hard that year,
First me, then you,
And though I never shed a
tear,
All my pain could be seen in
you,
Dad, you were my strength
when I was weak,
When times were worst and I
was blue,
You picked me up, put me
back on my feet,
What would I have done
without you?
Day by day I grew strong,
While you grew sicker by my
side,
You knew you didn't have too
long,
And when He took you I felt
I'd died,
On your epitaph it said,
In words so big, clear and
new,
Missing you from all your
kids,
And even though you blamed
yourself (and your fags),
Dad I never blamed you.
(Sadly missed by his wife Ann,
children Debbie, Paul, Karen,
Kevin, Caroline and Mark and
grandchildren Dean and
Adam.)

O'SHEA — Sixth Anniversary
— In loving memory of our dear sister, Lal O'Shea, late of Carrigeen, Cappoquin, who died on September 8, 1992. R.I.P. Masses offered.
Precious memories, tears
unseen,
Wishing your absence was
only a dream,
Happy thoughts of times
together,
Hold memories that will last
forever.
(Always loved by your sisters,
brothers and sister-in-law,
brothers-in-law, nieces and
nephews.)

WHELAN — Birthday Remembrance
of John Whelan, 45, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, on August 31.
Away in the beautiful land,
with God,
In a valley of peace so fair,
Some day, some time, dear
father,
I will find you waiting there.
I will know your voice in the
heavenly crowd,
And your steps on the
streets of gold,
And the same sweet smile
on your face,
I knew in the days of old.
Your memory is my great-
est treasure,
Deep in my heart you will
live forever.
(His loving son David,
daughter-in-law Mai and
grandchildren.)

Birthday Remembrances

HYSLOP — Birthday Remembrance
of the late Nora Hyslop of 30, Murphy Place, Abbeyside, whose birthday occurs on September 7.
If heaven had a number,
We'd call you on the phone,
To wish you happy birth-
day,
Your first away from
home,
You know we are never far
apart,
For you are always on our
minds,
And forever in our hearts.
Will those who think of her
today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by
your loving sister Margaret,
Tom and family, London.)



KELLY — Birthday Remembrance
of Kate Kelly (née Toibin), Ballyreilly, Ring, on September 7.
Mass will be offered in Ring Church at 11 a.m. on Sunday, September 6
A heart of gold, a life so
true,
Loved and remembered by
all she knew,
Always willing, helpful and
kind,
What beautiful memories
she left behind.
(Always remembered Mum
and grandmother —
Margaret and Pat, Alana,
Erin and Patrick.)

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

MICHAEL O'SHEA
Friary Street
Dungarvan and
London

The mother, brothers and sisters of the late Michael O'Shea wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them on their recent bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and floral tributes and the many friends who called personally to our homes. A special word of thanks to the local clergy and to David Kiely of Kiely Undertakers.
The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

SEAN FLANAGAN
Dunmoon, Tallow

The brothers and sister of the late Sean Flanagan wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; those who attended the removal, Mass and funeral and to the concerned neighbours who were most supportive; those who sent Mass cards and floral tributes. A special word of thanks to Fr. Mulcahy, P.P. and Fr. Magner, C.C. and the staff of the Waterford Regional Hospital and St. Luke's Hospital, Dublin.
The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Thank You

I would like to express my thanks to all the people who were so helpful to me during my recent illness. To the doctors, nurses and staff of the Mater Hospital, Dublin; to all who visited me in hospital and in my home. Those who sent get well cards, Mass bouquets and good wishes.
Thank you all very much.
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Peg and the family of the late Con wish to extend a sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad loss. Thanks to those who attended the removal, Mass and burial; those who sent Mass cards, telephoned and the many who called to our home. A special word of thanks to Dr. Michael Twomey, West Waterford Hospice, Nurse Olivier Walsh, Canon Dan O'Connor, P.P. and Fr. Pat Butler, C.C., for their kindness and support during Dad's illness. We thank visiting clergy, chapelwoman, servers, gravediggers, Drohan Undertakers and our kind neighbours and friends.
As a token of our appreciation the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all your intentions.

WILLIAM (BILLY) QUILL
Church Street
Dungarvan

The brothers, sisters and relatives of the late William (Billy) Quill wish to convey their sincerest and heartfelt thanks to all who shared their loss recently; to those who sympathised, attended the funeral, telephoned, called to our home, sent Mass cards, letters and cards of sympathy, our grateful thanks. A special thank you to the local and visiting clergy; to the local doctors, our wonderful neighbours and friends; to the sacristan, gravediggers, altar servers and Kiely Funeral Directors a sincere thank you.
As a token of our deepest appreciation the holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for all your intentions.

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RECENT DEATHS

Late Veronica Ryan (nee Herlihy)



They came in their hundreds and thousands all through Thursday and Friday visiting the Kiely Funeral Home paying their own tributes to 39 year old, Veronica Ryan, Kilmurray, Dungarvan and Boherbue, Cork who sadly, on August 27, answered the final curtain call of life at her residence. Prior to this Veronica had been hospitalised at St. Luke's, Rathgar. Everybody who knew Veronica, held her in the highest of esteem and her passing at such a young age, leaving Tony and family Mary, Liam, Sean and Eamonn has greatly saddened the entire community.

Although she wasn't a native of the area, she very much belonged and made her gentle presence felt among us. Words both spoken and written are totally inadequate at this time, suffice to relate that Veronica's demise is a major loss and has left a huge void in both the lives of her family and the community.

Life for Veronica began 39 years ago in Lamanaugh, Boherbue. Educated at the local national school, she completed her secondary schooling at Convent of Mercy, Cahir. She was a graduate of University College Cork and also attended Mary Immaculate Training College, Limerick. It was here that she qualified as a teacher, her true vocation.

Of exemplary character, every school who had the good fortune to avail of her services were indeed fortunate as she gave of her best at all times. Her infectious enthusiasm, meticulous attention to detail, coupled with her own personality won for her the respect of one and all. Totally dedicated, hard working, imaginative she carried out her teaching duties with a diligence par excellence. In the eye of her pupils she was a caring, sincere person who always had their interests at heart. Their lives have all been touched by Veronica, her outstanding virtues, traits and characteristics have all greatly assisted in the development of each as they strive for personal fulfilment.

Her contribution in teaching has been enormous, really the classroom was only the extension of her home and family. During her career she taught at Dungarvan CBS (1980), Middleton CBS (1981-'84) and finally her beloved Ardmore. Glowing tributes will always accompany Veronica in Ardmore. She has left an indelible mark on everybody within the shadow of the famed Round Tower. Her legacy is immense. She was also

I.N.T.O. representative for the school and held the position of Vice-Principal in St. Declan's.

'A Dhia ghléighil cuir Veronica ar thaobh do dheasláimh'

Veronica was a loving wife and devoted mother. Her home was her earthly paradise. Even though she had been ill for some time, she bore it with courage, strength and dignity. The welfare of her own children was always uppermost in her mind, only a day or two before she breathed her last she was preparing her children for the return to school after summer holidays. Uniforms were purchased and the schoolbooks were covered, how sad it is to record that Veronica will be missing to see Mary, Liam, Sean and Eamonn advance on their own individual journeys through life. These are dark days for us all but we are greatly consoled by the goodness that Veronica did in her short life.

Her husband Tony who, like Veronica, has given so unselfishly of himself to the community over the years. His contribution to athletics is well known, his organisational talents he shared so generously with us all, his ability and charismatic presence in the classroom we have seen at first hand. No words of mind will express fully our deepest sympathy to him and the children at this time. We pray that the good and compassionate Lord will ease their burden, brighten their days and realise their dreams, Veronica's dreams for them in the future.

'Suaimhneas siorraí go raibh ag Veronica.'

On Friday evening the Old Boro witnessed testimony of Veronica's popularity and esteem when huge numbers attended the rosary and prayers at the Funeral Home and indeed the entire funeral obsequies. Very Rev. Fr. N. O'Mahony P.P. and Rev. Fr. G. Hickey OSA (relative) recited the Word of God before the funeral cortege left for St. Mary's Parish Church. Guards of honour of all athletic clubs in the area and Dungarvan G.A.A. flanked the hearse enroute to the church. Staff and pupils from St. Mary's and St. Joseph's stood in prayerful silence outside their schools in tribute and to honour Veronica. Set dancers and members of the Brickey Rangers and I.C.A. communities stood at the avenue to the church. The red and grey uniformed children from Aird Mhór were very much in evidence at the church door entrance, their tribute was deeply personal and so genuine. As she always was, Veronica would have been so proud of one and all of them.

At the reception ceremony which was conducted by Very Rev. Fr. N. O'Mahony P.P.

Very Rev. Fr. McCarthy P.P. Boherbue, Rev. Fr. G. Hickey OSA Cork (cousin), Rev. Fr. R. Geoghegan C.C., Rev. Fr. P. Butler C.C., Very Rev. Canon O'Connor P.P., Rev. Fr. G. McNamara C.C., Rev. Fr. Michael Cullinane C.C., Rev. Fr. D. Slator OSA, Very Rev. Fr. J. Gough OSA, Very Rev. Fr. P. O'Reilly OSA, Very Rev. Fr. J. Sullivan PE, Very Rev. Fr. P. Moran OSA, Mons. P. Lannen PE, Very Rev. Fr. J. Kiely P.P. and a number of other visiting clergy and religious who travelled to support and console the bereaved.

At the concelebrated Mass on Saturday morning, Rev. Fr. Michael Cullinane C.C. was chief celebrant (Fr. Michael officiated at Tony and Veronica's wedding in 1984) with co-celebrants Very Rev. Fr. Michael Enright P.P., Very Rev. Fr. N. O'Mahony P.P., Very Rev. Canon D. O'Connor P.P., Rev. Fr. P. Butler C.C., Very Rev. Fr. P. O'Reilly OSA, Very Rev. Fr. G. Gough OSA, Rev. Fr. D. Slator OSA, Rev. Fr. G. McNamara C.C. The lessons were read by Mary (daughter) and Tony (husband). Prayers of the Faithful were shared by Geraldine and Josephine (sisters), Kevin (brother), Michael Ryan (brother-in-law) and Victor Mullins N.T. (School Principal, St. Declan's N.S., Ardmore). Veronica's four children and her mother, Mary Herlihy brought the offertory gifts to the altar. A communion reflection was read by Mary (daughter), the last line or two related so much.

'To the world Veronica was a part

'To us she was our world'

The music of Dina Walsh who accompanied Terry Dalton (soloist and relative) was moving and touching. Again the children from Ardmore were present to pay their final tribute as was the 11th Waterford Scout Troop. Fr. Cullinane C.C. imparted final blessing at the graveside while Canon O'Connor P.P. recited the decade and spoke in glowing terms of Veronica's interest in the children under her care and of their spiritual welfare. School Principal, Victor Mullins N.T. gave a graveside oration which was richly deserved by Veronica and greatly appreciated by all present. It was after midday when Veronica Ryan, wife, mother, daughter, sister, relative, teacher and friend was laid to rest.

'Those who leave us for a while,

Have only gone away, Out of a restless, careworn world,

Into a much brighter day'

Chief mourners were Tony (husband), Mary, Liam, Sean, Eamonn (family), Mary Herlihy (mother), Kevin (brother), Geraldine and Josephine

(sisters), Richie and Teresa Ryan (father and mother-in-law), Michael Ryan, John O'Donnell, Denis O'Donoghue (brothers-in-law), Margaret Herlihy (sister-in-law), Peggy and Eileen (aunts), Jeremiah, Willie, Tommy, Dominick (uncles), Julia Hickey (grandaunt), Willie O'Riordan (granduncle) and a wide circle of other relatives including nieces, nephews, and friends.

Oration By Victor Mullins N.T. School Principal of St. Declan's, Ardmore At The Graveside

A Chairde,

Today our hearts go out to Tony, to Veronica's mother, to Kevin, Josephine and Geraldine but in particular our thoughts are very much with Mary, Liam, Sean and Eamonn who are probably too young to realise the enormity of their loss. As they grow older they will meet many people from Middleton, Dungarvan and in particular Ardmore who will say to them, "your mammy taught me in primary school." All those who were privileged enough to have had Veronica as their teacher will speak of her with gratitude and affection. And I have no doubt that every single one of them will say that they were her pet in school because Veronica had the gift of making every child feel special and to Veronica every child was special.

Veronica's death has caused great sorrow and sadness for so many people. Her loss to the community of Ardmore can only be measured by her enormous contribution over the past fourteen years. While our loss in Ardmore is great, our final thoughts are with Tony. Nobody knows better than Tony how special Veronica was. And to Veronica's great credit, though she loved Tony very much, she was willing to share him with all the young aspiring athletes in Dungarvan. The many people who have expressed their sorrow and support since Veronica died is a reflection of their love for both Veronica and Tony. That support for Tony and his young family will not end today. Just as Veronica will

continue to love them for the rest of their lives.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh sí.

(Funeral arrangements were by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

Late Denis O'Donovan

The demise of Denis O'Donovan, 'Ard Alainn', Strandside North, Abbeyside which occurred on Wednesday evening last, September 2 at Waterford Regional Hospital was the source of much regret and sorrow in the locality.

In his early eighties, Denis was a loyal Kilkenny man. Predeceased by his wife Anna in 1991, he was well known as the manager of the Munster and Leinster Bank. We extend our condolences to his family Tom, John, Honor, his brother, sisters, daughters-in-law, son-in-law, grandchildren, sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews, relatives and friends. May he rest in peace.

Removal took place on Friday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to Abbeyside Church. Following requiem Mass on Saturday at 11 a.m. the interment followed in St. Laurence's Cemetery, Ballinroad. Full obituary in next issue.

(Funeral arrangements were by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

Late Margaret McGrath

We learn with deep regret of the passing of Margaret McGrath, late of St. Thomas Terrace, Old Parish and Sydaham at Sydaham Hospital after a long duration of illness. A native of the 'Long Row', Margaret was predeceased in the recent past by her sister Nellie Young, Sarsfield Street, Abbeyside. Margaret, who resided in England most of her life, is mourned by her nephews, nieces, relatives and friends to whom we extend our condolences.

On Wednesday next, September 16 requiem Mass will be celebrated for Margaret at 11 a.m. in Abbeyside Church after which her cremated remains will be interred in St. Laurence's Cemetery, Ballinroad.

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Ballyduff Notes

BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

Gala Week — The Community Council would like to thank everybody who helped us during the Gala week. We are indebted to our sponsors, our supporters and everybody who helped to make the week as enjoyable as it was, our thanks also to the man above for blessing us with fine weather. The following are some of the results of the week.

All-Ireland Macra Tug-o-War — Gents winners, Ardagh, Co. Monaghan; runners up, Cappoquin. Ladies winners, Knockanore, Co. Waterford; runner-up Bree, Co. Waterford.

Sheaf Throwing — Open Section; 1st, John Rice (Fermoy), 2nd, Liam O'Meara (Offaly), Mai Kenneally. Confined Section; 1st, Maurice Kenneally, 2nd, Pad Griffin, 3rd, Ml. Geoghegan. Macra Section; 1st, Liam O'Meara (Offaly), 2nd, Tony Mullins (Mitchelstown), 3rd, J. Byrne (Bree, Co. Wexford).

The Pub Talent Competition — 1st, John Leamy, 2nd, Breda Walsh, 3rd, Kevin Martin. Our thanks to Murphy's/Heineken for sponsoring this event. Congratulations to Pat O'Connor on being crowned "The Bachelor of Ballyduff" sponsored by Tom Kearney, Heating and Plumbing.

NEWS FLASH

Congratulations to Sharon Lawless who won a gold medal in Mosney in the All-Ireland finals of the Community Games. Sharon was competing in the under 13 Walking Race. Well done also to Olive Hogan who was also representing Waterford at the finals.

DOG SHOW RESULTS (OVERALL)

1st, Tiny Tim, a St. Bernard owned by Ann Stack. 2nd, Kerry a King Charles Spaniel owned by Aoife Keane. 3rd, Shadow, a Labrador owned by Elaine Millar

THE TEDDY BEAR PICNIC

1st, Breda Feeney. 2nd, Karen Hannon, 3rd, Ursula O'Keeffe. The fancy dress was won by the following groups; Float winner; The Macra Snake. Childrens Group; The Refugees.

INDIVIDUAL

— THE PIRATE —

The winner of the guess no. of blocks was Dan O'Brien, Ballysaggart. The winner of guess the weight of the Salmon was Mrs. Mai Higgins. The bungee Pull competition was won by Conor Feeney.

Special thanks to all our sponsors who were Tallow Credit Union who sponsored the Open Sports, John Jackson who sponsored the ladies football night, the

Anglers Rest who sponsored the All-Ireland Tug-o-War.

Also the following Tom Kearney "The Bachelor of Ballyduff", Eamonn Bolger (Fancy Dress), Southern Milling, Paperchase, Maura Lindsay, The Log Cabin, Theresa Noonan, Waterford Co-op, Ballyduff I.C.A., Pat Flynn, Bertie Hanrahan, John and Kathleen Flynn and Murphy/Heineken.

45 DRIVE

The results of the 45 Drive on the Friday night were as follows; 1st, divided between Mick Morrissey, Sean Griffin, Joe and Ciss Power. 2nd, Tom and Margaret Ryan. Lucky Tables; Dave Feeney and Pat Moore. Ml. Sheehan and Andrew Coughlan. Moss Lenihan and Jimmy Quirke. Raffle winners were Dan Howard, Kathleen Barry (Fermoy), Eddie Byrne and Sheila Lonergan.

MASS AT ST. MICHAEL'S CEMETERY

The annual Mass at St. Michael's Cemetery will take place this Friday evening at 7.00 pm. As in previous years it is expected that there will be a large turnout.

COFFEE MORNING

A coffee morning in aid of the Irish Hospice Movement will take place in Lindsay's Bar, Ballyduff on Thursday September 17th from 10.30 am to 1.30 pm. This event attracted large support last year and the organisers are appealing for your support again this year as all proceeds go to the Hospice Movement.

Ballyduff G.A.A. Club Notes SENIOR HURLING

The senior hurlers are continuing with their preparations for the county semi-final clash with Ballygunner at Fraher Field on Sunday week, September 20 at 6.15 p.m. This is a difficult assignment as the 'Gunnars are seeking their fourth title in a row.

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

The intermediate footballers drew with Brickey Rangers in the quarter-final of the championship last Saturday evening at Colligan. Brickeys dominated the opening 20 mins. and we were very lucky to be only 2 pts. in arrears at that stage. Points from John Twomey, Pat Molumphy and Brendan Hannon had us leading by 1-3 to 0-4 at half-time.

After the sides swapped points on a number of occasions, we eventually drew level in the 49th min. and went ahead a minute later when Alan Martin pointed a free. They drew level in the 55th min. and the scores remained deadlocked from

here to the finish. Scorers were John Twomey (0-4), Alan Martin (0-3), Brendan Hannon (0-2), Pat Molumphy (0-1).

Team - D. Flynn, G. Hickey, M. Drislane, D. Hannon, P. Molumphy, G. Feeney, T. Feeney, A. Martin, P. Prendergast, J. Twomey, T. Scanlon, J. O'Neill, T. Molumphy, B. Cotter, B. Hannon. Subs used: K. Geary and J. Scanlon.

It is expected that the replay will take place on the weekend of September 26/27.

JUNIOR HURLING

The junior hurlers will replay their game against Abbeyside in Cappoquin on Saturday at 2.30 p.m. Players are requested to be at the venue not later than 2 p.m.

UNDER-14 FOOTBALL

The under-14 footballers travel to Ballymacarby on Saturday afternoon to play Nire in their first round championship game also at 2.30 p.m. Players to be in the village at 1.15 p.m.

UNDER-13 HURLING

The under-13 hurling final against Lismore was postponed again at the weekend due to the weather conditions.

UNDER-8 AND

UNDER-9 HURLING

The under-8 and under-9 hurlers travelled to the Roanmore Tournament last Saturday where a most enjoyable day was had by all who travelled.

The under-8's were first into action winning their opening game against Piltown but very unlucky to lose out to Portlaw and Mooncoin.

The under-9's defeated Portlaw and Ferrybank before losing out to Cappoquin by 2-0 to 1-0 in the final game which saw the winners come out on top in the group.

The panel of players who travelled were Katie Hannon, Leanne Power, Ciara Kearney, Patrick Corcoran, Eoin Scanlon, Conor Geary, Kieran Scanlon, Ian Kenneally, Denis Drislane, Bernard Flynn, Maurice McNamara, Shane and Stephen Kearney.

SYMPATHY

The club extends sincere sympathy to the brother and sisters of the late Patrick Murphy, Coolisheal who died recently.

LOTTO

The numbers drawn in last Tuesday night's Lotto draw were 11, 14, 24. There was no winner of the £600 jackpot. The winners of £25 each were Mary Scanlon, Marston, Ballyduff and John Duggan, High Road, Ballyduff. Next week's Lotto draw is on Tuesday night in The Log Cabin at

Stradbally A.F.C. Notes

4TH DIVISION STRADBALLY 0 PILTOWN 1

A match contested in the leafy surrounds of a Knockrour venue under the rays of a late summer's sun turned out to be a very evenly and tightly contested game. The Taysiders defence stood firm until the last 15 mins. when the Kilkenny men breached the last line of defence to snatch victory by the minimum of margins. New signing Sean Cunningham looks like a very strong and welcome addition for the coming year. Many thanks to Piltown for reversing the fixture.

3RD DIVISION STRADBALLY 0 VILLA 0

A half an hour had elapsed when almost the same players under the new management of Liam O'Brien entered the fray again to compete against Villa F.C. of Waterford. We were also augmented by the strong running of George and Tomas Walsh. Despite bombardment of the Villa goal we could not find the net and so had to be contented with a 0-0 draw.

TRAINING

Training takes place on Wednesday evenings although numbers are small at the moment which is understandable but will increase next month.

MEMBERSHIP DUE

Membership of £5 has been due for the last month and the registration fee of £15 is due before the end 9.30 p.m.

ALL-IRELAND TICKETS

Any club members interested in being included in the draw for All-Ireland football final tickets should hand in their names to Pat Flynn or John Jackson.

BALLYDUFF LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB NOTES

The Junior team will play either Ardmore or Tramore in the Co. League final on a date to be arranged. They won the Community Council Festival tournament defeating St. Oliver's.

The club would like to congratulate Sharon Lawless on winning a Gold Medal at the All-Ireland Community Games in Mosney last weekend in the U-13 walking competition. Sharon is this weekend competing in the European Walking Championships and the club wish her the best of luck.

The Junior team are grouped with Old Parish, Dunhill, Fenor, Kilmac-thomas and Clashmore in the Championship with the first game away to Old Parish on the weekend of September 21st.

of this month at the latest. £2 will be taken for each game to pay ref and other expenses. Schoolgoers pay a £5 membership, £1 per game and the club will pay the registration.

The combined total of all memberships and £2 per game for the whole club for the year is less than one individual's membership and subscription for a golf club for just one year and yet people complain.

SEAVIEW DRAW

Once again the annual Seaview Draw has been launched and our members will be out selling them. This is our main and only fundraising effort to the public in the year. Tickets are priced at £20 for four draws with 160 prizes to be won. We are hoping to use the proceeds of the draw for future development while the players pay for day to day expenses. We appeal to the people of Stradbally parish to support us once again.

FIXTURES

Sept. 13 - Div. 3 at home against Railway at 11 a.m.

Sept. 19 - Div. 4 at home against Tramore at 2.15 p.m.

Sept. 26 - Div. 3 away against Piltown at 2.15 p.m. (may be changed)

Sept. 26 - Div. 4 at home against Kilbarry B at 2.15 p.m.

UNDER-12's ST PAULS 5 STRADBALLY 4

We travelled to Waterford last Saturday morning and came away with no points despite scoring four goals. This being our first outing of the new season did not help as we appeared to be rusty but with a few matches under our belts we should be flying again. Despite conceding an early goal we were soon back in front with a goal a piece from Wayne Kiely and Kevin Lawlor but then we fell asleep for 10 mins. and conceded three goals. Early in the second half we were down 5-2 before we woke from our slumber. Wayne Kiely completed his hat-trick but time just ran out.

FIXTURES

Sat., Sept. 12 at home against Railway at 10.30

a.m. Mon., Sept. 14 away against Kilmacow at 6.15 p.m.

Sat., Sept. 26 away against St. Otterans at 10.30 a.m.

Sat., Oct. 10 at home against Seaview at 10.30 a.m.

We will need drivers for the Kilmacow game as it is on a Monday evening. We may try and get it moved back a half an hour. If you are willing to drive please let us know at the Railway match.

GENERAL NEWS

Membership of £3 is now due. £1 will be taken for all matches. Shinguards must be worn at all matches and training. The registration form which was given out must be signed by a parent/guardian and returned straight away.

We will try and organise a few under-10 matches in the coming months, maybe having the first game at the end of this month. Don't forget a birth cert must be produced if one was not produced last year.

Great to see Waterford United getting such a good start to life in the premier division. Standards in the National League are rising rapidly and it is about time that we started giving our support to our local team rather than solely supporting foreign clubs.

It is also great to see the amount of youngsters wearing Waterford hurling shirts as opposed to foreign shirts which are made for a pittance and sold for a fortune and changed every half year to pay average premiership players weekly wages which are often higher than the average yearly industrial wage. Parents don't be fooled when yet another premiership shirt is launched in a couple of months after you only buying the latest one last month.

We are hoping to have training every second Saturday at 10.30 over the winter for everyone when there is no game. But this is only possible if we get another person to help at training on a Saturday morning.

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PREMIER LEAGUE MATCH REPORT

Dungarvan Get Campaign Off To A Flying Start

FERRYBANK 1 DUNGARVAN 3
 Dungarvan commenced the Premier League season away to Ferrybank on Sunday morning last and got off to the best possible start with a 3-1 victory. Weather conditions were dreadful with wind and rain but both sides served up an entertaining 90 minutes football. The new Ferrybank pitch was in excellent condition and the facilities at the venue are first class.

Dungarvan made the early running and John Donnelly almost put them in front with his first touch as he got in between two defenders but struck his shot wide of the goal. Ferrybank scored first in the 13th minute when Dungarvan got caught trying to play the ball out of defence and game away a corner. The corner kick was met superbly in the aid by the head of Alan O'Shea to put the home side ahead. Dungarvan equalised in the 33rd minute when Mark Crotty put Leroy Simms through and his shot was deflected for John Donnelly to open his account for the season. Ferrybank were a big strong side and were dangerous from corners and long throw-ins, but keeper Alan Landers and the defence dealt very well with the pressure. John Donnelly had a

"Wonka" Hits Hat-Trick

good chance just after the interval but he did not connect properly with his shot in front of goal. Ferrybank came very close to going ahead again in the 60th minute when a pile-driver by Alan O'Shea from 35 yards rattled the woodwork. It was the Blues who took the lead in the 74th minute when Mark Crotty sent John Power away down the right and "Snail's" inch perfect cross was headed superbly to the corner of the net by centre forward John "Wonka" Donnelly.

John Paul Donnelly had an effort go inches over the crossbar after a good move-

ment down the left flank. With just minutes remaining skipper Darren Lyons joined the attack and his shot broke to the ever alert John Donnelly who completed his hat-trick and got the Blues off to a winning start.

Dungarvan: Alan Landers, Nick Thompson, Kevin Walsh, Darren Lyons (Capt.), John Paul Donnelly, John Power, Aidan Landers, Mark Hyslop, Mark Crotty, John Donnelly, Leroy Simms. Res: Bernie Crotty for Kevin Walsh; Vincent O'Sullivan for Leroy Simms.

Ref: Martin Flavin.

Dungarvan United A.F.C. Notes

RESULTS

Premier League: — Ferrybank 1; Dungarvan 3
 Division 3A League: — Garda 2; Dungarvan 2
 U-11 A League: — Bohs 1; Dungarvan 2
 U-14 A League: — Southend 4; Dungarvan 2

FIXTURES

Wednesday, 9th Sept. TSB U-11 League Dungarvan v Southend 6.15 p.m. Thursday, 10th Sept. TSB U-13 League Johnville v Southend 6.15 p.m. Saturday, 12th Sept. TSB U-14 League Dungarvan v Carrick 11.45 a.m. Div. 3A League, Dungarvan v St. Saviours 2.15 p.m. Sunday, 13th Sept. Premier League Dungarvan v Portlaw 11.00 a.m.; Youth A League Carrick v Dungarvan 11.00 a.m. Wednesday, 16th Sept. TSB U-11 League Ferrybank v Dungarvan 6.15 p.m.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Anyone interested in taking up our current life membership scheme please contact Stan Cummins or Liam Simms.

YANKEE DOODLE JACKPOT £760

Numbers on Sunday last were 89 and 95. No winner of £700 jackpot. Jackpot next Sunday night £760. The numbers were drawn by Mary Earley (Bayview) at Bridie Dee's. Get your numbers from our usual sellers. You only need 2 matching numbers to win the jackpot. £1 for five numbers.

PONGO

Eyes down every Tuesday night a 8.15 p.m.

SATURDAY NIGHT PROGRESSIVE 45

Come and enjoy a game of 45 in our clubhouse every Saturday night in comfortable surroundings for excellent prizemoney. Cards commence 8.30 p.m.

CHAMPIONS VISIT KILRUSH

On Sunday next current Premier League champions Portlaw visit Kilrush Park to play the Blues in a league match at 11.00 a.m. They have qualified for the TSB Cup final already this season and will provide stiff opposition for Dungarvan who got their league campaign off to a winning start last Sunday with a 3-1 away win over newly promoted Ferrybank.

VINNY OFF TO CELTIC

This Friday one of our most exciting prospects to be produced by the club in recent times, Vincent O'Sullivan, travels to Glasgow Celtic for talks on a contract with the Scottish champions. Vinny recently returned home after 6 weeks pre-season training at Celtic Park where incidentally he got on very well scoring 5 goals in the green and white hoops. He will be accompanied by his parents for talks with youth team boss Willie McStay and all in Dungarvan United wish this fine young footballer the very best of luck in his future career.

QUARTERLY MEETING

All committee treasurers please note a quarterly meeting will be held on Thursday, 17th September at 8.00 p.m.

SEAVIEW CELTIC SUPER DRAW

The 12th Annual Seaview Celtic Super Draw tickets are now on sale from our club members. Top prize of a Fiat Punto or £7,500 cash for the first three draws. Over 40 prizewinners each draw and prizes include trips to premier matches, televisions, camcorders, jewellery, clothes, vouchers, videos, cash. Subscription £20 or 4 subscriptions of £5. First draw on October 17th. Please support your local soccer club by purchasing a ticket and be in with a chance of some wonderful prizes.

CONGRATS

Congratulations and best wishes to club player Chris Gough and Tracey Dalton who were married recently. Best wishes and every happiness for the future to this popular couple.

IRWINS EAST CORK/WEST WATERFORD SCHOOLBOY LEAGUE NOTES

New Season Kicks Off This Weekend

This Saturday will see the first of this season's Irwin's Schoolboy League matches. Eleven teams will play in the U-17 league while there are nine U-13 teams. Because of the changes in the age groups the U-17 league is in fact last seasons U-16 league which was probably the most exciting division since we began four years ago.

Main contenders will be last seasons champions, Lismore, Cup winners, Ardmore, Kilworth Celtic who were league and Cup runners-up and Cork Road Celtic, who showed a lot of promise in their first season. Brideview United, Clashmore Ramblers, Blackwater Rangers, Valley Rangers and Castlebridge Celtic will be hoping for better luck while

Pinewood Rangers and Araglen will be playing at this level for the first time.

This week's games sees Valley Rangers at home to Brideview United and these neighbours usually put up great battles with winners hard to pick. United might just have a bit more firepower than Valley and they are tipped to win this one. Clashmore Ramblers play at

home to Kilworth Celtic and the visitors will be looking to improve on last season's performance when at one stage they looked likely to win the double.

Ramblers began well last time but fell away dramatically and if they can stop Kilworth's forwards they could sneak a draw. Blackwater Rangers have Ardmore as visitors and again we should see a close game with both sides capable of winning. Ardmore's determination which was seen to great effect in the cup final, could see them start with a win. The champions, Lismore, face new boys, Pinewood Rangers. Rangers could cause Lismore some trouble, judging by reports, but we have to give Lismore the nod to start the defence of that league with a win. Another new team, Araglen (led by David Brown) face Cork Road Celtic. The Fermoy team impressed many players last season and if they continue where they left off, they should pose plenty of problems for Araglen who might take time to settle. Castlebridge Celtic are the remaining team in this division and they won't be far away if effort is anything to go by.

This should again be a fascinating league and a winner is almost impossible to pick out but will probably come from Lismore, Kilworth Celtic or Ardmore.

In the U-13 league teams to watch will be Brideview

United, Ardmore, Castlebridge Celtic and Ballybridge United. While there may be expected to do well others are Kilworth Celtic, Valley Rangers and Clashmore Ramblers could cause a shock or two while Blackwater Rangers and Cappoquin will be appearing for the first time at this age group. The winners should come from Ardmore, Brideview United, Ballybridge United with Castlebridge Celtic and Kilworth Celtic the most likely to cause an upset. On Saturday Valley are at home to Brideview United and while Valley will push their visitors all the way, United could begin with a win. Kilworth Celtic visit Clashmore Ramblers and this may produce a close enough game with a draw a likely outcome. Blackwater Rangers face a tough baptism at home to Ardmore and the visitors will expect to claim all three points. Cappoquin have a stiff task away to Castlebridge Celtic and they may suffer from a lack of experience at this early stage. Ballybridge United have a free week but they will be keeping a close eye on things while they await their first game.

NEXT MEETING

This will take place next Monday night September 14th at the Devonshire Arms Hotel in Tallow at 8.45 pm sharp. All committee members are requested to attend at 8.00 pm.

IRWINS SCHOOLBOYS FIXTURES

Saturday September 12th

U-17 LEAGUE - Valley Rangers v Brideview United (3.15). Noel O' Donoghue. Clashmore Ramblers v Kilworth Celtic (3.00) Billy Collins. Blackwater Rangers v Ardmore (3.15) Sean Kearns. Pinewood Rangers v Lismore (2.30) Chris Kearney. Araglen v Cork Road Celtic (2.30) Pat Walsh.

U-13 LEAGUE - Valley Rangers v Brideview United (2.00) Noel O' Donoghue. Clashmore Ramblers v Kilworth Celtic (11.00) Billy Collins. Blackwater Rangers v Ardmore (2.00) Sean Kearns. Castlebridge Celtic v Cappoquin (2.30) Noel O' Leary.

Would all refs. please contact Sean Kearns (024) 96142 this Thursday only between 6.30 pm and 7.00 pm.

All match reports must reach this PRO. (024) 96142 before 6.00 pm on Saturdays.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE ROUND-UP

A Glut Of Goals Heralds A New Season

Eight of the ten games survived the inclement weather with an average of over five goals a game being scored. None of the games produced less than four goals as forwards had a field day scoring forty three goals in all. Three teams hit five, Brideview United 'A', Inch and Gortroe, while only Affane failed to score. Shock of the day was Pinewood Rangers defeat away to Castlebridge Celtic while Glenview, Youghal And Inch also defeated higher ranked rivals.

TONY BOLGER CUP 1ST ROUND

(SPONSORED BY DUNGARVAN LEADER)

MOGEELY 3 GORTROE 5

(After Extra Time)

Mogeely will often play worse and win but a combination of poor defending and bad luck contrived to send Gortroe into the next round. The homeside took the lead after thirty five minutes when a hopeful ball from Ron Barrett was deflected into Gortroe's net for an own goal. Mogeely's concentration slipped after this when Derek Murphy was left unmarked in the middle and he volleyed home Alan Downey's great cross a minute before the break.

Nine minutes into the second half, Derek Murphy put Gortroe ahead and Mogeely levelled the game with a Brian Barrett free kick after sixty-seven minutes. Mogeely were well on top at this stage and they made it 3-2 with another free-kick, this time from Pat Costigan after eighty-three minutes. Gortroe threw everything forward and a Mossie McCarthy effort was touched into the net by Alan Downey with two minutes remaining to send the game into extra time.

Mogeely missed two good chances in the first period of extra-time and Gortroe made them pay with Derek Murphy completing his hat-trick and Barry Sharkey rounding off the scoring shortly before the end. Best for Mogeely were Ronnie Barrett, Jason O' Shea, Brian Barrett and Tim McGann, Miley Griffin, Derek Murphy and Martin Mulcahy excelled for Gortroe.

Mogeely team: Tony Barrett, Pat Costigan, William Wallace, Ron Barrett, Declan Collins, Alan Collins, Tim McGann, Mick Kenneally, Jacob O' Shea, Damien Clifford, Mark Bowes. Subs; Lar Hayes, Brian Barrett, Maurice Ansboro, Gary Sweetnam, William Whelan-Curtin.

Gortroe team: Tom Mc-

Carthy, Miley Griffin, Con Spillane, Mossy McCarthy, James Cunningham, Barry Sharkey, Kieran Griffin, David Gleeson, Alan Downey, Derek Murphy, Fergal Coleman, Martin Moloney.

INCH 5 ARDMORE 1

The homeside raced into a three goal half-time lead against Ardmore who were missing a number of regulars. The visitors were rarely in contention and Inch added another two after the break. Anthony Kelly (2) Michael Burns (2) and Anthony Kenneally were the Inch marksmen.

CASTLEBRIDGE CELTIC 3 PINEWOOD RANGERS 1

Celtic brought league champions, Pinewood crashing back to earth, with this well deserved victory last Sunday morning. Pinewood started the better

side and led 1-0 at the break but goals by Paul Donnelan, Darron Sheedy and George Leetch secured Castlebridge Celtic's place in the next round.

VALLEY RANGERS 'A' 2 CAPPOQUIN 'A' 1

A youthful Valley Rangers went ahead after thirteen minutes with a strike from John Twomey. Cappoquin levelled on the half-hour mark but the homeside took the lead again six minutes later through Gordon Bryan. Rangers secured victory with a second goal from Bryan ten minutes before the end.

CLASHMORE RAMBLERS 2 GLENVIEW 3

Third division Glenview secured an unexpected victory in great style when they came from two goals down at the break to defeat Clashmore. Frannie O' Rourke and Roger Ryan gave Ramblers a deserved half-time lead but Glenview were on top in the second period and got their nose in front just before the end.

BRIDEVIEW UNITED 'B' 4 V ALLEY RANGERS 'B' 2 (After Extra Time)

United appeared to be coasting when they took a

2-0 lead inside the first twenty minutes with goals from Brian Donnelly and Tomas McCarthy. Valley came back strongly and goals after thirty-five and seventy minutes sent the game into extra-time. There was a scoring in the first period but scores from James Beecher and William Murphy (from the spot) put United into the next round.

AFFANE 0 BRIDEVIEW UNITED 'A' 5

Affane were rocked by a very strong Brideview team who led 2-0 at the half-time whistle. United played extremely well despite the blustery conditions and added another three goals after the break. Scorers for United were Dennis Martin (1), Dermot Henley (2) and Eoin Murphy (2).

YOUGHAL 3 ARAGLEN 2 (After Extra Time)

Youghal came out on top of an evenly contested match which saw Araglen lead twice with Youghal coming back to snatch victory. Alan Coakley levelled Araglen's opener to leave the sides level at the break. Kevin Lonergan equalised for Youghal. Stephen Barry put the homeside ahead for the first time during extra time and they were able to hold their lead up to the final whistle.

NEXT MEETING

The next delegate meeting will take place on Monday night, October 5 at the Red House Bar in Lismore at 9 p.m. Referees meet at 8 p.m. and the committee will meet at 8.30 p.m.

Special Note For Clubs

All outstanding registration fees must be paid without fail by next Friday night, September 9 to Registrar, Leonard Fraser. All clubs must also produce a certificate of their public liability cover for the coming season by the same date.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE CO-OP DRAW

The first draw takes place in just two weeks on Saturday, September 26 at Doocey's Bar, Ballymacarbry. All money and tickets should be returned in the next week or so to Pat Casey, Tircullen, Tallow (058) 56748. Failure to do so will result in even more work for Pat and the Draw Committee so please make it your business to return those tickets early.

WEDDING BELLS

Congratulations to Affane mid-fielder Kevin Reddy and Siobhan O' Gorman, Lismore, who tied the knot last Saturday.

NEXT ROUND OF BOLGER CUP

(SPONSORED BY DUNGARVAN LEADER)

There will be four games played next Sunday in the winners section, Brideview United 'B' will play Gortroe while Brideview United 'A' will face Inch. In the 'losers' section Clashmore Ramblers are at home to Cappoquin 'A' and Affane are at home to Valley Rangers 'B'. The quarter finals will than take place the following Sunday. The committee also imposed fines on Kilworth Celtic and Dungourney as they failed to fulfill their fixtures last Sunday. Both clubs will continue in the losers section while Lismore and An Gaeltacht continue in the winners section.

The second round draw took place on Monday night last in the Red House Bar before a full attendance. There was two sections and the full draw will appear at the end of these notes.

The Chairman of the Red House League, Paddy Pollard introduced Katherine from O' Driscoll, O' Neill group who spoke on all kinds of insurance. This proved to be very popular with the delegates. For any club to participate in the league they must have public liability.

PREVIEWS

A double header in Tallow on Sunday should provide plenty of entertaining football. Utd's first Division side will be expected to defeat Inch while the other East Cork visitors namely Gortroe should be too strong for Utd's second team but then the Cup can produce its share of shocks.

Clashmore Ramblers face a tough home fixture against Cappoquin (A) and here the visitors will be expected to advance. The final game takes place in Affane where Valley Rangers (B) are the visitors. Extra time and penalties may be needed here.

Fixtures For Sunday, September 13**TONY BOLGER CUP**

Brideview Utd. B v Gortroe at 1 p.m.

Brideview Utd. A v Inch at 11 a.m.

Clashmore Ramblers v Cappoquin A at 11.30 a.m.

Affane v Valley Rangers B at 11.30 a.m.

Referees Note

All junior referees are asked to contact Jim Foley this Thursday between 7 p.m. and 9 p.m.

Railway Athletic F.C. Notes

A BUSY WEEK

We started our new season on Saturday week last. Our first team to play was our under 12 team. We were short a few regulars but the boys came away with a fine 3-0 win. Our under 14's played the same day but went down to a strong Kilmac' side. On Wednesday night our under 11 team played their first game against Ferrybank and won by 4 goals to 2 and on Thursday night our U-13 team played their first game against Waterford Crystal and won by 3 goals to 2. So it was a busy week but a good week with some very good results.

UNDER 17 LEAGUE

Our under 17 team played their first game recently. We opened the scoring when David Lenane scored a great goal. Then Hibs scored three goals to run out winners.

DIVISION 3B

On Saturday week last our 3B team played Kilbarry. Our lads won by 2 goals to nil.

FRIENDLIES

Our club would like to thank all the clubs who played us in pre-season friendlies.

SEAVIEW TICKETS

At the moment Seaview tickets are on sale. The tickets cost £20.00 for four draws.

MEMBERSHIP

Any players who have not paid membership should do so in the coming weeks.

WILLIE GALLAGHER

It is with great sadness we write of the death of Willie Gallagher. Willie was a long time friend of our club and was Chairman in the early years. It was with the local boy scouts however that Willie excelled. All at the club will miss Willie - may he rest in peace.

FIXTURES FOR COMING WEEK

Thursday 10th September - Under 13 away to Savours at 6.15 pm leaving at

5.00 pm. Saturday 12th September - Under 12 away to Stradbally at 10.30 am leaving at 9.30 am. Saturday 12th September - Under 14 home to DLS at 11.45 am. Sunday 13th September - Division 1B away to Hibs at 11.00 am leaving at 9.15 am. Sunday 13th September - Division 3B away to Stradbally at 11.00 am leaving at 9.45 am. Monday 14th September - under 12 home to Rathgormack at 6.15 pm.

Abbeyside A.F.C. Notes

LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 11-21-22. £2,100 jackpot. No winner. This week's draw is £2,200. Draw will be held in Alice O' Connor's Bar on September 9th at 10.00 pm.

WATERFORD UNITED NOTES

Waterford United Player Profiles

Waterford United To Top

Waterford upset all predictions when accounting for an impressive Harps lineout at Ballybofey on Saturday night. Hero of the game was the ever improving Robbie Griffin who sealed the points with a late strike. John Power had earlier put the Blues one up from a hotly disputed penalty awarded to the visitors. So on Friday night next Waterford entertain St. Patrick's Athletic who also sit on 6 pts. at the top of the table. This 'Pats' side have proved themselves over the last years and are current champions so a challenge indeed which should draw support from all parts of the county for the Blues. Pat Dolan, the ebullient St.

Pats manager has moved upstairs and Liam Buckley, a former Irish international striker, has taken over the reins at the Inchicore Club. Players such as Colin Hawkins, Trevor Molloy and Thomas Morgan who all figured in the successful Irish under-20 side will be expected to line out at the R.S.C. on Friday night.

LEAGUE TABLE

	P	W	F	A	Pts
St. Pats	2	2	4	1	6
Waterford Utd.	2	2	3	1	6
Cork	2	2	3	1	6
Sligo Rovers	2	1	4	2	4
Finn Harps	2	1	4	4	3

WATERFORD UNITED — A Brief History

Waterford United arrived on the national soccer scene in the summer of 1982, inheritors of a tradition that stretched back to 1931 and the early days of the Free State League. Straight away the club's directors adopted a policy new to Waterford football when they recruited a group of young local players under the management of Alfie Hale.

The transition from Junior to League of Ireland proved none too easy but they had their first win when they beat Galway 3-2 in the League Cup in Kilcohan Park. A couple of familiar names still remain from that winning team which read: David Flavin, Ger O'Mahony, Jim Sutton, Brian Gardiner, Alan Lyons, Alfie Hale, Kevin Power, Mick Madigan, Michael Bennett, Vinny McCarthy and Frank Hayes.

These were difficult times for the club's directors with a public impatient for success and memories still fresh of the glory years of 1966 to 1973, together with two Cup Finals in as many years in 1979 and 1980. Eamonn Reid, the first Chairman, headed a management team that included Milo Corcoran, Steve Bergin, Eamonn Cunningham and Jim Ryan. These men and a host of willing helpers, kept the show on the road and were rewarded with their first success in 1985 when they defeated Finn Harps 2-1 to win the League Cup. A year later United reached the Cup Final only to be beaten 2-0 by Shamrock Rovers.

Since Rovers had already won the League, Waterford United qualified for

the first and only time for European football in the Cup Winners' Cup. They were drawn against French winners Bordeaux, one of the most powerful clubs of their day and lost 2-1 at Kilcohan Park and 4-0 in the second leg in Bordeaux.

Those were the days when continued existence in the Premier Division was taken for granted. The unthinkable happened in 1989 when the club was relegated to the First Division. There followed a yo-yo existence as United bounced straight back again only to go down a second time just as quickly. Back again in the Premier Division the following season, they were relegated for a third time in 1993.

In 1997 an ambitious new club management took over the reins. The newcomers were decidedly unlucky not to meet with promotion at the first time of trying in a season which the Blues finished only to lose to Dundalk in the play-off and also reached the semi-final of the Cup, losing to Shelbourne. However Tommy Lynch's first season as player/manager had built a solid foundation for a successful 1998 season when promotion as champions was finally achieved. The return to the Premier Division was perfectly timed for the launch of WUFC plc and an ambitious business development plan aimed at acquiring new players, improving facilities at the RSC and installing a full time commercial operation.

MICHAEL DEVINE (GOALKEEPER)
24 year old keeper, signed for a club record fee from Cobh Ramblers in July '97 where he had spent the previous four seasons. Spent four years at Middlesboro as an apprentice and six months at Newcastle United. Won Schoolboy Caps at under-15 and 16 levels. Voted National League Goalkeeper of the Year in the First Division '96/'97.

JOE HARKIN (DEFENDER)
Derry-born 22 year old. Joined the club last season from Cobh Ramblers. He spent four seasons at Manchester City and also played for Glenavon in the Irish League. He has under 15 and 16 Schoolboy International Caps for Northern Ireland and also has an 'B' International Cap.

TOMMY LYNCH (DEFENDER)
Joined Waterford United as Player/Manager in July 1996 and quickly became very popular with the fans. He is 6 foot tall and weighs 13 stone. Previously with Limerick City, Sunderland and Shrewsbury Town where he won an English League Division 3 winners medal. Has represented the National League while with Limerick City.

SEAN RIORDAN (DEFENDER)
Dublin-born 25 year old centre-half or midfield player. He joined Waterford United from Shelbourne having previously played for Monaghan United and Limerick F.C. (both on loan).

ALAN REYNOLDS (MIDFIELD)
Waterford-born, skillful 23 year old midfielder player who is in his seventh season in the National League having signed for Tramore F.C. in September 1991. Voted Player of the Year for Waterford United '96/'97. Made his League debut at home to Limerick F.C. in December 1991.

PAUL SCULLY (MIDFIELD)
22 year old former Old Bridge and Clonmel Town player is in his third season in the National League. Won a Munster Youths Cup medal with Old Bridge and was a member of the Clonmel Town team that won the F.A.I. Junior Cup in 1994, beating New Ross Celtic in the Final. Injured in a pre-season game, he hopes to be fit soon.

JOHN FROST (DEFENDER)
18 year old defender played his Schoolboy football with Tramore F.C. and Bohemians before signing for the Blues last season. He has won nine Republic of Ireland under 15 and 16 International caps. He was on the Waterford team that won the Kennedy Cup under-14 national competition and has played for Waterford Youths.

JOHN POWER (DEFENDER)
24 year old defender who is in his second spell with the club having returned to his junior club, Johnville where he won a Munster Junior Cup medal.

JOHN LACEY (MIDFIELD)
Born in Waterford, the 22 year old started his career with local club Southend United before spending two seasons at Stoke City. When he returned in 1993 he signed for Waterford United and he made his League debut away to Kilkenny City in October '93.

MARK REID (FORWARD)
Dublin-born 24 year old striker who started his career with Belvedere before moving to Stoke City in the English League. He spent three years there before returning home where he joined Sligo Rovers and later Shamrock Rovers. He has played for the National League team and is in his third season with the Blues.

PADRAIG DULLY (FORWARD)
Signed for Waterford United from Bohemians in the summer of '97, Pádraig originally hails from Athlone. He has played with most top Irish clubs and has scored many vital goals. Waterford United are confident that his goalscoring ability will continue in the season ahead.

ROBBIE GRIFFIN
D.O.B. 22/12/71. Position: Forward/Midfield/Defence. Previous Clubs: Bolton (Waterford), Waterford Bohs, UCD.
Robbie joined Waterford United, his home town team in the summer from last week's opponents UCD where he spent eight seasons. Having begun his career as a forward, he has played predominantly in midfield in recent seasons. Made his National League debut in October 1990 against Longford Town. During his time with the students he won the First Division Championship, a First Division Shield, two Leinster Senior Cups and was the captain of the Irish Universities team in '94/'95. To date Robbie has made 180 National League appearances scoring 36 goals. He has also scored in all three of Waterford United's League Cup matches - his first competitive games for the club. He is sure to be an influential figure for the Blues this season as we endeavour to make an impression in the Premier Division.

Additional Player Information

TIM McGRATH
Born in Dublin 16/08/79. Recently signed from Glasgow Celtic.

BARRY WOOD
Born in Edinburgh 19/6/77. Previously with Scottish Club Whitehall Welfare.

JODY BYRNE
35 year old Jody born in Dublin played with Finn Harps last season.

Dungarvan Utd U-11 League

BOHS 1 DUNGARVAN UTD 2
On Wednesday last this young side kicked off their season with a tough fixture away to Boh's, and what a way to start by beating the home side by 2-1. And although they all played their part in this great win I have to say that they are in for a very hard season and will have to play every game like they played in this one. Every player will have to learn their skills in training to ensure that they compete in this league as there will be no easy games. Training for this side is on Saturday's and it is vital every player attends.
Saturday training - 9 - 14 year olds welcome. Both goals scored by R. Foley.
Team: James Corcoran, C. R. Power, A. Norris, K. Wall, K. Cowling, M. Ferncombe, S. O' Hare, R. Foley, (capt), J. Duigh, C. Daly, C. Wall, D. O' Hare, C. Hackett, C. O' Connor, S. Whelan.

BALLINROAD A.F.C. NOTES

Home Draw For Ballinroad

BALLINROAD 1 PORTLAW 1

Ballinroad won the toss and chose to play with the very strong wind at their backs. The homeside started well and had the upper-hand in all sectors of the pitch. With Brian Fox and Benny Cliffe in excellent form in midfield and Francis Carroll beating his man at will on the left wing, we were creating chances aplenty. In the first 20 mins. these three players each had good efforts saved by the Portlaw 'keeper. Twenty minutes in, Benny Cliffe was switched to centre-forward leaving three in midfield and three up front. The change was made in order to make the most of the wind advantage and the pay off was not long in coming.

Benny Cliffe was freed by a good ball from midfield in the centre-forward position and he made no mistake from 20 yds. We went on to create several more good opportunities but found the Portlaw 'keeper in superb form. A shot tipped over from Benny Cliffe and a point blank save from Brian Fox stood out as the excellent net minder made save after save to keep his side in the game. Ballinroad were one up as the half-time whistle sounded.

With the wind strengthening considerably, Ballinroad knew that the second half would be a battle. In the early part of the second period, Portlaw piled on the pressure in search of the equaliser. They won several corners but were still not creating clear cut chances. Midway through the half a cross into the Ballinroad box was not cleared first time and the second effort at a clearance rebounded off a Portlaw attacker straight into the Ballinroad net giving 'keeper Richie Hayes no chance. To Ballinroad's credit, they responded to this setback by upping their game and in the last ten minutes it was the Portlaw 'keeper who again did the business denying the homeside twice before the final whistle sounded.

Every Ballinroad player can feel satisfied with the effort put in and this was once again a very committed team performance. However a draw at home is two points lost. We need to win next Saturday.

Unfortunately on the day we found ourselves short no fewer than five players who would be pushing for a place on the starting eleven. Some had good excuses, some had not.

Team - R. Hayes, P. Flynn, B. Burke, K. Power, N. Dwane, B. Cliffe, M. Foley, B. Fox, F. Fraher, M. Tobin, F. Carroll. Sub: K. Browne for M. Tobin.

SEAVIEW CELTIC DRAW

The tickets are out. This is an opportunity for the players to do some fundraising. A big effort is expected.

FIXTURE

At home to Kilmachthomas on Saturday, September 12 at 2.15 p.m. Players to be at the pitch at 1.45 p.m.

FLAG DAY

The club's annual flag days will be held this weekend September 12/13.

Under-13's Get Caught In Last Minute

BALLINROAD 1 DE LA SALLE 2

Despite a terrific, gutsy display we had to give best to the visitors on Thursday evening last. De La Salle started the brighter and only a combination of good goal-keeping and defending kept the scoreline 1-0 in their favour at the break.

But it was a different story on the resumption with Ballinroad getting on top in midfield and they were rewarded for their efforts when Simon Hanrahan scored with a wonderful shot to the roof of the net from fully 25 yds. out, two minutes from the finish.

Alas we were not to gain the point our performance deserved when we conceded a second goal on the stroke of full-time. All the players tried hard and with a bit more bit up front, we will start picking up points in the games ahead.

Team - Cian Moloney, William Browne, Brian Hourigan, Chris Walsh, Colin Murray, Thomas Kiely, Simon Hanrahan, Mark O'Gorman, Darrell Ryan (capt.), Billy Walsh, Eoin McCarthy. Res. used: Richard Phelan.

Mini World Cup Winners . . . !



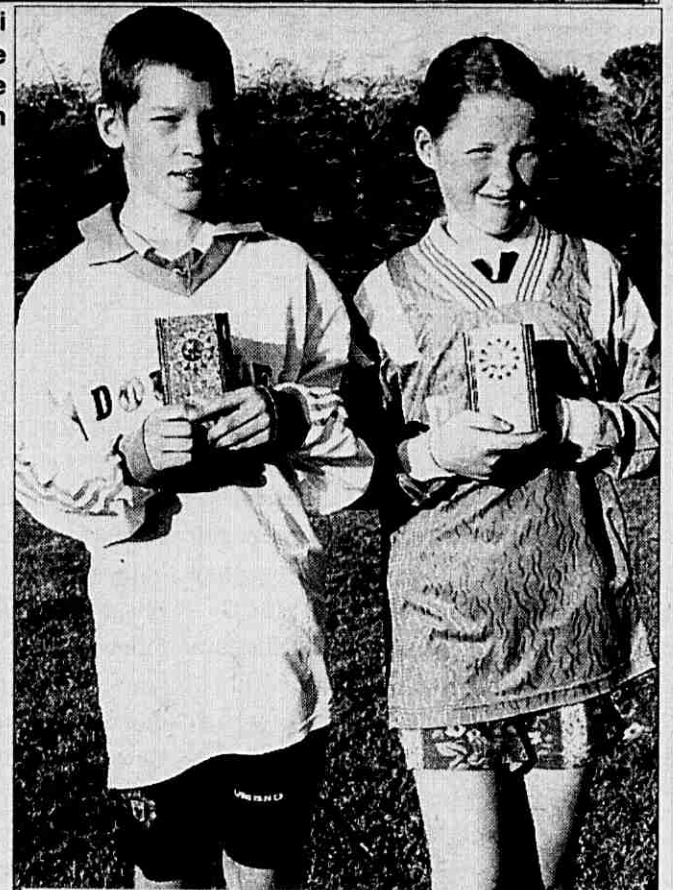
▲ Mexico — Winners of the Ballinroad Schoolboys Mini World Cup League. Photo shows (l. to r.) Shane O'Connor, Edward Moore, Kate Hayes, Shane Delahunty and Damien Doyle. Missing from photograph is David Shanley

Ballinroad Schoolboys

The mini world cup league has come to an end, the last games played on the Monday of the bank holiday weekend. There was a great turn out and such was the enthusiasm of the children that each game was played as though it was a world cup final. The tournament itself was a great success, over 50 children took part and if a child was absent due to illness or holidays someone of the same calibre filled in for them.

Thanks to the parents for their support. Sponsorship has been offered to run a similar tournament next year. Thanks also to Jim & Ann Ryan for the trophy and the medals.

Congratulations to Mexico on winning the cup final. The Team; Shane O'Connor played well in goal, Edward Moore and David Shanley were solid in defence, Damien Doyle the youngest player showing great promise. Kate Hayes from the Pike displaying some of her father's ability and Shane Delahunty, midfield, leading goalscorer of the tournament with 33 goals



Mini World Cup Players Awards — Photo shows (l. to r.) Michael Geary (best young boy) and Emma Ryan (best young girl). (Photos: Sean Byrne)

Pinewood Rangers F.C. Notes

A.G.M.

The club held its Annual General Meeting at The Oriel Bar, Ballymacarby earlier this summer. The following officers were elected -

Hon. Presidents: Liz and Eddie Townsley; Chairman: Pat Power; Secretary: Richard O'Keeffe; Joint Treasurers: Tony Doocey and Fintan Gillman; P.R.O.: Tony Hayes; Committee: John Desmond, Liam Walsh, Tom Doocey and Tony Hayes; Junior Team Manager: John Desmond; Team Captain: Richard O'Keeffe; Vice-Capt.: Liam Walsh.

TONY BOLGER CUP

Pinewood travelled to Castlelyons

on Sunday last to play Castlebridge Celtic in the first round of the Tony Bolger Cup. Played in very inclement weather, Pinewood made most of the play in the first half and were rewarded when Martin McCarthy netted from close range.

The 2nd half however was a different story when Castlebridge replied with 3 goals to effectively end Pinewood's progress in the competition.

Team - Brendan Crotty, Liam Walsh, Noel Ryan, Tom Guiry, Tony Hayes, Joe Walsh, Conor Ryan, John Moore, David Ryan, Michael Wall, Martin McCarthy.

We now go into a losers group

where we will be drawn to play another defeated team.

WEDDING BELLS

Congratulations to Richard O'Keeffe, Curtiswood, Ballymacarby and Lyn Gillman, St. Martin's Place, Ballymacarby who were married recently at Fourmilewater Church. Richard is Club Secretary and Team Captain for the coming year. We wish them the best for the future.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE DRAW

Pinewood host the first Red House League Super Draw in The Oriel Bar on September 26 next. Tickets are still available and can be obtained from any committee member.

Gold Coast Golf Club Notes

RESULTS

Mon., Aug. 31 to Fri., Sept. 4 - 9 Hole Stableford re-entry sponsored by Dungarvan Nissan. Winner - Tom Considine (8) 22 pts.

Thurs., Sept. 3 - 18 Hole Stableford C.S.S. 37 pts. Winner - Tony Dunford (14) 37 pts.

Sat., Sept. 5 - 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by New Ireland Assurance. C.S.S. 38 pts. 1st - Eoin Ryan (20) 43 pts., 2nd - John McGrath (12) 42 pts., 3rd - Jimmy O'Dwyer (16) 41 pts.

Sun., Sept. 6 - 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by New Ireland Assurance. C.C.S. 37 pts. Winner - James Veale (16) 38 pts.

ADULT JUVENILE FOURSOME MATCHPLAY

During the week the semi-finals of this competition were played with Keith Browne, who had two great rounds in the President's Prize and Liam Fitzgerald just getting the better of Shane Considine and John McGrath on the 18th green.

In the other semi-final David Troy and Mark Lenihan had to work very hard to get the better of Timmy Briden and Tony Dunford. The final is expected to be played during the coming week and a very close contest is expected. To pick a winner is not an easy task in this one but if Keith Browne can keep his run of good form going, this pairing of Keith and Liam could make it very difficult for David and Mark.

MIXED FOURSOMES MATCHPLAY

This competition has reached the semi-finals stage which will hopefully be played during the present week. Now that the long evenings are a thing of the past for another year, it is important that this competition is completed in the next two weeks.

FIXTURES

Mon./Fri., Sept. 7 - 11 - 9 Hole Stableford re-entry.

Thurs., Sept. 10 - 18 Hole Stableford.

Fri., Sept. 11 - 9 Hole Mixed Scramble.

Sat., Sept. 12 - 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by Guinness Group Sales.

Sun., Sept. 13 - 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by Guinness Group Sales.

SOCIETY TEE TIMES

Sat., Sept. 12 - 9.30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Sun., Sept. 13 - 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

LADIES CLUB NOTES

Results — 36 Hole Stableford Competition kindly sponsored by Pine Direct, O'Connell Street. 1st - Deirdre Hannigan (30) 140, 2nd - Alice McLoughlin (28) 145, 3rd - Joan Mansfield (17) 148, 4th - Joan O'Dea (36) 151.

18 Hole Stroke Competition. 1st - Helena Fitzgerald (35) 69 nett, 2nd - Joan Mansfield (17) 72 nett, 3rd - Claire Ryan (25) 76 nett.

Fixtures — President's Prize to the ladies on Sunday, September 13. This is an 18 Hole Stableford competition. Namesheet posted in the kiosk. Draw for partners takes place on Friday evening.

Beginning on Monday next, September 14 an 18 Hole Stroke Competition kindly sponsored by Helvic Seafood, Dungarvan. Also weekly 10 hole club competition. Further details of all competitions posted in Ladies Locker Room.

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB NOTES

OPEN WEEK CONTINUES

The Autumn Open week which has been very well supported so far continues with an 18 Hole Singles Stableford on Wednesday 9th September sponsored by Intacta Print.

Value Centre Cash and Carry sponsor an 18 Hole Singles Stableford on Thursday 10th and Friday 11th September. Golfers are allowed re-entry in this competition.

The weeks activities are rounded off with the Norris Brothers sponsoring an 18 Hole Fourball Betterball Stableford on Saturday 12th and Sunday 13th September. Timesheets are in operation for all these competitions and may be booked by phoning (058) 43310 or (058) 41605.

Full catering facilities are available.

The club would like to thank all our sponsors, visitors and members for their continued support.

MUNSTER INTER COUNTY BOYS

Congratulations to Martin Lavan and Sean O'Halloran who were part of the Munster Inter County Boys teams who defeated Limerick and Tipperary at Clonmel over the weekend. Waterford have now qualified for the Munster Final against Cork which will take place at Cahir Park next Saturday commencing at 12.30 pm.

RESULTS

Thursday 3rd September C.S.S. 37 pts. Winner, Eddie Elstead (12) 37 pts. Open week results; Friday 4th September, Open 18 Hole 3 Persons Scramble sponsored by Gilby's Ireland.

1st; John Reynolds (8) Tom Melody (4) Betty O'Brien (8) 59 nett. 2nd; Bryan Kirwan (14) Roger O'Connor (12), Vinny Kirwan (13) 60 nett. 3rd; Liam Carroll (15) Billy Queally (14) Teresa Queally (36) 60 nett. Also Hole in One sponsored by David Hayes Club Professional was won by Teresa Queally Lady President Gold Coast Golf Club.

Saturday 5th September Open 18 Hole Singles Stableford sponsored by Ross Technical Services. 1st; Fr. Gerry Horan (13), 47 pts. 2nd; Stephen Flynn (12) 42 pts. Gross; Tom Melody (4) 34 gross pts. 3rd; Peter O'Neill (14) 41 pts. 4th; John Moroney (9) 40 pts. 5th; Sean McGovern (11) 40 pts. C.S.S. 37 pts.

FIXTURES

Wednesday 9th September Open 18 Hole Singles Stableford sponsored by Intacta Print. Thursday 10th and



Dungarvan Golf Club - Ballinacourty Cup. Photo (l. to r.) Martin Lynch, runner-up, Pat Morrissey (winner), Tom Phelan, Captain DGC. —(Photo: Pat Crowley).



Dungarvan Golf Club - Open Men 18 Hole Singles and Ladies 9 Hole Singles (sponsored by Ross Technical Services). Photo (front l. to r.) Margaret O'Donnell, Lady Captain DGC, John Reynolds (sponsor), Tom Conway, accepting prize for Fr. Gerry Horan (winner), Tom Phelan, Captain DGC; back: Mary Keane (Cat. B), Tish Baumann (Cat. A), Tom Melody (gross), Stephen Flynn (2nd), Peter O'Neill (3rd). —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

Friday 11th Open 18 Hole Singles Stableford sponsored by Value Centre Cash and Carry. Saturday 12th and Sunday 13th Open 18 Hole Fourball Betterball sponsored by Norris Bros. Golfer of the week sponsored by Finches changed to best 2 cards out of three Singles competitions.

LADIES RESULTS

Tuesday 1st September sponsored by East Cork Oil. 18 Hole Stableford. Winner; Aileen Stacey (23) 41 pts. 2nd; Louise Fleming (10) 39 pts. Best Gross; Emer O'Kennedy (12) 25 pts. Best Gross; Emer O'Kennedy (12) 25 pts. 3rd; Rose Prendergast (19) 38 pts. 4th; Maeve Morrissey (17) 36 pts. 5th; Finola Kelly (24) 36 pts. Saturday 5th September, Open 9 Hole Stableford sponsored by Ross Technical Services. Class A; Tish Baumann (12) 20 pts. Class B; Mary Keane (27) 18 pts. Class C; Theresa Keane (36) 21 pts.

LADIES FIXTURES

9 Hole Rumble on going to Sunday 13th incl. Tuesday 15th September 18 Hole Singles Stableford.

JUNIOR GOLF NOTES

Results — 17th August results of the 18 Hole Stableford Competition. Age 12-14; Gary Burke (36) 42 pts. 15-16; John Foley (36) 38 pts. 17-18; Michael Fives (21) 38 pts.

19th August results of the 18 Hole Stableford Captain's Prize to Juniors — 1st; John O'Connor (33) 55 pts. 2nd; Ricky Keane (21) 50 pts. Best Gross; Sean O'Halloran (5) 37 pts. 3rd; Gary Burke (34) 48 pts. 4th; Conor Moran (25) 43 pts. 5th; Tom Stack (15) 43 pts. 6th; Brian Daly (22) 42 pts. Category Winners; Seamus Burns, Patrick Browne, Declan Fives and Paul Foley. Putting Champion; Sean O'Halloran.

28th August results of the 18 Hole Stableford — 1st; Conor Moran (23) 46 pts. 2nd; Mark Fives (34) 46 pts. Best Gross; Sean O'Halloran (5) 31 pts. 3rd; Ian Prendergast (20) 45 pts. Best 36; David O'Donovan (36) 43 pts.

MINI LOTTO

Week ending 6th September. Winning numbers drawn were 1-8-17-24. No jackpot winner. £25 winners went to Jay Walsh, Club and Dan Devlen. This weeks jackpot is £1,100. Thank you for your support.



Gold Coast Golf & Leisure Club Juvenile Competition (sponsored by Johnny Lynch, Fruit & Veg., Dungarvan). Left to right — John Troy (3rd), Eamon O'Donnell (2nd), Johnny Lynch (sponsor), David Hughes (1st), Sean O'Halloran (B.G.), James Veale. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



Gold Coast Golf & Leisure Club Mixed Doubles. Father & Son Competition (sponsored by Fennells Haulage & Waste Disposal). Seated (l. to r.) Liam and Mary Clancy (winners), Maurice Fennell (sponsor), David & Allen Briden (2nd); standing: James Veale, Bobby Buckley, for Billy Queally and Theresa Queally (best gross), Tom Fennell. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



Gold Coast Golf & Leisure Club Ladies Competition (sponsored by Pine Direct, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan). Left to right: Joan Mansfield (3rd), Theresa Queally for Alice McLoughlin (2nd), Didi Hannigan (1st), Patricia Hackett (sponsor), Joan O'Dea (4th), Nuala De Paor (Lady Captain). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

West Waterford Golf Club Notes



West Waterford Golf & Country Club - Club Classic (sponsored by Campus Oil. Seated (l. to r.) Frazer Furlong (sponsor), Eamon and Allison Spratt, Fiona and Michael O'Connor (winners), Mary spratt (Lady Captain); Standing: Pat Keane, Vera Nugent, Tess Reynolds and John Keane (best gross), Tommy Butler (Club Captain). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

CASTLE PARK OVERALL TITLE GOES TO WEST WATERFORD GOLF CLUB

The talented South African, Bernese Dorman-Kade justified her status as the red hot favourite by taking the overall prize of the Castle Park Hotel in Michelstown Golf Club at the weekend. This prize was for the best individual scores from the West Waterford and Michelstown golf courses. We would like to thank Mary and Michael Spratt for their generous sponsorship.

SENIORS CUP

Pat Murray brought the West Waterford Golf Club Seniors Cup up the hill to Ballyguiry with a wonderful score of 43 pts. This competition was kindly sponsored by John Foley's Service Station.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Pat Murphy and his Waterford team on their defeat of Limerick in the Munster semi-final of the boys Inter-County Championship. Well done to Mark Shanahan who won both his matches in convincing style.

BEST OF LUCK

Best of luck to Pat and his team for the final which will be played against Cork in Cahir Park Golf Club on Saturday September 12th.

RESULTS

Tuesday 1st September High Handicap, Cat (A) — 1st; C. French 20 pts. 2nd; J. Murphy 18 pts. 3rd; M. O'Dwyer 18 pts. Cat (B) — 1st; T. Condon 14 pts. 2nd; B. Cullinan 12 pts. 3rd; J. Costin 9 pts. Wednesday 2nd September Gallup Results, 1st; R. Woodcock (15) 43 pts. 2nd; J. Keane (6) 40 pts. 3rd; W. Casey (14) 38 pts. Gross; P. Madigan (16) 32 pts. Club; A. Harty (2) 36 pts. Friday 4th Septem-

ber Scramble, 1st; M. O'Keefe, R. Donnelly, M. French 30 9/12. 2nd; B. Hillard, M. Cass, M. French 33 4/12. 3rd; D. Hurley, R. McDonnell, P. Nugent 33 6/12. Gross; T. Curran, P. McCarthy, A. Browne 39. Saturday 5th September 18 Hole Stableford, 1st; A. Harty (3) 40 pts.

Seniors — 1st; P. Murray (19) 43 pts. Dungarvan Golf Club. 2nd; J. Ryan (11) 38 pts. West Waterford Golf Club. Gross; T. Butler (7) 29 pts West Waterford Golf Club. 3rd; D. Ryan 37 pts. Kinsale Golf Club. 4th; D. Cotter 37 pts. Youghal Golf Club.

FIXTURES

Gentlemen put your names in now for the club singles match play. The list is on the locker room notice board. The club four ball draw has been made, please check notice board for your partners and opposition.

There's an on-going 9 Hole competition in aid of the Omagh Appeal Fund. All members are asked to support this worthy cause.

St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan are running an 18 hole classic which will be held on Thursday and Friday followed by an auction in aid of St. Joseph's Hospital. All are welcome.

WEST WATERFORD LADIES GOLF NOTES

Club Competition Success for Kathleen — On Thursday last a large entry of ladies participated in the club competition which was kindly sponsored by one of the lady members. It was Kathleen Broderick who shone through on this occasion playing off 36 with a superb score of 40 points. Well done to all participants and prizewinners and special thanks to the sponsor.

Results — 1st; Kathleen Broderick (36) 40 pts. 2nd; Mary French (29) 36 pts.

Best Gross; Tess Reynolds (13) 21 gross pts. 3rd; Alicia Browne (20) 33 points. Front 9; Jenny Sweeney (18) 21 pts. Back 9; Lena Walsh (36) 21 pts.

August Monthly Competition — 1st; Joan Curran (36) 66 nett. 2nd; Mary French (33) 68 nett. 3rd; Alicia Browne (20) 69 nett.

September monthly competition is being sponsored by Mary O'Sullivan.

Fixtures — Thursday 10th, Friday 11th September; St. Joseph's Hospital Classic. Sponsors; Alicia Browne. Come and enjoy an auction on Friday evening with Auctioneers Tom and Jack from Bachelors in Trouble, to support this worthy cause. Thursday 17th September; Ladies Fun Scramble - we look forward to seeing all our ladies participate in this fun event. Sunday 20th September; Presidents Prize to the ladies sponsor, Frank Cooney.

Cunnigar Pitch & Putt Club Notes

LOTTO

No winner of our jackpot last week. Numbers drawn were 4-13-15-29. Three lucky winners of £20 each were Marian Kiely, Paddy Sullivan and Maura Giblin. Next week's jackpot will be £900. Thanks for your support.

TOURNAMENT

Last Wednesday evening we had our club competition, a 27 Hole Fourball Better Ball. Conditions were excellent for this tournament and the scores on the night were fabulous. In the nett the partnership of Pat Tutty and Frankie Wright with a score of 55 3/4 won this. In the Gross Lenny Duggan and Jessie Landers after some great pitch & putt ended up winning with 14 under par.

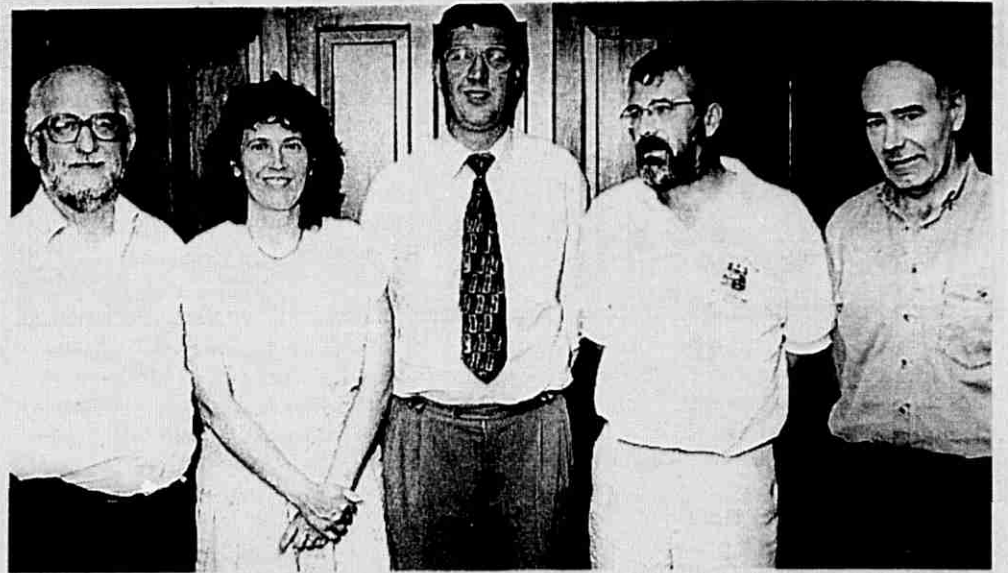
COMPETITION

Last Thursday saw the start of the Ryan's Super Valu Competition. Our Fas lads had the course in excellent condition for this tournament.

Results; 1st Nett; Philip Duggan. 2nd Nett; Eddie Lenihan. 1st Gross; Paul Regan. 2nd Gross; Tomas Maher. We would like to thank Ryan's Super Valu for sponsoring this great event.

FIXTURE

This Wednesday (tonight) 9th to the 13th we have the Avonmore Waterford Festival week competition. Format will be Singles and Doubles. Check notice board for details. —Shout Fore.



Tallow GAA Club Golf Classic, hosted by Lismore Golf Club. Left to right: Sean Sheehan (Club Chairman), Siobhan Moroney, Liam Moroney and Robert McNamara (second overall), John McDonnell, McDonnell Bros., Main Tallow GAA Club sponsors. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



Tallow GAA Club Golf Classic. Presentation to the overall winners (l. to r.) Liam Moroney (Club Secretary), Sean Sheehan (Club Chairman), winning team of Angela Allen, Loretta Morrisson and Kay Condon, John McDonnell. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



Group of prizewinners in the Tallow GAA Club Golf Classic. Included in the group are club officials Sean Sheehan, Liam Moroney and John McDonnell (sponsor). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



Tallow GAA Club Golf Classic (l. to r.) Liam Moroney (sec.), Sean Sheehan (chairman), the Ballyduff team of Sheila Denn, Dave and Greta Barry (fourth overall), John McDonnell (club sponsor). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Notes



CLUB HANDICAP RACE

As reported in previous notes, the club is organising a members only handicap race over the 16 mile Whitechurch route this Friday 11th September at 6.30 p.m. Sign on at 6 p.m. sharp.

This fun event promises to be great craic and will give everyone a chance based on the handicap system. Each rider will be judged on his/her personal best time recorded in the 16 mile Whitechurch timetrial. If you didn't take part in the timetrial this year, then your PB from last year will count. Riders will be let off in groups with those who share similar best times. For example riders who recorded a PB of between 42 to 46 minutes will be let off together as one group before the riders who scored PB's of between 38 and 42 minutes etc. (this is only a broad example). It is expected that up to five groups will take part in the event with the final group comprising of Joe Kelly, Thomas Hogan, Pat Kenneally, Tony O'Mahony & co. To make the fun race even fairer riders will be divided into teams with names to be picked from a hat. Therefore it's not what time you finish the race in - it's your position that matters.



TONY ELSTED OVERSEES THE FINAL PREPARATIONS FOR THE RECENT 56 MILE BLAZING SADDLES EVENT WHICH WAS HOSTED BY DUNGARVAN CREDIT UNION C.C.

There is no fee for this event and first prize is a trip on the club's overnight outing to Killarney on 3rd October. Helmets must be worn and club members only are eligible.

GET YOUR SOCIAL TICKETS!

Tickets for the club's end of year social on Friday 11th September at the Park Hotel are on sale at £10 each at Albert McGrath's shop, Mitchel Street.

At the social, awards will be presented to the winners of the Herlihy's Supervalu

Old Sweep hillclimb, Strikes Hill Climb, and the club fun race. The night will involve a meal followed by music and dancing. This is apparently what is meant by 'social intercourse' in the club rules.

MUNSTER HILLCLIMB ON SUNDAY

The Dungarvan Club will host the Munster Hillclimb Championship over the Strike's Hill course this Sunday 13th September at 12 noon. This event is kindly being sponsored by Dungarvan Statoil, Youghal

Road. We wish the best of luck to club riders taking part in the hillclimb and appeal to any members who have some free time on Sunday to come out to Strike's Hill and support the local riders.

Underage riders please note that prizes for the various underage winners in the recent Old Sweep Hillclimb and Strike's Hillclimb will be presented immediately following the Munster Hillclimb Championship at Strike's Hill on Sunday.

KILLARNEY CYCLE

Those taking part in the

90 mile leisure cycle to Killarney on Saturday 3rd October are asked to confirm their attendance to Seamus Connolly by this Friday 11th. Members will stay overnight in The Arbutus Hotel in the centre of Killarney. Further details from Seamus Connolly at (058) 44154.

CLUB AGM

All members are asked to attend the club's annual general meeting on Friday 9th October at the Park Hotel when the officers for the coming year will be elected.

STRIKE'S HILLCLIMB RESULTS

The fourth stage of the Strike's hillclimb was held last Wednesday in extremely humid conditions with only ten riders managing to improve their time. Fastest on the night in the mens section was Eddie O'Donoghue who travelled from Clonmel and completed the course in 12.06. Fastest lady last week was Siobhan O'Mahony in 18.11.

The final week of the competition will see riders going all out to record a personal best and reduce their final point tally. In div. one Edward Kelly will come under pressure from Joe and Pat Kenneally while Ray Dwyer in division two is only 4 points clear of Ger Wyley. The competition is extremely tough in the 3rd div. where riders seem to be continually improving their times. Here, Anthony Dwyer is just 2 points ahead of Eddie Phelan with Philip Cleary and Jim Meehan also in the running.

If he continues his recent

run of form, Vincent Tutty looks a likely winner of the 4th division with second and third place a battle between James Veale, Eoin McGarry and Patrick O'Doherty.

Division 5 is currently being led by Aisling Conroy who is a full 14 points ahead of Siobhan O'Mahony while also putting up a strong challenge are Seamus Connolly and Liam Hurley.

In the 6th division, Albert McGrath is the current leader on 68 points but John Houlihan looks like a serious contender on 72 points.

In the juvenile section, Gearoid O Turraoin is leading the racing bike section by 6 points ahead of Pdraig Healy while in the mountain bike section Emer Conroy is leading this division by 4 points from Shane Power.

The following is a full list of points and last week's times (in brackets).

Division 1 - Eddie O'Donoghue (12.06) 100, Thomas Hogan (12.38) 100, John Dempsey (12.51) 100, Joe Kelly 86 (12.59), Edward Kelly (13.39) 80, Pat Kenneally 88 pts. (14.20), David Geary 94, Mark Flavin 100, Tony O'Mahony 100.

Div. 2 - Ger Wyley 80 (14.19), Ray Dwyer 76 (14.19), Gearoid Fraher 84 (14.55), Michael Power (15.03) 100, Justin Coonan (15.48) 92, A. McHale 86.

Div. 3 - Anthony Dwyer 74 (15.20), Liam Lynch 84 (16.05), E. Phelan 76 (16.08), James Moore (16.21) 84, Philip Cleary (16.28) 80, Tony Murray 88, Jim Meehan 80 (17.02), Eddie Elsted 100.

Div. 4 - Patrick O'Doherty (16.11) 80, Vincent Tutty 70 (16.33), Eoin McGarry 80 (16.39), James Veale 76 (17.02), Paul Keating 80 (17.42), James Twomey 100, Danny Whelan 100.

Div. 5 - Siobhan O'Mahony 74 (18.11), Liam Hurley 76 (18.13), Aisling Conroy 60 (18.29), Seamus Connolly 76 (20.18), David Cummins (21.20) 92.

Div. 6 - Albert McGrath 68 (19.57), John Houlihan (20.04) 72, Eddie Moore 82 (21.13), Stella Terry 82, Terry Keohan (22.31) 100.

Juvenile (R.B.) - Gearoid O Turraoin 90 (5.09), Pdraig Cullen (5.09) 100, Pdraig Healy 96 (5.39), I. Ormond (5.49) 100, Paul Houlihan 100 (6.01), I McLoughlinan (6.14) 100.

Juvenile (M.B.) - Emer Conroy 72 (6.35), Una Healy 88 (7.11), Shane Power (7.16) 76.

Cappoquin Pork & Bacon Blackwater Cycling Club Notes

1998 JUNIOR TOUR NEWS

Well done to Brian Moore on completing the 1998 Credit Union Junior Tour of Ireland recently.

The Credit Union Junior Tour is an eight-stage race for 16-18 year old riders. This year the route had very much a Northern 'look' to it, starting in Coleraine and finishing in Dublin and covering a distance of almost 500 miles. Every effort was made by Blackwater C.C. to put together a Waterford team to ride the tour but circumstances did not allow this team to materialise and so Brian rode for the Cork team.

Brian had a marvellous 1998 Tour which saw him in the thick of the action daily. Well done Brian. Your clubmates hope you carry your form into next season.

CITY OF MANCHESTER

INTERNATIONAL YOUTH TOUR
Gearoid Turraoin and Eoin Whyte were in action in the third City of Man-

chester International Youth Tour recently. This event was held over three days and consisted of four disciplines a prologue time trial, a road race, a sprints race, and a criterium in the grand setting of Manchester Town Hall. Both Gearoid and Eoin rode with distinction and gained valuable experience on their first cycling trip outside Ireland.

One of the highlights of the weekend was a training session in the Manchester Velodrome in the company of the 1987 Tour de France winner Stephen Roche. Stephen showed that he still has the magic that made him No. 1 in 1987. Stephen shared his cycling experience with the young riders over the weekend, which proved to be of great benefit to them. In all thirty Irish riders took part accompanied by parents, officials and team mechanics. A great time was had by all and we hope to return next year.



Pictured above is Brian Moore, Blackwater C.C. who competed in the 1998 Credit Union Junior Tour of Ireland.

NEWS FROM LOCAL ATHLETIC SCENE

O'MAHONEY CYCLES 5K ROAD RACE

On Sunday August 30th last the 1st annual Abbeyside Pattern 5K was held around the streets of the village. This event was kindly sponsored by Tony O' Mahoney of O' Mahoney Cycles, Abbeyside. A nice field set out on the three lap course and the honours went to a great supporter of all our races, Dennis McCarthy of East Cork A.C. 2nd place going to John Walsh, Clonmel A.C. and 1st local finisher going to young Eamon O' Donnell of Kyne Park who also was 3rd overall. The junior race went to Jimmy Boland, Clonmel A.C. 0.40. Maurice Boland and 0.45, John Walsh East Cork.

This event will be an annual event in the Pattern programme and next year we hope to see a much larger field participate in the event.



5K ROAD RACE IN CONJUNCTION WITH ABBEYSIDE PATTERN — Photo shows prize winners with Tony O'Mahoney, O'Mahoney Cycles (sponsor), Tony and Cormac O'Mahoney, Mary Rossiter and Betty Tutty, Abbeyside Pattern. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

WLR/Examiner WATERFORD 10K Run

Due to adverse weather conditions the WLR Waterford 10K was postponed last Sunday. The race will now go ahead on Sunday 27th September at 2.30.

Ballycotton 5 Mile Road Race

The final race in the Ballycotton Summer Road Race Series was held on Thursday 27th August last. With this race John Walsh and his team in Ballycotton rounded off once again an excellent year of events in the area. On the night Thomas Bennett, West Waterford took the junior men's race finishing 11th, time 27.30. Also competing we had Michael Barrett 28.13 in 17th place. Tony Shalloe 49th at 30.26. Tony is improving with every race and it will not be long before he dips under the magic 30 minutes for 5 miles. Michael Bennett 122nd at 36.20. The race was won by Ray Fahey, Leevale A.C. in a time of 25.16. The next event is the Ballycotton 10k on March 14th 1999.

Ardmore Five Mile Road Race

The last of the Ger Wyley sponsored Summer Road Race Series was held in Ardmore last Friday evening 4th September. Once again our friends in Ardmore put on a top class race which was very well organised. Thanks to Sean Fahey, Kevin Gallagher and their team in Ardmore for making it such an enjoyable evening for everyone.

Before the race started there was a minute's silent prayer in memory of Veronica Ryan whose intently death occurred last week. Veronica was a teacher at Ardmore N.S. and of course wife of Tony who was very much behind the setting up of this race 4 years ago. Kevin Gallagher spoke on behalf of all involved in the race and paid a fitting tribute to Veronica who will be sadly missed.

There was a field of 57 in the race this year and from the gun the race was led by Peter Duggan, St. Joseph's who romped home to take the title, his third win in the series in a time of 26.30.

William Harty took second spot from Dennis McCarthy third. The ladies race was won by Jackie Stamp, Kilmore. 2nd going to Frankie Devlin, Middleton A.C. There were also prizes awarded to the 1st finisher in each zodiac sign and the full results are listed below.

MEN - ARDMORE 5 RESULTS

1st; Peter Duggan, St. Joseph's 26.30. 2nd; Wm. Harty, West Waterford 27.19. 3rd; Denis McCarthy, East Cork 27.29.

WOMEN

1st; Jackie Stamp, Kilmore 35.21. 2nd; Frankie Devlin, Middleton A.C. 36.09. 3rd; Yvonne Clooney, Kilmore 37.07.

Aries; Ml. Dwyer, West Waterford 31.02. Taurus; Maurice Boland, Clonmel 30.22. Gemini; Willie Hayes, St. Finbar's, 28.30. Cancer; John Walsh, East Cork 29.37. Leo; Kevin Collins, Mullinahone 34.15. Virgo; Larry Kennedy, Waterford 27.37. Libra; Michael Roche, West Waterford 29.11. Scorpio; Liam Cline, West Waterford 29.09. Sagittarius; Gordon Nicholson, Youghal 33.07. Capricorn; Myles McHugh, Clonmel 30.55. Aquarius; Bobby Cody, St. Senans 30.45. Pisces; John Walsh, Clonmel 28.04.

SPOTS

1 Tom Hally. 2 Don Bergin. 3 Seamus O'Droma. 4 Stephen Fennessey. 5 Tony O' Mahoney. 6 Breda Hayes. 7 Helen Doyle.

FULL RESULTS OF ARDMORE 5 MILES

1 Peter Duggan, 26.30. 2 Wm. Harty, 27.19. Denis McCarthy, 27.29. 4 Larry

Kennedy, 27.37. 5 John Walsh, 28.04. Willie Hayes, 28.50. Liam Cline, 29.09. Ml. Roche, 29.11. Anthony Harty, 29.13. 10 Tim Twomey, 29.25.

11 Charlie Foley, 29.39. 14 Kenny Curran, 29.42. 15 Colin Lyons, 30.15. 16 Maurice Boland, 30.22. 17 Conor Murray, 30.36. 18 Bobby Cody, 30.45. 19 Alan Ryan, 30.52. 20 Myles McHugh, 30.55.

21 Ml. Dwyer, 31.02. 22 Ml. Wade 31.45. 23 Tim Collins, 32.10. 24 Joe Kelly, 32.33. 25 Sean Bennett, 32.49. 26 Tony Huff, 32.54. 27 Gordon Nicholson, 33.07. 28 Tim O' Connor, 33.12. 29 Anthony Dwyer, 33.19. 30 Sean Fahy, 33.35.

31 Stephen Fennessey, 33.45. 32 Kevin Collins, 34.15. 33 Ml. Ryan's, 35.05. 34 Tom Hally, 35.07. 35 Noel Prendergast, 35.11. 36 Jackie Stamp, 35.21. 37 Damien Vereker, 35.50. 38 Eddie Hayes, 35.59. 39 Vincent Tutty, 36.06. 40 Seamus Stone, 36.06.

41 Frankie Devlin, 36.09. 42 Ml. Bennett, 36.21. 43 Geoff Bullen, 36.32. 44 Billy Kelly, 36.44. 45 Joe Hourigan, 36.56. 46 Richard Walsh, 37.04. 47 Yvonne Clooney, 37.07. 48 Colm Humphrey, 37.45. 49 Hiliary Collins, 37.51. 50 Seamus Droma, 37.54.

51 Tony O' Mahoney, 38.14. 52 Helen Doyle, 38.34. 53 Don Bergin, 38.34. 54 Breda Hayes, 39.04. 55 Kevin Cummins, 39.30. Jim Curtin, 39.54.

GER WYLEY SUMMER SERIES

U-40 — 1 Wm. Harty, West Waterford. 2 Peter Duggan, St. Joseph's. 3 Liam Cline, West Waterford. 4 Charlie Foley, West Waterford. 5 Derek Lyons, West Waterford. 6 John Walsh, Clonmel. 7 Larry Kennedy, Waterford. 8 Ml. Wade, West Waterford. 9 Conor Murray, West Waterford. 10 Michael Dwyer, West Waterford.

O-40 — 1 Tom Burns, Waterford. 2 Michael Roche, West Waterford. 3 Colin Lyons, West Waterford. 4 Anthony Harty, West Waterford. 5 Maurice Boland, Clonmel. 6 Tommy Cahill, Clonmel. 7 Anthony Dwyer, West Waterford. 8 Tony Shalloe, West Waterford. 9 Seamus Kelly, West Waterford. 10 Kevin Collins, Mullinahone.

Ladies — 1 Jackie Stamp, Kilmore. 2 Siobhan O' Reilly, Kilmore. 3 Pauline

Clooney, Kilmore. 4 Yvonne Clooney, Kilmore. 5 Frankie Devlin, Middleton. 6 Helen Doyle, Kilmore. 7 Hiliary Collins, Mullinahone.

Our thanks to Ger once again for sponsoring this series and he has guaranteed his support again next year.

Thanks to everyone who helped to stage the races this year. To all our sponsors around the county and to all the people who organised races in their area.

Thanks to Paddy Whelan on the P.A. system, to Noel O' Doherty and family for all the help with the timing of athletes at all the races and especially to Mary Rose Drummy whose invaluable help taking entries, numbers and making out results at the finish is much appreciated by all.

Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's G.A.A. Club Notes

INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP — Last Sunday night we played Dungarvan in the semi-final. This was a very close game. At half-time Dungarvan led 3-3 to 0-7. In the second half an Adrian Lonergan goal brought us back into the game but time ran out and we were beaten by 4 pts. The final score was St. Mary's 1-11 Dungarvan 3-9.

Team - R. Ware, J. McGrath, J. Hallinan, E. Lonergan, L. Boyle, D. Kiely (0-1), I. Dunford (0-1), T. Condon, D. Whelan, J. P. Fitzpatrick (0-5), P. Hallinan, K. Hallinan (0-1), A. Fitzpatrick (0-3), S. Kearns, D. Lonergan. Subs: A. Lonergan (1-0) for D. Lonergan, J. Connors, P. Condon, P. Fitzgerald, D. Meaney, V. Lonergan, B. O'Dwyer, G. Butler, B. Whelan.

TOURNAMENT — Dunford's Bar Football Tournament Final — Kilrossanty v Shamrocks at 6 p.m. on Sunday, September 13 at Kirwan Park.

SPONSORSHIP — The club wish to thank Paddy Joe Ryan (Comeragh Oil) who sponsored a set of stockings for the intermediate football team.

SYMPATHY — The club would like to extend sympathy with the families of the late Tom Hallinan who died recently. May he rest in peace.

SONIA'S COMEBACK

Budapest proved to be a happy stomping ground for Sonia O' Sullivan as she roared to victory in both the 5,000 and 10,000 m. What a different picture it proved to be from Atlanta. Looking radiant as she kicked down the final straight it was a joy to watch her. There was joy too for Mark Carroll who after so many years of injury finally made the breakthrough at Senin Park with a Bronze medal in the 5,000 m. Alas it was not to be Susan's week and despite a fine run in the semi-finals she left bitterly disappointed at not getting into the medals.

WATERFORD LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB NOTES

The Waterford team who beat Mayo in the Bank of Ireland All Ireland Semi Final at Fraher Field, Dungarvan last Sunday. (Rory Wyley)

Waterford Qualify For All Ireland Final

**WATERFORD 1-15
MAYO 1-4**

Waterford qualified for the Bank of Ireland Ladies Senior Football Championship final by virtue of an 11 point victory over Mayo at the Fraher Field on Sunday afternoon. Despite being well below their best they were never seriously troubled by a very youthful Mayo team that did enough to suggest that they will be a force to be reckoned with in the years to come.

Prior to match time, weather conditions were atrocious, thankfully the rain disappeared but a strong cross field wind made life very difficult for the players. Despite all this a fine crowd turned out and whilst Waterford won't be entirely happy with the display, the object of the exercise was to qualify for the final and that objective was achieved.

An injury in last week's under 16 final ruled Mary O' Donnell out of contention. Waterford began well, playing into the country goal, and Martina O' Ryan kicked the opening point in the 2nd minute. The pace of the Mayo attack caused the Waterford defence problems and it was no surprise when Martha O' Malley equalised in the 5th minute. Waterford put together a great attack in the 8th minute but Mayo keeper, Denise Horan saved a pile driver from Aine Wall.

Play swung from end to end, Catriona Casey kicked the first of her six points in the 9th minute but Cora Staunton levelled it up in the 12th minute. Staunton, Mayo's danger woman was well held by Paula Walsh and failed to score again.

The first goal came in the

13th minute, Waterford's Julie Torpey raced up field and an exchange of passes put her clean through and she drilled the ball into the top left hand corner of the net. Torpey also scored the winning goal in last years Munster Final v Clare.

It sparked a period of Waterford dominance. By now Deirdre O' Rourke had come much more into the game at centre back although Waterford still had problems at midfield. In addition the Waterford attack was a little lethargic, passes went astray, the running off the ball wasn't as fluent as normal.

Nevertheless between the 14th and 25th minute they kicked five successive points from Geraldine O' Ryan, Fiona Crotty, Aine Wall and Caitriona Casey twice. Mayo rallied in the closing stages of the half as Diana O' Hora and midfielder Claire Egan shot points to reduce the deficit at the interval to 6 points, 1-7 to 0-4.

Waterford resumed with Olivia Condon at midfield and Martina O' Ryan at centre forward and it brought a very definite improvement. Although Mayo did shoot a number of bad wides Waterford did likewise. Aine Wall shot a

point that could have been a goal, Catriona Casey from a free and Claire Ryan added further points and Aine Wall's 45th minute point left Waterford coasting, 1-11 to 0-4.

Mayo now enjoyed a purple patch but failed to put it on the score board although their only second half score arrived in the 48th minute, when lively corner forward, Martha O' Malley skipped around Noirin Walsh and hammered the ball past Sarah Hickey from close range.

Once again Waterford moved up a gear and finished with 4 points on the trot from Aine Wall, Rebecca Hallahan and a brace from frees by Catriona Casey. From Waterford's point of view Sarah Hickey was sound in goal, Paula Walsh and Siobhan O' Regan were outstanding whilst the other four defenders, after a shaky start, were in control.

Catriona Casey was the best midfielder on view whilst Olivia Condon and Martina O' Ryan both improved in the second half. Aine Wall was Waterford's best forward, the rest only played in spurts and Deirdre Nagle impressed when she came on. There is no doubt that Waterford can and will

improve considerably, 1-15 is a good tally playing below their best and the next four weeks will be geared towards a big display in the final.

Mayo will be happy with the performance. Half of the team are minors, they were not overawed by Waterford and if they can win the All-Ireland minor final against Monaghan on Saturday it will be a big boost to ladies football in the county.

Denise Horan had a fine game in goal, Diana O' Hora, Marcella Heffernan, Claire Egan and Martha O' Malley were others to impress.

Waterford team: S. Hickey, P. Walsh, S. O' Ryan, N. Walsh, A. Crotty, D. O' Rourke, J. Torpey (1-0), M. O' Ryan (0-1), C. Casey (0-6), O. Condon, R. Hallahan (0-1), F. Crotty (0-1), C. Ryan (0-1), A. Wall (0-4), G. O' Ryan (0-1). Sub: D. Nagle for G. O' Ryan.

Mayo team: D. Horan, D. O' Hora (0-1), H. Lohan, S. McGing, M. Heffernan, R. Barrett, N. Lally, C. Heffernan, C. Egan (0-1), S. Gibbons, M. Staunton, J. Mullarkey, M. O' Malley (1-1), C. Staunton, S. Costello.

MONAGHAN ADVANCE IN OTHER SEMI FINAL

MONAGHAN 0-13 MEATH 1-8

Repeat Of Last Year's All Ireland Final — What A Prospect! —

By all accounts Monaghan also struggled against Meath in the other semi-final at Summerkill, after playing against the breeze in the first half they trailed 1-6 to 0-2 at the interval.

They missed two penalties, both taken by Mairead Kelly. The referee, Finbar O' Driscoll came in for an amount of criticism from Meath. He is of course the man who refereed last years Waterford - Monaghan final at Croke Park.

With the wind behind them Monaghan fought their way back into contention helped by 5 points from Edel Byrne and ran out winners. Meath were sorely disappointed.

So the scene is set for a repeat of last years final on Sunday the 4th October in Croke Park. It's a game the entire country will look forward to.

Primary Schools G.A.A.

A new school year has commenced and at this stage pupils and teachers are working seriously on their programmes for the year. Our primary schools football competitions will be commencing shortly but before that it is necessary to review all last year's activities and in order to achieve that end the Annual General Meeting of the West Waterford Primary Schools Board will take place on Thursday, September 10 in Lawlors Hotel at 8 p.m.



Church & General
Cumann na mBunscoil

AGENDA

1. Treasurer's report.
2. Secretary's report.
3. Chairperson's address.
4. Election of officers.
5. Structure and format of leagues.
6. Boys Football League.
7. I.N.T.O. Mini-Sevens (Peil).
8. Aon ghnó eile.

Every school is requested to have a representative at this meeting as it ensures your school's entry in competitions and also gives you an opportunity to share your views with others.

The officers who were charged with running of the Primary Schools Programme last year are as follows:

Chairperson - Margaret Cunningham, Secretary - Breda Cleary, Treasurer - Eddie O'Halloran, P.R.O. - Seamus Fitzgerald.

Shamrocks G.A.A. Notes

LOTTO

The numbers drawn on last Saturday night were 1, 13, 20, 23. There was no jackpot winner. The winners of £10 each were Pat O'Reilly, Tramore; Tony Rangney, Knockanore; Craig and Maria, Knockanore; Arthur Mulcahy, Ballyphilip; Bessie Buckley, Strancally. Next Saturday night's jackpot will be £850.

FOOTBALL CHALLENGE

On Sunday morning we had a challenge game against Kilgobinet at the field. In spite of high winds etc. it was a fairly competitive game which we won by a couple of points. We wish to extend sincere thanks to Tommy O'Sullivan, Cappoquin who travelled out to referee the game.

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

On next Sunday evening we will be taking part in the

Sliabh gCua Tournament Final against Kilrossanty at Touraneena. Throw-in is at 6 p.m. and we still do not know when we will be playing our championship. In the meantime training every Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7.30.

Geraldines G.A.A. Notes

MINI LOTTO

There was no jackpot winner in last Friday night's draw. The numbers drawn were 2-4-14. The five lucky £10 winners were Eddie Colbert, Aghlish. Fiona Kenny, Aghlish. Ann O'Brien c/o St. Joseph's. Vinnie O'Brien, Villierstown. P.J. Cullinane, Dromanna.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to P.J. Fenton who won a race at Tralee with Aghlish Pride. Congratulations to Valerie Carlton, Villierstown who got engaged during the week.

CLG Na Rinne

CORN MHC FHLANNCHADHA

Beidh an chéad bhabhta leathcheannais de Chorn Mhic Fhlannchadha ar siúl an deireadh seachtain seo chugainn. Imreoidh An Rinn in aghaidh Ródaith na Brice ag 6.00 i.n. Dé Sathairn seo chugainn i bPáirc Uí Shíocháin sa Rinn.



Jack Stephenson, Manager Bank of Ireland Dungarvan presenting the "Player of the Match Award" to Catriona Casey after last Sunday's All Ireland semi final played at the Fraher Field, Dungarvan. Also included are Geraldine Kane, Sales and Marketing, Bank of Ireland and Noel Murray, President National Ladies Football Association. (Rory Wyley)

Clashmore G.A.A. Club Notes

LOTTO

No details of Monday's draw (September 7). Full results in next week's paper.

ALL-IRELAND TICKETS

The draw for All-Ireland Hurling Final tickets will take place on this Thursday night in the clubhouse at 9 p.m. Only life members and fully paid up members are entitled to enter their name in the draw. Any member who is lucky enough to draw a ticket and is not attending the final must give his ticket to a substitute person. Names to be with secretary, Noel Nugent by 11 p.m. tonight (Wednesday).

WESTERN BOARD MEETING

The following fixtures were made at the Western Board meeting last Thursday night - Junior football v Ballina-

courty. Junior hurling v winners of second string section. No dates available for these games yet but I understand due to an objection in the Junior Hurling Championship this game may go back to late October.

Intermediate football replay v Sliabh gCua on September 19 in Dungarvan. I also understand the next round of the intermediate football will also be delayed due to an appeal by Lismore. More details later.

JUVENILE CLUB NOTES

UNDER-14 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Under-14 Football Championship gets underway next Monday, September 14 with an away game

against An Gaeltacht.

The full fixture list is as follows -

Mon., Sept. 14 away to An Gaeltacht. Throw in 6.30 p.m.

Mon., Sept. 21 at home to Dungarvan. Throw in 6.30 p.m.

Sun., Sept. 27 away to Abbeyside. Throw in 11.30 a.m.

Sat., Oct. 3 at home to Ardmore. Throw in 3 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 10 at home to Brickey Rangers. Throw in 3 p.m.

The top team in the group go directly into the Western Final with the second and third placed teams playing in a semi-final. As can be seen from the fixture list we are in a very tough group and a huge effort is required by all if we are to qualify for the play-offs.

LADIES CLUB NOTES

SENIOR FOOTBALL

Deirdre O'Rourke gave a sterling performance for Waterford ladies on Sunday in their defeat of Mayo in the All-Ireland semi-final in Dungarvan. Many supporters are gearing up to travel to the final.

UNDER-14 COUNTY FINAL

On this Wednesday evening our under-14 girls take on Ballymacarbry in this year's under-14 County Final. This game was postponed last week due to the atrocious weather conditions. Best of luck girls.

Fourmilewater Hurling Club Notes

LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 4, 18, 19. No jackpot winner. Next week's jackpot £300. The winners of £20 each were Mairead O'Regan, Cahir; Paul Boland, c/o Gerry Hallahan; Helena Doocey, Oriel Bar; Owen Wall, c/o Hanora's; Eileen Mulcahy, Glasha.

SENIOR HURLING RELEGATION PLAY-OFF

De La Salle 0-17

Fourmilewater 0-10

Fourmilewater now have to play off with Erins Own and Dunhill in a round robin play-off to decide who will be relegated to intermediate for next year. Hopefully our lads will put in the desired effort so we can retain our senior status.

MINOR HURLING B SEMI-FINAL

Fourmilewater 1-8

Ardmore 5-4

Fourmilewater bowed out of the Minor Championship on Monday last in Fraher Field. Despite leading by 5 pts. early in the second half, the superior fitness and physical strength told near the end of the match. We wish Ardmore the best of luck in the final. Thanks also to Paddy Walsh, Philly Hart and Martin Wall for all their work with this team.

SPONSORED WALK

Fourmilewater Hurling Club will hold a sponsored walk on Sunday, September 20 at 6.30 p.m. The money raised will help to pay for the enormous cost of underage hurling including bus hire, hurleys and hurling balls. The support of all parents would be greatly appreciated. Cards to be returned to Thomas Kelly, Tony Doocey, Pat Power or Billy Walsh.

Waterford Handball News

ALL-IRELAND TITLE FOR WATERFORD

On Sunday last in Clonmel a fantastic display by Declan Mulcahy and Bro. Finbarr Spring O.S.A. saw the Waterford pair come back from the dead in the first two games to claim the All-Ireland title.

The holders of the Diamond Masters A Doubles title, Eddie Leahy and Paddy O'Keeffe were hot favourites to take this title for the third year in a row. The Kilkenny pair started as if they were going to wipe the floor with the Waterford players when they took a big lead in the first game - 11 aces to nil. The fight back started with Declan getting in some great services down the left which Paddy O'Keeffe failed to return. Waterford kept up the pressure on the Kilkenny pair and the scores kept coming until it was all square at 16 aces all. Everything was now going Waterford's way. Could they keep scoring while at the same time keeping the Kilkenny pair at the back of the alley? Declan answered these questions with some great all round handball. The Waterford pair did not leave Kilkenny score again as they went on to win the first game 21-16.

The second game was very fast with scores hard to come by. Waterford took an early lead 5 aces to 2. Kilkenny came back 6-5. In between there was great all round play by all four players that would do justice to players much younger. Remember all players were in their sixties. Each time Waterford took a few aces of a lead, back would come Kilkenny. This continued until it was 11 aces all. At this stage it was noticed that Kilkenny were getting a little tired and Waterford kept pounding the ball back at them and this took its toll with the result that Waterford looked fresher and won on the score 21-15. This was a great win for Declan and Bro. Finbarr to beat Kilkenny who are the 'greats' in handball, like the hurlers!!

In the Emerald Master Singles, Mossie Butler had to give way to Paddy Lennon of Wicklow. It was hard luck on Mossie who was not able to train as he had an injury, given the fact that he gave his all and will be back stronger than ever. The result of this match was Lennon (Wicklow) 12-21, 20-21.

In the Silver Master B Singles Martin Sandford, playing in his first All-Ireland, came across a very strong player in P. French of Roscommon. They say that you have to lose a final before you win, won't make it any easier for Martin. Martin, playing very well, had to give way to the Roscommon man on the score 12-21, 13-21.

To all our senior players well done. Congratulations to the winners and better luck next year to the losers.

JUVENILE NEWS

The Waterford juveniles are to play in seven Munster Finals. The results of last week have given us great hope in next week's Munster Finals. We had some new players to the 60 x 30 alley and all proved they could play both games. Congratulations to Paul Foley, Rick Hanrahan, Eoghan Moloney, Seamus Lavan. Congratulations also to Jack, Willie and Seamus Power (Toura-neena), three first time players in the 60 x 30.

Results 17 Singles

- Paul Foley won 2 games to 1.
- Ciaran Shields and K. Keane won 2 games to nil.
- Rick Hanrahan and Eoghan Moloney won 2 games to 1.
- David Wall and Stephen Kirby lost 2 games to nil.
- Daniel Butler lost 2 games to nil.
- Jack and Willie Power lost 2 games to nil.
- Joe McGovern and Seamus Power won 2 games to nil.
- John McDonagh lost 2 games to nil.

On Saturday next in Thurles (the alley is next to the new stand in Semple Stadium) the Juvenile Finals will be played. We are hoping that there will be Munster titles won by our juveniles to continue the start made by our juveniles of the past few years, David McAndrew, Ricky Keane, Willie O'Brien and Ray Bannon all minors this year. To all our players we wish the very best of luck and good handball.



(Pic: Rory Wyley)

Sharon Devereux presenting shorts and socks on behalf of Noel Devereux Menswear to Alan Walsh, who accepted them on behalf of the Colligan/Emmetts team. Also included are Brendan Landers, Kevin Casey, Sean Tobin, Pat Devereux, James O'Connor, Sean Daly, Dan Shanahan, Roger Casey and Michael Wall.

Ardmore G.A.A. Club Notes

SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Our senior footballers go into action again on this Saturday evening at 5.30 p.m. when they take on Stradbally in the quarter-final at Fraher Field, Dungarvan as part of a double header which should see a fine crowd attend.

This game will be another tough assignment for our young side but if they can show further improvement from the Ring game, then they can push the 'Reds' all the way. In championship football you only get the one chance and while we will go into this encounter as underdogs in a two horse race, you always have a chance and hopefully we can advance to the semi-final stage where we would meet the winner of the following game between Killorossanty and the Gleann Na nDéise group side. We wish the lads the very best of luck and hopefully we will have a large local following who can cheer the lads on to victory.

MINORS ALSO IN ACTION

Our minor footballers will also be in championship action when, on next Wednesday night, they face Abbeyside in the divisional semi-final. As holders we will be putting our title on the line so we should be in for a very close game. Abbeyside as under-16 champions of two years ago will be slight favourites but if our lads play to their full potential, then we could make it to our third divisional final in as many years.

U-14 FOOTBALL CAMPAIGN BEGINS

Our under-14 footballers will open this year's campaign on Monday evening next when they travel to Bushy Park to take on Brickeys in their first game. It is almost two months since our under-14 side travelled to Donegal for Féile Peil Na nÓg so I am sure they will be looking forward to resuming championship action. Due to school reopening, a few of the side who are away in boarding school will be unavailable so the selectors will be looking at some new players to fill the positions. The game is timed for a 6.30 p.m. start so all players should be ready for a 5.45 p.m. departure from Ardmore.

CLUB LOTTO

Our Lotto continues to climb as once again this week we had no winners either. This is the first time the jackpot has been this high so maybe this week it could be your turn to select the three correct numbers. Last week's numbers drawn were 8, 11, 12 and our consolation prizes went to Mrs. Barry, College Road; Noel Rooney, Ardmore; James Flavin, Clarkstown; Caroline Morgan, Fleming's Bar, Grange; Jamie Rust, Monea Crescent.

Last Sunday night's draw took place in Keevers' Bar who once again were most helpful and we thank them for their co-operation and look forward to our next visit. On this coming Sunday night we move next door to O'Reilly's Bar so if you want to be in with a chance to win the jackpot, then be sure to select your

numbers in good time at any of the local outlets.

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to the O'Reilly family of Ardmore and beyond on the passing of the late Biddy Reilly at an advanced age during the week. A large number were at both the removal and burial over the weekend. May she rest in peace.

JOHN O'REGAN CUP

The annual East v West Under-14 Football Tournament was played in Kill on Saturday last with the West scoring a 2-14 to 2-4 victory. We had three players on the team with Niall O'Brien, Alan North and team captain Gary North all contributing to a fine victory. This squad will represent the county later in the year when the Jim Power Tournament will be played and hopefully all three players will make the county panel. Our under-14 selector, Frankie North was a selector with the western side so well done to all concerned on a fine win.

TONY FORRISTAL TOURNAMENT

While I was away on holiday the Tony Forristal Under-14 Hurling Festival also took place in Waterford and here we had Niall O'Brien in action. Although Waterford did not win, Niall gave a good account of himself and hopefully in the future he will again feature at under-16 level.

LADIES FOOTBALL

The St. Declan's ladies played a thrilling draw with Tramore in Abbeyside last week. Although they failed to score in the second half,

they will be looking to the replay to put this matter right the next day.

GAMES TO COME

Our junior hurlers have been drawn against Geraldines in the divisional semi-final with no date fixed for this game as yet. Our minor hurlers are in the B Divisional Final against Stradbally and again no date has been fixed as yet for this game as both sides are still involved in football action. With so many of our teams going well our supporters will have a good few weeks entertainment still to come and hopefully some, if not all, of our sides will be victorious.

U-12 FOOTBALL TRAINING

Due to adult training nights being changed the under-12 footballers are asked to note that training this week will be on Thursday night with a 7 p.m. start. All of our under-12's are asked to attend as we will be getting our fixtures shortly for the championship.

SUNDAY MORNING SESSIONS

The underage Sunday morning sessions continue to attract good numbers and Pat Walsh is doing a fine job. Anyone is most welcome to come along especially newcomers.

ALL-IRELAND TICKETS

The draw for tickets will take place during the week so if your name is not in then please give it to Eileen O'Donnell immediately as club secretary, Billy Harty is not available due to holidays.

Dungarvan G.A.A. Club Notes

INTERMEDIATE HURLING

On Sunday afternoon last we took on St. Mary's in the western semi-final of the Intermediate Hurling Championship. The game was played in very windy conditions and Dungarvan won the toss and elected to play with the strong wind. This was a very good game of hurling and very exciting at times. Eoin Cunningham had a very good game at full forward and he scored a very nice goal with the two other goals coming from veteran Peter Queally. The half-time score was Dungarvan 3-3 St. Mary's 7 pts.

St. Mary's got off to a glorious start in the second half and we were under severe pressure for 10 mins. and only for the staunch defending we would have found ourselves chasing the game. The switching of Eoin Cunningham and J. J. Ronayne worked a treat with Cunningham lording it at centre forward. J. J. Ronayne, despite carrying a nasty head injury, scored two glorious points.

This was a superb team effort from the goalkeeper and back line with centre field and the forwards playing their part with the substitutes Mickey Power for Peter Queally and Damon O'Flynn also doing well.

Our next game will be the Western Final against Stradbally on a date yet to be fixed by the Western Board.

Team - Paul Ahearne, Alan Harney, Christopher Gough, Michael McLoughlin, Paul Radley, Conor Murphy, Trevor Galvin, Bert Ahearne, Jason O'Mahoney, Graham Nagle, J. J. Ronayne, Jamie Burke, Peter Queally, Eoin Cunningham, Denis "Hopper" McGrath. Subs: Damon O'Flynn for Jason O'Mahoney and Mickey Flynn for Peter Queally.

JUVENILE CLUB NOTES

UNDER-8 AND UNDER-9 DOUBLE

On Saturday last our under-8 and under-9 hurlers took part in the Roanmore juvenile hurling blitz in aid of the Haematology Fund for Waterford Regional Hospital. The under-8 team were first into action at 2.30 when they played Ballygunner in their opening game which they won by 2 goals to nil. Their second game saw them defeat Slieverue from Kilkenny by 7 goals to nil while in their third and

final game they had a comprehensive victory over Kilmacthomas to win their group. The players received their medals from Waterford senior hurling full-back, Sean Cullinane and were delighted to meet Waterford hurling captain, Stephen Frampton who was very busy signing autographs for his many young admirers.

The U-8 panel was David Moore, Adam Sheridan, Derek McGrath, Daniel Sheridan, Cormac Curran, Neil Fitzgerald, Sean Duggan, John Geary, Desmond Sheehan, Kevin Sheehan, Mark Fitzgerald, Raymond Tobin and John Roche.



Our under-9 hurlers were in action later in the afternoon with their first game against Kilmacow from Kilkenny. The boys played very well and ran out winners by 6 goals to 2 goals. Their second game was against Slieverue from Kilkenny and once again the lads played some lovely hurling to win their second game in the group. They received a walkover from Fourmilewater in their third and final game to secure victory and received a lovely set of medals.

The under-9 panel of players was Derek Barry, Barry Hamilton, Killian O'Keefe, Killian O'Dwyer, Gavin Crotty, Karl Duggan, Michael Walsh, Trevor

Crotty, Pádraig Kiely, Barry O'Neill, Brendan Lyons, David O'Riordan, Eoin Stack, Cian O'Shea.

The club would like to thank Roanmore for the invitation to take part in this well organised tournament for such a worthy cause. We look forward to taking part again next year.

Again the club would like to thank the many parents who provided transport and vocal support for these young hurlers, it was much appreciated by the boys and their mentors.

MINOR FOOTBALL

On this Wednesday night at the Leamybrien venue we take on Stradbally in the Minor Football Championship. The game will start at 6.45 p.m.

SYMPATHY

On behalf of the club we would like to extend our deepest sympathy to Bridget Flynn, Ballymacmague on the recent death of her mother. Ar dheis De go raibh a hanam.

TALENT CONTEST



▲ Pictured above are the prizewinners in the Carling sponsored Dungarvan G.A.A. Club Talent Competition — Photo shows (l. to r.) Paddy Fitzgerald, Chairman Dungarvan G.A.A. Club, Jayne Richardson, who came 2nd in the competition, Bridget King, first place winner, Mick Burke, Lawlors Hotel, Tom Duggan, Carling Representative and Olivia Morrissey, who came third.

The final of our Carling sponsored Talent Competition took place in Lawlors Hotel on Thursday night last. Once again this was a night of first class entertainment. It was certainly a difficult assignment for the adjudicator to pick winners as really all those who took part were certainly winners on the night. Having said that unfortunately only three winners could be picked and the following was the adjudicator's decision.

First prize of £400 went to Bridget King who performed with a professionalism that would do justice to some of the famous entertainers we see on television.

Second prize of £150 was won by Jayne Richardson who once again sang beautifully and with such great feeling.

Third prize of £100 went to Olivia Morrissey who also sang beautifully on the night.

The following were the winners of the four heats:

Heat 1 (sponsored by Dick Brennan). Winner - Carlie Dalton; Heat 2 (sponsored by Stafford Miller Sports & Social Club). Winner - Jayne Richardson; Heat 3 (sponsored by Paddy Foley's). Winner - John Walsh; Heat 4 (sponsored by

Frank Murphy, Hurleys). Winner - Seamus Fitzgerald.

On behalf of the club I would like to thank all who helped to make the competition such a success. This was our first venture into this type of fundraising and we are delighted that it was such a success.

Our grateful thanks to Carling for their sponsorship, to Mick Burke of Lawlors Hotel who gave us the use of his function room, to Willie White who accompanied the competitors, to the following who sponsored the four heats - Dick Brennan, Paddy Foley's, Stafford Miller Sports & Social Club and Frank Murphy's Hurleys. Our sincere thanks to Micheál Ó Faoláin who helped us get the show on the road, to the adjudicators Alice Fitzgerald and Brian O'Donovan, to the following who sponsored spot prizes - Herlihy's Super Valu, O'Connell Street; Kelly's Pharmacy; Esso Garage, Youghal Road; Liam Power; Hallahan's Pharmacy; Helvick Sea Food; Classic Gents; Walsh's Spar; Condon's Videos; Liz's Gent's Hairdressing; Noel Devereux; David Walsh; M. J. Curran & Sons; Curley Locks Hairdressing Salon; Patricia Walsh; Flynn's Pharmacy; Shaws;

McKeons. We are most grateful to all the competitors who took part in the contest over the six weeks and last but not least to all who supported us each week. All this support was most encouraging and hopefully we will be able to have a bigger and better contest in 1999. Many thanks to the special committee who were responsible for the running of the contest - Claire Dee, Margaret Cunningham, Anne Butler, Kieran Curran, Maura Curran and our Chairman, Paddy Fitzgerald who proved such a competent M.C.

Dungarvan Disabled Group

Dungarvan Disabled Group are giving 100 reasons to be involved in the All Ireland Hurling Final on Sunday next.

Forecast the score between Kilkenny and Offaly and you could win £100.

Tickets available all week on the streets and in the pubs.

De La Salle Win Play-Off Clash

**DE LA SALLE 0-17
FOURMILEWATER 0-10**

De La Salle will participate in the 1999 Waterford senior hurling championship following a hard earned but deserved win over Fourmilewater in Dungarvan on Thursday evening in a relegation play-off game.

The city side started in whirlwind fashion scoring four points in the opening 9 mins. and threatening to swamp their opponents. De La Salle held a 7 points advantage at the end of the opening quarter (0-8 to 0-1) but they were not to score again for the remainder of

the half. Three points from Ml. Guiry along with one apiece from Alan Walsh and Paudie Halpin brought Fourmilewater within 2 points of De La Salle at half time (0-8 to 0-6).

Straight from the throw-in half time sub Seamus Cuddy pointed to leave only

the minimum between the sides. De La Salle rallied with points from Fergal O'Brien (2), Mark Kennedy and John Mullane stretching their lead to 5 at the three-quarter stage.

The winners were well on top in the final quarter scoring 4 unanswered points to secure victory and senior status next year.

The losers along with Dunhill and Erin's Own now play-off on a league basis for one to be relegated to intermediate next season.

Scorers: De La Salle —

M. Kennedy 0-5, J. Mullane 0-4, F. O'Brien 0-3, N. Dalton and B. Power 0-2 each, B. Phelan 0-1. Fourmilewater — Ml. Guiry 0-4, D. Ryan 0-2, A. Walsh, P. Halpin, S. Cuddy and C. Ryan 0-1 each.

Fourmilewater — O. Wall, R. Rice, J. J. Wall, J. Mangan, E. O'Sullivan, I. Walsh, R. McCarthy, P. Walsh, D. Ryan, B. Wall, M. Guiry, J. Walsh, D. Connolly, P. Halpin, A. Walsh. Subs. — S. Cuddy for Connolly; A. Ryan for Mangan; C. Ryan for A. Walsh.



BRIAN WHELAN ELECTRIC WIN WATERFORD LADIES GOLF CLASSIC (sponsored by AWG) — Picture shows Tom Corcoran, Vice-Chairman AWG Group making a presentation to Maria Lenane, Lal Power, John Power and Tommy Butler (winning team). Also included are Michael Ryan, Noel Murray, Waterford Ladies County Board.

Co. Bord Na nOg Notes

JOHN O' REGAN TOURNAMENT

The annual U-14 John O' Regan football tournament took place on Saturday September 5th in Kill. In this tournament a selection of Eastern U-14 footballers play their Western counterparts.

The West were the first to score a goal through Tony Fitzgerald after 5 minutes. It took the East 15 minutes to register their first score, a point by Alan Ryan. This score was quickly followed by a point for the West through Tony Fitzgerald. The West squandered many easy scoring chances before Tony Fitzgerald scored through a free. It was the 23rd minute before the East registered their next score, a goal by Alan Coleman which fortuitously dropped into the goal. The West quickly responded with a goal by Stephen Kett. But for some excellent goal keeping by Michael Daniels the West's score could have been much higher than the half time score of West 2-3 East 1-1.

The Western lads were guilty of some dreadful shooting in the first half. They had in fact 14 wides in the first half, many of these wides from easy scoring chances.

The Western side were again quickly in to their stride. They were awarded a free after a minute which Tony Fitzgerald duly converted.

Tony quickly followed with another point. The Western team were dominant. Tony Fitzgerald added 2 more points. The West were awarded a penalty in the 13th minute. Tony Fitzgerald blazed the ball over the bar. It was in the 14th minute that the East registered their first score, a point by Noel Mackey. Another point for the West by Michael Mernin. The East had their final score in the 20th minute a goal by Gary Condon which was set up by an excellent run by Simon Power. This was to be the East's last score. The West were a better organised group of players. The East were not as strong as

the Western side. The West ran out easy winners on the final score line, West 2-13, The East 2-2.

Sean Whelan, Chairman of Bord na nOg presented the trophy to the Western side's captain, Gary North. Thanks to Tommy Hennessey and the Kill club for their co-operation in holding this tournament.

East team: Michael Daniels (DLS), William Cullane (Tramore), Thomas Kearney (DLS), Richard Hickey (Ballyduff/Butlerstown), Stephen Hartery (DLS), Billy Goodwin (Tramore), Michael Whelan (Tramore), Simon Power (Tramore), Stephen Murphy (Tramore), Trevor Robinson (DLS), Damien Clifford (Ballyduff/Butlerstown), Paul McCarthy (Tramore), David Allan (Tramore), Alan Ryan (DLS), Owen Mackey (Rathgormack).

Subs: Barry Freayne (DLS), Matthew Borden (DLS), Alan Coleman (Tramore), Noel Mackey (Rathgormack), Gary Conlon (Rathgormack).

Selectors: Ray Cullinane (Tramore), Michael Monahan (Ballyduff/Butlerstown).

West team: Brian Morrissey (Abbeyside), Shane Nugent (Brickey's), Sean Cleary (Abbeyside), Sean Lavin (Abbeyside), Ricky Tobin (Dungarvan), Gary North (Ardmore), Niall O'Brien (Ardmore), Shane Hayes (Dungarvan), Frankie Quinlan (Nire), Alan North (Ardmore), Tony Fitzgerald (Brickey's), Stephen Kett (Cappoquin), Paddy Walsh (Nire), Ger Donovan (St. Oliver's), Barry Prendergast (Kilrossanty).

Subs: Eamonn Walsh (St. Oliver's) Carthach Shalloe (Brickey's), Alan Hogan (Cappoquin), Shane Whelan (Nire), Sean Byrnes (Abbeyside), Michael Mernin (St. Oliver's), Barry Power (Dungarvan), Mark Prendergast (Kilrossanty).

Selectors: Team Manager, Joe Cleary (Abbeyside), Trainer, Eamonn O' Shea (Cappoquin), Frankie North (Ardmore), Paddy O' Grady (Nire).

West Waterford GAA Fixtures

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 9th
At Cappoquin; 6.30 pm, Minor (A) Hurling Championship Final — Tallow v Abbeyside. At Leamybrien; 6.45 pm, Minor (A) Football Championship semi-final — Dungarvan v Stradbally.

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 10th
At Fraher Field; 6.45 pm, Minor (B) Football Championship Final — Affane v Brickey Rangers.

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 12th
At Cappoquin; 2.30 pm, Junior Hurling Championship replay — Abbeyside v Ballyduff.

County G.A.A Fixtures

Saturday, September 12th — Lawlors Hotel SF Championship quarter-finals, at Fraher Field — 5.30 p.m. Stradbally v. Ardmore; 6.45 p.m. Kilrossanty v. Gleann Na nDeise.

Sunday, September 20th — Lawlors Hotel S.F. Championship semi-final, at Walsh Park — 2 p.m. Rathgormack v. St. Saviours or Tramore (T. Maher); Tedcastles Oil SH Championship semi-finals, at Walsh Park — 3.30 p.m. Roanmore v. Mt. Sion (P. Walsh); at Fraher Field — 6.15 p.m. Ballygunner v. Ballyduff (J. Hunt).

Sunday, October 4th or 11th — County S.H. Championship final. Referee: Pat Moore.

Sunday, October 18th — At Walsh Park — County S.F. Championship final. Referee: John Michael Kelly.

Waterford G.A.A. Results

Lawlor's Hotel Senior Football Championship quarter-final —
St. Saviours 1-6 Tramore 1-5.

Ryan's L&N Co. Football League Division 3 final replay — Kilrossanty 1-10 Rathgormack 1-9.

Tedcastles Oil Senior Hurling Championship relegation play-off —
De La Salle 0-17 Fourmilewater 0-10.

West Intermediate Hurling Championship semi-finals — Stradbally 2-11 Colligan 0-11.
Dungarvan 3-9 St. Mary's 1-11.

East Intermediate Hurling Championship semi-final replay — Ballyduff 1-8 Kill 0-10.

West Intermediate Football Championship —
Brickey Rangers 1-7 Ballyduff 0-10.

East U-21 (A) Hurling Championship semi-finals — Ballygunner 4-11 De La Salle 1-7.
Mt. Sion 4-12 Portlaw 1-6.

West Junior (B) Football Championship —
Ballinacourty (B) 2-9 Melleray 0-0.
Kilrossanty (B) 1-17 Stradbally (B) 2-1.

West Minor (B) Hurling Championship semi-finals — Ardmore 5-4 Fourmilewater 1-8.
Stradbally 4-13 Colligan 2-9.

Fitzgerald Cup U-13 Hurling Division 2 Final — Kilrossanty 3-2 Colligan 1-1.

John O' Regan Memorial Trophy U-14 Football Tournament — West Waterford 2-13
East Waterford 2-2.

Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty G.A.A. Notes

WESTERN MINOR HURLING FINAL

On this Wednesday evening, September 9 Abbeyside minor hurlers play defending champions, Tallow in the Western Final at Cappoquin at 6.30 p.m.

MINOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Abbeyside minor footballers play defending county and western champions, Ardmore in the Divisional Semi-Final at Fraher Field on Wednesday, September 16 next at 6.30 p.m.

JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP REPLAY

On Saturday afternoon next Abbeyside junior hurlers play Ballyduff in their championship replay at Cappoquin at 2.30 p.m. Transport leaving Kiely's Corner at 1.30 p.m. sharp.

JUNIOR B FOOTBALL

The junior footballers progressed to the second round of the Divisional Championship by virtue of a victory over Melleray on Saturday evening last at the Cappoquin venue. The club extends its best wishes to the Melleray player who was accidentally injured in last Saturday evening's game.

Team - Kevin Tobin, Tommy Reynolds, Thomas Walsh, Joe Walsh, Michael Kelleher, Nicholas Dwane, Alan Moore, Alan Ryan, John Kyne, Jim Mulhearn, Pa Cummins, Michael Hickey, Raymond Cliffe, Mel Shanley, Timmy Organ. Subs: Niall Moore, Eamonn Cashin.

SYMPATHY

The club extends sincere sympathy to the Donovan family on the death of Mr. Denis Donovan, Strandside South, father of Tom Donovan who played many a fine game for the club in the sixties.

Over the weekend it was good to meet former club player, Tim Collender who still has a great interest in club affairs.

DÉISE DEVELOPMENT LOTTO

Counterfoils and money to be handed in at club grounds on Thursday night, September 10 between 7 and 7.45 p.m. or at the Village Inn between 8 and 9 p.m. Next draw on Monday night next, September 14. Jackpot £6,000.

JUVENILE AFFAIRS

On Saturday last we took part in the annual Roanmore 7 aside ground hurling tournament. The under-8's won their section defeating St. Mary's, Sacred Heart and Mount Sion. The players were presented with their medals by Stephen Frampton. Players were Tom Hanrahan (capt.), Jim de Fusco, Conor Moloney, Ross Wade, Mark Earley, Michael O'Halloran, Noel Coffey, Shane O'Donovan, Kevin Burke, Mark O'Connor, Jonathan Sheehan, Sarah Fraher, Alan Akehurst.

We entered two teams at under-9's. Both of them were runners-up in their sections. Players were James O'Mahoney, Cormac Enright, Stephen Slater, Stephen Enright, David Power, Kenneth Kelleher, Colin Ryan, Donal Henley, Declan Curran, Michael Coffey, Eoin McCullagh, Patrick Bergin, Richie Ryan, Alan Shield, Conor O'Neill, Jamie Organ, Jamie Ryan, John Fitzgerald, Rory Moloney, Austin Kiely, Brendan Cosgrave.

A total of 34 players took part and we must thank Roanmore for an excellently run tournament.

On Saturday next at the club grounds we have the Danny Lenihan Cup for players in the 9 to 10 years age group. The O'Shea Cup will be played for by all players aged 8 years down. These tournaments will start at 10.30 a.m. and will be finished by 1 p.m. Refreshments for all players taking part. All above tournaments are for hurling.

Under-14 Football

On Saturday last four of our under-14 panel Sean Cleary, Sean Byrne, Seamus Lavin and Brian Morrissey played on the West Waterford football team which defeated East Waterford on a scoreline of West Waterford 2-13 East Waterford 2-2 in the John O'Regan Tournament at Kill.

Football training for under-14's each Wednesday and Friday at 5 p.m. First championship game against Dungarvan on Monday next, September 14.



▲ Pictured above is the Abbeyside hurling team who beat Dungarvan in the Langan Cup final in conjunction with the Abbeyside Pattern. ▼ Below is the Dungarvan hurling team who were beaten in the Langan Cup final. (Photos by Sean Byrne)



Stradbally G.A.A. Club Notes

MINOR HURLING

On Wednesday evening last in a sun drenched Fraher Field Stradbally took on Colligan in the Western semi final of the championship. With niggling injuries to some players after the win over St. Olivers on the previous Sunday, it was difficult to know how the team would perform. Tom Mansfield of Cappoquin was the man in the middle. Stradbally played against the very slight breeze in the first half. Stradbally opened well with Eoin Cunningham scoring a goal after 3 mins. Colligan replied with a point. Ger Power then put the ball over the bar to restore the goal lead. Colligan then had a point before the Stradbally forwards had 3 pts. by Michael Walsh and a goal by Trevor Costello. Colligan had 2 pts. before Michael Walsh was again on target. Colligan then scored a goal. Eoin Cunningham scored a point to finish the scoring in the first half. The half-time score was 2-7 to 1-5.

In the first 10 mins. of the second half Stradbally went asleep and allowed Colligan to score a goal and 2 pts. to level the match. We knew that we would have to wake up or we would be beaten. Michael Walsh pointed. Colligan levelled again. Now Stradbally played some of the finest hurling I have seen in a

long time. David Power took one of his long frees. When it was high in the sky, Ger pulled on it and the ball ended up in the Colligan net. Colligan scored their last point of the game but Stradbally were far from finished. Three points from Michael Walsh, a point from Paul Wade, a goal from Mark Condon and a point from Eoin Cunningham left Stradbally comfortable winners. The final score was 4-14 to 2-9. Michael Walsh scoring 8 pts. was outstanding. He was ably assisted by all the forwards and the midfield partnership of Ger Power and Trevor Costello. John Halpin was outstanding in the backline. He was ably assisted by all the other backs and goalkeeper, they played their hearts out.

Team - Conor Coffey, John Halpin, Kevin Coffey, Alan Darcy, David Power, Emmett Cummins, Ger Power, Trevor Costello, Mark Condon, Eoin Cunningham, Michael Walsh, Paul Wade, Paul Walsh. Subs: Robbie Ahearne, Dennis Doyle, Robert Fennell, Richie Halpin, Conor Cleary, Kieran Foley. Paddy Doyle was sick and unable to play.

INTERMEDIATE HURLING

Stradbally reached the Western Final on Saturday

evening last in Fraher Field when they defeated Colligan in the semi-final. It was a nice, dry evening for hurling and Stradbally played against the breeze in the opening half. John Michael Kelly took charge of the game. In the first minute Stradbally missed a goal, how it stayed out nobody knows. Colligan opened the scoring from a free. Liam O'Brien opened the Stradbally account with a goal. Colligan had 3 pts. on the trot. Stradbally replied with points from Trevor Curran, John Hearne and John Coffey. Stephen Cunningham then got the ball on the 65 moved forward with it and drove a hard shot that was deflected to the net. Colligan got two more points but Niall Curran had the final say in the first half with 2 pts. The half-time score was 2-5 to 0-6

On the resumption Trevor Curran was on target. Then Colligan had a point. Niall Curran restored our advantage. Colligan had two further points. Ger Power, Niall Curran and Liam O'Brien were then on target. Colligan then had a point followed by Stephen Cunningham and Niall Curran points. Colligan finished the scoring with a point to leave the final score 2-12 to 0-1.

Oliver Costello and Kevin Coffey were magnificent in defence as well as all the other backs played their

part in a fine defence. John Hearne worked tirelessly as well as Stephen Cunningham. The forwards missed many chances so let's hope we will not be so wasteful in the final.

Team - Pat Curran, Kevin Coffey, Oliver Costello, David Power, John Coffey, Tomas Walsh, Paul Kiely, George Walsh, John Hearne, Ger Power, Stephen Cunningham, Trevor Costello, Trevor Curran, Liam O'Brien, Niall Curran. Sub: Kevin Coffey for Trevor Curran (injured).

JUNIOR B

Stradbally played Kilrossanty last Friday evening in the championship. The team for this game ranged from 15 to 45+. The best players were Bill Dunford and Pat Hickey in defence. Stradbally were well beaten by a much better team on the night.

Team - Bill Dunford, John Gough, Pat Hickey, Tadhg Crowley, Conor Cleary, Mary Fitzgerald, Robert Fennell, Garvan Cummins, Nicky Connors, Mark Condon, Kevin Barnes, Tony Weldon, Benny Lawlor, Paddy Lawlor, Pat Fennell.

UPCOMING FIXTURES

Minor football against Dungarvan on Wednesday evening in Leamybrien. Senior football against Ardmore next Saturday afternoon in Fraher Field.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

SENIOR HURLING SEMI-FINAL DRAW

When Faugh a Ballagh senior hurling group team decided to withdraw from the championship at the quarter-final stage after giving just 24 hours notice that they were conceding a walk-over to Ballyduff, the County Fixtures Committee were able to proceed with the semi-final draws in the presence of a representative of the four clubs. The draw was as follows Ballyduff versus Ballygunner at Fraher Field on Sunday, September 20th.

In the other semi-final, Mount Sion will play Roanmore at Walsh Park on the same day. There will be a time difference.

The county final will be played on Sunday October 4th. The venue for the final will not be named until after the semi-finals. It is due to be played at a western venue, but if two eastern clubs are involved, and the

odds favour this happening unless I am greatly mistaken, then they can opt for Walsh Park. This would mean that both senior hurling and football county finals would be played in Walsh Park in October. The football county senior and minor finals will be played on October 18th.

The withdrawal of the group team at this stage is most unfair to Ballyduff who are left without a match before going into the county semi-final. They have played just one match so far — they defeated Fourmilewater in the first round — and if they get to the county final, then win or lose, they will have played only three matches.

Because of the abysmal record of the group teams this year, the matter of their retention for the championship next year should be seriously considered. In fact

the whole matter of the senior hurling championship structure probably needs to be reviewed.

As one of the people who favoured the introduction of the knock-out system, I now wonder if it was the proper course to take in hurling?

So far this year the senior hurling championship has failed to generate any real interest and this is really amazing at a time when we enjoyed our greatest senior intercounty success in 35 years. Like every other hurling fan, I know that the best is still to come and we are certain to have three wonderful hurling contests to finish out the championship. This, in my view, is too little.

I would go along with the experiment of having just ten club teams in hurling and playing the championship in two divisions of five on a league basis. This

would involve a total of 20 matches for the league part of the championship whereas in the leagues with 16 teams (as we had up until we changed over to the knock-out system) we had 56 matches. This was unwieldy and patrons were losing track of progress. With just 5 in each division, each club would be guaranteed 4 games at the minimum.

It might be argued that clubs who do badly in the championship have the senior hurling league to cater for their needs. The hurling league has been a very obscure competition and could in no way be compared with the football league which is far more interesting, not only because there are incentives, but also because they are localised by the home venue arrangement. It is a subject to which I will return.

Gerald McCarthy To Stay

Gerald McCarthy has decided to remain on as team manager for a further term of two years and the news has been welcomed by the County Board, who have confirmed his appointment. He is presently on holidays and expects to return in good time to watch the remaining games in the adult hurling championships.

There is no information available about his co-selectors or if he has asked to retain the right to appoint his own men.

With intercounty due to resume at the end of next month a new panel of players will be named at some time in the future and here we are sure to see some new faces.

I.H. CHAMPIONSHIP

Stradbally Shock Colligan

A goal by full forward Liam O'Brien in the 3rd minute and another by Nial Curran in the 15th helped outsiders, Stradbally to a 2-5 to 0-6 halftime lead in this splendidly contested intermediate hurling semi-final at Fraher Field on Saturday evening.

The second half was very evenly contested with the winners adding a further six points to their halftime score and Colligan, obviously affected by the two first half goals, were unable to get on terms and added only five points to their halftime tally. Stradbally, who narrowly defeated Cappoquin in the first round, are now through to the Divisional final and can be expected to make a bold bid to return to senior ranks at the end of this year.

Kevin McGrath opened with a point for Colligan in the second minute, but within another sixty seconds, Liam O'Brien had the ball in the Colligan net.

Noel Drohan, Kevin McGrath and Liam O'Reilly had Colligan points before Trevor Curran had a point from a free for Stradbally's second score in the 10th minute. Ger Power and John Coffey had further Stradbally points before Nial Curran got the winners second major in the 15th minute. Kevin McGrath pointed a Colligan free and within a further 2 minutes the same player very skilfully cut a ball over the bar from a sideline. Nial Curran replied with 2 points for Stradbally to leave them 2-5 to 0-6 ahead at the break.

SECOND HALF

Trevor Curran and Benny McGrath exchanged points and Nial Curran and Benny McGrath did likewise. Then Kenny Walsh and Ger Power maintained the scoring balance by raising white flags midway through the half. Further Stradbally points were scored by Nial Curran, Liam O'Brien and Stephen Cunningham and ensured that Colligan who had scores by David Ryan and Benny McGrath, were not going to catch up.

Scorers — Stradbally, N. Curran 1-4, L. O'Brien 1-1, T. Curran 0-2, G. Power 0-2, J. Coffey, S. Cunningham 0-1 each; Colligan — K. McGrath 0-4, B. McGrath 0-3, N. Drohan, L. O'Reilly, K. Walsh and D. Ryan 0-1 each.

Stradbally — P. Curran, K. Coffey, O. Costello, D. Power, P. Kiely, T. Walsh, J. Coffey, G. Walsh, J. Hearn, G. Power, S. Cunningham, T. Costello, N. Curran, L. O'Brien, T. Curran.

Colligan — K. Casey, S. Ryan, J. Dunford, R. Casey, P. Dunford, J. Beresford, J. Kirwan, D. Ryan, M. Dunford, N. Drohan, R. Kelly, K. McGrath, B. McGrath, L. Reilly, K. Walsh. Subs — R. Bannon for N. Drohan, M. Tobin for R. Kelly, J. Quinlan for P. Dunford.

Referee — J. M. Kelly, Shamrocks.

REFEREES

Pat Moore, Abbeyside/Ballinacourty, will referee the senior hurling final and John Kelly, Shamrocks will be in charge of the county football final.

INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

GOOD DUNGARVAN VICTORY

DUNGARVAN 3-9, ST. MARYS 1-11

After a lapse of many years, Dungarvan are showing themselves to be a force in hurling and after a good display against the Touraneena based team, St. Marys, at Fraher Field on Sunday last, they qualified for a Western final meeting with Stradbally in three or four weeks time — depending on how well Stradbally progress in senior football.

A high wind did affect the game and the standard suffered as a result, but both gave it all they knew and as a result a crowd of several hundred enjoyed the match.

Three first half goals scored by Peter Queally (2) and Eoin Cunningham helped Dungarvan to a 3-3

to 0-7 lead at halftime and at this point the home side looked reasonably safe, but St. Marys played better hurling in the second half and after just seven minutes they came within a single point of the winners. A couple of bad misses after this, as well as a couple of great saves by P. Ahearne in goal for Dungarvan, proved very costly for the losers.

PLAY

Eoin Cunningham sent Dungarvan into an early lead with a 3rd minute point, but Declan Kiely levelled from a free a minute later. Graham Nagle with a well taken point restored the lead for Dungarvan in the 6th minute and they were

level again when Kieran Hallahan pointed a free. Then came the first of Dungarvan's three goals when Peter Queally added to an Eoin Cunningham cross and sent to the net in the 14th minute. Points by J. P. Fitzpatrick and Aidan Fitzpatrick (2) had the teams level for the third time in the 20th minute.

Play was held up for some time after John Ronayne received a very ugly blow on the head and had to receive treatment. Bertie Aherne pointed a free and Peter Queally had his second goal (of the soft variety) and Eoin Cunningham scored Dungarvan's third, while St. Marys replied with 2 points by J. P. Fitzpatrick, to leave the halftime score at 3-3 to 0-7.

SECOND HALF

J. J. Ronayne pointed within a minute and J. P. Fitzpatrick brought one back less than a minute later. Fitzpatrick scored again and when substitute Aidan Lonergan scored St. Marys goal in the 37th minute, Dungarvan looked to be in trouble. Denis McGrath had a point and Ian Dunford had a splendid score to leave the state of play at 3-5 to 1-10 with ten minutes remaining. Enormous pressure by the challengers found the Dun-

garvan defence to be unyielding and a couple of saves by Ahearne in goal denied St. Marys at least one goal. Points by Eoin Cunningham, J. J. Ronayne, Damien Flynn and Bert Ahearne set them up for a win, while Marys replied with just one point by Aidan Fitzpatrick for their final point in the 54th minute.

Scorers — Dungarvan — P. Queally 2-0, E. Cunningham 1-2, B. Ahearne 0-2, J. J. Ronayne 0-2, G. Nagle, D. McGrath, D. Flynn 0-1 each; St. Marys — J. P. Fitzpatrick 0-5, A. Lonergan 1-0, A. Fitzpatrick 0-3, D. Kiely, K. Hallinan, I. Dunford 0-1 each.

Dungarvan — P. Ahearne, M. McLoughlin, C. Gough, A. Harney, P. Radley, P. Murphy, T. Galvin, B. Ahearne, J. Ladders, J. Burke, J. J. Ronayne, G. Nagle, P. Queally, E. Cunningham, D. McGrath. Subs played: M. Power, J. Mahony.

St. Marys — R. Ware, J. McGrath, J. Hallinan, D. Lonergan, L. Boyle, D. Kiely, I. Dunford, T. Condon, D. Whelan, J. P. Fitzpatrick, P. Hallinan, K. Hallahan, A. Fitzpatrick, S. Kearns, E. Lonergan. Subs played: A. Lonergan.

Referee: Pat Walsh, Fourmilewater.

Congratulations Siobhain And Kevin

It is only on a very rare occasion that we hear of a wedding between two people who participate in the same form of sport. It happened on Saturday last in Lismore when Siobhain O'Gorman (daughter of Jimmy and Anne) married Kevin Reddy of the Affane/Cappoquin Club.

Siobhain is a very talented camogie player having won a couple of county championships with her club Lismore and also playing in Feile na Gael in 1989. Kevin is a well known player with Cappoquin/Affane and like his new life-partner, he is very popular. We wish them a lifetime of happiness together.

County Senior Football Championship Resumes at Fraher Field

EXCITING FARE PROMISED

Football can be exciting without being good and nowadays people have given up expecting to see a brilliant game of football as it is not played that way anymore. People have come to the stage where they will settle for a good exciting contest. Football, first at intercounty level and then at club level, started going into decline some years ago and now it continues to get worse by the year. Gone from the game is the shoulder-to-shoulder contact, the long kicking, the high fielding and the other skills that were a delight to watch. Now it is becoming a kind of bastardised game that is a mixture of rugby and basket ball, etc. and is Gaelic football in name only as mauling an opponent, picking the ball off the ground, throwing the ball around, all seem to be permissible.

However, that is the way it is played here, there and everywhere and as the man said "you can like it or lump it!"

I would not rate any of the four teams playing here on Sunday as good football teams and in saying this I am not saying that they are different

from the other football teams in the county or for that matter they are little different from the other club teams in the country.

But as I have written at the outset, Stradbally versus Ardmore and Kilrossanty v

Gleann na nDeise will entertain us with two exciting contests and that will satisfy the big crowd that is expected to turn up at the venue.

STRADBALLY V. ARDMORE

Neither side has done anything wonderful so far this year and this will be their chance to prove that they are worthy championship contenders.

In their initial matches, Stradbally beat Butlerstown by 1-13 to 2-3 and Ardmore had a rather decisive victory (1-10 to 0-6) over Ring. This match was featured by

a devastating final quarter performance by Ardmore.

Stradbally have been around longer in the senior grade, but just the same their line-out will include several young players who have come up through the ranks in recent years. In qualifying for the intermediate hurling Western final last Saturday, they showed how very fit they are.

In their line-out they will have Stephen Cunningham, George and Tom Walsh, Liam O'Brien, Oliver and Trevor Costello, Nial and Trevor Curran, Ger and David Power, Tom Walsh, Kevin Cunningham, Pat Curran, John Coffey, P. Kiely and company and with such an array of talent, they won't be brushed aside very easily by any of the teams left in the championship.

I wrote last year that Ardmore were the rising football power in Waterford and if they keep their present group of players together this prediction will become a reality before too long. The only thing they lack at

the moment is experience in the top grade and this might be the deciding factor in their duel with Stradbally here on Saturday. But with so many good players — all of whom have come through in the underage championships — and including the likes of Wayne Hennessy, Seamus Prendergast, Seamus Veale, Cathal Hennessy, John Conway, John O'Donnell Michael Supple, Donal Lenane M. Hennessy, A. Flavin, A. Ahearne, Kevin Lenane, etc., I would certainly not discount their chances against Stradbally who will take the field as favourites.

KILROSSANTY V. GLEANN NA nDEISE

Having defeated the very fancied Gaultier at Walsh Park three weeks ago, the group team will surely have notions of going places in the championship this year and by all accounts, Kilrossanty will need to be at their very best if they hope to win the second match here on Saturday.

A score 2-10 as against 2-7 for Gaultier came at the end

of a fine performance in the second round. They laid the foundation of their victory in the opening ten minutes when dynamic forward, Kevin Walsh, had the ball in the Gaultier net on two occasions. Pat Donovan, John Fitzgerald, David Whelan, Garry Hurney and company, if caught in the same form again, will rock the fancied Comeragh outfit.

After seeing Kilrossanty lose to Rathgormack in the Ryan's Super Valu Division 1 league final, I wrote that on their form in that game they could not be considered as serious contenders for the title this year. That comment expressed my disappointment in seeing them play so poorly. After this they played the group team Faughs in the championship at Kill and while they came out on top and won convincingly by 1-12 to 0-6, they could hardly be judged on that display as the opposition were a rather disorganised side and offered a poor challenge.

With players of the quality of Alfie Kirwan goalie, Kieran Lonergan, Nial O'Connor, Brian Kirwan, Brian Whelan, Darrell Donnelly, S. MacEllen, David

Kirwan, Tony Kirwan, Pat Hayes, John Dec, etc., Kilrossanty should be able to mount a strong challenge for the championship and maybe

if they play to their potential they can come through.

OTHER FIXTURES

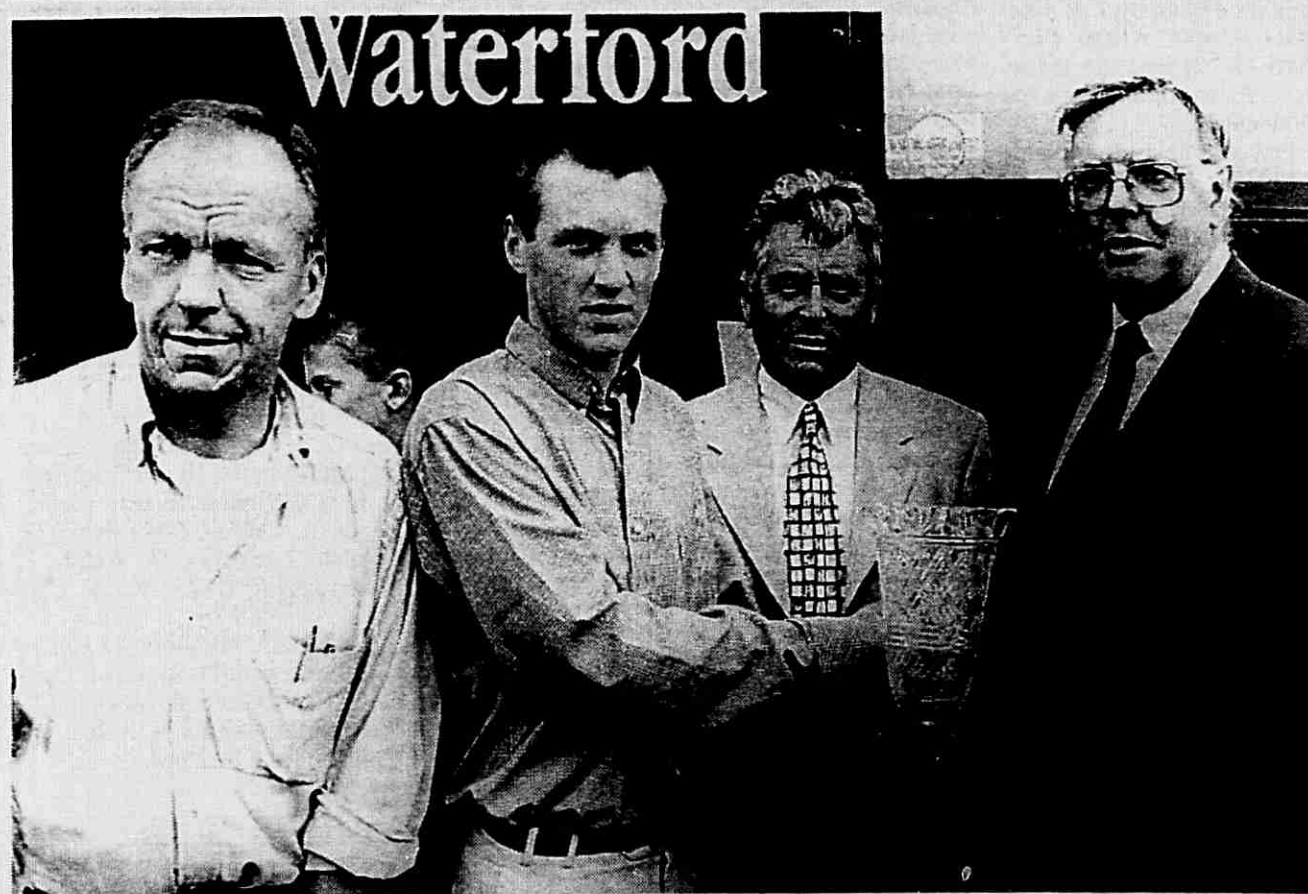
On Saturday afternoon Ballyduff and Abbeyside will replay their drawn match in the junior hurling championship. The result will again remain in the balance until near the finish and extra time will be played to separate the teams if they are level again after 60 minutes.

M.H. FINAL

When Tallow and Abbeyside met in the Western final last year, Tallow held out to win by a single score before going on to win the county final from Mount Sion. The Tallow/Shamrocks combination are a strong outfit again this year and will be fancied to retain the championship. Abbeyside have a very handy team too and have played well against Cappoquin and Lismore and will try to make amends for last year's defeat. This game is fixed for Cappoquin on tonight, Wednesday at 6.30 p.m.

M.F. SEMI-FINAL

At Leamybrien this evening, Dungarvan will take on Stradbally in the Minor A football semi-final and the winners will be fixed to meet either Ardmore or Abbeyside who will meet in the other semi-final, a week later.



All-Ireland senior hurling "Man of the Match award" presentation. (Presentation sponsored by AWG and WLR/fm. Left to right: Des Whelan, MD WLR/fm. Brendan Landers, Lismore (award winner), Jim Joe Landers, WLR/fm and Tom Corcoran, Vice-Chairman, AWG. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

MUSEUM

The Museum in Croke Park is open to the public and having attended an official opening last week, I can vouch for the fact that it is every bit as good as the previews and brochures told us over the year.

It looks at the birth and growth of the G.A.A. and its unique role in the national movement and cultural revival in Ireland. Historic exhibits and data banks give you an insight into the past. It has Touchscreen Technology to bring you historic moments, the great names and the great games, etc.

Here and there throughout the two-storey building under the New Stand you find little snippets which interest you. Like the note about the great Limerick hurling legends, Mick and John Mackey who wore the Limerick jersey for their first time ever when they both played minor hurling first round against Waterford in the Shandon grounds, Dungarvan on Sunday August 11th, 1929. (it didn't record that Waterford won that game by 8-3 to 1-2 before we went on to win the All Ireland).

The Museum is certainly well worth a visit. It will be open every day from May to September from 10 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. (except Monday). Pre-booked groups will be admitted on match days before 12 noon. The charge for adults is £3, children £1.25, Family of 4 £6, children under 5 are free.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Western Board Meeting

Paddy Walsh, Chairman, presided at last week's meeting of the Divisional Board which was held at Lawlor's Hotel.

MUNSTER FINAL TICKETS

A letter from the Affane/Cappoquin Club complained strongly about the poor quality of the stand tickets received for the Munster final and replay. The complaint stated that all their tickets were for the open stand and their members were drenched. They said that the system of allocation was wrong and that the Board should take steps to ensure that a more even distribution would be administered in future.

The Chairman said that the Western Board had no control over the quality of tickets issued to the clubs. Jimmy O'Gorman, Munster Council told the meeting that in the case of the replay, the Council staff were under pressure in organising the distribution of tickets for the following Sunday and there was no time for examining the quality of the tickets being sent to the counties on the Wednesday. The club stated that a similar letter was before the County Board meeting.

AWARD OF MATCH

The rejection of the Lismore Club's request for a postponement of their intermediate football championship game versus Shamrocks, was referred to by the chairman who sought Board approval for the awarding of the game to Shamrocks. He said that Lismore had been informed of the decision of the Fixtures Committee, in accordance with general rule.

Jimmy O'Gorman, speaking on behalf of Lismore, outlined their reasons for seeking a postponement. He said that all the year since the county senior hurling began training, six of their players were not available to the club to train and when they were drawn against Mount Sion in the senior hurling quarter-final they needed their full panel to concentrate on training for this important match. He said that any other club would have adopted a similar attitude if drawn against a team of Mount Sion's quality. He said as things stood, a refixture would not upset the championship programme to any extent.

Some other speakers supported a proposition for a refixture. The chairman

pointed out that other clubs had been refused similar requests this year and in taking this decision, the Fixtures Committee were being consistent.

The two proposals were then put to the floor and resulted in a tie, with each receiving 9 votes. The 9 officers voted for the Board's decision and 9 delegates supported the amendment. A number of delegates did not vote. The chairman then gave his casting vote in favour of the awarding of the game to Shamrocks. James Tobin, Shamrocks, said his club had discussed the matter and they were not looking for the game. Lismore indicated that an appeal will be lodged with the County Board.

OMAGH DISASTER

A minute's silence was observed as a mark of respect to the victims of the ruthless bombing which killed 29 people and injured hundreds in Omagh last month and

there was condemnation of the brutal murderers who planned the outrage and caused such suffering, pain and grief and disgraced Ireland all over the world.

CHAMPIONSHIP DRAWS

The following draws were made for the semi-finals— Junior Hurling — Ardmore v Geraldines; Clashmore v Second string winners.

Junior Football — Ballinacorney v 2nd string winners; Emmetts v Kilgobinet; Junior Football 2nd String — Kilrossanty v Briceys; Ballinacorney v Clashmore; Junior Hurling 'B' Championship — Glen Rovers v Tourin; Modeligo v Geraldines 'B'.

REFIXTURES

The minor hurling championship final between Abbeyside and Tallow was refixed for this Wednesday evening and the Abbeyside v Ardmore minor football semi-final was put back to Wednesday of next week.

It was announced that the Officer Board will meet again on tomorrow (Thursday) evening to arrange further fixtures.

NATIONAL HURLING LEAGUE

The composition has been increased to include three more counties and it will again be played in two sections. Carlow have been added to our section and this makes seven, as follows: Waterford, Kilkenny, Cork, Wexford, Tipperary, Laois and Carlow. This being the second year of the rota, Waterford will be away to Kilkenny, Cork and Wexford and this is going to make qualifying that bit more difficult this time round.

The other section has eight teams as follows: Antrim, Dublin, Galway, Offaly, Limerick, Clare, Down and Kerry.

The league will not commence until March, but may begin a little earlier because of the additional games.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

There has also been a restructuring of the national football league which will now be played in two divisions instead of four as heretofore.

Division 2 has a total of 17 teams and will be played in two sections

We are in Section 2 of Division 2 with, Longford, Sligo, Tipperary, Fermanagh, Cavan, Carlow and Wexford. In our other section there are 9 teams as fol-

lows: Louth, Wicklow, Kerry, Westmeath, Roscommon, Antrim, Limerick, Kilkenny and London.

Three rounds of the football league will be played before Christmas, and as already announced, the experimental rules will apply.

S.F. CHAMPIONSHIP

Narrow Win for Saviours

St. Saviours 1-6,
Tramore 1-5

This game was close all the way and for a time it looked as if it would end in a draw. At half time it was 0-3 to 0-3 and after a tit-for-tat second half, Saviours emerged narrow winners and will now go forward to the semi-finals.

SENIOR FOOTBALL FIXTURES

The following fixtures have been announced for senior football — Sunday September 20th, Semi-final, Rathgormack v. St.Saviours/Tramore at Walsh Park 2 p.m.; Stradbally/Ardmore v Kilrossanty/Gleanna na nDeise at Fraher Field at 6.15 p.m.

Primary School Prospects Spotted This Week



▲ BALLYMAC' HURLING CAMP

County Board Chairman, Paddy Joe Ryan with children from the area when he visited the camp. P. J. himself is a former Fourmilewater hurling star and played many a fine game in the Mill Field. The camp was a great success with over 70 children attending. Billy Walsh, Pat Power and several more club men and women were in attendance every morning and we all enjoyed the camp which was well organised.

PORTLAW N.S. — Ailish Dunphy, 9 years old, 4th Class.

Ailish lives at Ballyvalican and she is a very skilful player. Fourth Class had some very skilful players on view last Thursday. Ailish's sister, Elaine was a member of the Primary Game team which played in Thurles before 52,000 people before the Munster Senior Hurling Final. Jacinta McGrath, also from this school, played in the same game. This school is highly organised and the teachers are a great help. Ailish's favourite player is Paul Flynn.

CONVENT PRIMARY SCHOOL, CAPPOQUIN — David Murphy, 5 years old, Senior Infants.

David and many of his classmates showed very good basic skill last Friday in the yard. The work being done at underage level by Tommy Sullivan, Michael Murray, Patricia McCarthy and co is paying dividends. The under-12 team have reached the County Final in the Ground Hurling Blitz. David is a very tidy hurler and his striking is fast and crisp. Our friend from Coolderry, Sr. Mary arrived in the yard complete with hurley and she won't hear of an Offaly defeat in the All-Ireland Final. Everyone looks forward to the visit and the 'buzz' from pupils and teachers is infectious. David's favourite hurler is Tony Browne.

SCOIL GHARBHÁIN G.S. — Eoin Braicéad, 10 bliana d'aois.

Tá Eoin i rang cuig and he is a very skilful hurler. One of the stars on last Friday's visit. His dad, Micheál was an outstanding hurler and footballer in his day with the Cappoquin Club. Eoin enjoyed Waterford's run all the summer. Is é Paul Flynn an iománaíthe is fear leis.

NEXT WEEK'S COACHING DATES

Mon., Sept. 14 — Fews/Kilrossanty N.S.
Tues., Sept. 15 — Piltown, Kinsalebeg N.S.
Weds., Sept. 16 — Glenbeg/Carriglea N.S.
Thurs., Sept. 17 — Aghlish/Villierstown N.S.
Fri., Sept. 18 — Ballinacorney/Cappoquin Boys N.S.

FITZGERALD CUP

Under-13 Hurling
Well done to Kilrossanty who caused a mild shock when they beat Colligan in the Div. 2 Final. They also won the Div. 3 Under-12 Final and reached the County Final in Under-14 Div. 4. Yes underage hurling is alive in the Comeraghs.

ALL-IRELAND HURLING FINAL

Hundreds of Waterford people will travel to Croke Park on Sunday to see Offaly play Kilkenny in the final and very disappointed that we are not engaged. As time goes by people seem to be more regretful about our poor second half performance against Kilkenny, who were there for the taking, if things had gone right for us. It is history now and we must look forward to 1999 and hope for the best. Hope too, that the remaining games in the senior and intermediate hurling championships will expose talent with intercounty potential, as we still need a few forwards if we hope to make another break next year.

Judging by the demand for tickets a lot of people are going to be disappointed and will have to watch the game on telly.

The Bookmakers seem to give the counties an even chance but they have got it all wrong so many times this year, that it might be foolish to stake too much trust in their predictions.

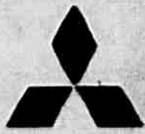
As part of their strategy, Kilkenny are keeping a remarkably low profile (as they did against Waterford and to their advantage), while Offaly don't have enough time to quieten things down among their supporters since last Saturday week. At the same time Offaly have put an embargo on their full panel against communicating in any form with any branch of the media. They don't need the experience of Kilkenny to teach the wisdom of such a policy.

Offaly need to play as well as they did in their final match against Clare if they are to make sure of winning. I believe that Offaly will win and while I will be watching the final as a neutral observer, I'll be keeping my fingers crossed that it won't end in another bloody draw!

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Creamery Closure Is Biggest Disaster Town Ever Faced

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Transport & General Workers Union, Tony Mansfield has stated that he does not accept the closure of the Shandon site. Ongoing meetings are taking place between the group of unions and AWG management regarding the Dungarvan and Kilmeaden plants which were targeted by the company's rationalisation plans.

'LAMENTABLE' LOCAL SUPPORT
Speaking this week, Mr. Mansfield said talks are now at a critical stage and he hit out at 'certain people' in Dungarvan for their lack of support in trying to stop the closure of the plant in the town.
"We got a lamentable lack of support from certain people in the Dungarvan area and that's to be regretted", added Mr. Mansfield.

Glencairn And Parts Of Lismore Without Water

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when the Council offices are closed.
Mr. McDonnell said that the greatest usage of water occurs on Saturdays and it was unfortunate that the problem arose at the weekend.
He pointed out that in case of emergency at the weekend, the County Council water caretaker is Liam Buckley and his name and telephone number are listed in the Green Pages of the telephone directory under Waterford County Council.

"They fell down and left a jewel in the crown slip out of their hands".
Pointing to the high efficiency of the Dungarvan processing plant, Mr. Mansfield continued that as far as the union is concerned there was no need to close the local plant.

"This is the biggest disaster that the town has ever faced and it's an unnecessary one and no amount of PR by Avonmore Waterford Group can cover up that factor", he slammed.
The Dungarvan site has the lowest energy costs in the Group and a high quality milk pool of in excess of 70 million gallons. Among the value added products produced in Dungarvan is lactic butter for the German market of which there are only 8 suppliers. The local site has repeatedly won the much coveted quality award on a number of occasions for this high quality product. Other products produced on site and which are not produced anywhere else within the Group are High Low Medium Heat Skim (12,000 tonnes), Milk Protein Concentrate (4,000 tonnes) and Acid Casein (4,000 tonnes).

UNIONS STILL CONTROL PRODUCT
At the moment the ATGWU District Officer is negotiating on a mandate from the union membership. On completion of these negotiations, Mr. Mansfield will report back to the membership of all three unions and they will decide on the outcome of whatever proposals emerge.
"The management may say they're closing on a certain date but we're still controlling the product and that will depend on what's on the table in the final analysis", he added.

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