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## Minister Launches Spring "Clean Up"

The third annual Clean Up The Comeraghs campaign was launched by Dan Wallace, Minister of State at the Department of the Environment and Local Government in the village of Leamybrien last Monday.

The campaign was organised by the Comeragh Community Development Group, with assistance from Waterford County Council and marks their participation in National Spring

Clean, 1999.

Over 300 people braved the inclement bank holiday weather and divided into numerous groups organised by team leaders to clean up various areas of the scenic Comeraghs.

The anti-litter blitz has gained widespread support from volunteers and groups all over the county and has proved to be highly effective

in promoting anti-litter awareness among the public. The campaign won the County Council's Best Environmental Project of the Year for the last 2 years and also scooped the March AIB Bank/Waterford News & Star monthly community award.

Each year hundreds of volunteers take part in the Comeragh clean up collecting everything from household appliances dumped in fields, abandoned car wrecks and all types of rubbish.

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## Ring Student Scoops Award

Nioclás Ó Faoláin, a student at Meanscoil San Nioclás, An Rinn is the County Waterford winner of the Irish Kidney Association's Schools Slogan Competition 1999.

Nioclás' slogan "Be proud of living, start giving, get a donor card" was chosen as the County Waterford winner from over 10,000 entries received from second level students throughout the country. For his achievement, Nioclás has won a Sony walkman and a certificate of merit.

"We are delighted with the fantastic response to this competition which has heightened awareness amongst such a large number of young adults who are so important to the future of organ donation in Ireland," said Gerard Sweeney, Chief Executive, Irish Kidney Association.

The nationwide competition was open to second level students. Students were invited to devise slogans containing not more

than ten words including the words 'organ donation' or 'donor card'. The object-

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## Shock Resignation By Stradbally Tidy Towns Committee

(see page 3 for full story)



At the launch of the WLR fm Lawlor's Hotel, GAA Sportstars Awards in Lawlor's Hotel were 1 to r; Paul Byrne, Manager, WLR fm, Dungarvan. Michael Burke, Lawlor's Hotel. Seamus Grant, Secretary, Co. GAA Board, Paddy Dunphy, Co. GAA PRO and Jim Joe Landers, WLR fm. (Photo; Sean Byrne)



# Leeside Singers For Friends Of District Hospital



Photo shows Mrs. Joan Sandford-Kirby presenting her book "Down Memory Lane" to newly appointed Superintendent, Michael Blake. Proceeds of this book are being donated to the District Hospital by Joan in grateful appreciation for the care given to her late son Billy R.I.P.

The Friends of Dungarvan District Hospital once again are delighted to welcome the Leeside Singers under the directorship of Aileen Scrivan with their show "A Little Bit Of Heaven."

This year's show is mostly an Irish theme and the group are being joined by the popular local tenor, Neil

Hurley. Wine for the show this year is being sponsored by Ryan's Super Valu, William Mansfield and Beechfield Health Centre.

Cheese is again being kindly sponsored by Glanbia who have, for the past six years, so kindly done so.

The Friends of the District Hospital are indeed greatly indebted to the many people who have supported them at this function down through the years and hope that all will enjoy a night of indeed lovely Irish music and song at Lawlors Hotel on Friday, April 16 at 8 p.m.

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**Glasnevin, Dublin 11,**  
**Ireland.**

## KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

### QUESTION

Would you explain what is meant by tax credits? I am a PAYE worker and a little confused by the new system.

### ANSWER

Tax credits are being introduced in order to promote greater equity in the tax system. At present tax free allowances are worth considerably more to higher rate taxpayers than to those who pay tax at the standard rate. The standard rating of allowances will mean that they have equal value for all taxpayers.

The new tax year starts on April 6, 1999 and it is intended that tax credits will gradually replace tax free allowances. The first steps are being taken this year with the introduction of standard rating for personal tax allowances. The effect of standard-rating is that even if you pay the higher tax rate (46%) on your income, you will only be allowed to claim tax allowances at the standard rate (24%).

This will lead to an actual decrease in the value of tax-free allowances for those people who have, until now, been able to effectively claim allowances at 46% but the standard rate tax bands have been widened to compensate those on the higher rate of tax.

The tax year 1999/2000 is an interim period during which a combination of both systems is in operation and this may cause confusion to some taxpayers.

If you are still unsure how your tax is being calculated, you should contact your tax office or the Central Telephone Information Office at (01) 8780000 or your local Citizens Information Centre (complete list in Golden Pages).

*[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: Monday 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; 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. Telephone 058-44633].*

# St. John's College, Waterford To Close

St. John's College, Waterford is due to close as a seminary from June because of the fall in the number of students for the priesthood. The future of the College as a seminary has been under consideration for a number of years. The sharp decline in student numbers in recent years has made the closure inevitable. The decision to close the College has been taken by the Bishop of Waterford and Lismore, Dr. William Lee.

For several years the College has been catering for far fewer students than was ever envisaged. At its peak, in the 1940's, St. John's College had over 100 students. Today there are only 13.

St. John's College was founded in 1807 and has been at its pres-

ent site in John's Hill, Waterford since 1871. Priests who studied there have served the Church all over the world. The total number of former students of the College who became priests is well in excess of 1,000.

Before the decision was taken, much and detailed consultation has taken place. In April 1998 Bishop Lee set up a committee of priests, religious and lay people to examine the future of the College. Chaired by the Vicar General of the diocese, Mons. Michael Olden, a former President of Maynooth, the committee consulted all the priests of the diocese, staff of the College and seminarians.

Bishop Lee said "The decision to close the seminary will cause

much sadness to many priests and people. I share that sadness very deeply and I regret that it has fallen to me to make this difficult and painful decision. Throughout its long history, the College has made an immense contribution to the life of the church in Ireland and throughout the world. But, taking account of the reality of falling vocations in recent years, it has become clear that St. John's College does not have a viable future as a major seminary."

St. John's College will continue to be a diocesan and community resource and active consideration is being given to the future. Bishop Lee has asked the committee to examine the matter and to make recommendations.

## Leader Crossword

**SOLUTIONS — Questions on Page 8**  
**Across:** 1 Anthropoid, 9 Never, 10 Lash out, 11 Warfarin, 12 Cleo, 15 Sea, 16 Omega, 17 Nit, 18 Ants, 19 Jennifer, 22 Liberal, 24 Basil, 25 Pharmacist. **Down:** 2 Narrator, 3 Hilaire Belloc, 4 Ouse, 5 Oxo, 6 Detroit, 7 Snow, 8 Overcast, 13 Lungfish, 14 Cannabis, 15 Scallop, 20 Roll, 21 Dram, 23 Baa.



# Stradbally Committee Resigns As Piggery Gets Go Ahead

The scenic village of Stradbally which was last year awarded the tidiest town in the county will not be contesting this year's National Tidy Towns competition. The dramatic announcement was made this week by the local tidy towns committee who resigned en bloc following a specially convened meeting last Wednesday.

After almost two decades of hard work and dedication which last year saw Stradbally only 13 points behind the overall winners, the disillusioned committee officially called it a day stating that they were left with no other option following the controversial decision by Waterford County Manager Donal Connolly to grant planning permission to Fenor Farms Ltd. for a massive pig production unit on the outskirts of Stradbally on a 9 acre bogland site at Rathnasilloge.

Indeed, only last September the committee threatened such drastic action if the piggery project received the official nod.

In a letter sent this week to the Co. Manager, Bord Fáilte and the Minister for the Environment Noel Dempsey, the tidy town committee chairman George Crowley and secretary Mai Barrett also gave notice of their withdrawal from the Council's clean up week which was previously organised.

### OVERWHELMING LOCAL OPPOSITION

A massive group of local residents, farmers, Tidy Towns activists and tourism interests were spearheaded by the hugely active Stradbally Environmental Protection Group (SEPG), in a massive opposition campaign against the piggery project. Over 700 formal objections were lodged with the Co. Council as well as the Environmental Protection Agency. The SEPG has confirmed its intention to appeal the Manager's decision to An Bord Pleanála while Cllr. Tom Cunningham said that in the event of the appeal going against them it will be his intention to table a Section 30 motion at a Council meeting overturning the Manager's decision.

# Minister Launches Spring "Clean Up"

This year the campaign coincides with the National Spring Clean which is a national anti-litter awareness and actions initiative promoted by An Taisce with financial support from the Department of the Environment and Local Government and commercial sponsorship from Coca Cola Bottlers and Wrigleys Ltd. Its primary aim is to encourage people and groups from all walks of life to take part in cleaning up their local environment.

Speaking at the launch of the Clean Up The Comeraghs on Monday, Minister Wallace said: "Local partnerships must be at the core of our efforts to combat litter - we simply cannot expect local authorities to deal with the problem on their own. A clean environment benefits everyone - therefore we must all play our part to keep our locality litter free."

The launch was also attended by Waterford Co. Manager Donal Connolly and Council Chairperson Nora Flynn as well as the County Engineer John O'Flynn and local public representatives.

The Minister commended the Comeragh Community Development Group on their initiative to clean up

the Comeragh Mountains. "I take great heart from anti-litter initiatives such as the "Clean up the Comeraghs '99" Campaign. It is a prime example of how a local group committed to action, with assistance from the local authority, can work to tackle local issues for the good of the community Because that is what litter is - a local problem

requiring a local solution", the Minister told the Group. "You have taken on a daunting task - to clean-up the Comeragh Mountains. But with your spirit and enterprise, I have no doubt but that you will succeed", continued the Minister.

Minister Wallace concluded by thanking the Comeragh Community Development Group for

their invitation to him to launch the events and wished all concerned every success with their anti-litter initiatives under National Spring Clean in the weeks ahead. Comeragh Development Group Secretary Benno Gross said the fight against litter must go on and the momentum must be kept going. Illegal dumping and littering, he added, must come to an end.

## Modeligo Notes

### LOTTO

Winning numbers drawn were 1-14-25. No jackpot winner. Jackpot on Saturday night is £1,000. You surely can't miss an opportunity like this to win a grand for just a one pound fee. Just three numbers separate you - but which three are they? Good fortune.

£10 winners — Paraic Lenane, Ring; Eamonn Lynch, Scart, Cappagh; Shane Dalton, Piltown; Lorraine Walsh, Vicarstown; Eileen Kearns, Villierstown.

Easter Egg winners; Nancy Kiely, Slead; Nora Fitzgerald, Newstown; Karen Denn, Ballykerin; John O' Shea, Scart; Tommie Kenneally, Lyrattin; Paddy Kiely, Aglish; Tom Keane, Ballinagulkee; Pádraig Denn, Ballykerin; Pat Barron, Colligan.

### NEW ARRIVAL

Congratulations to Dermot and Loretta (nee Hickey) O' Shea, Dungarvan and Slead, on the birth of their son, Ewan recently. Health and happiness to you all.

### COMHALTAS CONCERT

Finnisk Branch of Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Éireann will hold a variety night, including a one-act play in Modeligo Community Centre on Sunday next. So come along for an enjoyable night's entertainment.

## Ring Student Scoops Award

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ive of the competition was to create a greater awareness about organ donation and encourage more young adults to make an informed decision to carry a multi organ donor card. The competition winners were announced in advance of the Irish Kidney Association's Donor 'Forgot Me Not' Week which takes place from April 3 - 10.



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Farm Animals: PIGS

**PIGS can be kept indoors or outdoors. Pigs that are used for breeding are usually kept in fields where they can run about and search for food, although the farmer will also feed them. They are strong and healthy because they are so active.**

Pigs that are kept for meat (pork, bacon and ham) are kept in pens. The farmer can keep their diet controlled. They eat wheat, barley, potatoes, corn, fish meal and skimmed milk. Because the pigs are enclosed, they do not use much energy and become fat. Their bristles are made into brushes.

Domestic pigs are bred from the wild boars that used to roam the woodlands. Their diet consisted of acorns,

roots and worms which they dug out of the soil with their snouts. The boars only joined females for the mating season.

Pigs live outdoors in areas provided for them by the farmer. The area is usually fenced in with a shelter, drinking trough and a feeder, so the pigs have all they need. Pigs cannot sweat, so in hot weather they wallow in wet mud and sleep stretched out to cool themselves. They are very clean animals.

They sleep in a place where it is warm and dry and go to the toilet in a different area. Pigs will root for food in the ground no matter how well fed they are. To stop this from happening the farmer usually puts a metal ring through the pigs nose.

The pigs that live indoors, live in an area called a piggery. A female pig is called a sow and she can produce more than two litters a year. These litters consist of about fourteen piglets.

Young female pigs are called gilts and are first mated at the age of eight months. They are sometimes mated with a boar from a different breed to produce cross-bred pigs, which sometimes grow faster and are often healthier than pure-bred pigs.

The gilts give birth 16 weeks after mating, the process is called farrowing. A few days before a sow is due to farrow, the farmer puts her into

a farrowing pen, where he puts down straw, which the sow paws into a heap. If a sow has to give birth outside, she finds a hollow and lines it with chewed-up leaves and straw.

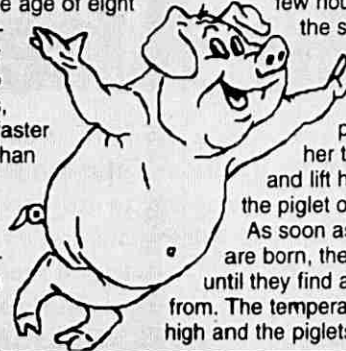
Sows give birth mostly at night, a few hours before the birth the sow lies down and loudly grunts and squeals. Before the birth of each piglet, she swishes her tail and may kick and lift her leg to help force the piglet out.

As soon as the new piglets are born, they stagger around until they find a teat to suck milk from. The temperature of the udder is high and the piglets huddle around it

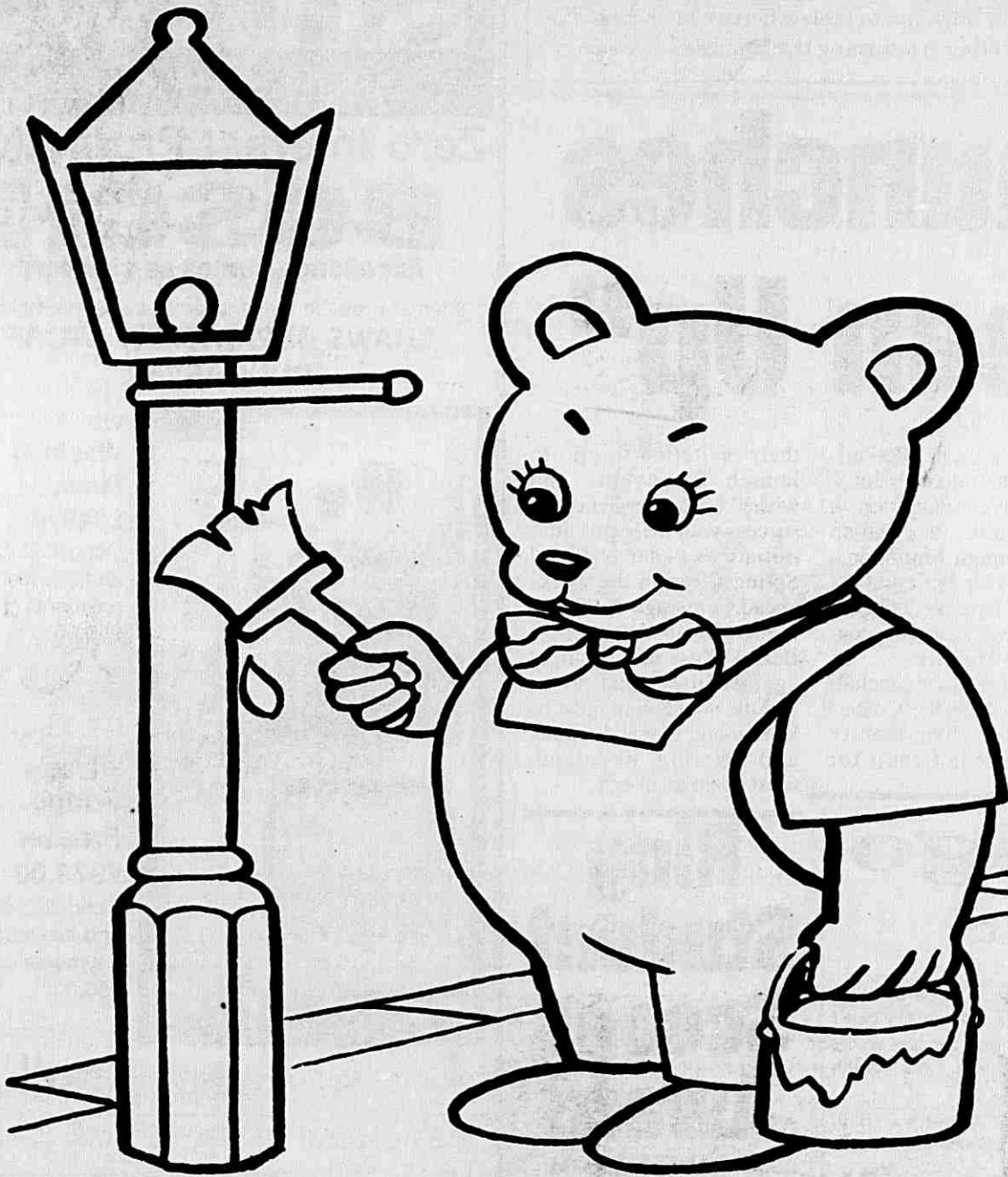
for heat as well as for food. When the piglets are born, they are enclosed in a birth sac from which they have to free themselves or else suffocate. The farmer puts up an infra red light which provides heat for the piglets and this keeps them away from the sow as she is recovering. They only go near her for milk.

The sow is kept in a farrowing crate to help keep her gilts safe as she lies down. The piglets meanwhile feel cold and huddle under the light with their limbs tucked under their bodies.

After a week the farmer gives them sweet food, which are first they play with but soon learn to eat. The last piglet born is often so small that it cannot survive. It is known as the "runt."



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Competitors go one at a time down a very steep hill, riding down dips, over jumps and other nerve-racking obstacles.

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Quick Quiz

- 1: What kind of animals are (a) Bovine? (b) Vulpine?
- 2: What kind of animals are (a) Ovine? (b) Lupine?
- 3: What is a martingale?
- 4: What kind of birds are wigeons, shovelers and pochards?
- 5: What kind of creatures are graylings, painted ladies and commas?
- 6: What colour is a Friesian cow?
- 7: What kind of creature is a pine marten?
- 8: In which country did Merino sheep originate?
- 9: By what name is Pan Trogladytes better known?
- 10: What kind of creatures are Ophidian?

Answers

1. (a) Cattle (b) Wolves; 2. (a) Sheep (b) Wolves; 3. A strap worn by a horse; 4. Ducks; 5. Butterflies; 6. Black and white; 7. A polecat; 8. Spain; 9. The Chimpanzee; 10. Snakes.



**WEST WATERFORD  
DRAMA FESTIVAL**

**'THE CRIPPLE  
OF INNISMAAN'  
AND 'BIG MAGGIE'  
TAKE THE  
LIMELIGHT**

The curtain closed on the 19th Annual West Waterford Drama Festival recently in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff. Bill Canning, Festival Chairman thanked all involved and paid special tribute to the loyal patrons who packed the hall for eleven nights. In his speech he made a plea to groups to look at old plays, many who have not been on the circuit for years and indeed Shakespearean and Restoration plays.

Roma Tomelty, the adjudicator, then announced the results.

**Open Section**

Best Play; "The Couple of Innismaan" (Enniscorthy). 2nd; "Happy Birthday Dear Alice" (Kilmeen Drama Group). 3rd; "Out of Order" (Ballyduff Drama Group). Best Actor; Henry O' Keefe - The Body, "Out of Order". Best Actress; Deirdre O' Reilly - "Alice", "Happy Birthday Dear Alice". Best Supporting Actor; Denis McCarthy - "Jimmy", "Happy Birthday Dear Alice". Best Supporting Actress; Ann Keogh as

"Mammy" in "The Cripple of Innismaan".

**Confined Section**

Best Play; "Big Maggie" (Castlewood players, Cratloe). 2nd; "Canaries" (Conna Drama Group). 3rd; "I'll Get My Man" (Ferns Drama Group). Best Actor; Tony O'Rourke as "Keller" in "The Miracle Worker". Best Actress; Mgt. O' Leary as "Maggie" in "Big Maggie". Best Supporting Actor; Tom Cotter as "Dad" in "Canaries". Best Supporting Actress; Eleanor Owens as Mrs. Carter in "I'll Get My Man".

**General Awards**

Best Set; Carlow with "The Colleen Bawn". Best Design; Carlow with "The Colleen Bawn". Most Entertaining Play; Ballyduff with "Out of Order". Golden Moment of Theatre; Helen when she threw the egg at the audience in "The Cripple of Innismaan".

Footnote; Ballyduff Drama Group with "Out of Order" won Best Play, Best Producer and Richie Walsh won best actor in the Doonbeg Drama Festival. Well done.

**Cappoquin Author  
Relates Anguish Of  
Schizophrenia**

'One Sad Ungathered Rose', written by Cappoquin based author Susan Poole was published last Friday by The Collins Press and is now available in bookshops at a cost of £7.99.

This compelling book records the devastating effect schizophrenia had on Susan's youngest daughter Margaret who died last January.

Susan and her husband Bill have lived for the last ten years in Cappoquin. Spanning the years 1961 to 1996, Susan watched her beautiful teenage daughter slip from 'behaviour problems' to severe psychotic episodes in her twenties and thirties, ending with eight years of homelessness on the streets of Austin, Texas. She paints a brutally honest account of how the disease not only destroyed her daughter but tragically also Susan's life and the lives of all those she encountered.

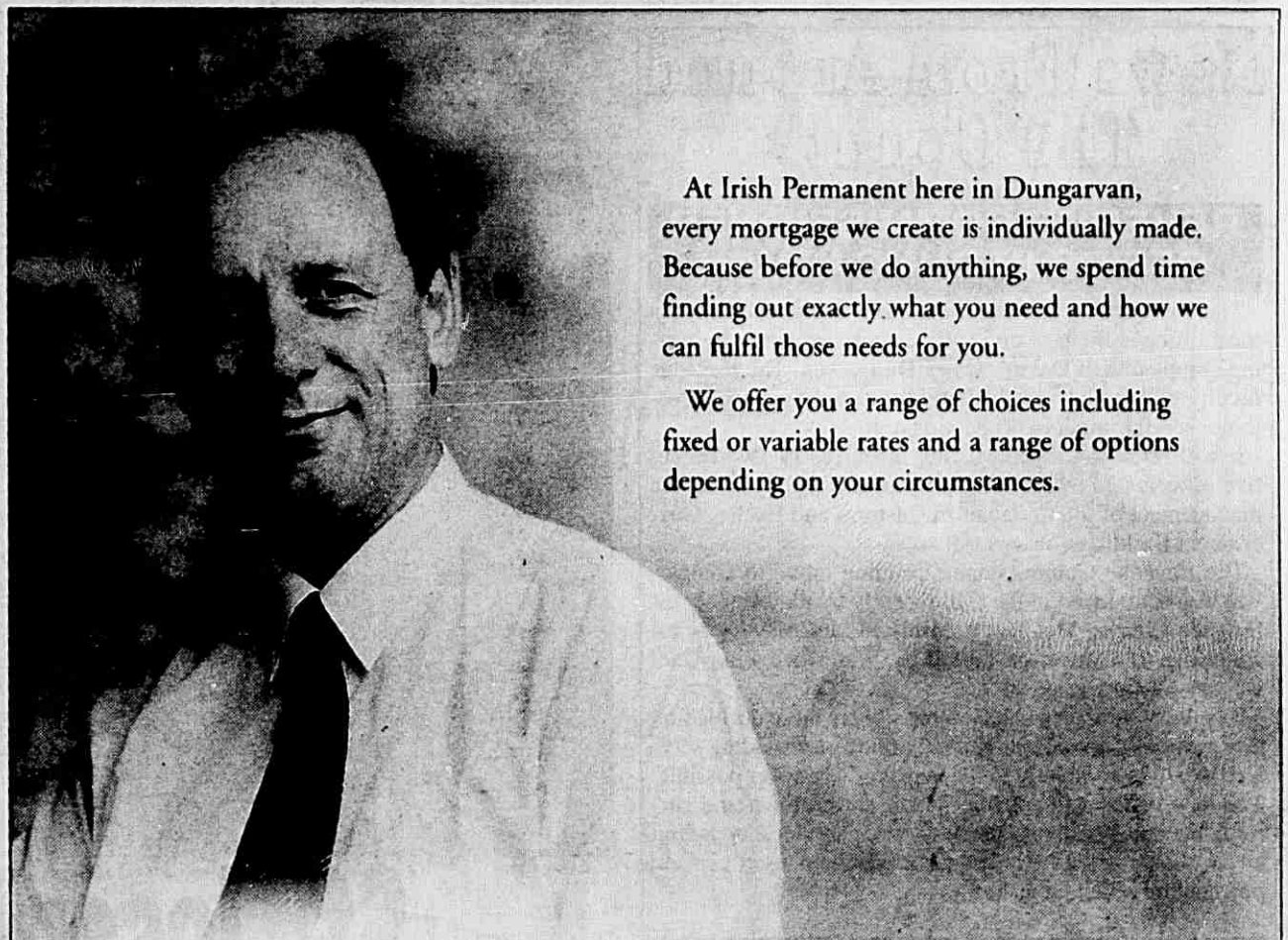
She writes: "This book is

written for those countless mothers who, day in and day out, struggle desperately to find a way to live with the demons of schizophrenia. It is a lonely, bewildering world they inhabit, and I can only hope that these pages will bring them some degree of the understanding and comfort that for so long eluded me".

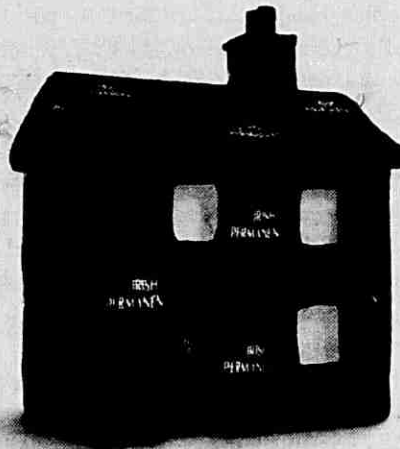
The book relates Susan's anguish as she struggles to recognize, to understand and to cope with her child's torment.

Born in America, Susan is a full time writer and has written several Frommer Travel Guides and contributes to numerous newspapers and magazines. A recipient of the Lowell Thomas Travel Guide Award, she also writes fiction.

She is pitching this book at the 175,000 family members in Ireland whose lives have been damaged by schizophrenia.



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## News From Around The County

### REVENUE COMMISSIONER OFFICE IN DUNGARVAN

The Revenue Commissioners have decided to open a local office in the new civic office complex currently nearing completion at Davitt's Quay, Dungarvan. The Revenue facility will include a vehicle registration office and a customer service and local collection unit.

It will be staffed from existing resources by two executive officers and two clerical officers and will be under the management of the Collector of Customs and Excise, Government Buildings, Waterford.

The Revenue Commissioners pending move to Dungarvan was announced in the Dail recently by the Minister for Finance Charlie McCreevy. Minister McCreevy was responding to a question tabled by Waterford Fine Gael Deputy Austin Deasy.

It is understood that the Commissioners have decided on this move as part of their general policy of providing services locally and directly to the taxpayer whenever possible. The new office will provide people in the town and surrounding areas with enhanced customer services, including an on-the-spot facility to register new and used cars on payment of vehicle registration tax.

### ROAD MARKINGS & SIGNS AT BALLINAMEELA

Waterford County Councillor Willie McDonnell has recently received confirmation from the County Engineer that the existing signs at Ballinameela School are to be replaced as soon as feasible.

Following an investigation of the area by Council Engineer Ann Kiely, it was also agreed that road markings will be put in place as soon as the white lining crew are in the Ballinameela area.

### PUBLIC LIGHTING IN KILMAC

An order has now been issued by the County Council to the ESB to proceed with improvements to the public lighting system at Kilmactomas.

In a recent communiqué to Waterford FG Deputy Austin Deasy, Co. Engineer John O'Flynn said the work includes the replacement of existing defective mercury lights and the erection of new lights at a number of locations in the town. An extra light is being provided near the national school, 3 additional lights towards Newtown and 4 extra lights towards Dungarvan as far as the entrance to Hillside Crescent.

### UDARAS OFFICE IN RING

The Board of Udarás na Gaeltachta has agreed to explore the possibility of establishing a satellite office in the Ring Gaeltacht. Representatives of the Rinn and Sean Pobail communities met with the Board in Dungarvan and discussed various issues relating to the economic and social development of the Waterford Gaeltacht.

### DUNGARVAN ROADWORKS FOR COMING YEAR

Dungarvan UDC has been allocated a total of £185,000 towards this year's roadworks programme. The roundabout at Crotty's Corner, which was included in last year's programme, is due to be completed this year at a cost of £22,000. Traffic calming measures to facilitate pedestrians at Grattan Square, Mitchel Street and Ard Scoil na nDéise will also be undertaken as well as pedestrian crossing facilities at the Causeway and Grattan Square. In the case of the crossing at the Causeway, the existing traffic lights will be adjusted to include a pedestrian 'Green Man' phase.

Among the footpaths to be upgraded are parts of Silver-springs, Springfield, Keating Street, Davitt's Quay, Park-lane and Bridge Street. It is understood that the next area of the town in line for cobblelocking is Mary Street.

Surfacing works will be carried out from Lands End to Kyne Park junction at a cost of £44,000, Murphy Place (£15,000) and Wolfe Tone Road (£23,000).

Among the right-of-ways to be tackled this year are St. Garvan's Terrace, Congress Villas East, Congress Villas West, Fitzgerald Terrace, St. Martins Terrace and Congress Villas - Springfield. Special maintenance work will be carried out at a cost of £30,000.

## Year Of The Elderly Celebrated By Ard Scoil



# St. Joseph's Hospital Celebrates Year Of The Elderly

St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan continued its celebrations of the UN International Year of the Elderly on Monday March 22nd with a visit by the transition year students of Ard Scoil na nDéise.

1999 has been designated International Year of Older Persons by the United Nations in recognition of one of the great achievements of this century, namely the adding of 20 years to the average life. The overall objective of the year is to promote and implement the United Nations Principles for Older Persons. These Principles promote the basic rights of older persons, based on independence, participation, care, self fulfillment and dignity.

Led by Transition Year Coordina-

tor Colette Power and Ard Scoil teacher Mrs. Dennehy, the 52 students divided into groups visiting patients in the newly built Sacred Heart Unit, Dunabbey, St. Michael's and St. Anne's Ward. They were met by the Matron Sr. Mairéad and the local nursing staff.

The students met and talked with patients who responded extremely well to the visit particularly to the music, set dancing and ballad singing specially prepared by the students.

Many activities and events are being organised during the year in hospitals and rehab centres around the country. These events are being organised by the National Council on Ageing and Older People who aim to develop "a new and positive

vision of ageing in Ireland so that through inclusion, recognition and representation, the rights and needs of older people be asserted in all aspects of Irish society".

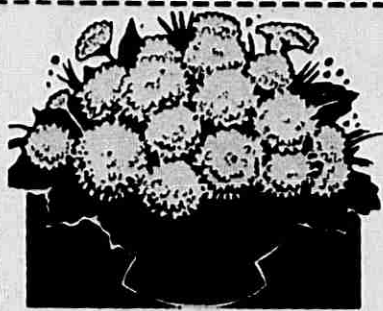
Dr. Tom Moffat, Minister of State at the Department of Health and Children said this year should be one where the talents and achievements of the older generation are celebrated and appreciated and where, finally, we get away from the notion that older people are a burden to society.

*Photos show Transition Year Students of Ard Scoil na nDéise, Dungarvan, with patients of the Sacred Heart Unit in St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan.*





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## O'Shea Takes Up Broadcasting and Sports Brief

Labour Party Leader, Ruairi Quinn has assigned the Broadcasting and Sport brief to Waterford Deputy Brian O'Shea the party's spokesperson on Arts, Heritage, Gaeltacht and the Islands. The vacancies arose consequent to the passing away of the late Deputy Pat Upton.

## PADDY O'BRIEN TICKET WINNERS

St. Mary's Primary School, Dungarvan, in association with the "Leader" offered readers the chance to win two tickets for the Paddy O'Brien fundraising concert which takes place in the Park Hotel on Thursday, April 8 from 10 a.m. to 12 midnight.

The lucky winner is Betty Daly, 2 Lower King Street, Abbeyside. Tickets can be collected at the offices of "Dungarvan Leader", O'Connell Street during office hours.

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# It's A Tasty Tuna Treat

INDULGE in a little Italian cuisine – Pennette Rigate al Tonno. Or, to put it another way, pasta with tuna fish sauce.

## Ingredients:

(Serves 2)  
225g Pennette Rigate  
1 x 15ml sp olive oil  
3 x 15ml sp freshly chopped flat-leaf parsley  
2 x 5ml sp garlic puree  
1 small red chilli, deseeded and finely chopped  
1 x 5ml sp minced root ginger  
300ml passata  
200g can tuna in oil, drained

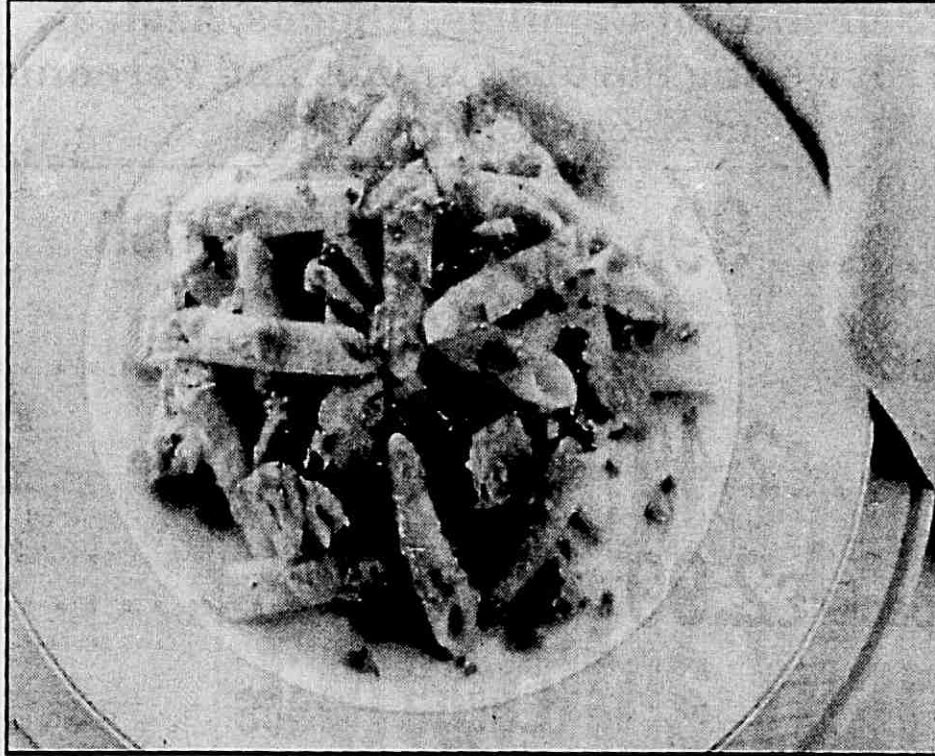
## Method:

Cook the Pennette Rigate according to the instructions on the packet.

Meanwhile, heat the olive oil in a frying pan and fry the garlic, chilli, ginger and two tablespoons of the parsley for one minute.

Don't forget to stir this mixture occasionally.

Add the passata and tuna to the oil, garlic, chilli, ginger and parsley mixture and cook for about three minutes.



Drain the pasta when it is cooked.

Stir in the hot sauce, then sprinkle over the dish the remaining flat leaf parsley to garnish.

This dish is ideal served with a fresh, green salad and white Italian wine.

TIP: This dish can be served hot or cold. It is ideal as an evening meal, and can also accompany a barbecue-type meal in the summertime.

■ Try using Cellentani pasta instead of Pennette Rigate.

■ You can cook the sauce and freeze it for later use.

## TOP TIP

TRY using some of the "quick cook" or "express" pastas that are available. These pastas cook in about three to five minutes — cooking time is cut by half.

## Minty Pea Soup

MOST people keep frozen peas in the freezer – in ten minutes you could be serving up a delicious pea and mint soup as a starter for your guests.

## Ingredients:

(Serves 4)  
15g butter  
1 x 15ml sp oil  
1/2 onion, finely chopped  
1 clove garlic, finely chopped  
450g frozen garden peas  
50ml dry white wine  
600ml vegetable stock  
6-8 mint leaves, roughly chopped

## IF SERVING COLD:

50ml single cream  
A few mint leaves to garnish

## Method:

Heat the butter and oil in a pan and add the onion.

Gently sauté for one minute, then add the garlic and cook for

one more minute. Add the peas and the wine.

Turn up the heat, and cook until the peas are nearly defrosted.

Add the stock and season with salt and pepper to taste.

Simmer for ten minutes, then add the mint leaves and liquidise.

If you are serving the soup hot, keep a few whole peas to add character.

Cold soup should be as smooth as possible. To eat cold, leave it in the pan to cool, then chill.

Just before serving, stir in the cream, and adjust the seasoning to taste.

Serve with a slice of warm, garlic or herb bread.

TIP: This dish is great as a vegetarian dish or as a starter before a meaty meal. Try experimenting with a variety of herbs instead of mint – tarragon and rosemary work well.

## Rich Coffee Cake

UNASHAMEDLY rich Austrian coffee and walnut cake with coffee cream.

## Ingredients:

(Serves 8)  
1 1/2 x 15ml sp instant coffee – with 2 x 15ml sp boiling water  
75g walnut halves  
175g self-raising flour  
1 1/2 x 5ml sp baking powder  
175g softened butter  
175g golden caster sugar  
3 large eggs

## For the syrup:

15ml espresso coffee powder  
50g demerara sugar  
55ml boiling water

## For the filling and topping:

15ml espresso coffee powder  
1 x 15ml sp golden caster sugar  
10 walnut halves from cake  
250g Mascarpone  
200ml low-fat fromage fraise

## Method:

Toast all the walnuts on a baking

sheet in a preheated oven for 7-8 mins. Reserve 10 halves for the topping and chop the rest.

Sieve the flour and baking powder into a bowl.

Add all the other ingredients (except the coffee and walnuts) and whisk everything together until smooth.

Fold in the coffee and walnuts then divide the mixture equally between two 20cm sandwich tins.

Bake on the centre shelf of the oven for 30 minutes.

For the syrup, mix the coffee, sugar and boiling water together until dissolved.

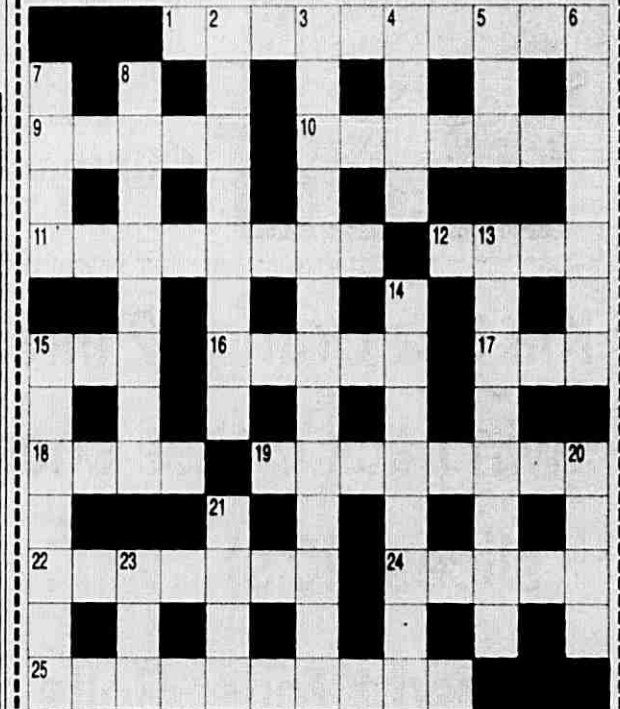
For the filling and the topping place all the ingredients except the walnuts and blend and chill until needed.

When the cakes are cooked, skewer and spoon over the syrup.

When cool, turn out on to a plate, fill and cover with topping, arrange the walnut halves on top and chill until ready to serve.

## Leader Crossword

SOLUTIONS ON PAGE 2



## ACROSS

- 1 Manlike, often with reference to apes (10)
- 9 When parallel lines meet (5)
- 10 Become aggressive, or spend extravagantly (4,3)
- 11 Rat poison used in the treatment of thrombosis (8)
- 12 Carry On —, 1965 film (4)
- 15 A lowland plain on the moon (3)
- 16 The 24th and last letter of the Greek alphabet (5)
- 17 A louse egg (3)
- 18 Creatures in a formicary and, sometimes, pants (4)
- 19 Television comedienne Miss Saunders (8)
- 22 Of studies, for general broadening of the mind (7)
- 24 Hotelier Mr Fawcay (5)
- 25 Anagram of PARIS MATCH (10)

## DOWN

- 2 A character who recounts the events of a novel (8)
- 3 Author who was born in France, but became a British subject in 1902 (7,6)
- 4 Name of three English rivers (4)
- 5 Food product marketed in cubes (3)
- 6 Michigan city nicknamed Motown (7)
- 7 A mass of flickering white spots on a television or radar screen (4)
- 8 Of the weather, dull and gloomy (8)
- 13 Freshwater creature that can breathe air (8)
- 14 A hemp plant, or a drug obtained from it (8)
- 15 Any of a family of edible bivalve molluscs (7)
- 20 A continuous sound made on a drum (4)
- 21 A weight formerly used by apothecaries, or a small drink of spirits (4)
- 23 Animal sound heard on a farm (3)

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# Launch Of Féile Na nDéise Festival

It's hard to believe that this year's staging of the Féile Na nDéise over the May Bank Holiday Weekend will be the fifth such annual festival to be held in Dungarvan and surrounding areas.

Indeed the Féile has developed and evolved immensely from its humble beginnings in 1993 due to the imagination and commitment of its organising committee and the critical sponsorship of Guinness Ireland Group - a cheque which has quadrupled in value since the inaugural festival.

This year's festival promises to build on the previous successes of the last four events and will embrace many more cultural ideas including street theatre. As with former years, huge crowds are again expected to attend the festival generating an early financial spin-off in what is recognised as the off-peak tourism season.

### PRESS LAUNCH

Details of this year's event were announced last week at a press reception in Lawlors Hotel. A glance at the main programme of events over the four day festival confirms that the '99 Féile is poised to be the biggest and most ambitious to date. Ten months of preparation by the 15 member committee have produced a feast of fun and entertainment for all the family.

Below are a cross section of compliments from visitors attending our festival over the past four years.

"It's the most Irish of Irish festivals."

"You have created a wonderful festival, which had flair, good humour, achieved your goal and left them wanting more."

"All events we attended

were of a very high standard and pleasing to watch, we had a ball, where else would you get it."

The fifth annual Guinness Féile Na nDéise goes ahead as is traditional on the May Bank Holiday Weekend and is poised to be the most ambitious to date.

Detailed and meticulous planning has again gone into the preparation of this year's festival with a major emphasis on quality family entertainment. The programme represents the cream of Irish entertainers with top billing going to Ronan Tynan, the winner of RTE/BBC talent show "Go For It" (1994) and Dervish, traditional group of the year, The Butterfly Band, traditional rock band and the Abbey Céilí Band. As the festival evolves over the years from pub traditional music

sessions to concerts, céilís, set dancing competitions, story telling, sean nos, dancing, open air concerts etc. The committee, always conscious of new ideas to future appeal to a wider audience, have again come up with a dramatic piece of street theatre for this year's event, recreating an eviction scene in the Town Square. This eviction actually took place in the Dungarvan area in the late 1700's. A dramatic and vivid recreation in full period costumes, this should prove to be one of the highlights of the weekend and one not to be missed.

The aims of the festival are to promote Irish music, song and dance and in doing so bring together eighty local musicians, singers and dancers to play and sing and dance with one hundred and fifty entertainers from the

four corners of Ireland thus creating a carnival atmosphere on the streets of Dungarvan for the duration of the weekend.

A festival the size of the Féile Na nDéise is a major undertaking and a guaranteed commitment from many people. Before the curtain comes down on Monday, May 3 upwards of 400 people will have had input into its production, the co-operation of so many different groups participating in the events is further highlighting the goodwill evident towards Féile Na nDéise and its ideals.

So follow the music to Dungarvan on the May Bank Holiday Weekend 1999. We will guarantee you an experience you'll never forget.

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Pictured at the launch of the Feile Na nDeise Golf Classic in the Gold Coast were (l. to r.) James Veale, Captain Gold Coast G.C., Raymond Spratt, Secretary, West Waterford G.C. Margaret Hogan, Lady Captain Gold Coast G.C., Billy Harty, President Gold Coast G.C., John Foley, Chairman, Feile Na nDeise, Pat Murphy, G.U.I., Kieran Foley, Tara Crystal, Phil Donnelly, Lady Captain Dungarvan G.C. and Patsy Horsom, Captain Dungarvan G.C. (Rory Wyley)

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**FROM WEEKEND APRIL 9**

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

Someone's situation is an accident waiting to happen but if your advice goes ignored, all you can do is wait to pick up the pieces. Be slow to say "I told you so," despite the strong temptation. Consider a financial opportunity carefully this week and remember, money isn't everything. Make personal happiness your priority. You have relegated it for too long. Isn't it time for a full astrological update? **Telephone 1550-151-308.**

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★ **ARIES** **MARCH 21 to APRIL 20** **Your words carry a lot**

of weight and someone is waiting to hear what you have to say. At this stage however, perhaps it is time to stop advising and let others stand on their own two feet. A tale teller may be doing their best to stick to their story but that doesn't make it true. Read between the lines and make your own assessment. Count cash very carefully this week. **For more astrological news and views, telephone 1550-151-301.**

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

Quick to respond to a cry for help, be sure that someone doesn't play on your sympathy. Help others to help themselves but then stand back. This week, you uncover a secret and finally can see the full picture. Now that you are in the know, you can make judgements objectively and wisely. An old friend is back on the scene, but whether you enjoy a reunion or a reconnection is down to you. **For details, telephone 1550-151-309.**

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★ **TAURUS** **APRIL 21 to MAY 21**

A bolt from the blue springs a surprise on what misleadingly seems to be a quiet week. Go with the flow, be spontaneous. Changes and challenges are likely to benefit you. Continue to be an individualist and you will maximise your impact. Your symbol may be the bull but at the moment but you are far from being a herd animal. Do your own thing. Interested in knowing more? **Then telephone 1550-151-302 for details.**

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★ **CAPRICORN** **DEC 22 to JAN 20**

Tensions and trifles cannot affect you. You have developed a more laid back attitude and are unresponsive to peer pressures. Good for you. You deserve some time off for good behaviour. At last it is becoming second nature to know your own nature. You are more assured and less likely to tow the line. Others will have to adapt to the new you. **Telephone 1550-151-310 for more on love and luck, work and money.**

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★ **GEMINI** **MAY 22 to JUNE 21**

You need and deserve a lot more than the bare necessities. Start saving now and you will soon afford that little luxury. Someone you know is disillusioned and depressed. You can provide a light at the end of the tunnel simply by being there. An interesting work project comes your way but may get in the way of current commitments. It is difficult to balance your time. **Take time to telephone 1550-151-303 for an in-depth update.**

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★ **AQUARIUS** **JAN 21 to FEB 19**

An undercover operation may be a fascinating pastime but just be sure that you don't get caught. Temptations see you spell-bound and unable to make up your mind. Stop skipping breakfast. Try to maintain a balanced health diet. You have a tendency to push yourself to your limit and without adequate fuel. Don't buy into a sensational scandal. It isn't true. **For more about the celestial score, telephone 1550-151-311.**

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★ **CANCER** **JUNE 22 to JULY 23**

Something someone says leaves you in a spin. Conducting yourself as if nothing has happened and adopting a head in the sand philosophy won't change things. This week, confront issues. Take a try-anything-once attitude during a week full of possibilities. When you are provided with exclusive information, it is up to you to decide if you should keep it to yourself. **For further astrological information telephone 1550-151-304.**

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

This week, you get the opportunity to leave your mark. Be proud of your achievements and don't apologise for passing others out. You can't help it if you are the best! It is also time to stop picking over the bones of a situation where there is little hope for resurrection. Accept that something is dead and gone and move on. Concentrate on future plans and projects. **For more astrological projections, telephone 1550-151-312.**

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★ **LEO** **JULY 24 to AUGUST 23**

The ball may be in your court but you are not ready to get involved in a game. Make moves in your own time and don't allow others to provoke you into hasty action. Someone has such a high opinion of you, it may be difficult to live up to their expectations. Meet your own standards but be sure not to sell yourself short. This week, expect a high return on a small investment. **Telephone 1550-151-305 for a detailed assessment.**

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★ **VIRGO** **AUGUST 24 to SEPT. 23**

Your depth and mystery is fascinating to someone who wants to capture your heart. Be romantic and responsive. It is time to reveal inner feelings rather than continue playing it safe. This week, you recognise abilities that you never knew you had. You have a surprise or two in store, not only for the world, but for yourself. Hold the front page. You are about to rewrite your life story. **Telephone 1550-151-306 for a deeper analysis.**

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

You have assessed someone's strengths and weaknesses and feel you have a fairly good measure of how they think and what they are likely to do. Look out though, you are about to be surprised. This week, avoid attempting to conquer and tame a lion. Pamper and persuade and you are far more likely to find yourself stroking a pussy cat. Be clear and specific when giving directions. **Telephone 1550-151-307 for further details.**

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**How to create a perfect lawn**

**GRASS to most people is the easiest plant to grow – but the perfect Wimbledon stripe takes a lot of hard work and loving care.**

Despite many gallant attempts, most people never achieve a pristine condition lawn. Like so many things, the more effort you put into a lawn the more you get out. Here are a few simple steps to follow set by the lawn experts:

- Choose a general fertiliser such as Growmore to use all year round – apply in early April, June and late September.
- Treat lawns with weedkiller in May and June.
- Never try to level an uneven lawn with a heavy roller, and never use a roller when the lawn is wet or very dry.
- Follow a calendar of tasks to do throughout the year. In spring, rake out bits of old and dead grass, moss and debris, and lightly roll. In autumn, give a high potassium feed. Spike compacted areas and rake out debris from the summer.
- Mow the lawn to a height of three-quarters of an inch, regularly from April through to November.

Traditionally, the best grass to buy is Cumberland sea-washed turf – but it does take quite a lot of looking after.

For a hard wearing turf in a family or pet-owning household, buy a turf local to the area.

Laying lawns and turfing are usually best carried out in the autumn on a site well prepared the previous spring.

As for achieving that striped effect – it's actually not that difficult once you have done all the hard work that goes into getting the grass into condition. The elegant stripe is caused by the grass being pushed in opposite directions by the roller at the back of the mower as you mow up and down the lawn.

The best effects are produced by cylinder mowers. After the mower, the most important factor is a good eye. A striped lawn is only smart if the lines aren't wiggly.



*A Cut Above The Rest: Good lawns need lots of grooming*

**LAYING A LAWN: your step by step guide**

Whether surfing or laying the proportions (usually 30-lawn from seed, steps 1, 2 and 3 are the same. 45g/m2).

1. Level the area you wish to become your lawn by adding more soil in the hollows and smoothing out the mounds. A lawn should have a slight fall of 1:60 to help drainage and avoid pools of surface water.

2. Rake over the ground to a fine tilth, removing stones and adding a general fertiliser if necessary. Do not let the area dry out.

3. Firm the soil by pressing down on it with the heel and toe of your foot.

**SOWING:** Mark out the area for sowing into metre square sections. Sow the seed to the correct

area well watered, using a sprinkler attachment. Roll the lawn with a light roller six weeks after sowing when the grass is about 3cm high.

**TURFING:** When turfing, work standing on a board towards the unturfed area. Bond the turf like brickwork. Peg the turf on a slope to stop it slipping. Fill in any gaps by sprinkling sandy soil between the pieces of turf.

Gently firm the turf. Trim the edges of the lawn with a spade or half moon turfing iron, making a slanting cut. For the best results, roll the lawn with a light roller after turfing.



# Seamus Ó Domhnaill Ratified By Fianna Fail Headquarters



Following his selection as a party candidate for the forthcoming local elections in June, Fianna Fail headquarters refused to ratify the candidature of Mr. Seamus Ó Domhnaill. However, the Fianna Fáil Cumainn in the area rallied around Mr. Ó Domhnaill and brought pressure to bear on the powers that be in Dublin. Because of the representations made, party headquarters relented and ratified his selection.

Mr. Ó Domhnaill is very pleased with this and he is extremely grateful to all who assisted him.

Mr. Ó Domhnaill is also pleased to announce that following representations he made to Waterford County Council that the refuse collection has been extended to take in the Ballycreen areas of An Rinn agus an Sean Phobal. This will extend the service to approximate-

ly 25 extra houses.

Also, he has been informed by the County Council that the following roads will be improved in the near future: Ballinamona Lower, An Sean Phobal, Gortnadiha and Mweelnahorna. Flooding of roads at Mweelnahorna in aice le Coláiste na Rinna will also be attended to.

The road at Faha, as well as the road from Burn's Cross leading to Carriegen, will also be attended to.

Following the completion of the sewage works at an An Seanchill, An Rinn, this road will be improved within the next few weeks.

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## Kilrossanty Notes

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

First Holy Communion will be on May 8 in Kilrossanty and May 29 in Fews.

### S.V.P.

S.V.P. meeting on this Friday, April 9 in Fews at 7.30 p.m.

### A.R.G.

A.R.G. meeting in St. Brigid's Hall on Wednesday, April 7 at 8 p.m. All over 55's are welcome.

### CLEAN UP

Thanks to all who helped with the clean up of the Comeraghs on Monday last.

### I.C.A.

Kilrossanty Guild meeting of the I.C.A. will take place next Monday night in Kilrossanty Hall at 8 p.m.

### COMMEMORATION

A large crowd attended the Annual Commemoration in Kilrossanty last Sunday in honour of the men who died in the 1920's. The parade took place from the school to the church and was led by Youghal Pipe Band. The Proclamation was read by Mary Byrne, grandniece of Pat and Tom

Keating. An oration was given by Eamonn Nolan. Wreaths were laid at the plot by John Street and Patrick and Thomas Keating, grandnephews of Tom and Pat Keating. Rosary was recited by Fr. Michael Frawley P.P.

The results of the draw were as follows -

1st prize (£30) - Bríd Ní Réagáin, An Rinn; 2nd prize (£20) - J. Quann; 3rd prize (£10) - F. Slattery, Old Parish.

Thanks to all who helped to make it a success.

### SCHOOL RESULTS

Easter Egg - Paul Fitzgerald, Ballygunner; Brandy - The Murphy family, Mill Field; Whiskey - Margaret Power, c/o Glass Factory. Thanks to all our sponsors and to all who made it a success.

### HALL DRAW

Hall Draw will take place this Friday night in Micilin's.

### CARDS

Winners - Joan and Billy Barry, Runners-Up - Harry Quinn and Robbie Whelan.

### KILROSSANTY G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

**Junior Hurling** - Kilrossanty play Lismore in the first round of the Junior Hurling League this Saturday at 7 p.m.

**Senior Football** - The senior footballers suffered their third defeat on Saturday night last when they were beaten by St. Saviours. A big improvement is needed for the next few games. The final score was 2-8 to 2-6.

Team: A. Kirwan, K. Lonergan, C. Dee, J. Kirwan, S. Veale, P. Hayes, T. Kirwan (0-1), K. Whelan (0-1), B. Lennon, D. Kirwan, B. Kirwan (0-1), C. Keating, M. Kiely (1-1), N. O'Connor (0-2), T. Kiely (0-1).

Their next game is against Stradbally in two weeks time.

**Under-21 Football** - The under-21 footballers bowed out of the championship last Monday when they were defeated well by Stradbally on the score of 4-9 to 0-6. This was a poor display from our under-21's.

Team: J. P. Hallahan, P. Lennon, P. Hayes, P. Coffey, V. Walsh, S. Veale (0-1), P. Kirwan, D. Kirwan, J. Hayes, P. J. Houlihan, T. Kirwan (0-2), C. Keating, K. Casey, T. Kiely (0-3), A. Kiely. Subs: K. Houlihan for K. Casey, K. Kirwan for

P. J. Houlihan, C. O'Brien for P. Coffey.

**Under-16 Football** - The under-16 football semi-final takes place this Sunday in the Dungarvan pitch at 12 noon against Kilgobinet.

**Under-13 Hurling** - The under-13's were beaten by Midleton in the first game of the Under-13 Hurling Tournament last Wednesday evening. Our next game is away to Lismore.

Team: Michael Walsh, C. Dunne, S. Prendergast, P. Flynn, D. Curran, T. O'Brien, S. Ryan, J. Veale, M. Kirwan, D. Power, D. Prendergast, D. Cunningham, W. Power, M. O'Donnell, T. Keating. Subs: J. Collender, D. Walsh.

**Clotto** - The Clotto has escaped for another two weeks. It now goes to £2,700 on Sunday, April 18. The numbers drawn were 1, 7, 15, 24. The winners of £20 each were Marian Hickey, Kilrossanty; Ann O'Shea, Ballyduff Lower. Sellers prize: Ger Walsh, Grawn. Easter Eggs were won by Paddy Ryan, Colligan; Mickey Veale, Carrigmorna; Jim Fahey, Leamybrien; Tony Murphy, c/o Glass Factory; Monica O'Sullivan, Kilmovee; Sean Lennon, Leamybrien; Bridgid Whyte, Cutteen and Roger Power, Lisfennell Close, Dungarvan. Thanks to our sponsors.



## Irish Council Of People With Disabilities

The I.C.P.D. Waterford Network was established two years ago to work for change on behalf of People with all types of Disabilities, Parents, Carers and Advocates. We are a Government representative lobbying body set up to implement the recommendations in the report "A Strategy for Equality" for people with disabilities, i.e. Physical, Sensory, Learning, Intellectual and Emotional.

We are a group of People with Disabilities working together to speak with one voice, to effect permanent change in Irish society in the following areas:

- Equality not Concession-Charity
- Integration not Segregation
- Inclusion not Exclusion
- In accessing Health, Education and Employment.
- Disability is a social issue not medical

We are working together to effect change in Waterford City and County.

We invite submissions or letters from people with Disabilities, i.e. service user, Parents, Carers, Advocates and local Voluntary and Community groups.

For us to represent you and to be a representative body in our community both City and County we need to hear from you so that we know the aspirations and concerns of People with Disabilities.

Letters and Submissions to:  
Tom Power, Chairperson, 2 Ballinroad, Dungarvan, Co. Moira Nugent, 14 Rousseau Grove, Norwood, Waterford City.  
Michael Fitzgerald, 1 O'Connell Place, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

## Henry Denny Premium Pudding

Last week in association with Henry Denny & Sons Premium Pudding we offered readers the chance to win one of 3 attractive glass salad bowls with wooden utensils.

The 3 winners are Mary Hannon, Knocknabrone, Ballyduff Upper; Biddy Morrissey, Kilminion, Stradbally and Marion Cregan, 30 Silversprings, Dungarvan. Prizes will be sent out in the post.



## Waterford Federation ICA Update

The Shilelagh Bar, Ballybeg, Waterford was the venue for the Spring federation meeting of Waterford federation ICA on March 22. Ballybeg guild ladies were the very hospitable hostesses and their president, Nancy Kelly welcomed the delegates to the meeting which was chaired by Bernie Hobbs, federation president.

Waterford federation ICA hosted the recent National ICA Council meeting held in Jurys Hotel, Waterford on March 24 and Bernie thanked her committee and all who had worked to ensure the smooth running of this national event. She paid tribute to the hotel for their part in the success of the meeting. She also thanked the ladies from Country Markets in Waterford and in Dungarvan who made available a selection of their produce and handicrafts for the attending delegates. A craft display showing the best of the work of Waterford ICA members gave her a great sense of pride in the standard of work by ICA craft workers in Waterford.

Bernie also gave the delegates news of some events planned for the year to come. It is hoped to mark the UN designated Interna-

tional Year of Older Persons with a celebratory event. Also planned are information nights on womens health and on rural development. Kilrossanty guild have organised a series of open nights which are open to all, whether ICA members or not. Kathy Murphy gave details of these nights which will be held in St. Brigid's Hall, Kilrossanty. On Monday, March 29 Nuala Colfer spoke on the holistic approach to living and dealt with methods of personal development and relaxation. Well known chef Sandra Doran from the Park Hotel, Dungarvan will give a cookery demonstration on Monday, April 26. Interior decoration will be the subject discussed by Sarah Molloy on Thursday, May 6. Each session starts at 8 p.m. and a fee of £2 will be charged. Tea will be served. Further details may be obtained by contacting guild secretary, Christine Houihian at (051) 291451.

Maureen Earley, Sports Officer reported that she has plenty of activities organised for ICA members. Sessions in aqua-aerobics are available in the Gold Coast Leisure Centre every Thursday morning at 10.30. She will organise walks on a

regular basis. The Slí na Sláinte routes were followed in Dungarvan on Saturday, March 27 and in Waterford on Saturday, April 3. Each walk started at 11 a.m. The Waterford starting point was the Granville Hotel. Maureen also announced that the final of the National Pitch & Putt competition will be held in Tullamore on May 29. A date for the federation final will be sent to guilds soon. Another upcoming event, the Ladies Mini Marathon will take place in Dublin on June 13. Maureen has arranged a bus to Dublin and the few remaining seats on that bus can be secured by ringing Maureen at (058) 68314. It's time to start training, ladies!

A reminder of the competitions for produce on Federation Day in May was given by Ann McEneaney, federation produce promoter. These will include competitions for bread, scones, cakes and marmalade. Testing for brannrai will also take place on that day. Anyone needing any help in preparing for a brannrai can contact Ann at (051) 381315. In her report, Moya Uí Dhómhnaill, Crafts Promoter complimented Kilkenny federation on the success of the beautiful ICA/South African display held in Kilkenny Castle on the weekend of February 5 - 7. Crafts from Waterford ICA members in the display were bobbin lace by Moya herself, patchwork by Nancy Twomey, Tramore guild and tatting by Brid Dunne, Mínaun guild. The last craft day held in Dungarvan had been very enjoyable. The next craft day will be held in the Community School, Kilmactomas on a date yet to be decided. Moya reminded all craft workers in the federation of the craft work nights in the Teachers Centre, Waterford on the first and fourth Tuesdays of each month. Waterford Week will take place at An Grianan from May 10 - 14 and according to Noline Power, organiser of the week, there are a few remaining places. The courses being pursued are cookery, oil painting and sketching, calligraphy, good grooming and macrame. A bus has been booked for those travelling and anyone intending to avail of this bus should contact Noline at (051) 381606.

Charlotte McNamara was the lucky recipient of a scholarship to An Grianan to attend the Calor Kosangas sponsored cookery course from February 1 - 5. She thoroughly enjoyed her stay in that aptly named 'sunny place'. Teresa Greaney, Contests Secretary had good news for some when she announced

the winners of the Ready-brek sponsored writing competition for national school pupils at federation level. They are as follows -

1st and 2nd Classes: Marie Halpin; 3rd and 4th Classes: Conor James Whittle; 5th and 6th Classes: Sarah Jane Hodgers, grandchildren of Josephine Halpin, Ballymacarbry guild; Maily Whittle, Gaultier guild and Terry Nolan, Kilcohan guild respectively. Teresa congratulated Mínaun guild who won the federation final on March 24. She wished them well in the final. Representing the federation in the National Final of the Eleanora Gibbon competition in Roscrea on April 17 will be Tramore guild. The Tramore ladies have organised a bus to Roscrea and would be delighted to have supporters travel with them. Entries for the McVities bake-a-biscuit competition were due in before April 2 while entries for the Jacob's creative writing competition should be sent before April 30.

Nancy Twomey, Tramore guild proposed the vote of thanks to Ballybeg guild for helping to make an enjoyable and profitable evening for all. The next federation meeting, which will be the A.G.M., will be held in Ballymacarbry on May 31.

## Clonea-Power Macra Na Feirme Notes

Six members from Clonea were on the Waterford Macra float in the Dungarvan St. Patrick's Day Parade. The theme of the float was "Irish Fashion through the Ages" and Clonea were dressed up as Vikings with proper helmets, swords and shields. Congratulations to all who took part on winning Best Club Float of the parade.

The regional round of the Dublin City Talent Competition took place in Ovens, Co. Cork on Sunday, March 21. Clonea Macra took part in two sections of the competition. Our novelty act came second and well done to Caroline Healy and Josephine Murphy for presenting the World Music Awards and Christina Fitzpatrick and Paul Quigley for their rendition of the Peter Sellers and Sophia Lauren song "Goodness Gracious Me". Well done also to our disco dancers who put on a fine performance. The eight dancers did a lot of hard work but had to make do with third place behind very good opposition.



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### DAIRYING: Fertility Plan

The following is a suggested fertility plan for a farmer starting to bull cows on May 10 -

- On April 15 (25 days before start of bulling) tail paint all cows calved 14 days with red or pink paint.
- Collect your friend (fertility notebook) from the house and record the dates of all heats in the notebook during the next 3 weeks.
- Touch up paint every week but more often in wet weather.
- As well as tail painting, observe the cows at least 3 times daily. 1st: 30 minutes before leaving the field for mornings milking, 2nd: 3 - 4 hours after the mornings milking and 3rd: at 9 - 10 p.m. in the evening when up to 30-40% of herd can be bulling.
- When the paint has been removed (indicates she has been bulling with other signs) she can be left with no paint or a change of colour should be used. This could be used to confirm that the heat was true.
- Any cow carrying red paint on May 9 (the day before start of breeding) should be presented to the vet for examination because she has not been bulling.
- The vets' treatment should bring her bulling within 2 weeks. This means she will be bulling during the first 3 weeks of the breeding season. Otherwise it would be 2 - 3 weeks later still.

### Is It Worth This Effort?

Yes because 10% of the cows will be calving 4 - 5 weeks later next year if this procedure is not followed. That is worth 20 gallons (£19) per cow in the whole herd and also prevents the calving getting so late that they are culled.

Therefore April 15 (pick your own) is the most important day in April on your farm.

### CATTLE

Suckler cows are at high risk from grass Tetany on lush Spring grass. Cold wet weather conditions or ground which received a heavy dressing of potash (K) fertiliser in Spring can all increase the incidence of Tetany. Ensure cows are getting Mg daily either through the water, in meals, or high Mg licks. Even cows that have calved and are still indoors should receive adequate magnesium daily. Although unusual, several cases of Tetany have been reported in cows that are housed.

### AREA AID

All farmers should have received their area aid forms by now. For livestock farmers who have no change in the area farmed from 1998, completing the form is very straightforward.

The net area declared is an extremely important item. This is the area on which stocking rates are calculated for premium purposes. The gross and net forage areas of each land parcel declared in 1998 are pre-printed on your application form. Check that all of your land parcels are included and that the net area of each one is correct. Get the total net forage area by adding the area of each land parcel in column 5. Write the total net forage area on the front of the page and sign it at the bottom. Keep a photocopy. Place the form in the pre-addressed envelope and post it to arrive not later than Friday, April 23. Be sure to obtain a Certificate of Posting from your post office.

## Dungarvan Macra na Feirme Notes

On Saturday March 13th, the club was involved in the County Indoor Soccer semi-finals, which were played out in the Dungarvan Sports Centre. Dungarvan were drawn against Cappoquin, who were intent on avenging their defeat by Dungarvan last year. Unfortunately, Cappoquin did get their revenge by knocking us out of the competition. However, they failed to take the title, as they lost to Stradbally in the final.

The club was back in action the next night in the national Question Time. After 6 rounds of questions, Kinsalebeg emerged the winners, with Dungarvan and Cappoquin coming joint second.

St. Patrick's Day saw an entry from Dungarvan Macra taking part in the parade. The theme of this years float was "New Opportunities for Women". However, the message may not have got across due to the activities of a certain marauding nun!

### NOW BACK TO UPCOMING EVENTS

A night out for all club members and prospective members has been arranged for April 10th. Transport has been arranged for the night and anyone interested in tagging along can contact Pádraig on 42214. While I'm on about new members, I'd like to welcome Ruth, Tom and Eddie to the club and I hope that they will have many enjoyable and perhaps memorable moments with the club.

The club is organising a First Aid course for the near future. No date has been set yet, but members who are interested can contact Pádraig on 42214 or Declan on 41879.

A ballroom dancing course is being organised between several clubs. So, anyone who would like to learn how to put Ginger Rodgers or Fred Astaire to shame can contact the same numbers.

Finally, Mar and Nora were recently in Edinburgh. They claim they were over to see the Ireland - Scotland game, however rumour has it that the girls were after a different type of game! Rumour also has it that following a disturbance at a certain pub in Edinburgh, kilts are not to be worn, for safety reasons, when two certain ladies are in town. Who these ladies are has yet to be discovered.

## Stradbally Macra na Feirme Notes

### SOCCER COMPETITION

Well done to our gents soccer team who were successful in winning the County Soccer Final against Cappoquin. The team members were Eamonn Clancy, Garvan Cummins, Lar George and Tomas Walsh and most important of all our goal keeper Paddy Riordan.

Unfortunately our ladies team of Aine Cummins,

Mary Riordan, Monika Leander and Margaret and Nuala Hearne were not as successful on the night. They were defeated 1-0 by Ballysaggart who now go on to play Clonea Power in the Final.

### CLUB QUESTIONTIME

Two teams represented the club in this competition which was held recently in Kilmac. Well done to Kinsalebeg who were declared winners on the night.





# FARMING LEADER

## IFA Launches 1999/2000 Milk Quota Planner

IFA President, Tom Parlon recently launched the 1999/2000 IFA Milk Quota Planner sponsored by AIB Bank on Cyril Dowling's farm in Baldonnel, Co. Dublin.

Mr. Parlon said "The IFA Milk Quota Planner is a very useful and practical tool which will help producers avoid 'running out' of quota at the end of the quota year. Also for the second year it will advise them on how to build butterfat adjustments into production planning."

Waterford IFA Dairy Committee Chairman, Michael Murphy said it was as yet unclear whether Irish dairy farmers would face a superlevy bill this year. The milk quota situation has been far more difficult to read this year with big production increases in the last ten days and most of the large co-ops reporting well over quota.

Michael Murphy also reminded producers involved in purchasing or leasing milk quota and land, or in renewing leases, that leased/bought in quota with a low butterfat reference has a lesser value to the producer.

"When you lease or purchase milk quota and land or renew a lease, the butterfat reference of that quota remains with it and can bring down your own reference if it is lower than that," Pádraig Walshe warned. "Ultimately this can mean that having paid good money for leasing or purchasing quota and land, you may lose the benefit of a substantial portion of it," he added.

### FARM ASSIST

"The new Farm Assist Scheme will put low income farm families on a par with low income families in other sectors. The Farm Assist will be more accessible than the previous.

Smallholders Assistance Scheme (known as 'farmers dole') and IFA estimates that between 15,000 and 20,000 farmers will be eligible for the new Scheme which is now open for applications," stated IFA President, Tom Parlon at the launch of the new scheme by the Minister for Social Community and Family Affairs, Dermot Ahern in Dublin.

Mr. Parlon said the negative image associated with previous social welfare supports had been removed. He said the most significant changes in the new Farm Assist Scheme are that farmers will no longer have to 'sign on' to secure payments and the means test to determine eligibility will apply in a fairer way. Important features of the means test include income disregards of 20%, child disregards of £100/200 per child and previously agreed REPS disregards of over £2,000 together with more realistic assessment of depreciation.

Mr. Parlon said the new Scheme inherently recognises the economic contribution of low income farm enterprises in the same way as the Family Income Supplement (FIS) recognises low income wage earners.

The IFA President said that IFA has established a special Farm Assist Unit to help farmers making their applications and assessing their income for Farm Assist. As an indication of the interest in the new scheme, IFA has held a series of meetings in February/March around the country at which nearly 2,000 farmers have attended. Following these meetings individual clinics have

been held with 700 farmers and IFA estimates that 90% of these farmers will be eligible for Farm Assist.

### HEADAGE FUNDING IN DISADVANTAGED AREAS

Speaking recently, IFA President, Tom Parlon again acknowledged the Government's success in securing £400m for the Disadvantaged Areas Headage Scheme at the EU Heads of Government meeting in Berlin last week. He called on the Government to provide sufficient national financing to maintain headage to 100,000 farmers from the year 2000 onwards. He went on to outline the next phase of the IFA campaign which was to secure matching national finance for headage payments over the next seven years.

Mr. Parlon, speaking at a major IFA meeting in the Castlecourt Hotel, Westport, Co. Mayo, said that the Government must provide sufficient national financing to make the £400m from the EU as headage represents a significant part of the incomes of farmers in sheep and suckler cow enterprises. "Farmers in Disadvantaged Areas must be protected as they are

most vulnerable to changes arising from the recent Agenda 2000 deal."

The IFA President pointed out that in the last round of EU structural funds, headage qualified for a 65% EU refund rate. Due to the decision of the EU to regionalise the country for structural fund purposes, there is likely to be a differential EU refund rate applying to most farm schemes. However in the case of headage IFA will be insisting that the national financing be at least 50%. There is precedent for this level of financing in other member states, for example, in France and Germany the national Government financing ranges between 50% and 75% and in Belgium and Austria the national Government pay 75%.

IFA estimates that at a 50% EU refund rate and taking into account inflation over the next six years, the annual allocation for headage should increase to an average of £119.5m per annum. This is a £5m increase over the current allocation for headage. IFA will also be insisting that the same rate of headage applies between the different disadvantaged area categories in Objective 1 and Objective 1 in transition areas.

## ICMSA South East News

### MEETING WITH GLANBIA

Members from the ICMSA South East region met with Glanbia recently. The ICMSA delegation consisted of Tommy Cooke, Mary Kenny, P. J. Malone, James Hennessy (Kilkenny), John Skehan, Milo Murray (Waterford), Michael Kehoe (Wexford), Tim Fitzgerald, Brian Oxley, Danny Cass (Laois), John Hempenstall, John Burke (Wicklow) and John Quigley, Area Officer with ICMSA in the South East region.

The Glanbia team included John Dwyer, Tom Corcoran, Michael O'Reilly, Michael O'Neill, Billy Murphy and John Fitzgerald.

The main issues raised included milk price, restructuring and temporary leasing, milk collection, dairy hygiene, trading - competitiveness and beef.

Overall Mr. Tommy Cooke, who led the ICMSA delegation, said it was a very constructive meeting and both sides discussed very important issues including the future of the dairy sector.

ICMSA put forward a number of proposals on the payment of leasing and restructuring to be phased over three months (June, July and August) thus giving farmers a chance to clear other feeding and fertiliser bills from their April and May milk cheques.

### NATIONAL SCHEME OF INSTALLATION AID GUIDELINES

A sum of £10m in funding has been provided for this Scheme. This will allow for the acceptance of some 1,750 valid applications which will be dealt with in order of receipt. The Department reserves the right to suspend the Scheme on receipt of this number of valid applications.

Applicants should read the scheme document and guidelines carefully before completing the application form. Applicants are advised to consult their Agricultural Adviser/Agricultural Consultant in preparing their application.

Decisions on eligibility of applicants will be made in accordance with the conditions of the Scheme and these guidelines.

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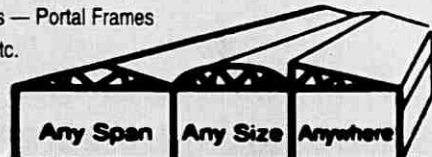
West Waterford Advisory Committee special presentation to John Byrne on the occasion of his recent AWG promotion, made at a function attended by colleagues and friends in the Park Hotel. Left to right: Noreen and John Byrne, Declan Dower (Chairman) and Michael Sullivan (Vice-Chairman) West Waterford Advisory Committee. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



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# Healing Child Sexual Abuse

Research proves that even mild childhood abuse can produce severe and long-standing psychological change. Post-traumatic stress never had much credence until veterans of the Vietnam conflict forced medical experts to stop blaming the victim and recognise that no matter how well adjusted a person is, if they are subjected to enough stress, they can suffer psychological damage. Prior to Vietnam, veterans who were emotionally disturbed because of their horrific war experiences were labelled weak, cowardly and lacking moral fibre.

It is interesting to note that even the father of psychology, Sigmund Freud made the mistake of disbelieving female patients who claimed sexual abuse by fathers and family friends. He suggested these abuse victims were lying and prone to fantasy. However we have come a long way in our thinking since Freud (he died in 1939). It is my opinion that when a child is sexually abused by the very person he or she relies on for protection, the victim suffers irreparable life-long trauma. An additional dimension also emerges. There is a desperate need in the child to re-establish a loving relationship with their abuser.

Child sexual abuse is so pervasive that it affects the victim's sense of self, their sexuality, their relationships, their parenting. When children are sexually abused they are robbed of their innocence and are introduced to sex by a predator. This violation causes confusion, erodes trust and introduces shame, disgust and guilt into the innocence of the child. This shame that the child suffers triggers a need to numb out when the child feels any feelings such as pleasure, joy, anger.

Many victims cope with the trauma by trying to forget it ever happened. Some use a defence system called 'splitting' which is a mechanism that allows victims to deal with their inner conflict by compartmentalising the negative parts of themselves and their abuse. It allows the victim in an incestuous family to see the predator as good but with great cost to the victim. Seeing herself as 'bad' makes sense of the abuse.

Victims frequently develop a total false self - they are so hungry for love that they create illusions of love and connectedness while underneath their facade there is rage.

During the trauma of sexual abuse victims must numb themselves to the heinous abuse as a way of surviving. Often they will minimise their experience. In doing this they consider the abuse as not all that terrible. Another mechanism victims use is making up excuses for the perpetrator's behaviour such as alcohol intoxication. Others still deny the extent of the abuse and its ill-effects.

Many victims are so splintered with feelings of good and evil - they feel so dirty on the inside but on the outside project the image of a good childhood. These abused victims often suffer horrendous nightmares, feel very threatened in the dark or in a room with strangers. They may become overachievers but deep down they are deeply depressed, frequently contemplating suicide. Many more because of contaminating shame



Oliver J. Killeen

feelings develop obsessive-compulsive disorders. There is a great need in these victims to retain control and often in a bizarre way create chaos in their lives so as to avoid confronting feelings.

Some victims become television addicts as a means of escaping their trauma. Others unfortunately self-mutilate. They inflict physical pain on themselves so that they can escape their great emotional pain. As they cut themselves, they imagine the bleeding draining away their psychological torment. This ritual of

self-mutilation becomes addictive as the physical pain releases the victim from deeply ingrained feelings of powerlessness. Victims feel that although they are in their physical bodies, they have no control over their feelings as they oscillate between reality and fantasy. Many describe this as feeling of looking down at their bodies as if they are suspended in mid-air.

## RELIVING OF TRAUMA

Healing can only occur through the reliving of earlier trauma. This needs to be done in a safe and confidential environment where all the emotions - anger, fear, guilt, shame - that are buried deep inside can be poured out. Once you have dealt with the past, you must go forward and learn how to rebuild your self esteem. As you move forward you may occasionally encounter persons, places or things that remind you of the terror you experienced in the past. These stimuli trigger panic or you may experience panic if you try to re-bury these painful memories. I suggest to people not to react - panic is what you feel when your emotions are out of control and the antidote is relaxation so go ahead, take a deep breath and relax. If you know some affirmations say them. Affirmations are positive statements and they are always said in the present tense - 'I am safe', 'They can't hurt me anymore', 'I am in total control'.

Victims of child sexual abuse often have memory blocks but recollections do come back in fragments. As this happens remember your abuser can't hurt you anymore. They are just memories and however painful they are in the past.

Part of recovery is grieving and child sexual abuse victims need to grieve. They were hurt, not protected, and they were robbed of their childhood. They also need to grieve the fact that for them the world was not safe. This process needs to take place to allow feelings to be released.

As you move away from the pain, the emotional rollercoaster becomes more stable. As victims learn to balance their lives afresh they can begin to enjoy the present and see themselves as more whole. They see and accept themselves as people with strengths and weaknesses and they realise they have the power to change. They can finally look at themselves and say, "I love and value myself".

I have produced an audio-tape with guided relaxations and positive self-talk to help you relax and develop a more positive attitude. It can be obtained by sending a cheque or P.O. for £6.99 to me at 14 Wayburn Close, Earls Court, Waterford.

Oliver J. Killeen Ph D Clinical Psychologist

## A FIRST FOR FRANK . . . !

Picture shows Frank Murphy boarding the Waterford to Dublin train on Sunday, March 14. It was Frank's first time ever on a train.



# McDonnell May Run For Dáil Seat

John Bruton, leader of Fine Gael, during his visit to Waterford last weekend, hinted at a strong team to run for the party in the next general election. Speculation in Waterford city and county mounted as to who he had in mind. As Deputy Deasy will retire at the dissolution of the present Dáil, Fine Gael will be looking for a big vote catcher in the county.

The Chairman of Lismore District Executive, Mr. Moss Geary, has been contacted from the Fine Gael National Executive Headquarters in Dublin, asking if Willie McDonnell would allow his name go forward as a candidate for the next general election. The West Waterford Co. Councillor received the highest number of first preference votes of his Fine Gael colleagues at the Council Election last time

out. Willie McDonnell, who is a farmer and businessman and coming from an excellent political background, would be seen as a front runner for Fine Gael.

However, when contacted by this paper as to his intentions, he said his first commitment was to the people of West Waterford. He was putting all his efforts and energy into getting re-elected to Waterford Co. Council. He would need to give serious consideration to the matter of contesting a Dáil seat.



## Grange Fianna Fáil Cumann

### CRONIN RATIFIED FOR LOCAL ELECTIONS

The Grange Cumann were delighted to hear the good news on Wednesday, March 31 that their candidate, Mr. Thomas Cronin of Lisarow, Ardmore had been ratified by the National Executive of Fianna Fáil to contest the upcoming Local Elections on June 11.

Given the opportunity we are confident that Tommy will serve the needs of the people of West Waterford, in particular to his local neighbourhood Grange and Ardmore. It is far too long since this part of the county has had public representation. A special meeting of the Grange Cumann will be held at Kiely's Cross on Thursday, April 8 at 8.30 p.m. All members are requested to attend.

## Martin Cullen Appointed Director Of Elections In Munster For Euro Election '99

An Taoiseach, Bertie Ahern, TD has appointed Minister Martin Cullen TD to the position of Fianna Fáil Director of Elections in the Euro Constituency of Munster for the European Parliamentary Elections which will take place on June 11, 1999.

The Fianna Fáil National Executive, which met in Leinster House on Tuesday, March 30, have also ratified the decision. Speaking after the National Executive meeting, Waterford member Cllr. Pat Leahy said he warmly welcomed the decision to appoint Minister Cullen to the post of Director of Elections and added that he believed that it was a singular honour for the Fianna Fáil organisation in Waterford.

Minister Cullen said that he was delighted that the Taoiseach had appointed him to this position.





**CAUSEWAY TENNIS CLUB** — Back l to r; Conor Lannen, Dungarvan Nissan presenting sponsorship for the Nissan Fun-night to Peter Finnegan - President Causeway Tennis Club. Also included in photo is John Flood and David Dickenson, Dungarvan Nissan. —(Photo; Pat Crowley).

## Brands Ahead at Shaws for Spring/Summer

The Spring/Summer 1999 collection from Shaws, Dungarvan, is full of inspiration from all parts of the globe. Comfort and simplicity are the key words in qualities with wool, cotton and flax creating clean, sophisticated suits and separates. Styles are simple, yet fashionably elegant with long, flowing lines. This global inspiration is mirrored in prints which are simple yet modern, featuring small feminine flowers

or border print with ethnic motifs and sari borders.

The new collection has something for everyone, with a host of separates and co-ordinates for everyday wear, comfy casuals for leisure time, smart outfits for work and simple elegance for the evening. Colours in this collection reflect the city, nature and the orient with light grey, vanilla, black and white. Soft natural colours feature with maize, sand, light blue

and tobacco, whilst the oriental influence brings us lively golds, pinks, turquoise and rubys.

### CASUAL WEAR

The casual look is light and sporty with loose layering of fabrics which follow bodylines for movement and comfort. Create this season's look with combats and polo neck jerseys or sporty hooded tops in cashmere or cotton, with colours coming in maize, grey and tobacco. Brands stocked at Shaws

Department Stores include Brandtlex, Choice, Steilmann, Danwear and jeanswear brands such as Levis, Pepe and Wrangler Jeans.

### MEN'S WEAR

This year, the range of menswear at Shaws Dungarvan concentrates on comfort, performance, colour and styling. Detailed casual jackets play a definite role when worn with crisp shirts and loose, chino style trousers. Leading brand labels include Van Heusen, Heavy Construction, Peter England, Rael Brook, Magee and Moorcroft.

### LADIESWEAR

Shaws ladieswear collection this season combines style and comfort with clean lines and sharp tailoring. Fabrics include Lycra/Elastan, wool, cotton and flax. Suits are smartly tailored, dresses are full length with hats being the backbone of many collections. Classic skirts, tight, body-hugging dresses and hemlines on the knees. Leading brands at Shaws are Michael H, Lisa Lovelle, B. Young, Steilmann, Offshoot and many more.

### CHILDREN'S WEAR

There's a style to suit every age from tots to teens with Shaws wide selection of kids wear. The Spring/Summer collection sees bright primary colours with vivid yellows for girls and sharp navys for boys in easy care fabrics. Favourite labels include City Kids, Alphabet, Paco and Peppermint Rock.

## Abbeyside Scout Notes

Last Wednesday the scout meeting took place instead of the usual Saturday night due to the fact that this meeting was to be held in the Glen. The reason for this was this meeting was to be based around the Palmer Trophy for outdoor cooking.

On leaving the Den on Wednesday morning, leader John Paul was quietly confident that the bad weather which was forecast would not arrive until evening at the latest and by that stage everyone would be safely on their way home. However on arrival in Cappoquin the weather decided not to play by the rules and the heavens opened up and continued to come down in buckets for most of the morning. John Paul decided like all good scouts to fall back on Plan B which was

to return to the Den and carry on with the competition from there. The Unit Leader was called upon to call to the Glen earlier than expected and then it was like the flight of the Albanian refugees out of Kosovo.

On arrival in the Den everyone went about setting up their gear for cooking the meals which consisted of delights such as sweet and sour pork, homemade toffee apples and chicken stir-fry all prepared to the highest standards and served piping hot to the examiners Brendan Meehan, John Foley, Thomas Kiely and Unit Leader, Brian.

At 3.30 p.m. the results were announced and there was a tie for second place between the Wolf Patrol under the leadership of Seanie Kiely and the Eagle Patrol of Simon Hanrahan.

In first place with a score of 70 marks out of a possible 100 was the Tiger Patrol with Thomas Cashin leading his patrol to victory with a meal any top chef in the country would have been proud to serve up.

### ANNUAL CAMP '99

Last week the scout troop was informed that this year's camp will be held in Fota Island on the last week in July and the first week in August. This announcement immediately prompted a scout who shall remain anonymous (Kelvin - oops sorry!) to ask if Fota really needed another twenty monkeys?! Having now acquired a site, the leaders will be putting their heads together to come up with a budget for camp and as soon as this is sorted everyone will be informed as to the cost of camp.



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### Notice Publishing Time and Place of Audit Lismore Town Commissioners

Notice is hereby given that the audit of the accounts of the above named public body for the financial year ended on the 31st day of December 1998, will be opened in the Waterford County Council Area Office, Lismore by MR. JAMES MORAN, Local Government Auditor, on THURSDAY 22nd DAY OF APRIL 1999 at the hour of 12.00 noon, when and where objections to any matter contained in the said several accounts will be heard.

The Accounts will be open during office hours to the inspection of all persons interested for seven days before the audit.

Dated the 6th day of April 1999.

Signed: E. Flynn,  
Acting Town Clerk.

## Waterford Well Represented As It Prepares To Host National Youth Parliament

County Waterford will be well represented at Ireland's seventh National Youth Parliament. This year's event takes place between April 9 and 11 in Newtown School, Waterford City. The Parliament is organised by the National Youth Council of Ireland and is sponsored by Bus Éireann. Among the 200 participants taking part are -

Emma Flynn, East Main Street, Lismore; Micheál Furlong, St. John's Park, Waterford City; Derek Uiffe, Killohan Park, Waterford City; Linsey Abreu-Molloy, Kilmeaden, Co. Waterford; Serena Dool, Orchardstown; Tracey O'Rourke, Cappoquin.

The theme for the 1999 National Youth Parliament is "Young People and Social Exclusion." Issues around this topic will be discussed and debated. Among the guest speakers will be John Lonergan, Governor of Mountjoy Prison.



# TALLOW NOTES

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

Please God by the time these notes will appear we should be at home from Peterborough after what we hope will have been a very successful trip. On our notes next week we should have a full report on our trip.

### KICKIN MAGAZINE

This month's Kickin Magazine will feature our club and this is something we are really looking forward to very much. The Kickin Soccer Magazine first came on the scene in May of last year. It has now gone from strength to strength and it covers local soccer here in Ireland as well as all the latest news regarding our Irish players abroad. Every month it picks out a club on which to do an article on. We here in Tallow are pleased that this month they have chosen us. The magazine should be out either this weekend or early next week.

### CUP FINAL IN TALLOW

On Sunday next the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup Final between Ardmore and Cappoquin takes place in Tallow. A big crowd is expected for this game which has a kick off time of 3.00 pm. Admission to this game is just £1.

### BIRTHDAY WISHES

Birthday wishes to Leonard Fraser (Junior) who as 40 something years old on Monday last. I am sure he celebrated it well in Peterborough.

### CONGRATULATIONS

To Jim and Peggy Carrig who celebrated 40 years of married life with family and friends in the Walter Raleigh Hotel, Youghal last Wednesday night.

## TALLOW GAA NOTES

### LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 3-8-24. There was no jackpot winner. Consolations prize winners; Frankie Ryan, Colin Cunningham, Liam Roche and M. J. Jones. Promoter; Elizabeth Henley.

### MISSION ACCOMPLISHED

Despite some turbulence on the approach Jersey European's 'Friendly Fokker 27' landed safely at Cork Airport at 12.26 on Easter Monday with all 36 members of the Tallow GAA tour group on board. Our historic incursion in to the Northern territories was a spectacular success and not without its dramatic and comical incidents on and off the field. There will be a full account next week. Suffice to say for now it was a pleasure to travel with those lads and Tallow can be proud of its senior hurling squad.

## CANDIDATE PROFILE

Our reporter this week catches up and interviews Tallow's local Co. Councillor Willie McDonnell who has already started his canvassing campaign in Ballyduff and Glencairn. We asked him what was his initial reaction to the campaign and what were the local issues. Addressing the local issues in Glencairn, it is the late arrival of post in

the area, at present it can be as late as 4.30 pm. Cllr. McDonnell has taken up the issue with 'An Post' and will be publicly raising the matter at the next council meeting. He will be asking that extra staff be employed at Tallow Post Office to deal with the huge increase of post in the area. Another issue in Glencairn is the request for public lighting, and road signs to slow down traffic at both Glencairn Cross and Ballygally.

In Ballyduff the big issue is the maintenance of roads in the Parish, while the residents of Marian Terrace are demanding a modern tarmac road entrance, and the planting of new shrubs and trees to improve the area, they need this to bring their terrace to equal other housing estates in the County.

Our reporter contacted some people in Ballyduff and the general reaction was that there is an imbalance of selected candidates for the Council election, and why was there three candidates selected in the Tallow area and none in Ballyduff.

On speaking to one lady she said that Willie McDonnell had canvassed her support and her neighbours last week. She said that Willie left her with no illusion but that he will be her local representative if elected.

"Willie is a good listener, with an excellent track record, but we in Ballyduff should be given the opportunity of having a Ballyduff person on the ballot paper".

It is the view of many that the selection of candidates for this election is grossly unbalanced.

## Ballyduff Notes

### HAPPY EVENT

Congratulations to John and Catherine Kenny, Kilmurray, Kilworth on the birth of a baby boy.

### 45 DRIVE

Results of last Wednesday night's 45 Drive in St. Michael's Hall are as follows — 1st divided between Ml. Curran, Willie Quinn, Mary Hyland and Manus Curran. 2nd divided between Pat Kirby, Pat McCarthy, Sean Higgins and Eddie Byrne. Best of last five; kit Scanlon and Liam Leamy. Lucky Tables; Dave Feeney and Pat Moore. Mary Casey and Mary Kenny. Raffle winners were Pat Kirby, Joe Lineen, Eileen Lane, Larry Byrne and Willie Quinn.

### SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to Ml. Nugent, Cooladoody, Ballyduff on the death of his brother Bertie, Fitzgerald Place, Clondulane and to Mrs. Mary Casey, Tour, Ballyduff on the death of her brother William O' Leary, Castlebla, Ballyhooly, both of whom were called to their eternal reward at the weekend.

### BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

**Meeting** — A meeting of Ballyduff Community Council will be held at 9.00 pm on next Monday night in the hall, all members are requested to attend.

**Sympathy** — We would like to express our deepest sympathy to the family and

friends of the late Bertie Nugent, Clondulane. May his soul rest in peace.

**Drama** — Congratulations to the local drama group who I believe have qualified for the All-Ireland Finals in May. The Macra na Feirme All-Ireland Final are taking place in Ballyduff on April 24th and 25th.

## BALLYDUFF GAA NOTES

The Senior hurlers will play Tallow in the League at the latter venue on this Friday evening at 6.45 pm. Players to be present at 6.30 pm.

**Divisional League Fixtures** — Football, 17th April v Modeligo (home). 16th May v Ballinameela (away). 28th May v Ballinacourty (home). 12th June v Old Parish away. 3rd July v Nire away. 27th Aug. v Stradbally (home). 31st Aug. v Kilgobnet (away).

**Hurling**, 24th April v Dungarvan (away). 9th May v Cappoquin (home). 22nd May v Fourmilewater (home). 9th June v Tallow (home). 26th June v Modeligo (away).

**County Senior Hurling League Fixtures** — 9th April v Tallow (away). 20th April v Passage (home). 4th May v Ballygunner (away). 18th May v Portlaoighaire (home). 1st June v Roanmore (home).

**Senior Hurling Championship** — The Senior Hurling Championship v

Lismore will now be played in Cappoquin on Sunday May 2nd at 7.15 pm.

**Lotto** — The numbers drawn in last Tuesday nights lotto draw were 7-21-24. There was no winner of the £300 jackpot. The £25 prize winners were Phyl Hannon, Hillcrest, Ballyduff and Joe Clarke, Fermoy. Next week's lotto draw on Tuesday night in Tobin's Bar at 9.30 pm.

**Tickets** — Tickets for the new Deise Development Draw will be on sale from club members this weekend with the first draw due to take place in late May. Tickets are £5 monthly or £60 for the full year.

**Committee Meeting** — A well attended Club committee meeting took place in the hall on Monday night. A reminder that Adult Club Membership fees of £10 are payable to Pat Flynn or Patrick Molumphy.

**David Walsh Festival** — The dates for the David Walsh Festival of U-10 hurling are May 22nd and 29th.

**Sympathy** — The club extends sympathy to the Casey and Nugent families on their recent bereavements.

**Tournaments** — The U-12 hurlers will play in a four team tournament in Clonmel on May 1st while the U-11 hurlers will take part in the Annual Ber Ryan Memorial Trophy tournament in Lismore on May 8th.

## Lismore Pub Honoured



Madden's Bar, Lismore was one of ten pubs honoured in the 1998/99 Club Orange/Licensing World Magazine Pub Lunch Awards. Now in their third year, the awards were established to recognise the high levels of quality being achieved in pub lunch cuisine.

Photograph shows from left proprietors John Madden and Owen Madden with Julie Landers and Des Drumm, Managing Director of C&C Wholesale and Frank Grennan, Managing Director, Licensing World.

The presentation took place in The Berkeley Court, Ballsbridge, Dublin on Monday, March 22.



# Cappoquin Restaurant Included In Bridgestone 100 Best Series

Richmond House, Cappoquin is among the restaurants and places to stay in the Bridgestone 100 Best Restaurants and 100 Best Places to Stay in Ireland 1999. The 1999 editions of John and Sally McKenna's 'Bridgestone 100 Best' Guides, introduce a unique new Irish system of classification. Meet the Bridgestone Icons, the Bridgestone Classics and the Bridgestone New Wave.

The 1999 editions of John and Sally McKenna's Bridgestone '100 Best Guides' the authoritative guides to the finest Irish restaurants and places to stay have been launched. The

new titles are - The Bridgestone 100 Best Restaurants in Ireland 1999. The Bridgestone 100 Best Places to Stay in Ireland 1999

The books are written by John McKenna, edited by Sally McKenna and published by Estragon Press at £6.99 each.

"The old system of stars and detours seems to be unable to reflect both the contribution made by many people over the years who have helped shape Ireland's food culture and also to be less than accurate in describing the work of those people currently working at the cutting edge of Irish cookery and hospitality," explains

John McKenna.

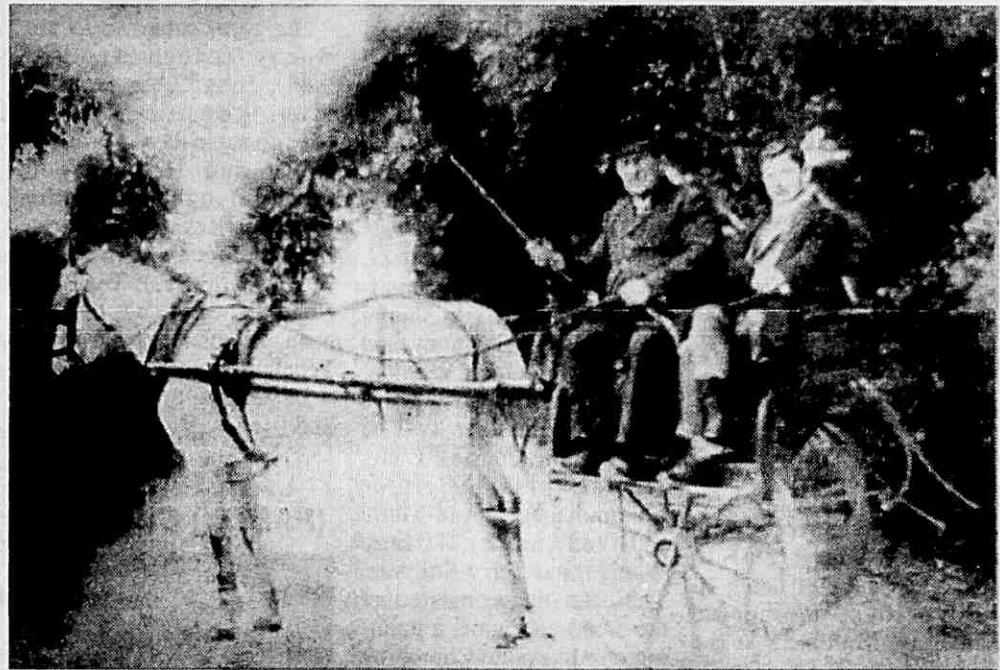
The new Bridgestone classification are - The Bridgestone Icons: those restaurants and places to stay who offer the most exciting cooking and finest hospitality.

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# Times Past



We go back in time this week and our photo shows Mr. Richard Mason who was a well-known driver at Walsh's Hotel, Cappoquin in the early years of this century. He used to meet people at Cappoquin Railway Station and ferried them to Mount Melleray. Some of them were reputedly going there for the "cure". Richard was the uncle of Mrs. Kathleen O'Donoghue, Cappoquin and the granduncle of Nora Flynn, Chairperson of Waterford County Council.

## Dungarvan Chamber of Commerce

# Competition



In what street is MARY LEE FASHIONS shop situated?

Name 2 Brand names sold in this business?

**£20 for the 1st correct entry drawn**

Entries should be returned to the Tourism Office, The Square, Dungarvan no later than Wednesday, 14th April, and winners will be published in the following edition

Answers .....

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Winner of last competition:  
Mrs. Teresa Cunningham. Bridge View, West End, Tallow

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# KI MASSAGE

In October 1997, Dolly Lomasney from Araglen received her Diploma in Ki Massage and the 18 months since have proved nothing short of spectacular.

In January 1998, Dolly teamed up with respected Fermoy Ki Massage therapist, Carmel Greehy and launched a joint Ki Massage Clinic in Fermoy's Carrigcourt Health & Fitness Club and quite literally haven't looked back since.

So What Is The Secret Of Ki Massage ?

"There's no secret really," Dolly declared, "we're just rediscovering a natural treatment that was known to the Japanese thousands of years ago."

Ki, the Japanese word for life force or energy, offers a unique type of reinvigorating massage. Unlike other massage techniques, Ki encompasses a person's whole spiritual, mental, physical and social condition. It helps dissolve the root cause of problems and quite literally gives a person a high energy level while helping them to 'flow' with life.

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3. Positive effects on colic hyperactivity, diabetes, migraine and asthma.
4. It lowers anxiety in depressed adolescents and adults.

5. Helps premature babies to gain weight faster.

6. People in deep comas showed improved heart rates when their hands are held and stroked.

"The transformation in some people we have treated has been absolutely unbelievable," Dolly declared.

In fact Dolly is living proof of the very power of Ki Massage. An intensive Ki Massage Course with Carmel Greehy transformed Dolly from a person suffering from back problems, so severe she could hardly walk, into a healthy and ambitious businesswoman.

"I've never had a problem with my back since but my whole life is different now," she declared. "Once I struggled to get up and move in the morning. I wake now with an absolute zest for life."

Dolly's dedication to Ki Massage came from the very beginning. She was forced to brave winter ice to catch the early morning train from Cork to Dublin every fortnight for over a year just to qualify for her Diploma and now she's continued that commitment by gearing her business to individual needs.

Ki sessions are offered in hour treatments and handicapped or disabled people can uniquely avail of treatments in the comfort of her Araglen home. And while some people experience immediate relief, Dolly strictly recommends the traditional treatment that requires between six and eight sessions.

"People have stress and

problems that date back over months and years," she explained. "One session can work wonders but a full treatment really shows people what can be achieved."

Dolly expresses her gratitude to all the people who helped her and supported her and a very special thanks goes to Carmel. Dolly can be contacted at (058) 50573 or (088) 2189500.

## Kenneally Announces Progress On Abbeyside School

Deputy Brendan Kenneally has been informed by Michael Martin T.D. Minister for Education and Science that he is inviting the School Manager at Scoil Mhuire, Abbeyside for instruct his design team to prequalify contractors for the project.

"I am very pleased with this news which brings the actual tender stage a lot closer. I have visited the school in the past and they have been patiently waiting for a considerable amount of time to get this building programme off the ground. Some of the present accommodation is not up to the required standard and I will be endeavouring in the coming weeks to get to tender stage in the hope that building work can commence over the summer months", said Deputy Kenneally.



# RECENT DEATHS

## LATE KITTY LOWE



The family of Kitty Lowe, 4 Seapark Avenue, Abbeyside, Dungarvan record with sadness and gratitude to God, the peaceful death of their beloved mother on Thursday, March 25 at the tender age of 91 years at the District Hospital, Dungarvan. She was the last surviving member of an old and well respected family of eighteen, the Whelans of Sheare Street, Abbeyside and her passing finally closes the circle.

Kitty had lived for many years outside her native Abbeyside, first as a young woman in London and thereafter in Wales where she remained until 1994 when she returned with her daughter and son-in-law to settle permanently in the village. She delighted in walking and most days was to be found attending daily Mass at the chapel, as she called it, and spent her afternoons sitting at the beach whenever possible talking to old friends and making new ones, something she enjoyed enormously.

Very Rev. Fr. Richard Do-

herty P.P. led the cortege of mourners in the rosary and prayers at the Kiely Funeral Home on Friday evening before the funeral cortege left for St. Augustine's Church, Abbeyside. At the requiem Mass on Saturday at 10 a.m. Fr. Doherty P.P. was the celebrant and was ably assisted by Very Rev. Fr. William Dee. The Liturgy of the Word was shared by her daughter Bunny and sister-in-law Joan Whelan. The offertory gifts were brought to the altar by Tina Boyd-Smith (cousin), Cathy Whelan (niece), Bernice Condon (niece), Ann-Marie Sullivan (niece), Tiffany Whelan and Terry Sullivan. The offerings consisted of the bread and wine, a painting of Abbeyside Church by our cousin, Ann Allridge, a framed copy of Kitty's own poem of "Old Abbeyside", her well used walking stick and a photograph of the family pet dog Gunnar, all of which meant so much to her.

During the Mass the beautiful voice of Dina Walsh added a moving and uplifting tribute to the proceedings and for which we are most grateful. At the end of Mass one of Kitty's many poems entitled "An Appreciation For Our Priests" was read by Tiffany Whelan and this was followed by a complimentary verse aptly written by our cousin Austin Flynn for which we thank him sincerely and read by Ann-Marie Sullivan. Very Rev. Fr. Doherty imparted the final blessing as Kitty was laid to rest in the family plot with her parents, broth-

ers and sisters. Death is but a doorway, dear Mam.

The chief mourners were Bunny (daughter), Bill (son), John Gibbs (son-in-law), Beatrice Lowe (daughter-in-law), Frances Lowe and Helen Wood (grand-daughters), Cathy Whelan, Bernice Condon, Maura Cooney, Ann-Marie Sullivan (nieces), Tom and Sean Whelan (nephews), Joan, Bidy, Edna and Mary Whelan (sisters-in-law) and a large circle of relatives and friends.

## LATE PATRICK (PADDY) CUDDIHY



The locality mourned the passing on Tuesday, March 23 of one of nature's true gentlemen with the unexpected demise of Patrick (Paddy) Cuddihy, Ballinagoul Mór, Ring at Waterford Regional Hospital.

The youngest of a family born to John and Nancy Cuddihy (nee Drohan), Paddy was a week short of his 69th birthday. A hard-working individual, Paddy was employed by Waterford County Council all his life which saw him retire some years ago. An excellent conversationalist, he was the essence of good company. Visitors and friends were always extended a hearty céad míle fáilte when they graced his residence in Baile na nGall. He attended to his religious duties with deep devotion and lived alone since the passing of his sister Nellie in the early nineties. He listened to his beloved radio and enjoyed the company of his dog. A quiet, unassuming man he greatly valued the old traditions and the simple pleasures of life. Bhí grá aige freisin don ceol and rince. Dúradh liom gur raibh Paddy thar barr maidir leis an damhsa. Is minic a bhí sé le feiscint ar R.T.E. lena chairde agus iad ar an úrlár agus set na rince á súil acu. Bhí ardmheas aige freisin ar an nGaeltacht agus ar cultúir na tíre. In his homily at the requiem Mass Fr. Kiely made reference to Paddy's talents as a most admired and skilled set dancer.

We sympathise with his sister Alice Flynn, Caseyville, his sister-in-law Birdie Cuddihy, his brothers-in-law Tommy Lacey

and Mickey Flynn, his many nephews, nieces, relatives and friends on their loss.

On Thursday Fr. Daly P.E. visited the Kiely Funeral Home for prayers and rosary and was also present at Ring Church for the arrival of Paddy's remains. Fr. Kiely P.P., with Fr. Daly P.E., celebrated the Holy Sacrifice on Friday for Paddy's gentle soul. The Liturgy of the Word was shared by Séimín Ó Cionnfhaoilaidh (cara), Róisín (niece) and Susan (grandniece). Prayers of the faithful were read by Orla Power, Deirdre Flynn, Aoife O'Mahony and Hazel Flynn (grandnieces). Birdie (sister-in-law), Gearóid (nephew), Aine, Mary and Philomena (nieces) brought the offertory gifts to the altar. Carthach Mac Craith was the soloist and the numbers present at Paddy's funeral obsequies left no one in doubt regarding the esteem and popularity enjoyed by Paddy and the Cuddihy family. Pallbearing duties were carried out at the removal by the Flynns of Caseyville while close, valued friends Níoclás Ó Griobhán, Muiris Ó Toibín, Séamus Ó Manacháin, Séamus De Lása, Pascal Ó Floinn and Gearóid De Lása shouldered him to his final resting place.

Following prayers and blessing of the grave, Paddy Cuddihy was laid to rest in the soil of his native Rinn Ua gCuanach.

'I lfontaibh Dé go gcástar sinn le céile arís.'

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## LATE JOSEPHINE MAHER

Josephine Maher, 98, formerly of Yonkers died on Saturday, February 13 at St. Joseph's Manor in Trumbull, CT after a brief illness. She was the wife of the late Henry Maher.

Mrs. Maher was born in Dungarvan on February 1, 1901, a daughter of the late Patrick and Mary Fahey French. She emigrated to the United States in 1925 and was a long time Yonkers resident. Mrs. Maher was a former member of St. Joseph's Church in Yonkers.

An accomplished violinist and pianist, Mrs. Maher played accompaniments for silent films in Ireland during the early part of the century.

Survivors include one son, Bernard of Ridgefield, CT and one daughter, Patricia Graham of Barrington, IL5, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren to whom we extend deepest sympathy.

Mrs. Maher was predeceased by two children,

Josephine and Harry Maher. Burial took place in Mount Hope Cemetery, Hastings, NY.

## LATE BRIDIE TROY (NEE O'BRIEN)

With great sadness and regret we record the passing of Bridie Troy (nee O'Brien), Friars Walk, Abbeyside, Dungarvan which occurred on Thursday, March 25 at St. Joseph's Hospital after a short duration of illness.

A native of Clonea and aged 91 years, Bridie was predeceased by her husband Nicholas by twelve years. Of farming stock, Bridie was a quiet, unassuming person who was a wonderful neighbour and sincere friend. The simple things of life were greatly valued by her. A pleasant disposition endeared her to everybody who had the good fortune of her acquaintance. A most charitable individual, she practiced her religious beliefs with true Christian fervour. She was most accomplished and won wide acclaim for her needlework and loved to play her game of cards. We offer our sympathies to her sisters Eileen O'Brien-Gwin, Nan Cummins, her many nephews, nieces, relatives and friends on their loss.

On Friday, March 26 Very Rev. Fr. R. Doherty P.P. was present at the Kiely Funeral Home for prayers and rosary after which the funeral cortege left for St. Augustine's Church, Abbeyside. Very Rev. Fr. W. J. Dee P.E., assisted by Very Rev. Fr. N. O'Mahony P.P. and Rev. Fr. P. Cooney O.S.A. blessed and received the remains. Rev. Fr. M. Keogh C.C. was Mass celebrant on Saturday morning with co-celebrants Very Rev. Fr. R. Doherty P.P. and Very Rev. Fr. P. Ahearne P.P. The lessons were read by Nicola Walsh, Emer and Maeve Halley and Rita Maher. After the funeral Mass the funeral cortege left for St. Mary's Parish cemetery, Dungarvan where the interment followed. Fr. Keogh C.C. officiated at the graveside in the presence of a huge and representative concourse of mourners who had come to pay their respects and bade farewell to a much loved member of the local community.

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

## LATE MARGARET (BABS) WALSH

It is with sadness that we record the passing of Margaret (Babs) Walsh (nee Devine), 1 Mountain Villas, Dungarvan which occurred on Easter Sunday morning,

April 4 in the tender care of Matron and staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan.

Widow of Paddy, Babs is survived by her son Thomas, daughters Joan Clancy and Patricia Langan, son-in-law Pat, daughter-in-law Katie, grandchildren Brian, Neil, Blawnin, Rayleen and Rosemary Clancy; Shane, Ciara and Oisín Langan, sisters Hana Curran, Daisy Garrigan, Toddy Wall and Nellie Tobin, sister-in-law Mary Walsh.

Removal was from Dungarvan Hospital on Monday evening to St. Mary's Parish Church. Following funeral Mass on Tuesday at noon interment took place in the adjoining cemetery.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Babs' family, relatives and friends. Full obituary in next issue.

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

## LATE PATRICK HAYES

We write with deepest sympathy and regret on the passing of Patrick (Paddy) Hayes, Knockroe, Colligan which occurred in the very early hours of Sunday morning at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan.

Removal took place from the Hospital Mortuary on Sunday evening to St. Laurence's Church, Ballinroad. Following funeral Mass on Easter Monday, the interment followed in the adjoining cemetery. Full obituary in next issue.

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

## LATE CATHERINE KIELY

With profound feelings of sadness and regret we pen these lines on Catherine Kiely, Ballinacourty, Dungarvan whose passing was the source of deep sorrow throughout the locality.

Of advanced years, widow of Augustine Kiely, we extend our condolences to her sons, daughters and many relatives at this time. On Holy Thursday the remains took place from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Laurence's Church, Ballinroad. Funeral liturgy which consisted of prayers and readings were shared with a large concourse of mourners on Good Friday. The interment followed in the adjoining cemetery. Full obituary in next issue.

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# RECENT DEATHS

## LATE JOHN HANLEY



It is with feelings of sincere regret we record the passing of John Hanley, Kilgobinet, Dungarvan which sad event occurred unexpectedly on Thursday, March 18 at the home of his friend, Pat Kennedy.

John was a popular member of the local community, a member of the well known and respected Hanley family. He was employed by Waterford Co-Op for forty years as a lorry-driver and later as a forklift driver where he always gave of his best and was held in high esteem by both colleagues and management alike. He had a great interest in all sport and was on the panel of the Kilgobinet '62 hurling team. There was nothing he enjoyed more than a flutter on the horses. When you met John, a pleasant greeting was always forthcoming and he loved a chat, his pleasant disposition and outgoing personality endeared him to everybody. His passing is much regretted. May he rest in peace.

Following rosary recited by Fr. McNamara his remains were removed from Drohan's Funeral Home on Friday evening to Kilgobinet Church where his remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. McNamara assisted by Fr. Butler C.C., Fr. Cooney O.S.A. and Fr. Slator O.S.A. and followed by an immense cortege. Following requiem Mass on Saturday morning celebrated by Fr. McNamara C.C., assist-

ed by Fr. Kennedy P.P., Fr. Doherty P.P., Fr. Enright P.P., Fr. Crowley P.P., Fr. O'Farrell P.P., Fr. Kiely P.P., Fr. Kennedy C.C., Fr. Cooney O.S.A. and Fr. Slator O.S.A. interment took place in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. McNamara officiated at the graveside assisted by the full choir of clergy present. The coffin was draped in the Kilgobinet colours of green and white. Following the final prayers at the graveside Richie Halpin played 'Goodbye Johnny' on the accordion. Appropriate music was rendered by Kilgobinet choir. The lesson was read by Simon (brother) and Mary (sister).

The chief mourners were William, Simon and Michael (brothers), Alice and Mary (sisters), Marie (sister-in-law), nieces, relatives and friends.

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

## LATE PAT (FOGGY) WALSH



An air of gloom was cast over the town and county as news broke of the unexpected passing of Pat (Foggy) Walsh, 3 Kilrush Park, Dungarvan on Tuesday, March 23.

Pat, who was in his early fifties, was a past pupil of Presentation Convent and C.B.S. Dungarvan. He was an employee of Vincent Morrissey and later of Waterford Foods. He also did a lot of gravedigging with his late father and brother until ill health took its toll.

Pat was held in high esteem by all who knew him.

He was never one to shy away from his responsibilities. His priority was his wife and family whom he loved very much. Pat enjoyed all sports and played hurling with Dungarvan and Éire Óg. He was a member of the 1964 Dungarvan team that won the minor that year and also a member of the Éire Óg team that won the county title in 1968. He was a committee member of Dungarvan A.F.C. and was the envy of all clubs as a groundsman.

Following rosary recited by Fr. Kennedy C.C. removal was from Drohan's Funeral Parlour to St. Mary's Parish Church where his remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Kennedy C.C., assisted by Fr. Daly P.P. Old Parish and followed by an immense cortege of mourners. Following requiem Mass on Thursday morning celebrated by Fr. Kennedy C.C., assisted by Fr. O'Mahony P.P. interment took place in the adjoining cemetery again in the presence of a large and representative gathering. Fr. Kennedy C.C. officiated at the graveside assisted by the full choir of clergy present. The lesson was read by Pat's brothers Billy and John and the prayers of the faithful were recited by Deirdre (daughter), Jacqueline, Tracy, Sharon, Karen and Marie (nieces). The offertory gifts were brought to the altar by David, Jason and Jonathan (nephews), Siobhan, Jennifer and Maria (nieces), Angela (daughter), Bridget (sister-in-law) and Dinny (cousin). Beautiful music and hymns were rendered

by Kathleen Tobin, Old Parish. A tribute was given by Tony Wall. Guards of honour were provided by Éire Óg, Dungarvan United A.F.C., Dungarvan Pipe Band, St. Mary's Primary School and Ard Scoil Na nDéise.

The chief mourners were Marion (wife), John and Mark (sons), Valerie, Deirdre, Patricia, Angela and Nicola (daughters), Craig, Michelle and Aaron (grandchildren), Mike Barry (son-in-law), Shelley Walsh (daughter-in-law), Billy and John (brothers), Maura Power (sister), Nora and Marion Walsh (sisters-in-law), Tim Power (brother-in-law), uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews, godchildren and a large circle of relatives and friends.

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

## LATE NELLIE SKEHAN (NEE CULLINAN)

With sadness we record the passing of Nellie Skehan (nee Cullinan), Carrigadustra, Kilmeaden which sad event occurred on Sunday, April 4.

Removal was from Waterford Regional Hospital on Tuesday evening to Ballyduff Church. Following funeral Mass on Wednesday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery. To her heartbroken daughter Evelyn, mother Kitty, sisters, brothers and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy. Full obituary in next issue.

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

## St. Mary's Parish Notes DUNGARVAN

### NOVENA

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help begins on Monday night, April 26 in St. Mary's Church at 7.30 and will continue for the next eight Monday nights. There will not be any 9.30 Mass on the morning of the Novena.

### MARRIAGE JUBILEES

Were you lucky enough to marry your spouse in 1974, 1959 or 1949? You are invited to come to the 7.30 p.m. Mass on Saturday, May 29 in St. Mary's, Dungarvan to thank God and celebrate. After Mass there will be light refreshments and music. If you would like to join us contact the Parish Office any weekday. Tel.: (058) 42374 for full details.

### RADIO MASS

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL APPLICATION TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY FOR A WASTE LICENCE

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provision of the Waste Management Act, 1996 and Articles 5, 6 and 8 of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations, 1997 (S.I. 133 of 1997) that Waterford County Council, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford have applied to the Environmental Protection Agency, Johnstown Castle Estate, Co. Wexford for a Waste Licence for a landfill facility located in the townland of Ballynamuck Middle, near Dungarvan. An Environmental Impact Statement has been requested as part of the Waste Licence Application in accordance with Article 13(1) of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations, 1997 (S.I. No. 133 of 1997).

(National Grid Reference 224662.42E, 094573.81N)

The classes of waste disposal and recovery activities in accordance with the third and fourth schedules of the Waste Management Act, 1996 and European Communities (Amendment of Waste Management Act, 1996) Regulations, 1998 (S.I. No. 166 of 1998) area as follows:

THE PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY CARRIED OUT ON THE SITE IS CLASS 1 OF THE THIRD SCHEDULE:

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Third Schedule:-

- Class 1- Deposit on, in or under land (including landfill)
- Class 2- Land treatment, including biodegradation of liquid or sludge discards in soils.
- Class 4- Surface impoundment, including placement of liquid or sludge discards into pits, ponds or lagoons.
- Class 11- Blending or mixture prior to submission to any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this schedule.
- Class 12- Repackaging prior to submission to any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this Schedule.
- Class 13- Storage prior to submission to any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this schedule, other than temporary storage, pending collection, on the premises where the waste concerned is produced.

Fourth Schedule:-

- Class 2- Recycling or reclamation of organic substances which are not used as solvents (including composting and other biological transformation processes).
- Class 3- Recycling or reclamation of metals and metal compounds.
- Class 4- Recycling or reclamation of other inorganic materials.
- Class 8- Oil re-refining or other re-uses of oil.
- Class 11- Use of Waste obtained from any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this schedule.
- Class 13- Storage of waste intended for submission to any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this schedule, other than temporary storage, pending collection, on the premises where such waste is produced.

A copy of the application for a Waste Licence and such further information including the Environmental Impact Statement relating to the application as may be furnished to the Agency in the course of the Agency's consideration of the application, will, as soon as is practicable after receipt by the Agency, be available for inspection or purchase, at the headquarters of the Environmental Protection Agency, P.O. Box 3000, Johnstown Castle Estate, Wexford and also at the offices of Waterford County Council, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

Peter Carey, County Secretary.

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# Lismore Notes



## EASTER WEEKEND

Unfortunately last weekend (Easter) turned out to be a disaster weatherwise. Saturday was fine and sunny but the forecast proved correct with showers on Sunday morning and Monday. However there were still many visitors around especially UK visitors. We met some ?? couple on Saturday who were making their first ever visit to Ireland. A middle-aged couple, they always spent their holidays on the continent and when we spoke to them they were on their second day in Ireland. Having discussed the forecasted weather for the weekend, they told us all they wanted was some Irish 'craic', a few pints and a sing song at night. Weather or not, they were definitely coming back to Ireland again.

On the sporting front many travelled to Walsh Park to see Waterford demolish Laois in the National League and cheer on local players Dave Bennett, Dan Shanahan and James O'Connor. Hopefully the Easter weather will not

be a ?? for the rest of the summer.

### CELEBRATING EASTER

The Death And Resurrection Of Christ — Varied attitudes were manifested by the groups of people who stood by and witnessed the Crucifixion -

1. Apathy: Manifested by the Roman soldiers who sat at the foot of the cross gambling.

2. Antipathy: Manifested by the thieves and onlookers, scribes and elders who mocked Christ and contrasted his pitiful plight with his lofty claims.

3. Sympathy: Manifested by the women who had ministered to Jesus during his earthly life and who would soon minister to his body after his death.

4. Faith: Manifested by the repentant thief as well as by the Roman centurion.

All these groups represented attitudes which people today hold toward the Lord Jesus Christ. We write the above as we felt when we heard it last weekend as indeed very apt for Easter.

## T.V. PICTURES OF KOSOVO

We all have seen the pictures on our T.V. screens of refugees who are being hunted out of their country by Slobodon Milosevic. We see old women crying, children traumatised and not knowing what is happening. Old men exhausted after walking for days with no food. It is hard to believe that this is 1999 and not the forties of Hitler's era.

We heard a woman say she escaped through the roof of her house as Serb soldiers burned her house and all she could take with her was a litre of milk for her children. To see so many thousands of people homeless is very hard to comprehend and to think that it is happening before our very eyes. As we write our notes the refugee situation is becoming more horrendous.

There are many who criticise the N.A.T.O. bombing but we would say it is the only way to make Milosevic, the modern day Hitler, see sense. Hopefully a situation can be found soon to help ease the pain and hurt for the refugees.

## THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE UGLY

For all of us involved in sport we acknowledge the 'heat of the moment' has caused many problems be it playing or a mentor.

Two weeks ago Wexford football manager, J. J. Barrett struck referee M. Curley of Galway at the end of the Cavan v Wexford league game because he disagreed with the referee's decision in awarding a penalty to Cavan which cost Wexford the game and promotion.

To those of us who have whistled many games - regardless of the ?? - this is definitely the worst act. However Mr. Barrett apologised to the referee in the dressingroom and publicly also. He then resigned from his post.

Is it not a pity then that politicians and clergy alike would not take a lesson from Mr. Barrett and apologise for their wrongdoing, wrongdoing that is costing the State a fortune in tribunals thanks to politicians and the many clergy who are causing an upheaval in the Catholic Church since revelations of their behaviour have been revealed. The above was penned before a well known sportswriter wrote similarly on Sunday last.

## LISMORE DRAMATIC SOCIETY

Members are all basking in the compliments being paid to us for our production of "Joseph". It required enormous effort and we feel suitably rewarded by the acclamation our patrons have given us. One particular aspect of the production was the enormous increase of sponsorship for the show. This was in no small measure due to the efforts of our Chairman, Billy Devine. People started avoiding him lately as he was seeking so much sponsorship! Well done.

All who took part are reminded that we have a meeting outlining the financial results of the show on Friday night, April 9 at 8.30 in the club rooms. We will follow this with a video night in Maddens at 9.30. As there is a technical fault in the videos given out, please return them on Friday night for a replacement.

Apologies for naming the winner of the Waterford Glass lamp. It was John Kenefick, Deerpark. As his father Donal had so much to do with the success of the show, it will be a suitable memento in years to come.

### NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WIDOWS IN IRELAND West Waterford Branch

Our next meeting is on Wednesday next, April 14 at 3 p.m. in Lismore Hotel. A good attendance of all members would be appreciated and do bring along a friend as we have a guest speaker on Reflexology which should be a very interesting subject.

### LISMORE MOCHUDA ALPHA LOTTO

Results of draw held in Eamonn's Place, Main Street, Lismore on March 30. The jackpot was £1,200 and there was no winner. The letters drawn were J, K, L, O. The winners of £10 each were Jim Lineen, Main Street, Lismore; Philip Neville, c/o Maddens, Main Street, Lismore; Geraldine Bergin, 38 Hatesbury Lane, Dublin 4; Kay Ryan, Glasshouse, Curraglass.

### LISMORE Y2K MEETING

Members are asked to attend for the next Y2K meeting which is to be held in the Lismore Hotel on Tuesday, April 13 at 9 p.m.

## LISMORE SOCCER CLUB NOTES

Next Sunday will see the final of the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup between Cappoquin and Ardmore in Tallow with a 3 p.m. kick-off.

Many of us will remember the final of 1986 between the same clubs when they played the proverbial thriller in Lismore with the seaiders unable to contain the Mickey Curley led Cappoquin and our neighbours winning their first Cup Final. This broke the sequence of victories for Lismore who had won the previous four Cup Finals but came back again the following season (1987) to defeat Brideview 2-0 in Ballyduff. So Lismore won five of the first six Cup Final sand when one looks back at some of those players Dave Landers, P. Fitzgerald, Billy Landers, Donal Landers, Johnny Dunne, 'Spider' Barry, Tom Shanahan and one of the most skillful players ever to plan in the league Neil Twomey one can understand why Lismore were feared by many other teams in cup competitions.

Unfortunately as we wrote some weeks back, clubs no longer dread meeting us in the cup as clubs feel they have the beating of Lismore in either cup or league. As we wrote two weeks ago we will take a look back at the past season and analyse where we think our problems are and how to improve for next season.

Finally we wish John Heneghan the very best of luck next Saturday when the Red House League under-14 Irwin's Schoolboys League play the West Cork League in the Under-14 Kennedy Cup. This game will be played in Ard Rath Park, Youghal with a 2.30 p.m. kick-off and we wish John, who is on the panel, the very best of luck.

## LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

Results — Thurs./Fri., April 1/2. 18 Hole Stableford Competition. Hornibrooks for Toyota Qualifier. 1st: Patsy Heaphy (14) 39 pts., 2nd: Liam Power (Faithlegg G.C.) (11) 38 pts., Gross: Seamus Beecher (10) 28 pts.

Sat./Sun./Mon., April 3/4/5. 18 Hole Stableford Competition sponsored by Lismore Hotel. 1st: Paddy O'Leary (13) 40 pts. B9, 2nd: Dan Behagan (10) 40 pts., 3rd: Donal Shanahan (22) 39 pts. L6, Gross: Noel Foley (2) 35 pts.

Mon., April 5. Open 9 Hole Foursomes Competition. Winners: Pa Morrissey (12) and Mag Morrissey (30) 28.

Fixtures — Thurs., April 8. Open 18 Hole Stableford Competition. Hornibrooks for Toyota Qualifier.

Sat., April 10. Intermediate and Minor Scratch Cups. Handicap limit Intermediate (12-18) Minor (19+).

Tues., April 13 - Tuesday Bacon 6 p.m.

Sat., April 24 - Junior Scratch Cup. Handicap limit (5-11).

## LISMORE G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

New Arrival — Congratulations and best wishes to Mike and Onra O'Sullivan on the birth of their baby over the weekend.

Senior Hurling — Our senior hurlers recorded a ten point victory over Fourmilewater in the Senior Hurling League on Sunday evening last. Then on Monday they travelled to Ballincollig in Cork where they played Muskerry in a challenge game.

Junior Hurling — Our junior hurlers played Ballysaggart in a challenge game on Sunday morning last in Lismore.

Under-21 Medals — The presentation of these medals will be made in Maddens Bar on April 16 at 9.30 p.m. Also on the night we will be launching our new main sponsors Maddens Bar. Thanks to the Madden family for their kind sponsorship.

### C.L.G. NA NÓG LIOS MÓR

Primary School Hurling — The primary school team played a practice match against Doon C.B.S. on Wednesday last. The primary school's championship begins after Easter and this game was a useful workout.

Team - Nicholas O'Keeffe, Barry Murphy, Michael Coleman, Justin Dowd, Christy Murphy, Christopher O'Keeffe, Terence Walsh, Shane Byrne, Shane Bennett, Eamonn Nugent, Kevin Power, Brendan Bennett, John Fenton, Paudie Hale, Ken Cashel, Thomas Rose, John Nugent, Stephen O'Keeffe, Philip O'Keeffe, Brian Walsh.

Mini Sevens — The boys qualified for the western semi-final with victories over Tallow, Cappoquin, Ballyduff and Knockanore. The western semi-finals and final will be held in Lismore on Wednesday, April 14.

The girls have already won their Mini Sevens Championship with victories over Cappoquin, Touraneena, Scoll Garbháin and Ballyduff. This competition was held in Modeligo on Monday week last.

Boys Panel: Nicholas O'Keeffe, Michael Coleman, Christopher O'Keeffe, Shane Bennett, Brendan Bennett, Kevin Power, Eamonn Nugent, Kenneth Cashel, Justin Dowd, John Nugent, John Fenton, Christy Murphy, Terence Walsh, Kieran Fennessy.

Girls Panel: Roseanne Leddy, Deirdre Walsh, Laura Buckley, Nicola Morrissey, Shelly Keane, Lisa Fitzgerald, Tanya Morrissey, Edel Ormonde, Lorraine Hennessy, Janette Moloney, Kelly O'Sullivan, Joanne Leahy.

Trip To Bishopstown — We travelled to Cork on Sunday week last to play challenge games against Bishopstown at under-10, under-12 and under-14 levels. After three closely contested games we emerged victorious in two and drew one. Results as follows -

Under-10: Lismore 3-4 Bishopstown 1-2, Under-12: Lismore 2-5 Bishopstown 2-5, Under-14: Lismore 3-5 Bishopstown 3-3.

Under-10's: Dean Pratt, Ross Hannon, Keith Dowd, Shane Linehan, Jason O'Sullivan, Stephen O'Keeffe, Christopher Cashel, John Prendergast, Maurice Shanahan, Brian Bennett, Lar Byrne, Niall Ahearne, Shane Humphries, Philip Bennett, Ciarán Fitzgerald, Michael Fenton, William O'Keeffe, Robert O'Keeffe, Pádraig Prendergast.

Under-12's: Kieran Fennessy, Pádraig Fitzgerald, Brian Walsh, Daniel Leahy, Philip O'Keeffe, Michael Coleman, Stephen O'Keeffe, Nicholas O'Keeffe, Terence Walsh, Maurice Shanahan, Brendan Bennett, John Fenton, Christopher O'Gorman, Thomas Rose, John Nugent, Daniel Devine, Leonard Oakham, Leonard Nugent, Maurice Collins.

Under-14's: Nicholas O'Keeffe, Barry Murphy, James Shanahan, Michael Coleman, Christopher O'Keeffe, John O'Donnell, Shane Bennett, Michael Walsh, Shane Byrne, Kevin Power, Christy Murphy, Brendan Bennett, Ken Cashel, Matthew Prendergast, Eamonn Nugent, P. J. Brennan, Paudie Hale, Leonard Oakham.

Under-13 Hurling — Lismore 4-10 Dungarvan 2-6.

Our under-13's were away to Dungarvan in the first round of the Town and Country League on Monday evening last. This is a new competition with clubs from East Cork and West Waterford taking part. After a very good game of hurling Lismore emerged victorious.

Fixtures For Town & Country League — Under-11's. Lismore v Cappoquin at home on Friday, April 9.

Under-13's. Lismore v Kilrossanty at home on Monday, April 12.

Challenge Games — Under-14's. Lismore v Glen Rovers on Wednesday, April 7.

Tournaments — The annual Paddy Whelan under-14 hurling tournament will be held on Saturday, April 17. The teams participating will be Doon, Blackrock, Bishopstown and Lismore.

The Ber Ryan Memorial under-11 hurling tournament will be held in early May. Participating teams will include Tallow, Ballyduff, St. Olivers, Cappoquin, Brickeys, Roanmore, Bishopstown.



## Ballymacarbry News



**BALLYMACARBRY WINNER IN THE 4TH DUNGARVAN CREDIT UNION CAR DRAW** — At the presentation were (l. to r.) Richard Foley, Glenanore, Ballymacarbry (winner), Ann Jones, Promotions Committee, Dungarvan Credit Union, Tom Cooney, Salesman Sweep Garage and Noel Doherty, Dungarvan Credit Union. (Sean Byrne)

## Easter Commemoration At Kilrossanty

The Easter Commemoration to honour the brave men who died for Irish Freedom took place at Kilrossanty on Easter Sunday in the worst of conditions. The parade lined-up behind the Youghal Pipers Band and marched to Saint Bridget's Church where the rosary was to be recited but owing to some mix-up this did not take place to the annoyance of many present. The proclamation was read by Mrs. Mary Byrne-Keating, then the oration was delivered by Eamon Nolan who had to cut his speech owing to the inclement weather. Wreaths were laid on the Republican plot by eighty-three year old John Michael Street and by Pat and Thomas Keating. A bugler then sounded the Last Post and the Youghal Piper Band played the National Anthem. At the end of the ceremonies a decade of the rosary was recited by Rev. Fr. Michael Frawley (Cssp) P.P., Kilrossanty/Fews. Mr. Sean Murphy presided as M.C. and he thanked all present for travelling in such weather. Two bus loads travelled to the ceremonies from the Nire Valley and Ballymacarbry.

## QUIZ FOR CONNOLLY MEMORIAL SHIELD

The quiz which takes place annually at Ballymacarbry National School took place on Wednesday last for the Danny Connolly Memorial Shield. Some 23 teams took part and after a great competition the winners were Jamie Mulcahy, Kenneth Cronin, Michelle Lonergan and Alisha Barry; and the runners-up were Thomas McCarthy, Dearbhaile Byrne, Michelle McGrath and Will Condon.

The quiz master was Padraig Fanning N.T. and the Connolly Shield was presented by Francis Connolly, son of the donor.

Prizes for this competition were donated by Fourmilewater hurling club.

## BRAIN OF BALLYMAC

A large number of tables competed for the title "The Brain of Ballymac". It's a competition held annually by the Fourmilewater hurling club and it took place on Monday night, March 29 at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry. The quiz master was Michael Ryan of ladies football fame. After many questions and answers the team of Conor Ryan, Tony Condon and Jim Sheehan were winners on 74 points and joint 2nd were Brian Fahy, Aidan Ryan and Michael Byrne and Michael Desmond, Brendan O'Connor and Kathryn Heffernan with a score of 73 points.

## I.C.A. NEWS

The next meeting of Ballymacarbry Guild I.C.A. will take place at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry on Monday night, 12th April at 8 p.m. sharp. This will be followed by a talk on gardening by Pat Hartigan at 9 p.m. The Art Classes have resumed, five members attended a Federation Meeting in Ballybeg, Waterford recently. The competition for April is "Three Tulips".

## NIRE VALLEY GOLF OUTING

A large number of people took part in the Nire Valley Golf Outing which this year took place at Clonmel Golf Links which is situated at the foot of the Comeragh Mountains. After a wonderful days sport the winners were Patrick Joe Ryan and Aine Wall and runners-up were Billy Walsh and Brian Fahy.

## LOTTO NEWS

Fourmilewater Hurling Club lotto jackpot £200. Numbers drawn 2, 13, 17, no winner. As there were only two having two numbers they received £50 each John Lafford, St. Martin's Place and Kay Ware, Ballinagulkee. Easter winners of 5 x £10 were Ellen Kelly, Ballymacarbry, Gerry Crotty, Knockalisheen, Karen and Mary Walsh, Mary Walsh, Saint Martin's Place, Tom Dee, c/o Tony McCarthy, jackpot this week £300.

## RECENT DEATHS

### Late Mrs. Margaret O'Shea

Profound and sincere feelings of regret were widely expressed of the news of the death which occurred after a long illness borne with true Christian fortitude at Cork University Hospital Cork on Sunday, March 28 of Mrs. Margaret O'Shea (nee Walsh), South View, Clonmel.

Deceased in her mid fifties was a member of an old and respected County Waterford family. A kind and loving wife and mother her family were her pride and joy. She was a kind and estimable lady of many charming traits of character. Her gentle, good humoured and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition, commended her to all. She was a caring neighbour abounding in Christian charity and her passing at an early age has evoked feelings of sincere regret among her family, neighbours and her many many friends.

Many tributes have been paid to this fine lady but perhaps the finest was paid to her on Monday evening by the large concourse of mourners who were present when her remains were removed from the Mortuary Cork University Hospital to the Parish Church of St. Mary's, Clonmel where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Michael Cullinan, C.C., St. Mary's.

On Tuesday morning, the Feast of Saint John Climacus, Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul, the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Michael Cullinan, C.C. St. Mary's. After Mass the funeral took place to St. Laurence's Cemetery, Fourmilewater where on a beautiful spring day she was laid to rest in the family plot with her father John, who predeceased her by thirty eight years. Rev. Fr. Patrick Gear C.C., Fourmilewater/Newcastle officiated at the graveside as did Rev. Fr. Patrick Hallinan re-

tired Foreign Mission and Rev. Fr. Michael Cullinan C.C. who recited a decade of the rosary in the presence of another large concourse of mourners paying their final respects to a Christian friend whose memory they will cherish.

To her family, her mother, brother and her many relatives we extend our sympathy. Leaba í measc na naomh go raibh aici.

(Undertakers Condon's Clonmel.)

### Late Mr. William O'Regan

It is with deep and sincere regret we pen the death of Mr. William (Sally) O'Regan, Kickham Park, Clonmel, which sad event took place at his residence on Saturday, March 27.

Deceased, in his late seventies, was a member of a well loved and respected South Tipperary family. He was father of Mrs. Dolores Guiry, Knocktreelaun, Ballymacarbry. he was a wonderful family man, a loving husband and father, his family were his pride and joy. Sally, as he was affectionately known as, was a quiet, perhaps over modest man acutely conscious of his responsibilities, what he preached he practised. A man of outstanding qualities who possessed a wonderful warm personality and made friends with ease. He was a caring neighbour abounding in Christian charity who made an immediate and lasting impression by virtue of his courteous and easy going nature which endeared him to all.

That his memory will be cherished was truly indicated by the large and representative gatherings of mourners who were present on Sunday evening when his remains, after prayers were recited, were removed from his residence to S.S. Peter and Paul's Parish Church, Clonmel.

On Monday morning the Feast of Saint Jonas (martyr) Requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his gentle soul, after Mass the funeral took place to Saint Patrick's cemetery, Clonmel, where he was laid to rest.

To his wife, sons, daughters, brothers and many relatives we extend our sympathy.

Í liontaibh De go gcastar sinn.

(Undertakers Condon's, Clonmel.)

### Late Mrs. Mary O'Brien

With deep and sincere regret we record the death of Mrs. Mary O'Meara (nee Coffey), Moancrea, Ardfinnan, which sad event took place on Monday, March 22.

Deceased was a member of an old and respected South Tipperary family, the Coffey's of Ballyhist in the parish of Dunhill. She was a very estimable lady who was most charitably disposed. Her outgoing sincere nature, courtesy and great depth of human kindness marked her out as a true Christian. An excellent and caring neighbour and all those who were privileged to know and respect her will deeply and justifiably mourn her demise and long cherish her memory.

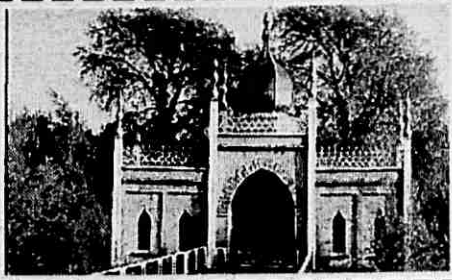
There was a large concourse of mourners present when her remains were removed on Tuesday evening to the Parish Church of the Assumption, Grange, where they were blessed and received. On Wednesday morning the Feast of Saint Simon (infant martyr) Requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of her gentle soul. After Mass the funeral took place to the New Cemetery Grange where she was laid to rest.

To her relatives we extend our sympathy.

Síochain an tiarna le.



# WEST WATERFORD NOTES



## CLASHMORE/KINSALEBEG COMMUNITY GAMES Art County Finals

We would like to remind all the boys and girls who won medals in the Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Community Games Art Competition that they have qualified for the County Finals of Community Games. The County Finals will take place on Saturday April 10th at 11.00 am at Ard Scoil na nDéise, Dungarvan for all from under 8.

## 21ST BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Congratulations to Eoin Hickey, Grange who celebrated his 21st birthday on Easter Sunday night, with a massive party with family and friends at the Decies Lounge, Clashmore. Best wishes for the future Eoin.

## GET WELL WISHES

Get well wishes to Pablo O' Rourke, Clashmore who made a rare visit to Waterford Regional Hospital during the week with a hand injury. Glad to hear your making a speedy recovery Pablo.

## HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Welcome home and continued good wishes to Mrs. Rita Keogh, Shanacoole, Kinsalebeg who is now home having spent a few weeks in Cork University Hospital. A full and speedy recovery to you Rita.

Also home from hospital and making a good recovery from her eye operation, continued good wishes to Eileen Dunne, Clashmore.

## WELCOME HOME

Back home having enjoyed a holiday in Boston with family and friends is Seamus O' Rourke, Ballyheeny, Clashmore.

## HOME FOR EASTER

Great to see local man Richie Dee, Ballyheeny out and about for Easter. Richie is a patient in Dungarvan Hospital but we are delighted to report Richie has made an excellent recovery and will be back home with us shortly. Keep up the good work Richie.

## GET WELL NIAMH

Family and friends join in extending get well wishes to Niamh Condon, Clashmore village. Great to see Niamh well and out and about following her recent stay in hospital.

## EASTER EGG WINNER

Congratulations to Pat Nolan, Ballyheeny, Clashmore, the winner of the huge Easter Egg in "The Dalton Kid" Easter Egg Draw at the Decies bar over the weekend. Enjoy your prize Pat.

## EASTER HOLIDAY VISITORS

Welcome home to Michael Lombard, spending the Easter season with his family here in Clashmore. Hope you had a very enjoyable visit Michael. Also spending Easter with friends in Clashmore was Kieran Hogan from Laois. Hope Waterford's fine victory over Laois on Sunday did not spoil your holiday Kieran.

## CARD RESULTS

The winners of last Monday nights 45 Drive in Clashmore were joint 1st on 8 games, Bobby Morrison and Jim McGrath, Terry Fox and Edmond Ledingham. 3rd on 6 games each, Thomas Allen and Birdie Cunningham, Paddy Hurton and Mary Dower, Peggie Russell and Jack Douris. Best of the last five to Joseph O' Keefe and Ed Hynes. Lucky last game winner, Paddy Foley and Nell. Well done all.

## AGLISH GYMKHANA

All roads lead to Aglish on this Sunday for the annual Aglish Gymkhana which takes place at the usual venue. Classes for all grades of horses and ponies, a great days showjumping for competitors and spectators alike.

## DEATH OF MR. PAT CASSIDY

With deep regret we record the death of retired Garda Pat Cassidy of Ferrypoint, Kinsalebeg which took place at home in the loving care of his family on Easter Monday evening following a short illness. Ar dheis de go raibh a anam.

## CLASHMORE FIANNA FAIL AGM

The Clashmore Fianna Fail Cumann Annual General Meeting takes place on April 16th at The Rising Sun, Clashmore. Further details next week.

## TALENT CONTEST

"The Dalton Kid" Mayoral Election Campaign continues this week with a "Talent Contest" on Saturday night, April 10th at the Decies Lounge, Clashmore. Singing, dancing, music, reciting acts are welcome. The winner on the night will be presented by a fantastic piece of Waterford Crystal sponsored by Damien Gleeson with fantastic prizes for 2nd; and 3rd placings sponsored by the Hilltop Hotel (Jim Fitzgerald). All those attending the contest have a chance of winning our fantastic door prize - so do come along.

Enquiries to Pat Mayoral Election office at (024) 96602 or (024) 94434.

## CLASHMORE RAMBLERS SOCCER NOTES U-13 League

On Saturday last our U-13 team travelled to Ballybridge to play their final match in this years league. Ramblers were missing three members of their starting eleven. Ballybridge scored two early goals but Ramblers replied with goals from Cillian O' Keefe and Kieran Connery bringing the sides level at half-time. Ballybridge scored two late goals in the second half making the final score 4-2.

Great credit is due to their manager Len Rodgers who has done so much with these lads during the year. Thanks Len for all your hard work.

## U-15 League

Our U-15 team played their final match against Valley Rangers on St. Patrick's Day. Again they were missing a couple of their players. Unfortunately in this game, one of Ramblers players received serious leg injuries. Valley Rangers emerged winners here. Our thanks there to team manager Kieran Allen for all his hard work with these boys during the season. Thanks Kieran.

## U-8 And U-10 Training

U-8 and U-10 training will continue with Len on this Friday evening at 5.30 pm. All who are interested are welcome.

## Easter Queen

Well done to Jenny Smiddy who represented us at the Easter Queen Competition in Middleton on Easter Sunday night. Jenny acquitted herself very well indeed and finished up with a lovely piece of Irish Dancing. Well done Jenny.

## EASTER QUEEN

The East Cork Easter Queen Contest took place last weekend. Two local girls were among the fifteen contestants, Jenny Smiddy representing Clashmore Ramblers and Knockanore Festival Queen, Una Keogh, Kinsalebeg. Both girls gave a fantastic performance and we do hope to see them back again next year. Well done Jenny and Una you did us proud.

Among the special place of interest where the girls visited over the weekend, was the beautiful village of Ardmore, which greatly impressed the girls and Blackwater Garden Centre, Kinsalebeg where the girls were given a guided tour of the centre and the latest project "Gardening Workshops" which will commence at the Blackwater Centre and will be one of the first of its kind in Ireland. In all a very enjoyable weekend for the girls in West Waterford.

## ITS CLEAN UP TIME

In conjunction with the National Spring Clean Project it's 'Clean-up Clashmore Time' on Saturday next, April 10th. Waterford County Council and Clashmore Tidy Towns Association invite you to help you to clean-up Clashmore. They have organised a free collection of any large disused items (such as Old beds, bikes, cookers, fridges, washing machines etc).

Skips will be located at the following areas for all unwanted goods (excluding ordinary household waste) on Saturday April 10th from 8.00 am to 1.00 pm. The Grotto, the Creamery, Ballyheeny Estate, The Church Road. Anyone unable to take it to the skip please place it tidily outside your door and it will be collected by the staff. This is your opportunity to clean your premises of unwanted items and it would be appreciated if you could make a special effort to clean the side of the road near your own area.

Please note after this any 'litter' on properties or illegal dumping will not be tolerated.

## CLASHMORE LOTTO

No jackpot winner of Clashmore/Kinsalebeg lotto last weekend. Next week there is £1,500 to be won. Consolation prizes of £10 each to each of the following; Keith, c/o The Old Still, Tom Joyce, Jack O' Halloran, John Cliffe, P. O' Donovan. The numbers drawn last weekend were 7-8-13-14. Next week's draw takes place on Monday 12th at 10.30 pm at The Old Mill, Kinsalebeg.

## BOSTON BOUND

Bon voyage to Brian Murray, Clashmore who takes leave of us this weekend to spend some time in Boston U.S.A. Best wishes and success to you over there Brian.

## PARISH LEAGUE

The hurling Parish League continues this week in Clashmore. On Friday afternoon the next round of games takes place in the field starting at 2.30 pm. Adult help required to prepare the field before hand please.

## CHEQUE PRESENTATION

On this Wednesday night the proceeds of the recent Finnisk Drag Hunt will be presented to representatives of two local charities. Francis Carroll of West Waterford Hospice and Anne Tobin of Dungarvan Hospital. The cheque presentation takes place in Aglish and all are welcome to attend. Full results of the Finnisk Drag next week.

## CLASHMORE AID CANCER TREATMENT

THANK YOU — Clashmore branch of Aid Cancer Treatment wish to acknowledge the receipt of £300 from Dungarvan Lions Club. A very special thank you for this very generous donation.

All funds raised by Clashmore Aid Cancer Treatment will be presented to A.C.T. at Cor



M.A.G. Easter Egg Charity Run — Sean Farrell, Manager, Ryans SuperValu, Dungarvan presents a sponsored quantity of Easter Eggs to Jono Flynn and some local bikers, part of a 480 strong group who travelled from Youghal to Cork, in aid of childrens charities. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



# Touraneena Notes

## Naomh Bríd GAA Notes

### West March On

Congratulations to John Ahearne, Denis Coffey and Colm Geary on being part of the West Waterford under 16 hurling team that beat Cork side Carrigdown in the first round of the Munster Divisional Championship at Fraher Field on Saturday.

John played full back where he had a very solid game. Denis played right half back and gave it his usual all. Colm came on as a second half sub and played at corner forward. On the day Colm tried very hard and was rewarded when he scored Waterford's third goal in a 3-11 to 0-7 win. West Waterford now play their Eastern counterparts in the Munster quarter final in Fraher Field this Saturday at 2.30 pm.

The vast majority of the County Minor panel for the 2001 Munster Championship will be on view in this game. By going along to Fraher Field you will be able to access Waterford's chances for 2001 for yourself.

The two sides have already met this year. In the annual Gleeson Cup game which was a curtain raiser to the Waterford - Fermanagh National Football League game at Fraher Field. On March 14th the Western half of the County recorded a massive 6-14 to 0-2 victory. It should be pointed out that on the day the East were without a number of first choice players.

West Waterford are coached by John Jackson, Peter Power and Pat Collins. The selectors have put in a huge effort with the players and hopefully all the work will pay off.

If you are going to town on Saturday try and make your way to Fraher Field on your way out. If you're not planning going to Dungarvan on Saturday, and if you are interested in Waterford hurling, go along and see what the future holds. I'm sure you will be impressed as there will be some very good players on both sides on view.

### Family Membership

Over the past week or two, family membership has started to come in. However, there are still a number of families who have children playing for Naomh Bríd GAA Club who have not paid up.

Any family who does not

pay their £10 family membership, and has a child who gets injured playing with or training with the club will not be covered for insurance, as to be insured you have to be a member of a club. Also it was decided at a committee meeting that only those families will be entered into draws for tickets for any all ticket game the club gets tickets for.

It was agreed at our AGM in January, that families who do not have children playing for the club, can also become club members.

### St. Augustine's

On Sunday March 28th, St. Augustine's College made the long trip to Milltown Malbay in County Clare for the All-Ireland Colleges football semi-final against Ballinrobe Community School from Mayo.

On the day there was a good standard of football played in below par ground conditions. Aidan Dalton was a sub for St. Augustine's on the day.

### Congratulations

Congratulations to the Ard Scoil na nDéise Junior Football team on beating St. Augustine's in the County Final at Ardmore recently.

This area was well represented on the team. Sandy Walsh was the captain, Mairead Hickey, Kerri Cliffe and Jenny Buckley were also involved. Congratulations girls.

### Helmets

The club will very shortly take delivery of a batch of helmets. Already the club has received requests for some of these helmets.

If you require a helmet please contact the club secretary Thomas Keane as soon as possible. The helmets cost £17 which is more than half the price you would pay for one in the shops.

Every parent should note that every club player is to wear a helmet. A signed letter from a players parents is required if a player is not going to wear a helmet. Players who do not wear a helmet and pick up a head injury will not be covered by an Insurance Company.

In other sports players are not allowed to play without certain bits of equipment. In this club a player will not be allowed to play without a helmet, unless a signed letter is with the club secretary prior to the

teams first training session.

### Under 13's

On Tuesday April 6th our under 13's play their first game against St. Oliver's in Aglish at 6.30 pm. Players to be there by 6.15 pm.

### Under 11's

On Friday 9th April our under 11's play Brickey's at 6.45 pm, venue to be decided. More news next week on this game.

### Appreciation to the Coffey Family

As everyone is aware the Coffey family, Knockmeal Stores have kindly sponsored a set of jerseys for our young players. One of these jerseys is on display in the store. We will be holding a presentation of the jerseys by Joe Coffey to the club shortly and hopefully we will have a big turn out to show our appreciation to the Coffey family. More on this later.

## PUB SINGING COMPETITION

The Pub Singing Competition held in Dunford's Bar on Easter Sunday night was a fantastic success. There was a very big turnout. The three contestants chosen to go through to the next round were Clare Murphy, Richie Hickey and Ann Walsh. Once again it was a tough decision as the standard was very high. Danny Thompson was M.C. and provided great entertainment throughout the night. Thanks, Danny.

Alice would also like to thank Dunford's Bar and staff, the adjudicator Maura Kiely and the ticket sellers Ann Power and Catherine Lonergan. Once again thanks to all who supported the night.

The next round of the competition will be held in Dunne's Bar, Touraneena on Saturday, April 17. Hope to see you there.

## Sliabh gCua Community Centre Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting will be held next Monday night, April 12 at 9 p.m. All committee members are requested to attend.

## SLIABH gCUA LADIES GROUP

On Tuesday, April 13 the well known doctor and broadcaster Dr. Chantelle MacNamara will be at the Touraneena Community Centre at 8 p.m. to speak to the ladies and answer questions on health matters.

We are fortunate that Dr. MacNamara has accepted our invitation to visit Touraneena and we hope that as many ladies as possible will come along to hear her. You do not have to be a member of any group. All are welcome.

Refreshments will be served after the meeting. See you all at 8 p.m. at the Centre.

## TOURANEENA RACQUETBALL CLUB NOTES

### IRISH JUNIOR OPEN

The third Irish Junior Open is being played in Fermoy and Conna on Saturday and Sunday next. There is also a possibility that games will be played in Kilworth as there are 80 players already entered.

We have 18 players entered and they are Sean Fitzpatrick, Diarmuid Walsh, Karen Cliffe, Aidan Hickey, Eileen Hickey, Eoin Walsh, J. J. Coffey, Aoife Hickey, Willie Power, Jack Power, Seamus Power, Tristan Hickey, Shane Hickey, Niamh Coffey, Finnian Grace, Marie Quinlan, Michelle Gleeson and Mairead Hickey. The times will be posted on the noticeboard as soon as they are known.

### KILKENNY OPEN

Four of our juvenile players have entered the under-18 section of the Kilkenny Open which is to be played on April 17/18. They are Seamus Power, Tristan Hickey, Willie Power and Jack Power. The venue is at the O'Loughlin Gaels Club in the city.

### QUIZ CHAMPIONS

Round 3 of our table quiz series was held on Friday night last and it was the all girls team of Michelle Gleeson, Claire Dalton and Eileen Hickey that ruled supreme in what was the closest finish to date as only a mere one point separated the top two teams. The prizes for this round were very kindly sponsored by Joe Coffey of Knockmeal Supermarket. The top trio scored a total of 136 pts. with the team of Mairead Hickey, Eamonn Wall, J. J. Coffey and Karen Cliffe scoring a total of 135 pts. Overall it was the closest finish to date as the other scores were 130, 129, 128, 126, 125, 121 and 114.

The last round tested their knowledge of music as they heard 90 songs played one after another and their task

was to identify the singer or band. In this round it was the team of Aoife Hickey, Katrina Foley, John Barron and Pearl Grace who answered the most with a total of 66 followed by the overall runner-up team with a total of 64. Claire Dalton is now the only person to have finished on two winning teams.

### SNOOKER TOURNAMENT

Over the past couple of weeks some of our juvenile players organised a snooker tournament which consisted of 14 players. Games were the best of three frames and the final was the best of five.

In Round 1 there were wins for James Cliffe, Darren O'Connor, Willie Power, Seamus Power, John Queally and Finnian Grace. In the quarter-finals James Cliffe beat Shane Hickey, Willie Power beat Darren O'Connor, Seamus Power recorded victory over John Queally while Finnian Grace was victorious over Aidan Hickey. The semi-finals saw James defeating Willie and Finnian beat Seamus. This set up a final between the two pre tournament favourites. James won the opening frame before Finnian fought back to take the next three frames and the title. He received the winning prize of £20 while James received £10 for being runner-up.

### NEW TOURNAMENT

Another tournament will be organised shortly. The entry fee is £3 which is to be given to Tristan Hickey. It will be an open draw and it will be a knockout system. The opening rounds will be the best of five frames. The quarter-finals will be the best of seven frames. The semis are the best of nine while the final will be the best of eleven frames.

## Clodagh Fine Gael

The annual general meeting of the Clodagh branch of Fine Gael was held on Wednesday, 31st March. The well attended meeting took place in Ritchie and Maudie Kennedy's Lounge Bar in Rathgormack. Apologies were received from Councillor Pat Coffey. The original meeting had been postponed due to the tragic death of Tommy Halpin.

The election of officers was chaired by Billy Walsh (Constituency Organiser). The following officers were elected: Chairman, Richard Comerford; Vice-Chairman, Tommy Power; Secretary, Margaret Hassett; Treasurers, John Power and Thomas Drohan; PRO, Godfrey Greene; Branch Organiser, Tom Dempsey.

The meeting was addressed by the two Fine Gael candidates for the Suir District, Paudie Coffey (Portlaw) and Mary Greene (Clodagh).

Paudie thanked the members for the support they had given his father, outgoing Councillor Pat Coffey down through the years. He felt that Fine Gael had two strong candidates who could appeal to the electorate across the board.

He announced that the Portlaw branch of Fine Gael would hold a function in the Clodagh Bar on May 15th to commemorate the retirement of Councillor Pat Coffey.

Mary Greene thanked the members for their support in nominating her to run for the local elections. She said she was proud and honoured to run and hoped to be the first county councillor from the parish of Rathgormack and Clonea-Power in over fifty years. She said it was vital that the area would have a strong voice in Dungarvan especially during the implementation of the County Development plan.

Billy Walsh announced that the Munster Convention for the European Parliament elections would be held on Sunday, April 12th, in the Silver Springs Hotel in Cork at 2 p.m. The next meeting of the Clodagh branch will be held on Wednesday, April 28th at 8.30 p.m. in Ritchie and Maudie Kennedy's in Rathgormack. All are welcome.



# Cappoquin Notes

## CAPPOQUIN A.F.C. NOTES

# Cup Fever In Cappoquin

## EASTER CAKE RAFFLE

The winner of the Easter Cake which was so generously donated by Brigid Murray, Tourin was Michael Devine, Moonboy, Melleray. The winner of the Easter Egg was Kay Troy, Cappoquin.

## IMPORTANT PUBLIC MEETING

A meeting is being organised by Cappoquin Community Development Company Ltd. in the Day Care Centre on Tuesday next, April 13 at 8 p.m. The issue in question is a proposal to build a sports/community/cultural centre in Cappoquin. All clubs or any individual who would like to make this project happen, please come along to this special meeting on Tuesday next, April 13.

The rush of excitement is getting to its peak as we prepare to play Ardmore in the cup tie final next Sunday. The last time these teams met was back in 1986. The same year Cappoquin and Ardmore were going for the double. As it turned Ardmore won the league and Cappoquin won the cup 2-1. This has the making of a great Cup Final. If Cappoquin and Ardmore can produce their best, it will be a game worth watching. The club would like to thank Pat Landers of the Blackwater House in Cappoquin for sponsoring the club togs and socks. Pat came to us

in the semi-final stages and offered gladly to sponsor togs and socks. The club would like to ask all ye soccer supporters to come to Tallow and support Cappoquin on Sunday. We were on to the FA in England and asked them would they bring forward the Man. Utd. and Arsenal semi-final and they gladly obliged. So come on lads give the club your full support. Let's hope we bring the cup back to its resting place in the Blackwater House.

Players meeting will be held on this Saturday, April 10 at Walsh's Hotel at 9 p.m. sharp. We expect every player to attend.

## AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

**Hurling League** — Cappoquin will play the first round of the hurling league against Ballysaggart on this Friday, April 9 at the Gaelic Field.

**Congratulations** — The club wishes to congratulate Railway Athletic F.C. on winning their section of the league in soccer last weekend. Best of luck also to Cappoquin in the Cup Final and congratulations to Affane on being promoted.

**Training** — Training is continuing on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The selectors and trainers are appealing for a better turn out from now on.

**Football League** — We played Bonmahon in the football league on Saturday last, April 3 at the Sportsfield. Unfortunately we had to field a very much understrength team once again. In spite of this the team which fielded performed very well and up until the last ten minutes they looked like they were going to win this game but unfortunately we ran out of steam and if ever the need for dedicated training was obvious, it was last Saturday evening. The mentors wish to thank all those who turned up for the game and who showed their allegiance to our club.

**Games In Field** — The playing season has now begun for 1999 and a number of games will be taking place every week from now on. The Field Committee are

to be congratulated on having the grounds looking so well for the time of the year. It is understood that a meeting of the Field Committee will be held shortly to set up rosters for gate collectors, sideline gate etc.

**Lotto** — The numbers drawn were 5, 14, 21. No jackpot winner. Next week's jackpot £1,700. The winners of £10 each were Triona Flynn, c/o Central Bar; Mrs. Fennessey, Townspark, Lismore; Joe Edwards, The Beehive; Alice Reddy, Shanbally; Michael Heffernan, Allen Street. Next week's draw will be held at Morrissey's Bar on April 10.

**Under-16 Football** — Our under-16 footballers have been very busy in recent weeks playing five championship matches. Having won two and lost two, we faced a do or die battle with St. Olivers on Tuesday night last at the Sportsfield. We won this game well on a score of 6-8 to 2-4. It was a very impressive performance by a team improving with each game. A feature here was a great team effort from goalie to corner-forward. Everyone made a great contribution. Some great scoring by A. Hogan, K. Looby, M. Gilligan, D. Sheehan and all our forwards made this victory.

This means we are now through to a semi-final against Stradbally on Sun-

day morning next. These bunch of lads have shown great spirit in training and play and deserve much credit for their success so far. While we are the underdogs on Sunday, we are not without a chance. The rate of improvement of these lads so far gives us reason for hope.

The full panel of players, all of which contributed greatly, reads Owen Kearns, Dale Boydell, Rory Tobin, Pa McGrath, Noel Lynch, Stephen Kett, Gary O'Connor, Peter McGrath, Shane Ormonde, Brendan Scanlan, Martin Gilligan, Kevin Looby, Allan Hogan, Eoin O'Donoghue, David Sheehan, Paul Maher, Alan Morrissey, Alan Dalton, John Fenton, Tim Looby and Paul Barry.

### PRIMARY SCHOOL MINI SEVENS

Cappoquin competed in Lismore in the Primary School Mini-Sevens. We were graded with Lismore, Shamrocks, Ballyduff and Tallow.

In the first game we came up against a crack Lismore side where we never seemed to get into our stride. If this game was the last match, we probably would have given a better showing.

The next game was Knockanore and we won this one but made hard work of a game we should have won more easily. We beat Ballyduff and Tallow in our next two games where we showed a vast improvement on our early form. But overall winning three out of four was a good day's work.

Panel: Tim Looby, Cathal Wilkinson, John Cunningham, David Kett, Keith Landers, Paul Murray, Pat Devine, Donal McGrath, Dan Dransfield.

### UNDER-13 TOWN & COUNTRY TOURNAMENT Cappoquin 6-1 Colligan 5-2

This was really a game of two halves with Cappoquin playing with a strong wind in the first half. We led at half-time 4-1 to 1-0. The lads defended stubbornly in the second half under fierce pressure playing against the wind and just held on to deservedly win. Tim Looby had a magnificent game in goal, Gearóid Coughlan defended like a tiger, ably assisted by Kevin Burke, Cathal Wilkinson and John Cunningham. Keith Landers and David Kett were as consistent as ever up front. David Browne, Terry Curran and Paul McGrath worked tirelessly and put in a great effort with Pat Devine bagging a hat full of goals. Dan Dransfield, James Foley and Paul Barry also tried their hearts out when they were called upon.

Panel: T. Looby, K. Burke, G. Coughlan, C. Wilkinson, P. McGrath, J. Cunningham, P. Murray, D. Kett, K. Landers, D. Browne, T. Curran, P. Devine, D. Dransfield, P. Barry, J. Fahey.

### UNDER-14 LEAGUE TABLE AFTER TWO ROUNDS OF GAMES

	P	W	D	L	PTS.
Celtics E	2	1	1	0	3
Saints F	2	1	1	0	3
Faugh's G	2	1	1	0	3
Hibs H	2	1	1	0	3
Rovers A	1	1	0	1	2
Magpies D	1	1	0	1	2
Wanderers B	0	0	2	0	0
Rangers C	0	0	2	0	0

**Fixtures** — Thurs., April 8. B and E v C and G at 5.45 p.m. A and F v D and H at 4.45 p.m.

**Under-10 Hurling** — Our under-10 hurlers played Dungarvan in a challenge last Thursday evening in Dungarvan. It was our first game of the year. We were short a few regulars and

were a little rusty after making our return outdoors. But it is early days yet and there is still a lot to be done.

Panel: F. Murray, D. Leahy, S. Power, W. Lonergan, S. O'Rourke, S. Power, R. Hallissey, S. Fives, S. Power, D. Wilkinson, K. Flynn, D. Hill, D. Fives.

### UNDER-11 TOWN & COUNTRY TOURNAMENT

Fri., April 9. Cappoquin v Lismore in Lismore at 6 p.m. Bus leaves Square at 5.30 p.m.

Mon., April 12. Cappoquin v Naomh Bríd in Modeligo at 6.30 p.m. Bus leaves at 6 p.m.

**Training** — Training for under-14's down to under-10's begins next Tuesday, April 13 at 6.45 p.m. and will be on every Tuesday and Thursday.

## Ballysaggart G.A.A. Club Notes

**Hurling League**  
We start the competitive season in hurling this week. On Friday evening we play Cappoquin in Cappoquin at 6.45 pm. All players to be in the dressingroom by 6.30 pm.

**U-21 Football**  
Our U-21's are reminder that on tonight (Wednesday) Lismore/Ballysaggart play Affane in U-21 Football in Cappoquin at 7.00 pm.

**LOTTO**  
The numbers drawn on Tuesday 30th April were as follows, 8-17-18-22. There was no jackpot winner. £10 winners as follows; Kate Devine, Glengarra, Tom Veale, Sr., Michael Clancy. The jackpot for 6th April is £600.

## CAPPOQUIN & DISTRICT DARTS

On Thursday night next the final of the Power's Cup (7 Singles) will take place in The Local Bar, Tallow between The Tavern A, Cappoquin and Paddy Mac's, Ardmore. Both teams are asked to be present at the venue at 8.45 p.m. We wish both teams the best of luck.

## WIND FARM

Notice is hereby given that Cappoquin and Lismore Estates will be hosting an **INFORMAL INFORMATION DAY ON WIND ENERGY IN THE Melleray Hall, Mount Melleray, on Saturday, 17th April 1999 from 11.00 a.m. to 17.00 p.m. ALL ARE WELCOME**

- Presentation of a project for a windfarm
- Information from the Irish Energy Centre
- Discussion with competent engineers

### NOVENAS

**PRAYER TO THE 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 — B.S.

**NOVENA** — 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, glorified and loved today and every day, throughout the whole world, forever. Amen. Say six times daily for nine days. Your request will be granted, no matter how impossible it may seem. — H.M.



# Remembering Other Days



Our Remembering Other Days series this week takes us back to the year 1946. Featured are the pupils of Coolnasmear National School and the photo shows at back (l. to r.) Bidy Lynch, John Norris, John Nugent, John O'Brien, Jim O'Brien, Billy Lynch, John Byrne, Thomas Dunford; Middle — Marty Lynch (R.I.P.), Breda Power, Madge O'Brien, Mary Nugent, Peg Kiely, Hannah Kiely, Gemma Wall, Mary Byrne; Front — David Byrne, Teddy Norris, Tom Curran (R.I.P.), Stephen Kirwan, Michael Brennock, Danny Power (R.I.P.), Bernie Power.

## Lismore Heritage Centre To Get New Roof

The roof on Lismore Heritage Centre which was last replaced back in the early 1930's after a fire during the troubles of 1922 had destroyed it, is to be replaced again because it is leaking badly.

"Waterford County Council will be spending about forty five thousand pounds on the refurbishment, which will take about 3 months, but we will remain open for visitors during this time," Manager of the Centre, Mary Houlihan said.

Story and Photos  
by Pat Kiely



### Tour Guides

▲ Trainee tour guides at Lismore Heritage Company, Helen O'Dowd and Lynn Robinson explore the ancient St. Carthage's Cathedral, before the summer rush starts.

Photo shows Mary Houlihan, Manager of the Lismore Heritage Centre

## A Sincere Thank You

I would like to say my sincere thanks for the warm welcome home greeting when I took my place on the Reviewing Stand for the St. Patrick's Day Parade, a greeting that echoed many times during my visit.

To be in my hometown is always a great joy but on the occasion as guest of the Dungarvan Pipe Band, it is very special.

To the committee of the Pipe Band, a big thank you for inviting me and giving me the honour to be part of this great community occasion, also the opportunity of coming 'home' and meeting dear Dungarvan friends and greeting new friends.

I am always very proud of my town as I watch the wonderful presentation of the various floats with their eyecatching assortment of displays from local clubs and activities, the rousing music of the marching bands, the cheers, the sense of fun and craic and on this, the 24th parade in glorious sunshine, it had all the ingredients of a parade to remember.

My special thanks to the presenter of WLR FM for his kind interview, Nicola Beresford of WLR and Tom Keith for their warm words of welcome, the friendliness of my fellow platform guests, to one and all who made my visit to my dear hometown such a happy one.

— Mai O'Higgins. 28 —



# Wine Club Notes

By AONGHUS WALSH

The third meeting of the year was held in Lawlors Hotel on March 9. A very healthy turnout made for a very enjoyable tasting of wines from California. First up was a Berringer Zinfandel Blush (Rose Wine) 1997 £9.99. This style of wine is very popular in America and indeed it would be more popular here if we had half decent summers as it is the ideal summer's drink on a warm day. A lovely pale pink colour with very low alcohol gives this wine a fresh crisp taste with good light red strawberry fruit characteristics. Being so low in alcohol, we didn't get a huge finish but with this particular style we are not meant to. Overall it was a very good Zinfandel Blush and if good weather and the barbecue season sets in, it is just the bottle to be reaching for! Good wine verdict: 8/10.

Next up came Fetzer Sundial Chardonnay 1997 £8.39. This was chosen because, as a large producer, it consistently gives quality wines with not much deviation of styles but at the same time gives very good examples of Californian Vairitals. A clean refined nose with tropical fruit flavours of apples and citrus fruits. On the palate there is massive ripe fruits combined nicely with subtle use of American Oak giving spicy nuances intermixed with good acidity leaving a well balanced wine with a good firm structure and a long, crisp finish. Verdict: 7 1/2/10.

Next up came Kendall-Jackson Sauvignon blanc 1997 Vintners Reserve £11.99. Again this wine was chosen for a reason. Producing Sauvignon blanc is a trying experience especially in countries with hot, humid climates. At its best in cool climate countries such as New Zealand and the Loire Valley in France, they have no problems producing ripe fruit with zippy acidity for which this grape is famous for. In very hot climates, it tends to be over-ripe with flabby acidity and not very good. This wine was in fact very good as it was grown on the cool coastal vineyards thus ensuring good acidity and ripeness. There was good zippy green fruits like gooseberry which is always associated with Sauvignon and yet the most important thing was that the green fruits were in glorious harmony with the acidity giving a fantastic wine with a great crisp, dry finish that lingered and lingered forever. A great example. Verdict: 9/10. Wine of the night.

The first of the red wines was Talus Cabernet Sauvignon 1994 £6.99. This wine is fantastic value for money. Already five years old, this oak-aged wine has a clear pronounced nose of blackcurrants and bramble fruits with soft oak also coming through. On the palate it is dry and well structured with lots of the above fruit coming through supported with firm tannins which suggests it has a couple of years left in the bottle. It finishes well with a good dry long finish. A superbly well made wine for the price. Verdict: 8 1/2/10.

Next up came an old favourite. Again from Fetzer-Eagle Peak Merlot 1997 £8.99. This is a real smoothy. Velvety ripe plums and berries on the nose with careful use of oak give a dangerously seductive aroma which leads onto the palate with the same intensity balanced with just the right amount of acidity and tannins that are evident but not overblown give an enormous wine that has everything and a great length and finish to boot. Verdict: 8/10.

Finally we had a Shiraz from Ironstone Vineyards 1995 £10.99. Again chosen for a reason, that Shiraz is normally produced in Australia and therefore having previously tasted Shiraz, we could compare styles and see how they fare. In fact the description on the back said it all - "Enticing nose of blackcurrant, pepper spice (always associated with this grape variety), cherries and warm plums (ripe plums) yielding to racy flavours of black fruits and a toasted oak finish with a rich aftertaste and finish." We couldn't have put it much better ourselves! All in all a top quality Shiraz well made and worth the price. Verdict: 8 1/2/10.

The blind tasting wine was kindly donated by Patrick McLoughlin who purchased the wine while abroad. I knew the wine so we tested on the rest of the class who, to be fair to them, are coming along in leaps and bounds. Displaying some colour variation, they guessed it was between 2 - 3 years old and possibly a blend as fruit concentration was quite difficult to define. It was in fact a 1996 blend from Che Cluero in Spain called Abadia Retuerta Rivola, not available in Ireland. If it was it would probably be around £10. Incidentally the blend was 60%, Tempranillo + 40% Cabernet. A good wine. Verdict: 7 1/2/10.

The next meeting is on April 13 at 8 p.m. in Lawlors Hotel. Further enquiries phone (056) 45600.

# Finnisk Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Éireann

Our annual concert will take place next Sunday, April 11 in Modeligo Hall at 8.15 p.m. The first half of our concert will consist of music, song and dance, with great talent including Bobby Gardiner and his students, Mairead Cullane, the powerful voice of David Angles, Modeligo Figure Dancers and All-Ireland Scor winner for Sean-Nós, James Lanane.

The second half of our concert will be a comedy in one act called "Little Tom's Romance," set in a kitchen on the outskirts of a small town. The cast consists of Anastatia Purcell played by Mary Guiry, a women of sixty years of age who thinks it is time for her to

find a husband, but her nephew Brian, played by William O'Brien, has other ideas and with a "little" help from Little Tom, played by Henry O'Keeffe, tries to stop the future husband, Luke McFadden played by Michael O'Brien from proposing and with the introduction of Guard Molloy, played by Liam Fenton and Celia McFadden played by Bridget O'Brien, there is an hilarious twist to the end of the play.

So, if it's a night of music, song, dance and comedy you're looking for, you will be sure to find it in Modeligo Hall next Sunday night.

Congratulations to Henry O'Keeffe who won best actor in the recent Ballyduff

Drama Festival. Henry was up against some of the best actors in this country, but with his excellent perfor-

mance in the hilarious comedy "Out of Order" he deserved this outstanding success.



Photo shows the cast of "Little Tom's Romance" by Finnisk CCE (l. to r.) Michael O'Brien, Henry O'Keeffe, William O'Brien, Mary Guiry, producer Michael Stack and Bridget O'Brien. Missing from photo is Liam Fenton. The concert takes place on next Sunday 11th April in Modeligo Hall at 8.15 p.m.

## Shaun's Show



The "Dungarvan Leader," in association with WLR FM bring you "Organ's Oldies" 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 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. — So stay tuned!

"Organ's Oldies" for week commencing Monday, April 12th —

- Fleetwood Mac - Gypsy
- U2 - With Or Without You
- Blondie - Heart Of Glass
- Rolling Stones - Fool To Cry
- Bread - Make It With You

## Tallow Area Credit Union

### RECORD BREAKING DAFFODIL DAY

19th March, 1999 and another record was broken in Tallow. This year a staggering £2,300 was collected for the Irish Cancer Society Daffodil Day. It was a true community effort, superbly organised by Tallow Area Credit Union.

'Caring is Sharing' and so many people shared on that day. A warm "thank you" to all the people who picked and donated fresh daffodils free of charge. To the wonderful band of cheerful volunteers who sold the flowers at the square (did anyone get through Tallow without contributing?).

To Mitchelstown Credit Union, who, as always, lent the Credit Union caravan; to the Latch Restaurant and Keniry's who provided refreshments throughout the day, again free of charge; to florist Kay Murphy who ensured all the workers in local factories were supplied; to English's and Mellerick's in Conna and Bolger's and Noonan's in Ballyduff who looked after their areas — well done to each and everyone!

The total was an increase of £700 on the amounts for the last few years. A total everyone can be proud of.



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FILM PROGRAMME FROM SATURDAY APRIL 9 - APRIL 15

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NIGHTLY 8.00 LATE SHOW FRI. SAT. SUN 10.30

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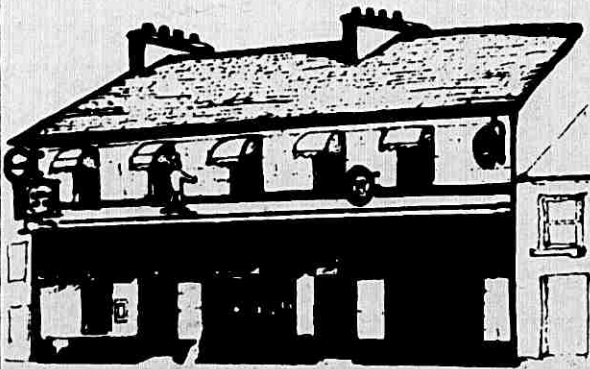
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**MIGHTY JOE YOUNG** (PG) SAT. SUN 3.00

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Saturday, April 10th —

**THE SHADES**

Sunday, April 11th —

**SONIC SOUND**

*News of Town and Roundabout*

**DUNGARVAN G.A.A. LOTTO**

Numbers: 19-22-26-23.  
No winner. Next week's  
jackpot £800. Two winners  
of £25 each: Judy Connors,  
c/o Darrers, Megan and  
Kevin Daly, St. Mary  
Street. Next draw will take  
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**ABBAESQUE TICKET WINNERS**

Last week, in association with Davitt's Nightclub, The Quay, Dungarvan we offered five readers the chance to win a double pass to popular Abba tribute band Abbaesque, live in Davitt's on Thursday, April 8th. The winners are Colin Cunningham, 56 Silversprings, Dungarvan; Sheila Delaney, Chapel Street, Tallow; Kathleen Foley, 54 Murphy Place, Abbeyside; Teresa Queally, Coum, Ballinamult and Shane Reynolds, Drumgorey, Ballymacarby. Tickets can be collected at the offices of Dungarvan Leader, O'Connell Street.

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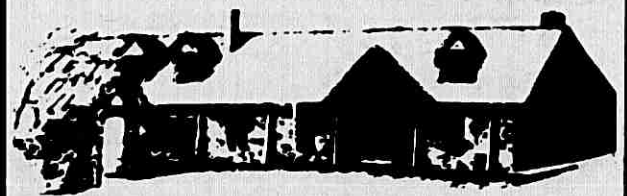
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Saturday, April 10th —

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By popular demand

Sunday, April 11th —

**HOT ROD RACING 1.30 p.m.**

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4 course lunch: Adults £7; Children £3.50

**LUNCH SERVED DAILY**

A la carte available up to 9 pm  
Hot meals available every day





# Red House League - Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup Final



# ALL SET FOR THE BIG GAME

Next Sunday at Brideview Park, Tallow at 3 p.m. we will have the highlight of the season, the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup Final. This year we will see Ardmore take on Cappoquin. We will be taking an in depth look at both clubs, a look back at previous finals, including the 1986 meeting between them and their routes to this years final. We also have some predictions from well known Red House League personnel as we look forward to Sunday's encounter.

### 1986

This was a year that was dominated by Ardmore and Cappoquin. Cappoquin won a great final against Ardmore 2-1. Player/Manager Mickey Curley opened the scoring for Cappoquin while Declan Hennessey equalised for Ardmore before the break. Tommy Sullivan headed the Cappoquin winner. That win ended Lismore's winning sequence of four victories in a row. The referee for that 1986 final was Paddy Pollard. A few days later, Ardmore beat Cappoquin in a

league title play off. There are no survivors from Ardmore still playing while in contrast, thirteen years on, Cappoquin will have six of that panel involved next Sunday.

The Cappoquin panel that year was Liam Morrissey, Eugene McLoughlin, Eamonn Walsh, Brian Murray, John Morrissey, James Mason, Fintan Murray, Michael Walsh, Mickey Curley, Tommy Sullivan, Billy O' Shea, Philip Bergin, Michael Lacey, Daithi Curran, Michael Looby.

### OTHER CUP FINAL APPEARANCES

Apart from '86, both sides have two other appearances with one win and one defeat each. In 1984, Ardmore lost 2-1 to Lismore and in 1992, Cappoquin lost on penalties to Ballyduff after a replay, with neither team managing to score. Cappoquin won the Cup in 1990 in the most memorable final to date. With less than half an hour to go, Lismore led 4-0, but Cappoquin fought back to win the game in extra time with a brilliant goal from free kick expert Michael Walsh. Ardmore won the Cup as recently as 1997 when they defeated Brideview United 1-0 thanks to a second half goal from Anthony Ahearn.

### PATHS TO THE FINAL

Ardmore— Castlebridge Celtic (H) 4-1. Inch (A) 3-0. Brideview United 'A' (A) 2-1. Blackwater Rangers (H) 3-1. Cappoquin — Valley Rangers 'B' (A) 3-0. An Ghaeltacht (A) 3-1. Brideview United 'B' (A) 2-1. Gortroe (N) 2-1.

### GIVING YOUTH ITS FLING

More and more young players are appearing in teams and although we have seen the experience in Cappoquin's squad, they also have players such as Darragh Wilkinson, Paudie Landers, Stephen Curran and Paul Morrissey from their youth team of a couple of seasons ago. Ardmore boast a much more youthful squad with eleven of the current panel coming through the schoolboy ranks.

### WHO WILL WIN?

I'm not taking any chances on Sunday, instead I went to some 'experts' for their opinions. I began with the referee from 1986, Red House League Chairman, Paddy Pollard, who opted for a 2-1 success to Ardmore. Paddy based his view on the Ardmore win over Brideview. Jim Foley had the same idea when I spoke to him as he also quoted the defeat of the Cup holders when he gave Ardmore the nod, also on a 2-1 scoreline. In contrast Pat Casey felt that Cappoquin would emerge victorious with 3-2 the likely score. Michael McBride also went for Cappoquin as he "liked the underdog" and forecast a 2-0 win. Back to an Ardmore win now and Derry O' Leary felt 1-0 to the seashiders was a certainty. Another Valley Rangers man plumped for Ardmore, Billy Carr felt they would win 3-1. Finally I asked three referees for their views. First up was Willie Collins and he thought Ardmore would be far too strong and would beat Cappoquin 4-1. Maurice Hartnett also felt Ardmore were stronger all round but predicted a close 2-1 scoreline. Paul Marks had the final say and he had no hesitation in going for a 2-1 win to Cappoquin.

So there you are, plenty of views, many of them different. I'm sure most of the neutrals would settle for an enjoyable game so I would just like to wish both clubs the very best of luck on Sunday and may the best team win.

### CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

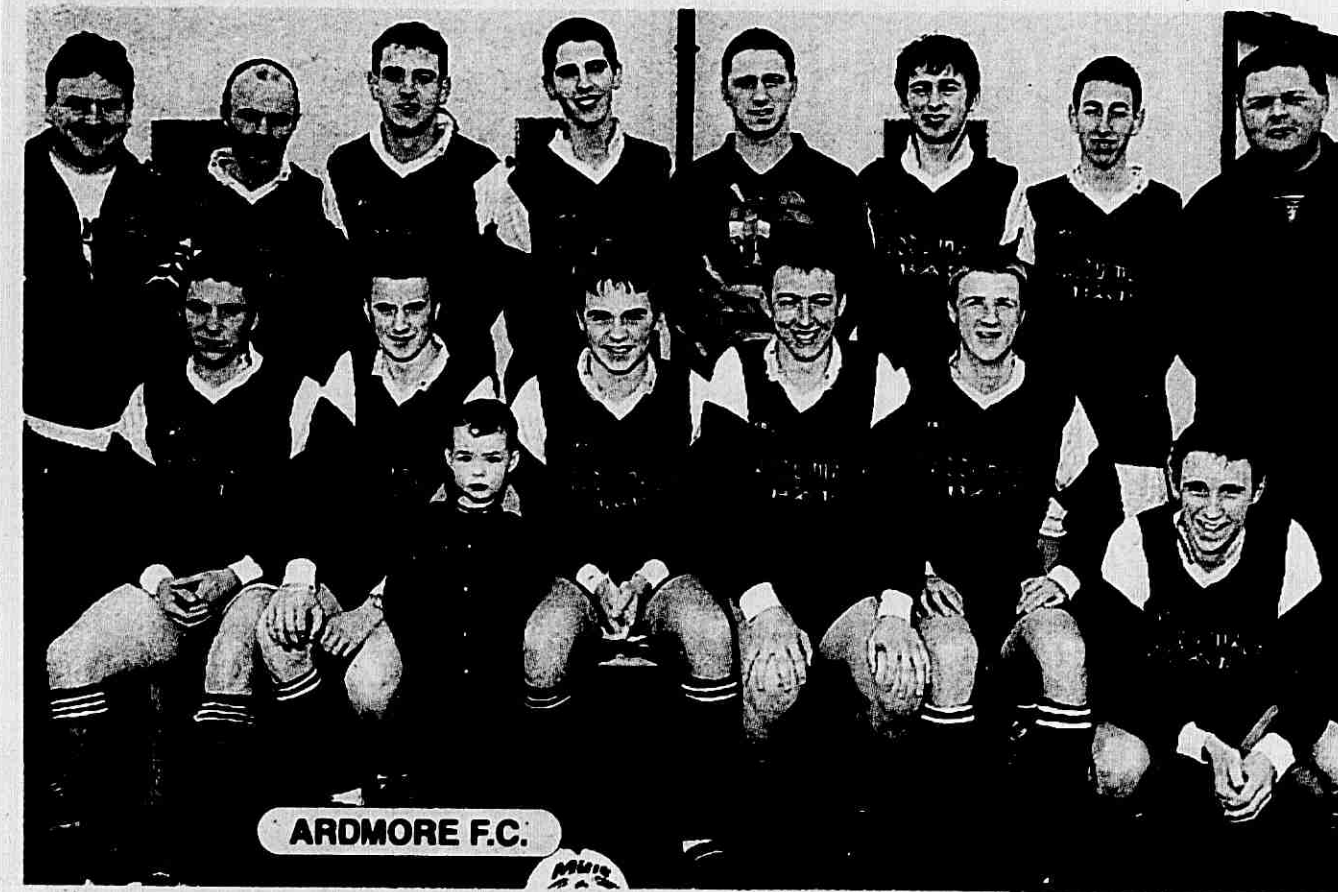
Sunday is the highlight of our year with the final of the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup. 26 teams started out on the Cup trail just after Christmas and both Ardmore and Cappoquin have reached the final.

It promises to be an open game of football with both sides possessing attacking players and the supporters can look forward to an exciting Cup Final.

On behalf of the Red House League, I wish both sides the very best on Sunday.  
—Paddy Pollard



CAPPOQUIN F.C.



ARDMORE F.C.

## Team Profile - Ardmore

Formed in 1982.

Manager: Declan Hennessey, played in two losing Cup final teams and will be hoping to taste success on Sunday. Assistant Manager, Tommy Power, a trojan worker who will be hoping for Cup glory a second time as assistant manager.

Damien Lenane; (keeper). Nineteen year old who has excelled in both soccer and football.

Adrian Yellop; (keeper). Had his finest hour in '97 when Ardmore defeated Brideview. Also in top form.

Adrian O' Donnell; (defender). Safe and solid, he can be pleased with his work this season.

Mike Supple; (defender). A versatile and dependable player who can score vital goals.

Seamus Veale; (defender). Manager when Ardmore won in '97, looking for his first success as a player.

Maurice Hennessey; (defender) has been Man of the Match in many games this season.

Patrick Gallagher; (midfielder). Can play in any position.

Anthony Sullivan; (midfielder). Having a marvellous season, captain in '97.

Alan Troy; (midfielder). Can also play up front.

Trevor Morrissey; (midfielder). Very dependable club man.

Jamie Hennessey; (midfielder). Has plenty of class.

James O' Donnell; (midfielder). Playing brilliantly in his first season.

Johnny Hennessey; (midfielder). Strong player who has missed most of the season through injury.

Clinton Hennessey; (midfielder). Can also play up front and scored a brilliant winner against Brideview this year.

Anthony Aherne; (forward). Top scorer for the Blues, also a wholehearted player.

Wayne Hennessey; (forward). The youngest player on the team who can play anywhere.

Anthony Gallagher; (midfielder). Anthony has missed this season due to injury.

Cillian McCarthy (forward). Can switch easily from forward to midfield.

Jason Lenane; (forward). Has performed well this season.

Cathal Hennessey; (defender). Can play in mid-field or up front as well.

Richard Hennessey; (defender). Another young Ardmore player who has performed well this season.

## Team Profile - Cappoquin

Cappoquin entered the Red House League in 1978.

Manager, James (Gossy) Mason.

Players Name	Age	Occupation	No. of years in Red House League
Michael Cummins	23	Snowcream	4
Stephen Curran	18	Student	2
Michael Lacey	32	Stafford Miller	15
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Anniversary Mass for Kitty on Thursday, April 8, at 9.30 a.m. at St. Mary's Parish Church.

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 mother,  
And thanks for all you've done,  
We pray that God has given you,  
The crown you've truly won.

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Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.

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**COADY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Eddie Coady, New Street, Tallow, died April 7, 1997. Our Lady of Lourdes pray for him.

(Always in our thoughts and never forgotten by his loving wife and family.)

**COADY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear Dad, Eddie Coady, 16, New Street, Tallow, died April 7, 1997.

Dad, it is only our eyes that cannot see you.  
(Always you are with us — love Ann and Martin.)

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**CROTTY** — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, John Crotty, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1977.

Gone from our home that smiling face,  
The cheerful happy ways,  
The heart that won so many friends,  
In bygone happy days;  
He never failed to do his best,  
His heart was true and tender,  
He worked and toiled for those he loved,  
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**CROTTY** — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, John Crotty, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1977.

Falling tears and aching hearts,  
Are things I have to bear,  
But losing you the way I did,  
Will always seem unfair.  
There's much more to this verse,  
Than just the words you see,  
It's filled with happy memories,  
Of days that used to be,  
There is a daughter who loved you,  
In a house where you used to be,  
A daughter who wanted to keep you,  
But God willed it not to be.  
Will all my father's friends who think of him today,  
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Last night as I lay sleeping I saw my Dad once more,  
We were sitting side by side,  
Like so many times before.  
And when I said don't go Dad,  
You smiled at me and said,  
I haven't really left you,  
Nor have I travelled far,  
I have only gone before you,  
And left the door ajar.  
Too dearly loved ever to be forgotten.

(From Mary and Pa, Bidds and Maire and grandchildren.)

**CROTTY** — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, John Crotty, late of 51, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1977.

We think of you in silence,  
And often speak your name,  
How we would love to hear your voice,  
and see you smile again.  
You may be out of sight,  
We may be worlds apart,  
But you are always in our minds,  
and forever in our hearts.

(Lovingly remembered by your loving daughter Kathleen, son-in-law Locky and family.)

**CROTTY** — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, John Crotty, late of 51, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1977.

These last few years without you,  
Are the saddest I have known,  
I treasure every thought of you,  
When I am all alone.  
There will always be a heartache,  
And often a silent tear,  
But forever precious memories,  
Of days when you were here.  
I want to tell you something,  
So there won't be any doubt,  
You are so wonderful to think of,  
But so hard to do without.

(Never forgotten by Ann, Joe and family.)

**CROTTY** — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear father, John Crotty, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1977.

Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Always remembered by his sons John and Joseph.)

**CROTTY** — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, John Crotty, late of 51, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1977.

We sat beside your bedside,  
Our hearts were crushed and sore,  
We did our duty to the end,  
Till we could do no more.  
In tears we watched you sinking,  
We watched you fade away,  
And though our hearts were breaking,  
We knew you could not stay.  
You left behind some aching hearts,  
That loved you most sincere,  
We never shall and never will,  
Forget you, father dear.  
For many years the family chain,  
Was closely linked together,  
but, oh that chain is broken now,  
the main link gone forever.  
The sunshine of our happy home,  
Must always clouded be,  
But Thou, O Lord, has sent this cross,  
We bear it all for Thee.

(Sadly missed by his loving daughter Eileen, granddaughter Maria, grandson John Paul and greatgrandson Craig.)

**CROTTY** — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, John Crotty, late of 51, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1977.

Beautiful thoughts of a father so dear,  
Cherished forever with love sincere,  
Dear is your memory, sweet is your name,  
Close to our hearts you will always remain.  
Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Always remembered by your loving daughter Breda, Paddy and family.)

**DOLAN** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Mary Dolan, late of Knockanore, who died on April 5, 1996.

The voice is now silent, the heart is now cold,  
The smile and the welcome that met us of old,  
We miss you and mourn you in sorrow unseen,  
And dwell on the memory of days that have been.

No one knew that morning,  
What sorrow the day would bring,  
When a heart of gold stopped beating,  
And we could not do a thing.  
It's hard to put on paper,  
What we feel today,  
To say how much we miss you,  
Since God took you away.

(Deeply missed by your loving husband, Joe.)

**DONNELLY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of our mother, Elizabeth Donnelly, late of 3, Cloneeey Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1997. R.I.P.

A day that is filled with sadness,  
Returns to us today,  
It marks the way you left us,  
In such a sudden way.

As each day dawns we think of you,  
As each night falls we pray for you,  
And in between no matter where,  
Deep in our hearts you are always there.  
Of all the gifts in life,  
However great or small,  
To have you as our mother,  
Was the greatest gift of all.  
(Sadly missed and always remembered by your loving family.)

**DONNELLY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of our grandmother, Elizabeth Donnelly, late of 3, Cloneeey Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1997.

A lot in life has altered,  
A lot in life is new,  
But the things that never alter,  
Are memories of you.  
It isn't what we write,  
It isn't what we say,  
It's how we feel inside,  
When we think of you today.

(Always remembered by your grandchildren.)



**FLYNN** — Seventeenth Anniversary — In loving memory of John Flynn, late of 61, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on April 20, 1982.

Anniversary Mass will take place in Abbeyside Church on Sunday, April 11 at 10.30 a.m.

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

**FITZGERALD** — Twelfth Anniversary — In loving memory of Breda Fitzgerald, late of Ballycoe, Dungarvan, who died on April 12, 1987.

Will those who think of Mam today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Lovingly remembered by Seán and family.)

**HEALY** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of Ellen (Nell) Healy, late of Upper King Street, Abbeyside, who died on April 9, 1995. Masses offered.

Will those who think of her today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Always remembered by your loving son John, Breda, grandchildren and greatgrandchildren.)

**McGRATH** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear father, Denis McGrath, late of 6, Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1995.

Our Dad was so precious,  
So was his name,  
Without him to love,  
Life is not the same.  
Your memory we treasure,  
With thoughts that are dear,  
We think of you always,  
Not just once a year.

(Sadly missed by your daughter Mary, sons Pat and Raymee, son-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren and greatgrandchildren at home and away.)

**McGRATH** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear granddad, Denis McGrath, late of 6, Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1995.

Sweet are the memories,  
Dear is your name,  
Close to our hearts,  
You will always remain.  
(From Sean, Lisa and great-grandchildren Nathan and Lauren.)

**McGRATH** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my loving Granda, Denis, late of 6, Keating Street, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs on April 9, 1995. R.I.P. You are always in my thoughts and prayers, Granda,  
Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Remembered always — your granddaughter Eileen, Liam and Glenn.)

**McGRATH** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear granddad, Denis McGrath, late of 6, Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1995.

A little corner of our hearts,  
Is set aside for you,  
As long as life and memories last,  
We will always remember you.

(From your loving granddaughter Anne, Ian and great-grandchildren Hannah and Jamie.)

**McGRATH** — Eleventh and Fourth Anniversaries — In fond and loving memory of my Dad and Granddad, Mossie and Dennis McGrath, late of 6, Keating Street, Dungarvan, whose anniversaries occur on April 9 and May 15. R.I.P. Mass offered.

Just a prayer from the family who loved you,  
Just a memory fond and true,  
In our hearts you will live forever,  
Because we thought the world of you.

(Forever in our thoughts and prayers — your daughter and granddaughter Bernadette, John Joe, Danielle, Rebecca and Aisling.)

**MORRISSEY** — In loving memory of Tony Morrissey, Kilminion, Stradbally, who died on April 10, 1972, and his wife Ellen who died on April 11, 1998. R.I.P.

The ones we love don't go away,  
They walk beside us everyday,  
Unseen, unheard, but always near,  
Happy memories we keep forever,  
Of days when we were all together,  
From a family that thought the world of you,  
Each of us in our own way,  
Have special thoughts of you both today.

(Always remembered by your loving family.)

**O'BRIEN** — Fifteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Joanna O'Brien, late of 59, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, whose anniversary is April 5.

A loving spray of memories,  
Tied up with all our love,  
Memories we will treasure,  
Of the one we dearly loved.  
In the centre of God's garden,  
There is someone special there,  
That someone is our mother,  
The best beyond compare.  
(Inserted by Nora and Pat.)



# IN MEMORIAMS



**O'DONOGHUE** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear son, Leslie O'Donoghue, late of Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin, who died on April 9, 1998, aged 21 years.

Anniversary Mass in St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin, on Saturday, April 10, at 7.30 p.m. and Sunday, April 11, Mt. Melleray at 12 noon.

Behind the gates of heaven,  
There is someone special there,  
A son we loved so dearly,  
A son who will always care.

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 eyes we can wipe away,  
But the pain in our hearts will always stay.  
(Sadly missed by your heart-broken parents Mam and Dad.)

**O'DONOGHUE** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Leslie O'Donoghue, Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin, who died on April 9, 1998, R.I.P.

One year has passed since that sad day,  
You closed your eyes and passed away;  
You left so quietly, without a fuss,  
And broke the hearts of all of us.  
Life goes on, we know that's true,  
But it's not the same since we lost you,  
No need for words except to say,  
You are loved and thought of every day.

(Sadly missed by your loving brother Brendan, sister-in-law Pauline, nieces Lyndsey and Donna and nephew Owen.)

**O'DONOGHUE** — First Anniversary of Leslie O'Donoghue, Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin, who died on April 9, 1998.

You always had a smile to share,  
A laugh, a joke, time to care,  
A wonderful nature, warm and true,  
These are the memories we have of you.

(Always remembered by your cousin Billy, Marie, Alan, Sharon and James.)

**O'DONOGHUE** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother, Leslie O'Donoghue, late of Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin, who died on April 9, 1998.

I want to tell you something, Leslie,  
I don't know where to start,  
I only know I miss you,  
From the bottom of my heart.  
I often lie awake at night,  
When the world is fast asleep,  
And take a trip down memory lane,  
With tears upon my cheek.

I remember a smile I would love to see,  
And a hand I would love to touch,  
I remember a voice I would love to hear,  
And a brother I love so much.

Lots of things have happened, Les,  
Since you passed away,  
Things you would have shared with us,  
If God had left you stay,  
But a heart of gold stopped beating.

Two smiling eyes took rest,  
It must be true when it is said,  
God only takes the best.  
(Your loving sister Marcia and Jimmy.)

**O'DONOGHUE** — First Anniversary — Treasured memories of a loving brother, Leslie O'Donoghue, Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin, who died on April 9, 1998.

We watched you suffer, we heard you sigh,  
But all we could do, was sit close by,  
We tried to be cheerful, to help you along,  
Knowing tomorrow might never come.

We watched and waited, all in vain,  
That God would make you well again,  
But God knew best, we had to part,

He eased your pain and broke our heart.  
Our lives go on without you,  
But things are not the same,  
It's hard to lift the heartache,  
When someone speaks your name.

Some will say as time goes by,  
The heartache will subside,  
But the feelings in our hearts today,  
Are the same as the day you died.  
The words we write are nothing like we feel,  
We miss you more than words can reveal,  
This year without you has been the longest we had,  
We treasure every thought of you,  
And keep you in our hearts,  
So if you see us crying and looking sad,  
It's because we love you and miss you from the bottom of our hearts.

To where you rest we travel,  
To where we feel most near,  
We place our flowers around you,  
And shed a silent tear.  
To us you were very special,  
What more is there to say,  
We only wish from our heart,  
That you were here today.  
(Always remembered and never forgotten, your loving brother Adrian and Chris.)

**O'DONOGHUE** — First Anniversary of Leslie O'Donoghue, Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin, who died on April 9, 1998.

I'm proud I was your godfather,  
I thought the world of you,  
To me you were someone special,  
You know I always loved you,  
If I could visit heaven,  
On this my saddest day,  
Maybe for a moment,  
The pain would go away,  
I'd put my arms around you,  
Les,

And say these words so true,  
My life has been so empty,  
Since the day I lost you.  
(From your loving uncle and godfather, Jim.)

**O'DONOGHUE** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Leslie O'Donoghue, Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin, who died on April 9, 1998.

Your name is often mentioned,  
Our thoughts are with you still,  
You'll never be forgotten, Leslie,  
By us you never will.

(Always remembered by your Uncle Matt and Sheila, Uncle Michael and all your cousins in Australia.)

**POWER** — Twenty-fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my Dad, Jackie Power, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1975. R.I.P.

On this your anniversary,  
My gift to you is a Mass,  
God has you in his keeping,  
I have you in my heart.

(Always remembered by your daughter Eileen and grandchildren James and Jacqueline, London.)

**POWER** — Sixth and Second Anniversaries — In loving memory of my dear father, James Power, late of 2, Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died on April 4, 1993, also my loving brother Martin who died on April 14, 1997. R.I.P.

Loving thoughts of times we shared together,  
Leaves memories that will last forever,  
Will those who think of them today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Fondly remembered — Norah, Michael, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.)

**PRENDERGAST** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of John Prendergast, late of 53, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 7, 1992.

Anniversary Mass in St. Mary's Parish Church on Saturday, April 10, at 7.30 p.m.  
In a near and silent graveyard,  
Where the trees their branches wave,  
Sleeps a kind and loving father,  
In his cold and silent grave.  
He bade no one a last farewell,  
He raised his hand to none,  
His spirit flew before he knew,  
That he from us had gone.  
(From your loving wife and family.)

**QUINLAN** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Bridget (Biddy) Quinlan, late of Kilmacow, Curraglass, who died on April 12, 1998.

We sat beside your bedside,  
Our hearts were crushed and sore,  
We did our duty to the end,  
Till we could do no more.  
In tears we watched you sinking,  
We watched you fade away,  
And though our hearts were breaking,  
We knew you could not stay.  
You left behind some aching hearts,  
That loved you most sincere,  
We never shall and never will,  
Forget you mother dear.  
A loving nature, a heart of gold,  
These are the memories we will always hold.

(Sadly missed by your loving daughter Claire and grandsons Ian and Michael.)



**TOBIN** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Andy Tobin, Cathal Brugha, Dungarvan, whose anniversary is on April 9.

Just a prayer from a family who loved you,  
Just a memory fond and true,  
In our hearts you live forever,  
Because we thought the world of you.

Although we smile and make no fuss,  
No one misses you more than us,  
And when old times we do recall,  
That's when we miss you most of all.

You taught us love and kindness,  
You showed us how to care,  
You taught us many things in life,  
But Andy, you never taught us how to cope,  
With the hurt of losing you.

(Sadly missed by your family, Catherine, son Anthony, daughters Aisling and Laura.)

**QUINLAN** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Bridget (Biddy) Quinlan, late of Kilmacow, Curraglass, who died on April 12, 1998.

We often sit and reminisce and have a smile or two,  
Fondly telling stories of the things you used to do,  
They bring a laugh, sometimes a tear,  
But always a wish that you were here..

So, rest in peace, dear Mom, and thanks for all you've done,  
We pray that God has given you the crown you've truly won.  
(Sadly missed by your loving daughter Angela, son-in-law Willie, granddaughters Sandra and Fiona.)

**TOBIN** — Twentieth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear father, James Tobin, late of Janeville, Tallow, who died on April 10, 1979. Rest in peace. Masses offered. Sacred Heart of Jesus pray for him.

A gentle breeze is blowing,  
On a quiet and lonely grave,  
Where the one we lost is resting,  
And can never be replaced.  
Time passes, memories stay,  
Loved and remembered, every day.

(Never forgotten by his loving family.)

**TWOHIG** — Fourth Anniversary — in loving memory of my dear father, Jerry Twohig, late of Whitechurch, Cappagh, who died on April 8, 1995. Masses offered.

Anniversary Mass in Ballinameela Church at 7.30 p.m. on Saturday, April 10.

I stood beside your bedside, Dad,  
Your hand I held so tight,  
I knew these were the last few breaths,  
That you would breathe that night.

And though my heart was breaking,  
There was nothing I could do,  
So I gently whispered in your ear,  
Goodbye and I love you so.  
(Sadly missed by his loving daughter Anne, son-in-law Paddy and grandchildren Dominic, Mark, Caroline and Jerry.)

**WALL** — Forty-eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of Bridget Wall (née Dahill), late of Mapstown, Dungarvan, who died on April 4, 1951.

It doesn't take a special day,  
For us to think of you,  
A day of remembrance, silently kept,  
Of one we loved and will never forget.  
Happy Easter with Dad and Philip.

Jesus and Mary, save souls.  
Queen of the Rosary pray for them.  
(Loved always — your loving family.)



**YOUNG** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my mother, Ellen Young, late of 53, Murphy Place, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, who died on April 10, 1998.

Mam, you were always there when we needed you,  
No task too great or small,  
With loving hands and loving heart,  
For us you did it all.

We speak your name with love and pride,  
We smile through tears we cannot hide,  
Thank you Mam for the years we shared,  
The love you gave and the way you cared.  
You often said we would miss you,  
Your words they have come true,  
We lost the best and dearest Mam,  
The day that we lost you.  
Will those who think of her today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Always remembered by your loving son Eugene, daughter-in-law Caroline and grandchildren Owen and Rachel.)

**YOUNG** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of our mother Ellen (Nellie) Young, late of 53, Murphy Place, Abbeyside, who died on Good Friday, April 10, 1998.

Mam, you were always there when we needed you,  
No task too great or small,  
With loving hands and a loving heart,  
For us you did it all.

We speak your name with love and pride,  
We smile through tears we cannot hide,  
Thank you Mam for the years we shared,  
The love you gave and the way you cared.  
You often said we would miss you,  
Your words they have come true,  
We lost the best and dearest Mam,  
The day we lost you.

Will those who think of her today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Lovingly remembered by Breda, Geraldine, Richard, Donal, Colin, Keith, Elaine, Conor, Ursula, Pamela, Eimear, Orla and Kevin.)



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## MARGARET PURCELL

Villierstown

The sons and daughters of the late Margaret Purcell wish to express their deepest gratitude to all who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, floral tributes; also those who attended the funeral and burial. We would like to thank Fr. Lucey, P.P., Fr. Power, Fr. Desmond, Fr. Arthur, P.P. and Fr. Francis; the sacristan, altar servers, gravediggers and M. J. Noonan, Funeral Directors. A special thanks to the matron and staff of St. Carthage's House, Lismore and also to the doctors and nurses in Waterford Regional Hospital for their kindness to Margaret during her illness; to her neighbours and friends and to the many others who had been so good to Margaret throughout the years; for all your help we say a special word of thanks.

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

## WILLIE POWER

Curragh, Ardmore

The wife and family of the late Willie Power wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who attended the rosary, funeral Mass and burial; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and floral tributes. A special word of thanks to Fr. Pat Butler, Canon D. O'Connor, Dr. J. Meehan and Nurse Olivere Walsh for their care and kindness during Willie's long illness. A very special word of thanks to our good friend and neighbour Ann Baker who took such good care of Willie during his final days. Thanks also to Egan Undertakers and gravediggers for their efficiency and courtesy.

As an expression of our gratitude the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

## KITTY LOWE

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We, Kitty's family, thank most sincerely everyone who sympathised with us on the death of our dear mother and who gave us such marvellous support during our grief. Friends who travelled long distances to be with us were a great comfort. We deeply appreciate everyone who joined us at this time. We would like to express our profound thanks to Very Rev. Fr. Richard Doherty P.P., Very Rev. Fr. William Dee, Mrs. Eileen O'Donovan (sacristan) and to the altarboys of St. Augustine's Church, Abbeyside for all their help. We are very grateful to everyone, our family members, friends old and new, neighbours and relatives in Ireland, Wales and England for their support, letters, phone calls, visits to the house, innumerable Mass offerings, sympathy messages and for all the beautiful floral tributes and to everyone who attended the services. Our thanks to our G.P. Dr. David Mahony and to the Matron, nursing and auxiliary staff of the District Hospital, Dungarvan who cared for Kitty during her illness and who were so kind and helpful when she died. Our thanks to the ambulance staff at Dungarvan for their assistance. To our beloved aunt Joan Whelan and our dear cousins Tina Boyd-Smith and Cathy Whelan, our deepest appreciation and gratitude for your constant and unflinching support and extra help during the past five years, it helped more than words can say. To our cousin Billy Kyne for his valiant endeavours on behalf of Kitty our warmest thanks and to Mr. David Kiely, Funeral Director for his efficient help and kindness.

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions with God's blessing by the Monks of Belmont Abbey, Hereford, England where we have many personal friends among the Benedictine community and also in Abbeyside Church.



## TOMMY GUIRY

Dromore, Aglish

Tommy's sister Kattie, brother Mick, sister-in-law Nellie, nephews and nieces, wish to thank most sincerely all who sympathised with them in their sad loss; those who attended the funeral services, called to the house, phoned, sent Mass cards or floral tributes. A special word of thanks to Fr. Lucey and Fr. Desmond; to doctor Pat Hill, Nurse Kearney and Nurse Prendergast, for the kindness and attention to Tommy over the years. The invaluable support given to us by Tommy's neighbours and friends at this time will never be forgotten. To Gardaí John Hunt and John Fleming and the members of the Cappoquin Fire Brigade we say a most sincere thanks. To Tom and James Drohan, Funeral Directors; Queenie, our chapel woman, Ned and John gravediggers, altar boys Brian and Alan Guiry, altar girls Marion Bailey and Aisling Memin, musicians, singers, pallbearers and all who helped to make Tommy's Requiem Mass so special — we will always be grateful.

As it is impossible to thank everyone individually, we trust that this acknowledgment will be accepted by all as a token of our appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Month's Mind Mass for Tommy will be on Thursday evening, April 8, at 8 p.m. at the home of Tom and Ann Curran. All are welcome to this Mass.

## MATT MOLONEY

Gortnadiha, Ring

The wife, family and many relatives of the late Matt Moloney, Gortnadiha, Ring wish to express their sincerest thanks to all who shared their recent sad loss. A thank you to all who sympathised, attended the funeral obsequies, telephoned, called to our home, sent Mass cards, letters, cards of sympathy and floral tributes. We were greatly consoled by the presence of V. Rev. Fr. J. Kiely P.P., V. Rev. Fr. C. Daly P.E., V. Rev. Fr. M. Enright P.P. and Rev. Fr. Connie (Matt's nephew). A sincere thank you to Drs. O'Sullivan, Brennock and Daly for all their care and attention. The crew of the ambulance service deserve our gratitude and also Tomás Maher (neighbour) who was a tower of strength and of great assistance. The kindness of our neighbours and friends was greatly appreciated. Our thanks to our many relatives who travelled long distances to be with us. To the grave diggers, altar servers a thank you. A very sincere thank you to David Kiely and Kiely Funeral Directors for all their professional advice, help and thoughtfulness.

As a token of our gratitude the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for all your intentions.

Months Mind Mass for Matt will be offered this Saturday April 10th at 7.30 p.m. in Ring Church.

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# Abbeyside Topics

## 'COURTY JUST MANAGE IT

BALLINACOURTY 1-11 DUNHILL 1-10

A fitter Dunhill team provided stern opposition to Ballinacourty in this second round league game played at the Abbeyside/Ballinacourty grounds on Easter Saturday last with the game commencing at 5.30 p.m.

Dunhill signified their intentions with a point in the first minute and added another long range point a minute later. Mickey Enright helped Ballinacourty settle when he popped over their first point. Dunhill again stretched their lead to two points but Willie Fennell kept Ballinacourty in touch when he kicked over a point with his left leg. The game flowed from end to end and again Dunhill pointed from way out on the right.

Ballinacourty were awarded two frees which John Foley and Michael Cosgrave duly pointed. Colin Keane stormed through the centre but shot wide. A passing movement involving John Foley, Dermot Melody and Michael Cosgrave sent Micky Enright clear and he found the back of the net. Ballinacourty were in the lead for the first time. Dunhill were stung into action and a crossfield move yielded a point. Michael Cosgrave fisted one over and W. Fennell added another to complete a passing movement that began deep in the Ballina-

courty half. Dunhill were determined and the corner-forward fisted a cross to the back of the net and they added two more points before half-time. Colin Keane equalled the scores just before the break when he pointed following a good solo run. The score at half-time was Ballinacourty 1-7 Dunhill 1-7.

### THE SECOND HALF

Willie Fennell passed to Colin Keane and he pointed. Dunhill pointed and the teams were level for the fourth time. The scoring rate which was good in the first half dropped significantly from this period on, possibly because the teams tired. A pass from Colin Keane sent Derek Hayes through for his first point. Dunhill pointed a free to level the scores once again. Another Colin Keane solo and another point. Dunhill continued to battle hard and equalised with six minutes remaining. Both teams battled for supremacy but gave the ball away too often. The decisive score came when Michael Cosgrave pointed to send the Ballinacourty supporters home happy.

Ballinacourty - A. Beatty, P. Shields, J. Organ, N. Thompson, G. Breen, L. Hurney, B. Cliffe, D. Hayes, D. Melody, W. Fennell, C. Keane, J. Foley, M. Cosgrave, M. Enright, A. Landers, P. Cunningham.

## 1957: Abbeyside Active On Many Fronts

As well as reaching their second County Senior Hurling Final Abbeyside senior hurlers also had a good run in the Sargent Cup. The competition was played on a league system in groups of four and so gave the players much needed competition. That was the intention of the County Board but unfortunately Fourmilewater did not field for the first round game against Abbeyside.

Round 1 - Abbeyside w.o. Fourmilewater d.n.f. at Dungarvan 13.1.

Round 2 - Dungarvan 3-2 Abbeyside 0-7 at Dungarvan 17.2.

Round 3 - Cappoquin 3-3 Abbeyside 2-3 at Cappoquin 24.3 Ref. M. Pollard.

The clash with the old rivals Dungarvan provided a highlight in that campaign and though short J. O'Connor, G. Flynn and T. Colender, Abbeyside could not find an excuse for that defeat.

As well as reaching the County Minor Hurling Final the minor footballers also had a good run as Abbeyside Rovers reached the western semi-final.

Round 1 - Abbeyside Rovers 4-7 St. Garvan's Rovers 3-2 at Dungarvan 28.4.

Round 2 - Abbeyside Rovers 4-7 Dungarvan 1-1 at Dungarvan 18.8. Ref. L. Crotty.

Round 3 (semi-final) - Rinn Ó gCuanach 1-4 Abbeyside Rovers 0-0 at Dungarvan 6.9. Ref. W. McGrath.

### JUNIOR FOOTBALL

The Pike were entered for junior football as well as

Ballinacourty.

Round 1 - Stradbally 1-12 The Pike 0-2 at Dungarvan 14.4. Ref. T. Coughlan.

In Round 1 Ballinacourty defeated Kilrossanty and then had a good win over Faha at Dungarvan. However in Round 3 Old Parish scored a comprehensive victory on a scoreline Old Parish 1-5 Ballinacourty 0-2. This game was played at Dungarvan.

### SHEEHAN CUP VICTORY

This competition was played among the majority of national school teams in the west with the smaller country schools amalgamating to provide stern opposition for the larger town schools. In 1957 Abbeyside had an outstanding victory and the team lined out as follows -

R. McGrath, J. O'Regan, D. Egan, R. Cashin, V. Condon, N. Browne, M. Kelly, T. Kiely, A. Cashin, A. McGovern, P. Breen, T. Leahy (capt.), P. Enright, S. Whelan, J. Breen.

### C.B.S. LEAGUE

The older boys were also distinguishing themselves in the Dungarvan C.B.S. League in which they qualified for the final play-off with Dungarvan North.

League Final: Abbeyside 7-3 Dungarvan North 3-2.

Abbeyside - J. Hickey, G. Kyne, J. Browne, C. O'Mahony, P. Tyrrell, M. Regan, D. O'Mahony, J. Cullinane, W. O'Donoghue, P. Barron, L. Enright, M. O'Dea, J. Duggan, J. Dalton, D. Earley. Subs: J. O'Dea, D. Bulfin, M. Bulfin, L. Kelly, P. O'Neill, W. Barron.

## PRESTIGIOUS AWARD FOR CLAIRE KENNEALLY

A few months ago Claire's deed of valour in rescuing a number of people who were trapped in a blazing building in Fermoy was well publicised and lauded by the media. Last week local people were delighted to learn that she was the people's choice as "The Sunshine Person of the Year" which is a very prestigious award. She was the runaway winner and her selection from a group of other brave people was almost unanimous.

Claire, who is daughter of Francie and Ann Kenneally, Strandside South, was presented with her magnificent Bronze Trophy by Simon Young of 2FM Radio at a special celebration ceremony in Dublin. Her work for the local community in the Fermoy area in other respects has won her much respect and popularity in the North Cork area.



Pictured above is an Abbeyside entrant in the St. Patrick's Day Parade — The "One Bug Band."

### ABBEYSIDE SOCCER CLUB HOST CASTLEKNOCK CELTIC

Castleknock who cater for 26 schoolboy teams are sending an under-13 team to play the local team in a practice game at the Abbeyside venue.

The visitors will be in the locality for the weekend of April 10/11. They will play the Abbeyside boys in two games - the first on Saturday at 3.30 p.m. and the second game at 11.30 a.m. on Sunday.

We wish the local club all the best for their latest venture.

## Abbeyside Reference Archive

A couple of weeks ago we had a letter from our good friend in Dublin 9, Tom Veale. As always it contained a wealth of information with particulars of the Veale family being both given and sought. It also contained a chronological sort of the Waterford Harbour Shipping Records in the National Archive Dublin with ships where the Masters name was Veale.

It starts on the 14th February 1817 with the ship "St. Patrick and Bridget" bringing 50 ton of mixed goods from Cork to Waterford and the Master being Laurence Veale.

The list ends on 2nd April 1896 with the ship "Octavia" bringing 73 tons of coal from Cardiff. The Master being Laurence Veale. Between both entries lies a mine of maritime information.

This Sunday Emma Flynn will be minding the treasures at the Parish Office where all visitors will be welcome to come along and browse at leisure.

We are promised a visit by a V.I.P. from across the water. The water being the River Colligan and not the Irish Sea. She will be most welcome in Abbeyside none the less if all works out to plan.

### KITTY WHELAN-LOWE R.I.P.

Kitty was the oldest and the last surviving member of a very old and respected Abbeyside family who lived in Shears Street for generations. Domiciled in Gwent, Wales for most of her life, she never lost touch with the village and about 25 years ago when a photographic exhibition was displayed in Abbeyside School Hall, Kitty wrote a poem about old Abbeyside especially for the occasion. We share the poem with you below.

### ABBEYSIDE

A pretty village by the sea,  
Unchanged by time at least to me.  
The scenic views are truly grand,  
From every point around that land.  
The hills, the sea, the church and strand,  
Lovely harbour, peaceful bay,  
Famous archway, quaint old quay,  
All joined up by the old Causeway.  
Dear old pond where I loved to play,  
Or watch the ships berth at the quay.  
Same old walks, the lodge, Lands End,  
The Cove, with strand just round the bend.  
Happy days I oft recall,  
Friendly neighbours good and kind,  
Who helped the sick, the lame and blind.  
That village spirit soaring high,  
Like seagulls to the clear blue sky.  
To those still there,  
God stretch your lease,  
To those departed,  
Rest in peace.

— K. LOWE.

### APOSTOLIC WORK SOCIETY

The above are holding their annual flag days on Saturday/Sunday, April 10/11. Please support

### A FUNNY STORY

A husband and wife drove for miles in silence after a terrible argument in which neither would budge. The husband pointed to a mule in a pasture. "Relative of yours?" he asked. "Yes," she replied, "by marriage."

## A Community Centre In Abbeyside?

Is it needed here? Can a site be found and can the money be raised to erect such a building? Are there enough people interested and ready to put their shoulders to the wheel to do whatever is necessary to achieve it?

### SPECIAL MEETING

These challenges will be put to the test at a special meeting of all interested people on Tuesday next, April 13. The meeting is scheduled to be held at Scoil Mhuire Hall at 8 p.m. and everyone with an interest in having such a facility is invited.

The meeting is being called by the members of the Pattern Committee who feel that there is a great need for such a project. There has been a demand for some time now on the part of the local community for such an amenity in our continually growing area. The people of Abbeyside feel that most areas of our size have community centres where social outlets are provided for young and old. It is not intended that this will be a Pattern Committee undertaking. They are merely 'floating' the idea or in other words they are 'testing the waters'. For that they are to be complimented and are deserving of wholehearted support from the people of Abbeyside. So remember the date Tuesday, April 13, Scoil Mhuire Hall at 8 p.m.

Would it be possible to make this our Millennium Project?





Officials, players and parents trying out the new hurling aid at St. Augustine's College indoor hall.

## Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA Club Notes

### COUNTY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

**Ballinacourty 1-11 Dunhill 1-10** — Ballinacourty Senior footballers recorded their second win in the Co. league on Saturday evening last when they had a single point to spare over Dunhill at the club grounds in a well contested encounter.

Ballinacourty team; A. Beatty, P. Shields, J. Organ, N. Thompson, G. Breen, L. Hurney, B. Cliffe, D. Melody, D. Hayes, W. Fennell, C. Keane, C. Barrett, J. Foley, M. Cosgrave, M. Enright. Subs used, Alan Landers and P. Cunningham.

### PHELAN CUP

Ballinacourty are listed to play in the Phelan Cup against Ring at the Fraher Field on Sunday evening next, 11th Feb. at 7.00 pm.

### WESTERN HURLING LEAGUE

Abbeyside Intermediate hurlers commence their divisional league campaign on Saturday evening next when they travel to Knockanore to play Shamrocks. This game has a 7.00 pm throw in.

### UNDER 16 AFFAIRS

Abbeyside U-16 footballers await the winners of the Ardmore v Dungarvan semi-final to know their opponents in the Western Final on the weekend 17th/18th April. Team manager Pakie Hurney and his fellow selectors Pat Moore, Joe Cleary, Neill Moore and Noel Fleming have much work to do as they prepare their charges for what will be their sternest test to date.

Three of our players Sean Kiely, John Hurney and Jimmy Moore played on the West Waterford U-16 hurling team which defeated the Car-

rigdown division from Cork at the Fraher Field on Saturday last while Sean Cleary and Liam Briggs were on the bench. They will also be involved against East Waterford on Saturday next also in the Munster Championship.

### COMMITTEE MEETING

An important meeting of the club committee will be held on Thursday night next at the Parish office at 8.00 pm.

### SYMPATHY

The club extends its sympathy to the members of the Kiely family, Clash, Ballinacourty on the death of their mother, Mrs. Catherine Kiely, her son Mick Kiely was a truly great dual player with the club in the 50's, 60's and early 70's while her grandson Ian is the clubs current adult football team manager.

Sympathy also to Benny and Billy Lowe on the death of Kitty Whelan/Lowe who was the last surviving member of the Whelan family, Shears St., Abbeyside, whose members served our club with great loyalty over the years.

### SATURDAY MORNING COACHING SESSION

Another big turn out is expected on Saturday morning next at the club grounds from 10.30 am to 12 noon. The future of our club depends upon always looking to the next generation of players and with plenty of coaches on hand good progress is being achieved.

### UNDER 21 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

**Clashmore 0-9 Ballinacourty 0-7** — Disappointing result from Bushy Park on Monday last as Ballinacourty U-21 footballers went under to Clashmore. The "woodwork" twice denied us scores in the second period while the absence through injury of Co. Minor Shane Briggs did not help our cause, yet we had our chances and can have no excuses. Best wishes are extended to Clashmore on the next round.

Team; G. McCarthy, B.

Hayes, S. Sheehan, N. Thompson, N. Dwane, J. Phelan, E. Cashin, G. Hurney, E. Hayes, A. Donnelly, R. McCarthy, C. Keane, V. Tobin, P. Cummins, S. Burns. Subs used K. Power and R. Cliffe.

### UNDER 13 HURLING TOURNAMENT

We had a win over Youghal on Tuesday night. Score 4-4 to 1-4.

Team; Darrell Ryan, Cian Moloney, John Kindergan, Anthony Whelan, Tiernan Murray, Joey Mullin (Capt), Richard Foley, Mark Gorman, Mark Fives, Jason O'Brien, Patrick Hurney, Brian Scanton, Shane Donnelly, Peter Phelan, Mark Ferncombe, subs, John Cosgrave, Diarmuid O'Hare, Donncha En-

right, David Hickey, Edward Moore and Sean O'Hare.

### UNDER 14 FOOTBALL (FEILE PEIL)

Saturday 17th April we play the winners of Ardmore/Dungarvan in Cappoquin at 2.00 pm.

### UNDER 14 HURLING FIXTURES

Wednesday May 5th at home to Ballyduff. Wednesday May 12th away to Dungarvan. Wednesday May 19th away to Lismore.

### UNDER 12 HURLING FIXTURES

Sunday May 9th away to Dungarvan. Friday May 21st home to Lismore. Friday May 28th home to Fourmilewater. Friday June 4th away to St. Oliver's.

## Geraldine's GAA Notes

### MINI LOTTO

The numbers drawn in last weeks lotto were 14-15-21. There was no jackpot winner. The five lucky £10 winners were James Kennedy, Villierstown; Christy Morrissey, Villierstown; Sarah Corkey, Aglish; Joe and Michael, c/o Blackwater Group; Fiona Sinnott, Dungarvan. Next week's jackpot is £800 and the draw will take place in the Bridge Bar.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Paul and Ann Hallahan, Aglish on the birth of a baby girl. Congratulations to Anthony Morrissey, Villierstown who celebrated his 21st birthday during the week. Congratulations to Joanie Morrissey, Villierstown who won £100 at Bingo and to Emma O'Keeffe who won £50 at Bingo also. Congratulations to James Ronayne, Villierstown who won a weekend away in Killarney for two at Hurley's Filling Station, Aglish.

### FOOTBALL LEAGUE

In Cappoquin last Saturday evening De La Salle beat us by 4 points. This was a good open game of football with everyone playing well. The score was 0-12 to 0-8. Our fitness was level and releasing the ball a bit sooner may have cost us a few more scores.

Team; A. Walsh, T. Lonergan, T. Curran, J. Tobin, P. Connery, N. Ahearne, T. Keane, K. Cotter, D. Cullinane, D. Tobin, A. Cotter, M. Murray, C. Radley, L. Maher, B. Connery, sub used S. Ronayne.

### MEMBERSHIP

Again we are reminding those people who have not paid their membership to pay it.

## Clashmore G.A.A. Club Notes

### LOTTO

There was no winner of last week's jackpot. The numbers drawn were 7, 8, 13, 14. The winners of £10 each were Keith, c/o The Old Still; Tom Joyce, Clashmore; Jack O'Halloran, Kinsalebeg; John Cliffe, Clashmore; P. Donovan, Reanaboola. Next week's draw will take place in The Old Mill, Piltown on Monday next, April 12 at 10.30 p.m. for a £1,500 jackpot. Tickets are only £1 and available from usual sellers and outlets.

### HURLING LEAGUE

The Western Board Div. 1 Hurling League commences on this Saturday evening. In our first game we are away to Dungarvan with a 7 p.m. start. All players to be at the venue at 6.30 p.m.

### FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The Western Board Junior Football League will commence on Friday, April 16. We are in Div. 2 of this league. Our opponents in the first game will be Kilrossanty. Throw-in is at 7 p.m. in Clashmore.

### COUNTY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Our next game in the Ryan's Super Valu League will take place on Saturday, April 17 in Clashmore. Throw-in time is 7 p.m. and our opponents will be last year's County Intermediate winners Ballinacourty.

### BON VOYAGE

Best of luck to Brian Murray who heads off to the U.S.A. on Monday next. Brian will be a huge loss to our intermediate football and junior hurling teams.

### UNDER-21 FOOTBALL

#### Clashmore 0-9 Ballinacourty 0-7

We had a great win in the Western Under-21 'A' Football Championship last Monday with a two point victory over Ballinacourty. This was an excellent display by our team and we now meet Stradbally in the semi-final. I understand this game will take place over the May Bank Holiday Weekend. Man of the match was Aidan O'Rourke.

Team: Declan Hickey, Philip Dee, Noel McGrath, Barry Dunne, Ed Beresford, Paudie Allen, Aidan O'Rourke, Karl O'Keeffe, Stephen Barron (0-4), Michael Cliffe, Roger Ryan (0-2), Fionn McGregor, Seamus Budds, Mark Power (0-1), Gerry O'Rourke (0-2). Subs: Cormac Allen for S. Budds, William Collins, Chris Coughlan and Owen Hickey.

### CLONAKILTY 7-A-SIDE

We made our annual trip to Clonakilty last weekend for the 7-a-side football tournament. This year we were in a group with four senior teams - O'Donovan Rossa 'A' and 'B', Dohneys and Aghada. We had some great games but our serious lack of fitness compared to the senior teams meant we ran out of steam in some of the games.

Panel of players: Brian O'Neill, Vincent O'Rourke, Brian Murray, Michael Cliffe, Declan Hickey, Paudie Allen, Pat Hynes, Conor O'Riordan, Joe Salmon and Seamus O'Rourke. Our best player over the four games was Joe Salmon.

### JUVENILE CLUB NOTES

**Parish League** — The Under-14 Hurling League continues on Friday at 2.30 p.m. Once again the serious lack of helpers in running this league is a major problem so any adults free on Friday afternoon for an hour or so please come along and give Timmy a hand.

### LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB NOTES

**Under-16 Football** — We were well beaten by Old Parish in the Under-16 Football Championship last Monday night.

Team: Geraldine Daly, Roisin O'Halloran, Yvonne Coughlan, Saoirse Fitzgerald, Louise Coughlan, Aileen Barron, Aine Lombard, Cliona O'Keeffe, Una Leahy, Evelyn Trihy, Mary O'Rourke, Catherine O'Keeffe, Michelle Keogh, Caoimhe O'Donnell, Jean Byrne. Subs: Bridget Hickey for Saoirse Fitzgerald, Aisling O'Donnell for Evelyn Trihy, Roisin Griffin for Michelle Keogh.

## Colligan Black & Amber Lotto

Draw held on 5th April. There was no jackpot winner. Numbers drawn were 1-12-17. £25 winners; Hannah Fraher, c/o John Flynn and Joe Burns, c/o Mary Tobin. Next week's jackpot £700.



# Red House League News

FIXTURES FOR SUNDAY APRIL 11TH

Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup Final at 3.00 pm in Brideview Park, Tallow:

**Ardmore v Cappoquin**

Referee Pat Walsh. Referees assistants, Leonard Fraser, Michael O'Neill.

Division Two promotion play-off:

**Clashmore Ramblers v Inch**

(Willie Collins). Venue to be announced.

## DIVISION TWO LEAGUE TABLE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
Mogeely	14	9	3	2	33	21	30
Clashmore Ramblers	14	7	1	6	26	24	22
Inch	14	6	4	4	23	29	22
Blackwater Rangers	14	5	2	7	31	28	17
Gortroe	14	4	5	5	30	29	17
An Ghaeltacht	14	5	2	7	38	45	17
*Youghal	14	4	4	6	18	20	16
Ballybridge United	14	4	2	8	27	29	14

\* Youghal have withdrawn from the league.

## RED HOUSE LEAGUE DRAW

Anyone with any ideas should contact Pat Casey or Paddy Pollard or myself with regards to the running or otherwise of the draw.

# West Waterford Motor Sport Ltd.

## AUTOGRASS RACING THIS WEEKEND

Adverse weather conditions last weekend forced the postponement of West Waterford Motor Sport's first Autograss Racing event of the '99 season. It has been decided to race on April 11th (Sunday next).

Racing will start at 1.30 pm and scrutiny will be on Sunday morning between 11 am and 12.30 pm. Classes 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 as well as Ladies and Juniors will be run. Racing will take place at their new venue in Ballysaggart and the event is sponsored by Rose's West End Bar, Lismore. Prize giving will be held there after racing.

## TRACK PREPARATION

All members are asked to attend to put the final touches in preparing the track. Members will meet at 2 pm sharp on Saturday April 10th.

# West Waterford Golf & Country Club Ladies Notes

**EASTER COMPETITION 18 HOLE STABLEFORD**  
1st; Vera Nugent (14) 38 pts. 2nd; Marie Lenane (27) 38 pts. Gross; Tess Reynolds (12) 37 pts. 3rd; Bridget Broderick (37) 37 pts.

**18 HOLE ON-GOING COMPETITION**  
1st; Lyla O'Dwyer (24) 29 pts. Cat 0 - 20; Vera Nugent (14) 28 pts. Cat 20 - 45; Phil Kelly (37) 27 pts.  
**9 Hole Monthly (2 Cards Competition)**  
1st; Joan Curran (37) 37 pts. 2nd; Bridget Broderick (37) 35 pts. 3rd; Phil Kelly (37) 34 pts.

## FIXTURES

Thursday 8th April, Open 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by Rich Rags Boutique. Club, 18 Hole on-going, 9 Hole Monthly sponsored by Bridget Spratt. Monday 12th April, I.L.G.U. League at West Waterford (2nd Round). Best wishes to all our teams.



BLACKWATER HOUSE, CAPPOQUIN SPONSOR TOGS AND SOCKS FOR CAPPOQUIN SOCCER CLUB for their Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup Final clash next Sunday against Ardmore. At the presentation were (l. to r.) Michael Looby, Club Chairman, Pat Landers, Blackwater House, Pat Curran, Club President, Killian and Tommy O'Sullivan. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

## LOCAL ATHLETIC NEWS

# DUNGARVAN CREDIT UNION HILL RUNNING LEAGUE

The second stage of the Dungarvan Credit Union Hill Running League was held in ideal weather conditions last Wednesday evening. The ever dependable Noel Doherty was on hand once again to see the runners off on a handicap basis, and after 30.00 minutes of running the stage honours this week goes to Derek Lyons, running for the under 40's. But Derek had his work cut out to catch young Shane Power who set a blistering pace from the word go, it was only in the final 600 meters

that Derek passed the improving young Power. This gave Derek the fastest time 34.10, the under 40's now have a good lead over the over 40's with just two weeks remaining, the scoring is under 40's on 34 points and the over 40's have 50 points but anything can happen with the handicap system in place over the remaining weeks. Remember you must have run

three of the four nights to be eligible to receive a prize. For the winning team there will be a draw with three prizes being raffled among the team, prizes sponsored by Dungarvan Credit Union. Next round tonight, Wednesday 7th at 6.15 pm. See you there.

## RESULTS FROM LAST WEEK

1st; Derek Lyons 30.47.  
2nd; Shane Power 45.18.

3rd; Michael Roche 34.49.  
4th Vincent Tutty 37.13.  
5th; John Whelan 34.55.  
6th; Tony Shalloe 35.43.  
7th; Albert McGrath 47.03.  
8th; Anthony Dwyer 35.53.  
9th; Ailish Hayes 39.32.  
10th; Eoin O'Riordan 34.10. 11th; Michael Dwyer 36.41. 12th; Dermot Dwyer 36.45. 13th; Paul Keating 37.06. 14th; Tim Foley 34.19. 15th; Michael Deegan 48.51.

# RYAN'S SUPER VALU 10K ON SUNDAY WEEK

## QUIZ NIGHT

Michael Roche has asked me to remind all athletes that his table quiz will be held again this Friday night at 9 pm in Paddy Foley's, The Square with all proceeds going to the club. So, please all make a big effort to come along to the quiz this Friday night, a great night is assured.

## SPEEDY RECOVERY

A speedy recovery is extended to Siobhan O'Mahoney who underwent an operation recently, hope to see you up and about again soon Siobhan.

## WEST WATERFORD MEETING

A committee meeting of West Waterford Athletic Club will be held tonight, Wednesday April 7th at 9 pm in Bridie Dee's Bar, Mary St.

The final race in this year's Michael Roche Carpets Spring Series will be held next Sunday week the 18th April at 2.30 pm. This race, the Dungarvan 10K is now in its 17 year. This year's race is once again very kindly sponsored by Ryan's Super Valu, Main St., Dungarvan, and the organisers West Waterford Athletic Club are thankful for the continued support of Ryan's and the interest shown in athletics in the Dungarvan area. The race last year saw a top class field when we had athletes from seven different counties represented. The winner last year was Peter Duggan who held off the challenge of no other than Dick Hooper, with the ladies race going to Marie Murphy of University Limerick. With 94 athletes in the race last year we should see a very large field again this year.

## RACE CATEGORIES

Mens; First 6 men, first 3 over 40, first 3 over 45, first over 50, first over 55, first over 60, first junior, first 2 teams of 3 outside prize winners.

Ladies; First 4 ladies, first 2 over 35, first junior.

**MICKY ROCHE MEMORIAL TROPHY**  
Presented by the Power family, Mitchell St. in 1995. The Micky Roche Memorial trophy is presented annually to the first local lady to finish the race, the previous winners of this trophy are Rebecca Harty 1995, Deirdre Travers 1996, Rebecca Harty 1997 and Carrie Foley last year 1998.

## CASH BONUS FOR BEATING COURSE RECORDS

A cash bonus will be awarded to any runner who can beat any of the course records held over this 10K event. Senior Men, Liam O'Brien, East Cork 29.50 1987. Senior Ladies, Liz Bullen, Dungarvan 35.32 1991. Highest Place Lady, Mary Sweeney, St. Finbarr's 23rd 1997. Over 40 Men, Noel Grace, Clonmel A.C. 30.50 1988. Over 50 Men, Myles McHugh, Clonmel A.C. 32.12 1988. Over 50 Men, Derry O'Driscoll, St. Finbarr's 32.55 1988. Over 35 Ladies, Mary Sheehan, Grange/Fermoy 36.21 1994. Wheelchair, John Fulam, Limerick 29.01 1993. Junior Men, Philip Harty, West Waterford 32.48 1996. Junior Woman, Deirdre Travers, West Waterford 42.19 1996. Lowest team total, Clonmel A.C. 1993. Highest Race entry, 152 in 1993.

## RACE DETAILS

The race entries will be taken by kind permission at St. Mary's Primary School, Mitchell St. from 1.30 pm onwards. The presentation of prizes will take place in Paddy Foley's Bar, The Square after the race, race entry is £4.00. A Ryan's Super Valu goodie bag will be presented to all race finishers. Mr. Lar Hart, Chairman of Dungarvan Urban District Council will be the honorary race starter this year and the Dungarvan Pipe Band will play the National Anthem before the race starts.



# IRWIN'S Schoolboy Leagues

## Cup Wins For Kilworth Celtic, Ballybridge United And Ardmore

A busy week for Cup Finals in particular starting last Thursday with Ballybridge Utd. defeating Valley Rangers in the Under-15 Charlie McCarthy Insurances Cup Final. Then last Monday Ardmore beat Castlebridge Celtic on penalties in the under-11 final before failing to Kilworth Celtic, also on penalties in the Liam Walshe & Associates Under-17 Cup Final.

### UNDER-17 LIAM WALSH & ASSOCIATES CUP FINAL

## Kilworth Win In Dramatic Fashion

**KILWORTH CELTIC 1 ARDMORE 1** (Kilworth Win 4-3 On Sudden Death Penalties)

This was a game that many neutrals were looking forward to after last year's thriller but it never reached any great heights and although the game went to extra-time and penalties, there was never a great deal of excitement for the supporters.

The game got off to a really bright start with Kilworth having a goal disallowed in the opening minute. They took the lead after two minutes when a Tommy Seymour free-kick eluded the Ardmore defence and Russell O'Brien got the faintest touch to divert the ball into the net. Ardmore came back straight away and were unlucky on a couple of occasions not to level.

It was all Ardmore but Kilworth held firm until the 24th min. when Niall Hennessey levelled following a goalmouth scramble. There was little else in the first half and the sides were level at the start of the second period. Ardmore continued to have the better chances in the second half but the game deteriorated and the inevitable extra-time arrived with the sides still level. It was in extra-time that Ardmore came closest to claiming the title when on two occasions

they appeared to be about to score but the game went to penalties with Kilworth emerging victorious after a sudden death shoot out.

Best for Ardmore were Derek Cronin, Jason Lenane, Niall Hennessey and Richie Hennessey. Best for Kilworth were Alan Kearney, Tom Drislane, Chris Reihan, Eoin Walsh and Brian Tobin.

**Kilworth Celtic** - Alan Kearney, Brian Walsh, Paul Slattery, Tom Drislane, Chris Reihan, Eoin Walsh, Joe Aherne, Brian Tobin, Damien O'Donoghue, Russell O'Brien, Tommy Seymour. Res.: Eoin McCormack, Stephen Drislane, Daniel Lane, Kevin Drislane, Pat O'Brien, Will Hennessey, Ned O'Brien, Joe Cahill.

**Ardmore** - Declan O'Donnell, Mark Healy, Derek Cronin, Conor O'Connor, David Reilly, Jason Lenane, Gary North, Tony McCarthy, Billy Harty, Niall Hennessey, Vincent McCarthy. Res.: Wayne Hennessey, Richie Hennessey, David Power, Tomds Crawford.

Referee: Pat Walsh. Assistants: Billy Collins and Noel O'Leary.

### UNDER-11 CUP FINAL

## Ardmore Come Out On Top In Classic Cup Final

**ARDMORE 1 CASTLEBRIDGE CELTIC 1** (Ardmore Win 2-1 On Sudden Death Penalties)

A really big crowd witnessed a fantastic Cup Final in Conna last Monday between two fully committed sides. Ardmore went into the final as red hot favourites but it was Castlebridge who began best and they took the lead after 11 mins. when Ambrose McCurtin lobbed the 'keeper from 20 yards. Jack Revins went close for Ardmore four minutes later but it was Celtic who went nearest to scoring again when shots from McCurtin and John Verling both went close. Almost out of the blue, Ardmore drew level a minute before the break when Pádraig Healy found himself free and he fired home. Ardmore then went close to taking the lead but their effort was ruled off-side.

In the second half there were even more chances with Ardmore's Decian Barron twice going close. At the other end Leo Sexton fired wide and James Sexton went close from the edge of the area. The game went into extra-time and although there were no clear cut chances, Castlebridge finished the stronger and so the game went to penalties. This has never been a satisfactory way to settle games but up to now no one has come up with a better way. Ardmore came out on top this time but it must be said that Castlebridge more than played their part in a fantastic Cup Final.

Tops for Ardmore were Decian Barron, Jack Revins, Paddy O'Donnell and Shane Power. Celtic's best were

Kieran Hickey, J. J. Murphy, Colman O'Connell, Rio Sexton, James Sexton, Ambrose McCurtin.

**Ardmore** - Declan O'Reilly, David Hennessey, Michael Fitzgerald, Declan Barron, Shane Power, Pádraig Healy, Brian Keane, James Flavin, Jack Revins, Paddy O'Donnell, Cormac Nugent. Subs: Neville Quinn, Edward Fitzgerald, Robert Faherty, Dara Harty, Paul Lynch and Sean Quinn.

**Castlebridge Celtic** - Kieran Hickey, J. J. Murphy, Brendan Hoare, Colman O'Connell, Killian Smyth, Andrew Shanahan, Leo Sexton, Gerald O'Brien, John Verling, James Sexton, Ambrose McCurtin. Subs: Ian Ronayne, Brian O'Donovan, Kevin Kenny.

Referee: Noel O'Leary. Assts.: Billy Collins and Pat Walsh.

### UNDER-15 CHARLIE MCCARTHY CUP FINAL

## Brilliant Ballybridge Win U-15 Cup Final

**BALLYBRIDGE UTD. 3 VALLEY RANGERS 0**

Three classic goals were the feature of this game. Previously unbeaten league leaders, Valley Rangers were going for part one of the double while United were hoping to compensate for a season that had once promised so much. The game began with Valley slightly on top but Ballybridge slowly got on top and after creating a number of half chances, they took the lead a minute before the break. Bryan McCarthy fed the ball to Emmett O'Brien and his far post cross was headed home by Trevor Dineen. Disaster struck Valley within a minute of the restart when a Bryan McCarthy corner was headed home by Mark Hodnett. Ballybridge were totally dominant at this stage and a rattled Valley side had John Mulcahy to be grateful for as he made three important saves to keep his side in with an outside chance. Rangers tried hard to peg a goal back and for about ten minutes they put a lot of pressure on the United goal but with no reward. Just to compound their misery, Ballybridge added a third goal when Bryan McCarthy received a ball 12 yards out and fired home an unstoppable shot.

Valley had good performances from 'keeper John Muicahy, Matthew Harpur, Alan Carr and Niall Riordan. Best for Ballybridge were Patrick Hegarty, Emmett O'Brien, Micheál Rohan, Daniel Ryan and Bryan McCarthy.

Referee: Paul Marks. Assts.: Maurice Hartnett and Dean Tidy.

## League Results

### UNDER-17 LEAGUE

**Brideview Utd. 3 Ardmore 2**

One of the most eventful games of the season saw title chasers Brideview Utd. face cup finalists Ardmore last Thursday evening.

United, playing their penultimate game, needed to win this game and they began in great style racing into a 2-0 interval lead with goals from Michael and Thomas Goulding. Things changed dramatically in the second period when Gary North scored twice in an eight minute spell. The visitors were well on top and Brideview were lucky when Ardmore had two goals disallowed for offside and also survived thanks to the woodwork. A draw was of no use to the homeside and in a desperate last minute, centre-half Mossie McGrath scored a great goal from the edge of the area to claim the three points for Brideview.

### UNDER-13 LEAGUE

**Ballybridge Utd. 4 Clashmore Ramblers 2**

Alan Crotty scored twice early on to give United a 2-0 lead but Ramblers hit back with two goals from Cillian O'Keefe to leave the sides level at the break. John Thomas Gould put Ballybridge ahead midway through the second half and United secured the points when Alan Crotty completed his hat-trick.

**Valley Rangers 7 Cappoquin/Affane 0**

Rangers remain in the hunt for honours after their easy victory. Brian Hogan set Rangers on the way while Kevin Cotter hit three, Richie O'Connell two and Ronan Carr also scored.

### UNDER-11 LEAGUE

**Valley Rangers 2 Cappoquin/Affane 3**

Cappoquin/Affane got their first win of the season last Saturday when they won by the odd goal in five.

## Fixtures For This Week

**Thurs., April 8**

**Under-15 League** — Brideview Utd. v Castlebridge Celtic at 7 p.m. Ref. Noel O'Donoghue.

**Fri., April 9**

**Under-15 League** — Kilworth Celtic v Valley Rangers at 7 p.m. Ref. Paul Marks.

**Sat., April 10**

**Under-14 Kennedy Cup in Youghal** — Irwin's League v West Cork League. Ref. Willie Collins. Assts. Dean Tidy and Noel O'Leary.

**Under-13 League** — Ardmore v Valley Rangers at 12 noon. Ref. Tommy Sullivan.

**Sun., April 11**

**Under-17 League** — Brideview Utd. v Castlebridge Celtic at 5.30 p.m. Ref. Dean Tidy.

**Sun., April 11**

**Under-13 League** — Brideview Utd. v Castlebridge Celtic at 7 p.m. Ref. Dean Tidy.

## Next Delegate Meeting

This will take place on Monday night, April at The Devonshire Arms Hotel in Tallow. The meeting will begin at 8.45 p.m. for delegates and at 8 p.m. for the committee. The fixture list for the under-10 and under-8 leagues will be made on that night.

## CORRECTION

Please note that my mobile phone number has changed to (087) 6859275 which is not the number that appeared last week due to my own mistake.

## Youghal Community Radio

We would like to thank Youghal Community Radio for their involvement in our games in recent weeks. As well as live coverage of the Under-15 Final, there were also regular updates from the other three finals and the Kennedy Cup match with West Cork. There are also weekly interviews on the programme and I have been told that the under-8 and under-10 leagues will receive a similar profile.

## KENNEDY CUP GAME

Next Saturday will see our second game in this competition. Our opponents will be West Cork who, like ourselves, suffered a 3-0 defeat at the hands of the Cork team. The selectors are hoping for a better result on Saturday and confidence is high that the team will perform on the day. The game kicks off at 2.30 p.m. at Ard Rath Park, Youghal.



## IRWIN'S SCHOOLBOY LEAGUE TABLES

### U-17 LEAGUE

	Pl	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Valley Rangers	9	7	0	2	29	15	21
Brideview United	8	6	1	1	31	16	19
Lismore	9	6	1	2	23	14	19
Clashmore Rbls.	9	5	1	3	28	18	16
Ardmore	9	4	1	4	25	15	13
Pinewood Rgs.	9	3	3	3	16	20	12
Castlebridge Cel.	8	2	3	3	15	19	9
Kilworth Celtic	9	2	2	5	20	23	8
Cork Rd. Celtic	9	2	2	5	16	29	8
Araglen*	9	0	0	9	5	38	0

### U-15 LEAGUE

	Pl	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Valley Rangers	7	5	2	0	25	8	17
Ardmore	8	5	2	1	18	10	17
Brideview United	8	5	1	2	32	16	16
Ballybridge Utd.	8	5	1	2	22	19	16
Blackstone Rovers	8	4	2	2	24	16	14
Youghal Celtic	8	4	0	4	26	19	12
Kilworth Celtic	8	4	0	4	21	19	12
Clashmore Rbls.	8	2	0	6	16	26	6
Castlebridge Cel.	6	1	0	5	10	32	3
Lismore	9	0	0	9	6	40	0

### U-13 LEAGUE

	Pl	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Ardmore	7	6	1	0	41	5	19
Ballybridge Utd.	8	5	3	0	31	12	18
Valley Rangers	6	5	1	0	25	7	16
Clashmore Rbls.	8	5	0	3	39	19	15
Brideview Utd.	7	3	1	3	21	20	10
Kilworth Celtic	8	2	1	5	21	25	7
Blackwater Rgs.	7	1	0	6	10	25	3
Castlebridge Cel.	6	1	0	5	10	41	3
C'quin/Affane	7	1	0	6	9	51	3

### U-11 LEAGUE

	Pl	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Ardmore	8	8	0	0	44	5	24
Brideview United	7	5	0	2	28	13	15
Kilworth Celtic	8	5	0	3	22	19	15
Ballybridge Utd.	8	3	2	3	11	17	11
Castlebridge Cel.	6	3	1	2	17	13	10
Clashmore Rbls	8	3	0	5	25	19	9
Valley Rangers	8	2	1	5	16	22	7
C'quin/Affane	7	1	2	4	10	18	5
Youghal Celtic	6	0	0	6	2	49	0

# Abbeyside A.F.C. Notes

## LOTTO RESULT

Numbers drawn were 11-12-17. Jackpot £2,800. No jackpot winner. Next week's jackpot is £2,900. Draw on Sunday at U-13 tournament final.

## FIXTURES

U-13 Tournament, McGovern Perpetual Trophy. Saturday 10th April (A) at 2.30 pm, Railway v Abbeyside. (B) 3.45 pm, Castleknock Celtic v Ballinroad. Sunday 11th April at 2.00 pm 3/4 place play off. 3.15 pm, Final.

We host Castleknock Celtic for the McGovern perpetual trophy kindly sponsored by the McGovern family who have a long association with the club. Ballinroad and Railway make up the remainder of the teams and a feast of football will be enjoyed over the weekend.

## GRAFFITI

Whoever contributed the graffiti to the dugout should know that it was very good and if they are interested in redecorating the interior of the clubhouse please contact any club officer.

## UNDER-11 CUP MATCH REPORT

### VILLA TOO GOOD FOR VILLAGERS

#### VILLA 2 ABBEYSIDE 0

From the kick off Villa compiled the pressure. Corner after corner, chance after chance, Abbeyside kept Villa from finding the back of the net. The best chance of the half came when confusion between keeper and defender almost let Villa through, but Henry Morrissey was there to clear it off the line. Into the second half Abbeyside had a glorious chance when David Power and Paul O'Donnell had only the keeper to beat but somehow neither of them found the back of the net. Five minutes later Abbeyside fell asleep and found themselves with only one man tracking. The goalkeeper was beaten and Alan Deegan wasn't able to head it over the bar. Ten minutes later Diarmuid Sheehan was sure to score but he was hacked down amazingly, the ref waved play on. Then from a corner an unmarked man had time to shoot and scored. Then Abbeyside applied the pressure but it was too little too late.

## U-11 LEAGUE MATCH REPORT

### O'BRIEN INSPIRES VILLAGERS

#### KILMACOW 1 ABBEYSIDE 1

From the kick off it was even, Kilmacow had two early chances but goalie Steven Meeney did just enough to put the striker off twice. Then from a brilliant solo run from well inside his own half put Diarmuid Sheehan through. Failed to score into the second half Abbeyside started to apply the pressure and many chances fell toward Abbeyside but they could not find a way through. Kilmacow against the run of the play scored first but Abbeyside were determined to go away

with something and then Jason O'Brien found a gap in Kilmacow's defence and shot. Abbeyside were back in the game but they wanted a horrendous mistake from the goalkeeper. He picked it up from a back-pass and Abbeyside had a free kick in which Jason O'Brien took, but Kilmacow cleared.

Then another free kick was awarded, Jason O'Brien took it again. Anthony Flynn missed this and the final whistle was blown.

## YOUTHS GO DOWN

Our youth team went down 3-1 to Portlaw on Sunday despite majority possession and incessant pressure. Seamus Sheehan notched a beauty but it wasn't enough. An interested spectator was former goalkeeping legend David O'Donoghue who starred in many a game in the late '80's.

## DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C. — TSB U-13 LEAGUE

# Share Of The Points For Young Blues

### ABBEYSIDE 2 DUNGARVAN 2

Last Thursday evening Dungarvan Utd.'s u-13 side crossed over the bridge to face arch rivals Abbeyside in what was a very tight contest.

It has to be said that the visitors took the game to the home side from the very first whistle and created problems early on. Despite a very slippery surface both teams did well in control and played some fine football. But it was the visitors who

opened the scoring after 10 minutes with the man himself Ian Prendergast blasting home from 18 yards following a solo run. Dungarvan dominated most of the first half and went seeking a second to increase their lead. Abbeyside, putting in a great team effort, went looking for the equaliser, were unfortunate on a few occasions.

Shortly after the restart Dungarvan increased their lead following pressure on the home defence. Fifteen minutes gone in the second half Dungarvan fell asleep at the back and failed to clear the ball which in turn allowed their centre forward to pull

one back. The home side came more and more into the game and with 7 minutes remaining got an equaliser from close range. For the last few minutes both teams went "hell for leather" in finding a winner and to be fair, the visitors were unlucky not to be awarded a penalty when a defender had looked to have handled the ball, but it wasn't to be. On the day each team deserved to come away with a share of the points.

Dungarvan: T. Moore, B. Cliffe, J. P. Tutty, B. Scanlon, J. Shaw, D. Hickey, C. Houlihan, C. Sullivan, T. J. Crotty, I. Prendergast, J. Cullinan.

## BALLINROAD A.F.C. NOTES

# HARD EARNED WIN FOR U-11'S IN JOHNVILLE

**Johnville 2 Ballinroad 4**  
Ballinroad travelled to Waterford on Wednesday evening last to play city side Johnville on a very windy evening.

Johnville started well and were a goal up after 10 minutes after very sloppy defending in Ballinroad's defence. 5 minutes later worse was to follow as we gave away a second goal, that is best forgotten it was that bad. Ballinroad got back into the game 5 minutes before half time when Conor Foley crossed to Michael Geary who took the ball down and scored with a

good shot from the edge of the box.

Ballinroad started the second half well and were level after 5 minutes when Shane Delahunty's pass found Conor Foley who volleyed to the roof of the net from 10 yards out. After this Ballinroad woke up and Shane Delahunty scored our third after a good cross from Michael Geary. William Raher set up our fourth goal after a good run and cross was finished to the net by Conor Foley. This was by far our worst display this season so a big improvement is needed for our Cup game

against Dungarvan on Wednesday 7th April at Ballinroad. Kick off at 6.30 pm. This game is a big game for us and every player will have to be at their best to turn this one in our favour. We have 3 league games left to play, we only need two points from these games to make sure of the league title. Our next league game is against Tramore at home on the 14th April. Kick off 6.30 pm, so we want to win that night to rap up the league.

Ballinroad team was Brendan Hourigan, William Raher, Jonathan O'Sullivan, Eoin Brackett, Danny Mur-

ray, Willie John Kiely, Conor Hayes (capt), Shane Delahunty, Fintan Walsh, Conor Foley, Michael Geary, subs; Donal Henley, Stephen Raher, Edward Moore, Tommie Ryan, Ciaran Foley, Steven Moroney, James Phelan.

### UNDER-11 LEAGUE TABLE

Ballinroad	9	27
Villa	11	25
Ferrybank	9	13
Tramore	6	9
Railway	7	7
Johnville	10	6
Bohs	10	4



ON THE BALL

WITH THE LEADER SOCCER ROUND-UP





Pictured above is the Dungarvan United Premier team which went down to Bohemians on Sunday last. Back row (l. to r.) J. D. O'Shea (asst. manager), Nicky Thompson, Darren Lyons, Mark Hyslop (capt.), Mark McCarthy, Aidan Landers, Pat Dunford, Michael Earley (physio). Front row — Alan Landers, Micheal Downey, Martin McGovern, Mark Coles, Mark Crotty, Pepe Ferncombe, Garry Collins. (Photo by Kiely Photography)

## Dungarvan United A.F.C. Notes

**RESULTS** — Premier League: — Bohs 5; Dungarvan 1  
Marquis Cup 1st Rd.: — Park Rgs. A 1; Dungarvan 0  
TSB U-13 League: — Abbeyside 2; Dungarvan 2

### FIXTURES

**Schoolboy:** Wednesday, 7th April, TSB U-11 Cup 2nd Rd. Dungarvan v Ballinroad 6.30 p.m. Thursday, 8th April TSB U-13 Cup 2nd Rd. Dungarvan v St. Otterans 6.30 p.m.

**Junior:** Saturday, 10th April, Div. 3A League: Granagh v Dungarvan 2.15 p.m. Sunday, 11th April, Premier League Dungarvan v Tramore 11 a.m.

### YANKEE DOODLE

We had one winner of £100 jackpot on Sunday night last and that was Mairéad McGrath. The numbers were 26 and 64 and they were drawn by Carol Whelan and Smokie Sullivan in Bridie Dee's. Jackpot next Sunday is £100. Thanks for your continued support for this the longest running lotto draw in the locality. All monies raised goes towards running our schoolboy teams. You only need 2 numbers to win this draw. Five numbers for £1.

### SATURDAY NIGHT PROGRESSIVE 45

Winners, Mary & Babs, Nora & Joe; Mick and Patsy. Come and enjoy a game of 45 in our clubhouse every Saturday night in comfortable surroundings for excellent prize-money. Cards commence 8.30 p.m.

### PONGO

Pongo in the clubhouse each Tuesday night at 8.15 p.m.

### MEMBERSHIP

Club membership fee is now due and we would ask all members to pay same immediately. A collector has been assigned for each team to collect same.

### CLUB AGM

The club's AGM will take place on Thursday, 22nd April in the clubhouse at 7.30 p.m. All applications for managers of the various junior teams for next season must be in by that date.

### TRIP TO ENGLAND

The schoolboy committee hope to run a trip to England to see a premier league game on the October Holiday weekend next. Anyone interested contact a committee member.

### SCHOOLBOY MEETING

Next schoolboy committee meeting is on Wednesday, 14th April at 9.00 p.m.

### SPONSORED TRAINING BIBS

Our thanks to Maurice Butler, Butler's Shop, O'Connell St., Dungarvan, for the sponsorship of training bibs for our schoolboy teams.

### ADULT TABLE QUIZ

An adult table quiz will take place in the Clubhouse on Thursday, 15th April at 8.30 p.m. in aid of the South East Cancer Foundation. Quizmaster will be Jim Egan and tables of four £12. Please support this very worthy cause.

### 11th IN WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Congratulations to Sarah Cummins who came 11th in the World Irish Dancing Championships at under 10 age group held in Ennis recently. Sarah is daughter Michael "Stan" and Elaine Cummins, Coolnagour.

## PREMIER LEAGUE MATCH REPORT

# Premier Side Move Closer To Relegation Zone

**BOHEMIANS 5  
DUNGARVAN 1**

**Dungarvan, playing their penultimate league game of the 1998/99 season, lost three valuable points in their quest to retain premier status when going down 5-1 to Bohs in Poleberry on Sunday morning last.**

Forced to play with a weakened team due to injury and suspensions Dungarvan more than held their own for the opening 20 minutes restricting Bohs to a couple of half chances. The home side went ahead after 20 minutes when an attempted clearance went to Paschal Keane who shot into the corner of the net well out of keeper Mark McCarthy's reach. Worse was to come when Bohs tagged on three more within five minutes from Alan Quinlan (2) and John Boland to leave the Dungarvan team locking very disconsolate. Most teams at this stage would have folded but to their credit Dungarvan regained their composure and continued to play some constructive soccer without ever seriously threatening keeper Keoghane in the Bohs goal.

On the restart it was Bohs who were put on the back foot as Dungarvan tried to restore some pride. Mark Crotty pulled a goal back on 52 minutes and from there on it was Dungarvan who were in the ascendency as Bohs were relying on breakaways to increase their lead even further. Micheál Downey had

two great chances to reduce the deficit but they went wide of the post and to rub it in Alan Quinlan completed his hat-trick and Bohs 5th just before full time to leave the scoreline 5-1 in favour of Bohs who as a result have now gone joint top with Carrick.

On their second half dis-

play Dungarvan proved that they are as good as any team in the league but inconsistency has left them lying precariously near the relegation zone and the same effort will have to be put in for the final league match on Sunday morning next at home to Tramore if the Blues want to be playing premier soccer next season.

**Dungarvan:** — M. McCarthy, N. Thompson, D. Lyons, P. Dunford, P. Ferncombe, M. Coles, M.

Hyslop (Capt.), Aidan Landers, M. McGovern, M. Crotty, M. Downey.

### PREMIER LEAGUE TABLE

	p	w	d	l	pts.
Carrick	14	7	4	3	25
Bohs	14	7	4	3	25
W. Crystal	16	6	4	6	22
Tramore	14	4	9	1	21
Southend	13	5	5	3	20
Johnville	14	5	4	5	19
<b>Dungarvan</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>19</b>
Hibs	13	4	4	5	16
Ferrybank	14	3	3	8	12
Portlaw	11	2	3	6	9

Dungarvan's Gary Collins in action in last Sunday's Premier League encounter with Bohs.



## MARQUIS CUP 1st RD. PARK RGS.1 DUNGARVAN 0

# Disappointing End To Promising Season

Dungarvan's chance of silverware this season disappeared when we lost 1-0 in the 1st round of the Marquis Cup away to Park Rgs. last Saturday afternoon.

This was a competition we were hoping to get a good run in, especially after the disappointment of running out of steam in the final furlong for league honours.

The first half started well for Dungarvan as we went at Rangers from the first whistle. Killian Wall and Eoin Mansfield tested the home keeper in the first 10 minutes. As the game progressed it was evident that their wasn't going to be much between these sides with both defences well on top.

On the few occasions that Rangers broke through the Dungarvan back line Charlie McCarthy was in fine form in the Blues goal. The second period was

much the same as the first with chances few and far between. Just when it seemed that Dungarvan were getting on top disaster struck.

Rangers played a hopeful ball into the penalty area and as a defender went to clear, he miskicked his clearance into the path of the centre forward who gave Charlie McCarthy no chance in the visitors goal.

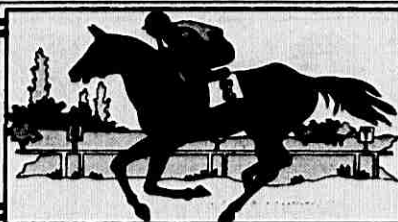
Dungarvan tried hard to get back on level terms and laid siege on the Rangers goal but couldn't get the vital break as the final whistle sounded to the relief of the home team.

**Dungarvan:** C. McCarthy, T. Organ, M. Ducey, P. Flynn, J. Downey, C. Gough, L. Shanley, C. Crotty, K. Lyons, K. Wall, E. Mansfield. Res: J. Sheehan for C. Crotty; Stan Cummins.



# Horse Racing

BY MARK PHILLIPS



## RACING ON THE UP

Food & Agriculture Minister, Noel Davern stated last week that the Irish horse racing industry is benefiting from the upswing in the economy. Total betting was up by 11% and attendances were up almost 5% to well over one million people. He added "the new arrangements being put in place to replace the oncourse betting levy should provide a further boost for the industry."

### TRAINER AND JOCKEY IN TROUBLE

Trainer Ben Hanbury was fined £1,750 sterling and Irish born rider John Stack suspended for 12 racing days over the running and riding of 'Quiet Millfit' in a Maiden race at Catterick in the north of England last week. In addition 'Quiet Millfit', who finished in 11th spot in a 14 runner field, was banned from running in any race for 40 days from April 7 to May 10 incl.

After a prolonged stewards inquiry Secretary Nick Vigors stated, "It was there for all to see." The stewards considered that jockey John Stack did not make sufficient efforts to put the horse in the race and that the horse was not ridden to obtain the best possible placing.

Trainer Ben Hanbury later ruled out the possibility of an appeal against the fine imposed. Initially the trainer refused to comment on the whole affair but after speaking to jockey John Stack he decided to accept the punishment. He went on to say "it was just one of those things and we live to fight another day."

### FIXTURE LIST

This week's fixture list is as follows -

Wednesday - Ascot, Ludlow, Repon.

Thursday - Aintree, Leicester, Taunton, Ballinrobe.

Friday - Aintree, Lingfield, Sedgefield.

Saturday - Aintree, Hamilton, Hereford, Wolverhampton, Wexford at 2.15 p.m.

Sunday - The Curragh at 2.30 p.m.

### RICHARD'S RECORD

A double at Wincanton last Monday on odds on favourites 'Knight Templar' and 'Yorkshire Edition' saw 35 year old Richard Dunwoody beat Peter Scudamore's National Hunt record of 1,678 winners. Dunwoody also reached the 100 winner mark for the 10th consecutive year.

### BOOKIE POWER RULES

Two Limerick punters who claim to have been underpaid on a bet by Paddy Power Bookmakers have been restrained by the High Court from picketing any of the company's offices, publishing defamation material about the firm or interfering with customers of the betting chain.

Mr. Roughan Banim, counsel for the company, informed the court that Patrick Hartney and Patrick Wilmott had placed a place pot wager at Paddy Power's betting shop in Charleville, Co. Cork on a number of races at Cork Track at Mallow on October 10 last. The bet was successful and the two men claimed that they were owed £11,000. Paddy Power's, on the other hand and in accordance with rules displayed in the shop, had calculated the winnings to be just £903.

Counsel for the company stated that the company had offered to have the matter resolved in accordance with its rules at arbitration but the defendants had refused. He said they had picketed the Charleville shop and had threatened to escalate their protest to other shops within the Paddy Power chain.

### 'KATARINO' FRENCH CONNECTION

Elite racing club triumph hurdle winner 'Katarino' is all set to bypass the upcoming festivals at Aintree and Punchestown in favour of some valuable hurdle events at Auteuil in France. 'Katarino', trained by Nicky Henderson, will travel over for a crack at the Prix Amadu on May 1.

### AMATEUR CATCHES THE EYE

It's generally acknowledged on both sides of the Irish Sea that the Irish amateur jockeys are far superior to

their counterparts in the U.K. Indeed most of the top amateurs riding in England are Irish. Take for example Alan Dempsey, Neil Fehilly, Richie Forristal and so on. But we saw a very polished English amateur in action at Sandown last Tuesday as Mr. A. Michael steered the Jack Berry trained 'Carlisle Banditos' to an exciting victory in the Grand Military Cup. Mr. Michael appeared very tidy in the saddle and we will keep an eye on his progress in the coming months.

### SUCCESSFUL WEEKEND

Cork Racecourse, situated at Mallow, ran a very successful three day fixture over the Easter weekend. Knockeen, Waterford trainer Harry De Bromhead started the meeting off providing a 20/1 shock winner in the shape of the Joey Maguire ridden 'Feeling Grand' who captured the EBF Beginners Chase.

Waterford pilot Shay Barry was in double winning form on the Sunday carving out a neat double courtesy of 'Back On Top' and 'Foxchapel King'. John Hassett who trains in Co. Clare is simply dynamite when it comes to bringing off a gamble and 'Back On Top', having been backed in from 10/1 to 9/4 this son of 'Bob Back' and 'Top Girl' duly romped to a length and a half victory over the top weight 'Bedtime Prince'. Shay Barry completed the double in the featured Heineken Novice Chase aboard the Mouse Morris trained 'Foxchapel King'. The Tony O'Reilly owned 'Foxchapel King' was given a very positive ride by Shay as he stayed on strongly up the run in proving two and a half lengths too good for the 8/1 shot 'Glin Castle'.

Monday of this week was a mixed day for the Kiely brothers, John and David. John got off the mark for the new feat season as he sent out 7/2 'Chance Which Is Which' under seven pound claimer G. D. Power to a short head victory over 'Let's Clic Together'.

Meanwhile up in Fairyhouse David Kiely entertained high hopes of lifting a £10,000 handicap chase with 'Viking Buoy' but unlike his brother John he was on the wrong end of a short head beating as his charge went down by the minimum distance to 7/1 shot 'Florida Star'.

On the same card we also had the Grade 1 Jameson Irish Grand National Chase of £125,000 over the testing three miles five furlongs trip. Once the rain came in advance of this fixture, the chance of victory by our each way choice 'Celtic Giant' had all but disappeared.

The Michael O'Connor owned 'Feathered Leader' looked an assured winner jumping the last fence but he was outsprinted on the run to the winning post by the Michael O'Brien trained and Tom Rudd ridden 8/1 co favourite 'Glebe Lad'. This was nice compensation for the winning rider as he broke his shoulder in the corresponding race last year. Winning trainer Michael O'Brien, who is confined to a wheelchair after a riding accident decided to watch proceedings from the confines of his home, has now saddled three Irish National winners having scored previously with 'King Spruce' (1982) and 'Vanton' (1992).

### WEXFORD

Wexford stage an all National Hunt card on next Saturday afternoon with the first of seven races underway at 2.15 p.m.

### LIVERPOOL

The upcoming fixture next weekend is always a great meeting which, of course, features the famous Martell Grand National. Thirty-six entries stand their ground at this stage for this gruelling four and a half miles trip. This contest had a habit of throwing up some fairytale results and it wouldn't come as a major shock to see Aidan Maguire triumph on the Ferdie Murphy trained 'Addington Boy' but he has most to fear from 'Call It A Day' and 'Eudife'.

# Colligan Equestrian Centre Notes

The following are the clear rounds and results of the Spring League Finals at Colligan Equestrian Centre on Friday, March 25. Both John and Louise Moloney would like to thank our sponsors T.S.B. Bank, Dungarvan; John Lonergan, Mountain Castle; Dungarvan Nissan, Youghal Road; Pat Denn, Cappoquin; Raymond Beresford, Farrier. To our board of helpers Denise Clancy, Angela D'Alton, Patrick Ormond, Donna Coady, Vincent Kirwan, Nancy Condon and anybody else who helped out in any way. We hope to see you all again in the near future.

**Mini League Sponsored By T.S.B. Dungarvan** — Aimee Jordan (Desert Orchid), Kate O'Neill (Briony), Sarah Jordan (Black Pepper), Alice Sweeney (Sugar Daddy), Orla Murphy (Flash), Kate O'Neill (Bibi), Georgina Frost (Black Jack), Aishling Flynn (Pumba), Ciara Galvin (Joe Bloggs), Ronan Lavan (Joe Cool), Orla Browne (Con), Rachel Walsh (Co Co), Niamh Tierney (Midnight).

### SPECIAL PRIZES

Youngest riders: Ronan Lavan, Rachel Walsh.

Best Turnout Horse & Rider: Kate O'Neill, Eileen Gee.

Leading Rider: Sinead Lavan.

**Midi League Sponsored By John Lonergan Mountain Castle** — 1st - Ciara Flynn (Misty) and Noreen Queally (Mikey) 45 pts., 2nd - Peter Moloney (Colligan B. J. and Colligan Ginger) and Tara Skehan (Rock 'n' Roll) 42 pts., 3rd - Sarah Frost (Gypsy King), Kate Morrissey (Midnight) and Una Power (Etoile) 39 pts., 4th - Claire Cashin (Colligan Flower),

Rosemary Clancy (Black Arrow), Barry Power (Starlite Express) 33 pts., 5th - Rachel Raheer (Harry) and Claire Walsh (Choco) 32 pts.; 6th - Vincent Kirwan (Lackendarra Lad) 27 pts., 7th - Siobhan Denn (Just Jack) 23 pts., 8th - Hilary Walsh (Co Co) 18 pts., 9th - Helen Howley (Mister Mr.) 10 pts.

**Midi Plus League Sponsored By Dungarvan Nissan, Youghal Road** — 1st - Sinead Lavan (Mystery), 2nd - Aoife Landers (Blaze), 3rd - Erica Kelly (Mattie), 4th - Lizzie Walsh (Colligan Rocky), 5th - Sinead Moore (Charlie), 6th - Kevin Tobin (Sasha), 7th - Marie Raheer (Tammy), 8th - Michelle Griffin (Sligo), 9th - Grace Farrelly (Hawkeye), 10th - Rachel Raheer (Harry).

**Maxi League Sponsored By Pat Denn Horse & Pony Muesli, Cappoquin** — 1st - Seamie Lavan (Cappagh Mystery), 2nd - Mary Johnson (Charlie Brown), 3rd - Sinead Lavan (Braveheart), 4th - Tom D'Alton (Snowy River), 5th - Niamh Hennessy (Finisk Diamond), 6th - Sarah Murray (Amber).

**Amateur League Sponsored By Raymond Beresford Farrier** — 1st - Pat Barron (Moll), Tom McAuliffe (Charlie), Des O'Brien (TLB); 2nd - Eileen Gee (Paddy); 3rd - Margaret Harkin (Deery Air).

**Riding Club League** — 1st - Tes O'Brien (Toby Lord Byron), Carol Whelan (Tom Joad), Pat Barron (Moll), Avril Burke (Mattie), 2nd - Eileen Gee (Paddy), Eileen Power (Pal Joey), Francis Dwane (Spencer), Des O'Brien (Toby Lord Byron), Ann Hennebry (Lightning), Ann Wright (Flasher), Frances Condon (Al Bundy).

# Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Notes

## KELLY PHARMACY GRAND PRIX

Final preparations are underway for the club's first race of the season. This is being held on Sunday, April 11 and is a two stage event - a time trial in the morning from Cappoquin to Dungarvan and a race after lunch on the Whitechurch circuit. A meeting is being held in the Park Hotel on Wednesday, April 7 about the race. All club members are asked to attend.

A speedy recovery to Edward Kelly and Siobhan O'Mahoney who are both out of action. Hope to see them back on their bikes soon.

Full results next week about club members riding in both Rás Mumhan and the Gorey 3 Day. Also results of our Kelly Pharmacy Grand Prix.



# Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

## CLUB CLASSIC

Easter has come and gone and now the committee turn their attention to the organisation of the Club Classic on Friday, Saturday and Sunday 23rd, 24th and 25th April. The Classic is necessary in order to raise funds for the club and it is hoped that it will receive the support of all club members. Unlike most other Classics this event is confined to club members and the selection of teams should arouse greater interest.

Each team will comprise 4 members with full handicaps allowed. The format will be 18 Holes Stableford with 2 scores to count on each hole. There will be separate prizes for ladies and gents and timesheets are now posted in the clubhouse. All members are requested to give this competition their full support. If you are in the position to organise a team all the better.

## OPEN 18 HOLE FOURBALL SPONSORED BY CARLING

Easter Golf was dominated by this open competition which attracted a good number of visitors. However, the winners were all local with P.J. Barry (11) and Jim Quinn (16) recording a score of 44 Stableford points to win on the back nine from Sean O' Halloran (4) and John Reynolds (9).

Paddy Joe and Jim dove-tailed well with the lower handicapp scoring on eleven of the holes and Jim on the re-

mainder. Sean and John blanked the 17th and both must feel they could have been outright winners. Kieran Hogan (5) and Kevin Cusack (9) won the gross and the two Paul's - Breen and O' Riordan won third prize.

## RESULTS

Thursday/Friday 1st and 2nd April 16 Hole Singles. Winner; John Phelan (12) 37 pts. Saturday/Sunday, 18 Hole Fourball. Winner; P.J. Barry (11), J. Quinn (16) 44 pts B9. 2nd; J. Reynolds (9) 9. O' Halloran (4) 44 pts. Gross; K. Hogan (5) K. Cusack (9) 36 gross. 3rd; Paul Breen (13), Paul O' Riordan (7) 43 pts.

## FIXTURES

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 7th and 8th, Irish Clergy Golf Championships. 9.00 am - 2.30 pm. Wednesday 7th April, Junior Golf 3.30 pm - 4.45 pm. Thursday 8th April, Club Competition. Friday/Saturday 9th and 10th April Open Lions Club Classic. Sunday 11th April, 18 Hole Stroke. Start of season and Peugeot Qualifier. This is a Golfer of the Year Competition. Tee booked from 11.00 am to 12.36 pm for South East League.

## LONG HANDICAP COMPETITION

This years series will commence on Monday night 12th April and anyone with a handicap of 18 plus are welcome to participate. In many clubs this event is the most enjoyable of the week and it can be in our club with the support of a percentage of high handicappers.

## OVERHEARD IN LOCKER ROOM

Four Cork golfers discussing their round of golf and one stated "the greens in Dungarvan Golf Club are greens you can putt on".

## PROGRESSIVE 45

Winners: Pat McGovern and Michael Kelleher. Runners Up; Tom Curran and Aled Harney. Last Five; Shane Fennell and Damien Meehan. Lucky Table; Hannah and Michael Prendergast.

## LADIES SCRAMBLE

A ladies 9 Hole Scramble (front nine) will take place on Tuesday 13th April. Shotgun start at 5.00 pm.

## MINI LOTTO

Week ending 5th April. Winning numbers drawn were 8-17-18-23. No jackpot winner. £25 winners; T. Quinn, Dungarvan Crystal. P. Gallagher, Kilmac'. This week's jackpot is £2,200.

## LADIES NOTES

Results — Tuesday 30th March, 18 Holes Stableford. Class A; Meave Morrissey (16) 34 pts. Class B; Bridget Ahearne (28) 40 pts. Class C; Ena Kiely (31) 35 pts. Class D; Breda O' Sullivan (37) 33 pts. 9 Hole winner; Theresa Keane (29) 20 pts. Monday April 5th, 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by M. J. Curran & Sons. Winner; Niamh McMahon (20) 37 pts. Runner-up; Betty O' Brien (8) 33 pts. Best Gross; Emer O' Kennedy. 3rd; Theresa Keane (29) 33 pts.

Congratulations to Betty O' Brien who had a hole in one on the 8th hole.

Fixtures — Tuesday 20th April, start of season, 18 Hole Stroke.



**DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB OPEN 18 HOLE FOURBALL SPONSORED BY CARLING** — Front row l to r; Tom Duggan, sponsor Carling, Area Rep. P. J. Barry, winner, Jim Quinn, winner, Patsy Horsom, Captain Dungarvan Golf Club. Back row l to r; Sean O' Halloran (2nd), John Reynolds (2nd), Paul O' Riordan (3rd), Paul Breen (3rd), Kevin Cusack (Gross). (Photo Pat Crowley)



**DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB QUIZ** — sponsored by Jim Quinn, Agricultural Supplies, l to r; Patsy Horsom, Club Captain, winning team of John Donovan, Eddie Kiely, Michael Morrissey and Conor Blackwell, with Jim Quinn sponsor.

(Photo: Sean Byrne)

# West Waterford Golf & Country Club Notes

## WEST WATERFORD JUNIOR SCRATCH TOURNAMENT - GOUGH IS THE MASTER

John Gough used all his craft and experience to win the Waterford Crystal Scratch Cup in West Waterford on Easter Monday last. A regular visitor to West Waterford, John was a very popular winner after his solid 77 in the tough conditions. The wind and rain howled around the course making the scoring quite difficult for the 160 entrants, and only three players managed to break eighty. An-

other Dungarvan member Donal Conside and Liam Guilfoyle of Tipperary were just two off the pace and Jimmy Murphy made a good defence of his title with just a further two back. Well done to all the prize winners and thanks to Waterford Crystal for the fabulous display of prizes.

## FINAL OF BLACKWATER BAR WINTER LEAGUE

On Sunday afternoon next the two finalists will do battle at 2.30 pm for the Cole Memorial trophy.

## DUNPHY ON FIRE

The question everyone is asking in the clubhouse is can

anyone stop this young teenager. John once again topped the field with an excellent 40 pts to win the beautiful first prize kindly presented by the hardworking club man Tommy Butler. John battled through the wind and rain in the front nine to set up his score in the back nine with a series of 2 pointers and then played a competition winning 5 iron on the 18th to set up a birdie and take first prize. A special word of thanks to last years Captain Tommy Butler for the beautiful array of prizes.

## HIGH HANDICAP COMPETITIONS

It's that time of year again for the Tuesday 9 Hole evening competitions, so get the clubs out of the attic and get rid of those cob webs. The minor scratch will be on Sunday 18th April and will be sponsored by Tom Curran's Hardware.

## SMART CARDS

A reminder to all our new members you can get your smart cards from handicap secretary Jimmy Murphy and John Murphy.

## RESULTS

Tom Butler's competition, 18 Holes Stableford. 1st; John

Dunphy (15) 40 pts. 2nd; Donal O' Brien (13) 38 pts. 3rd; Bill McManus (16) 38 pts. Gross; Ian McCarthy (8) 31 pts. Best Saturday, Ray Rochford (7) 37 pts. Fred Daly Matchplay, West Waterford 6 Youghal 4.

## FIXTURES

Wednesday 6th, Fred Daly Match Versus Dungarvan. Friday 9th April, 9 Hole Scramble at 5.30 pm. Saturday 10th April, Sunday 11th, 18 Hole Re-entry. Sunday 11th April, High Handicap Competition +18. Tuesday 13th April, 9 Hole High Handicap Competition.

Final Blackwater Bar Winter League on 11th April. At 2.30 pm Old Parish versus St. Oliver's (teams play in order of handicap). Presentation of prizes at 8.30 pm.

## RESULTS

West Waterford Junior Scratch, 1st; John Gough (6) 77 pts. (Dungarvan). 2nd; Donal Conside (5) 79 pts. 3rd; Liam Guilfoyle (6) 79 pts (Tipperary). 4th; Dermot Walsh (8) 81 pts. 5th; Jimmy Murphy (5) 12 pts. (West Waterford). 1st Nett; Brian Spratt (12) 73 pts (Kilkenny). 2nd nett; R. Hayes (8) 74 pts.

## JUNIOR GOLF

Congratulations to Pat Spratt's boys on their win over Youghal Golf club in the Fred Daly competition. They now meet Dungarvan in the next round and will have an uphill battle to advance to the next stage.

**St. Augustine's Bid For All Ireland Title** — On behalf of the members of West Waterford Golf Club I would like to wish Fr. Moran's team the best of luck in their attempt to win the All-Ireland Schools competition. If they can pull it off it will mean they trophy will stay in Dungarvan as last years champions were the C.B.S.

## CLUB FOURSOMES MATCHPLAY

The draw for this competition will take place on Monday 5th April, so all members involved are asked to look up who their playing partners and opposition are and play their matches as quickly as possible. Failure to play a match before the designated deadline will mean disqualification.

## 9 HOLE SCRAMBLE

With the long evenings approaching the first of social scramble events will take place on Friday 9th April.



**CAPTAIN'S DRIVE-IN**

Captain Bob Loftus and Lady Captain Lisa O'Dwyer pictured at the Captain's Drive in at West Waterford Golf and Country Club recently. (Photo: Sean Byrne)



# Gold Coast Golf Club Notes

## RESULTS

Mon., Mar. 29 - Fri., April 2. 9 Hole Stableford re-entry. Winner: Liam Fitzgerald (7) 21 pts.

Thurs., April 1. 18 Hole Stableford. Winner: Brian O'Connor (7) 41 pts. C.S.S. 39 pts.

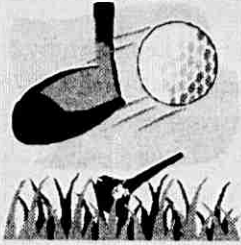
Sat., April 3. 18 Hole Stableford. Winner: Tom White (13) 38 pts. C.S.S. 39 pts.

Sun., April 4. Easter Hamper 18 Hole Stroke. Winner: Derek Larkin (13) 69 nett, Gross: Liam Fitzgerald (7) 80 C.S.S. 72 pts.

## PIERCE PURCELL/BRUEN TRIALS

The first trials of the new season took place on Friday last under the watchful eye of the three selectors Tom Fennell, Brian O'Connor and Bob O'Brien. After last year's exploits, especially by the Pierce Purcell team, there are great expectations that one or both teams will bring home a winners pennant to the Gold Coast Golf Club. If the trials of last Friday are anything to go by the selectors have a lot of work to do before a winning combination can be put together.

The next trial for both the Purcell and Bruen teams was on Bank Holiday Monday at 3 p.m. After this trial the selectors intended reducing the panel somewhat before the next trial which takes place for the Purcell panel on Wednesday next, April 14 at 5 p.m. in Dungarvan Golf Club. Check noticeboard for further details.



## SOFT SPIKES

Most members will not be surprised to hear that soft spikes will be compulsory in the Gold Coast in the not too distant future. All members should, as soon as possible, replace their steel spikes which in turn will help greatly to maintain the greens in the condition we would all like. Your co-operation is requested in this matter.

## NEW MEMBERS

Many new members have joined the Gold Coast Golf Club over the last number of months. As it is now the start of the new golfing season, it is advisable for beginners in particular to take a few golf lessons. Golf lessons, given by a professional golfer, are almost essential for beginners in order to get the basics right before bad habits set in. Any member and especially beginners who would like to have golf lessons organised for them on a regular basis please give your name to Tom Considine at the kiosk.

## MIXED SCRAMBLE

On Friday, April 9 and every Friday evening until September, the Club Mixed Scramble starts again for another season. The Friday evening scramble is a great opportunity for new mem-

bers to get to know the members and participate in a competition in a relaxed and enjoyable manner. The scramble will start at 5.30 p.m. and the last tee off should be at 6.15 p.m. Presentation of prizes for the Mixed Scramble will take place in the members bar immediately the last card has been checked. Score cards for the Mixed Scramble will have to be returned to the bar to the committee member in charge. Prizes for the scramble will be presented only to those in attendance on the night.

## JUVENILE CLUB NOTES

On Friday, April 12 there will be an 18 Hole Stableford competition for juveniles. Tee time for this competition starts at 9.30 a.m.

Congratulations to the ladies minor team on their great win over Fermoy during the week.

## FIXTURES

Mon., April 8 - 18 Hole Stableford.

Mon. - Fri., April 8 - 12 - 9 Hole Stableford re-entry.

Sat./Sun., April 10/11 - 18 Hole Stableford half sub competition sponsored by Gold Coast Golf & Leisure.

## SOCIETY

### TEE TIMES

Weds., April 7 - 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Thurs., April 8 - 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Fri., April 9 - 5.30 to 6.15 p.m.

Sat., April 10 - 9.45 a.m. to 12.45 p.m.



▲ GOLD COAST GOLF CLUB — Bobby Buckley (sponsor) presenting the Best Gross Player of the Winter League Award to Morrie Ferncombe. Also included is club captain, James Veale. (Photo by Sean Byrne)



▲ GOLD COAST GOLF CLUB — Karl O'Callaghan, Waterford receiving the E.B.S. Player of the Winter League Award from Mel Shanley (sponsor). Also included is James Veale (club captain). (Photo by Sean Byrne)



Gold Coast Golf Club Winter League sponsored by E.B.S., Dungarvan. Seated (l. to r.) Kill team who won the competition for the second year running: Paddy Aylward, Jimmy Whelan, Mike Ahern, Michael Kavanagh (capt.), Michael Wall and Peter Kirwan. Standing (l. to r.) Beaten finalists Ballinroad: James Veale (capt.), Michael O'Sullivan, Bobby Buckley, John Coade, Micheál McGrath, Mike Murray, Billy Power and Mel Shanley (team member and sponsor). (Photo by Sean Byrne)

## Gold Coast Ladies Golf Notes

**Result — Minor League. Gold Coast v Fermoy.** — The Gold Coast Ladies Minor League team defeated Fermoy last Tuesday, March 30. This match was played in the Gold Coast and the win was a great boost to our confidence as the Fermoy ladies were excellent golfers and formidable but friendly opponents. We were blessed with good weather and enjoyed the friendly rivalry and the social occasion.

Congratulations to our team Helena, Joan, Anne, Mary and Violet. We wish our team the best of luck in their next round against West Waterford.

**Fixtures** — 18 Hole Competition kindly sponsored by Bank of Ireland. See details on noticeboard in clubhouse.

Oliviere's Beauty Salon 10 Hole Competition continues this week also.

The final round of the Winter League will take place next Sunday at 2 p.m.

**White Elephant** — This will take place on Sunday, April 18 at 2 p.m. instead of April 11. We hope that all our members new and seasoned will join us on the 18th for a lighthearted scramble and a 'cuppa' afterwards.

**Mixed Scramble** — Starts from 5.30 p.m. to 6.15 p.m. on Friday, April 9. All members are asked to support the scramble and new members in particular are encouraged to participate.

**Notice** — Ladies committee on Tuesday, April 13 at 7.30 p.m.



# Greyhound Racing



BY MARK PHILLIPS

## WATERFORD SATURDAY APRIL 3RD

The two semi finals of the Waterford Crystal Open 550 Sweepstake provided some exciting fare at Waterford track last Saturday night. Vintage Black was installed the 7/4 favourite in the first semi-final but she never looked happy with her trap five draw and failed by a whisker to qualify for next Saturday nights decider.

Victory here went to 5/2 shot Crokers Wolf who led throughout from trap six to run out a cosy six lengths winner over Lemon Holly in 30.43.

After a brilliant 29.84 first round success Velvet Paul was very easy to back at 7/4 in the second semi-final and the writing was on the wall as early as the first bend for this runner as he pulled up injured. Tracking cleverly off the second bend Fly Fright moved into what appeared to be a winning lead. Fly Fright was run out of it close home though by the Dungarvan entry Odell Duke who simply flew up the home straight to out stay Sinead's Slaney by half a length with a distressed Fly Fright a length and a quarter back in third. Time 30.38.

Saturday nights programme also featured the four first round heats of the Kelly and Dollard electrical sweepstake. Mulberry Tom, Kilmeaden hero and The Other Music all had an opportunity of capturing heat one but 5/1 shot Ashtown Lance finished best of all to outstay his rivals in 29.71.

The gambled on Carey's Miracle 3/1 to 6/4, madeno mistake in heat two obliging in 29.45. Despite moving to the outside from her trap two draw Carey's Miracle was always in pole position coming home two lengths in front of a staying on Links Oil.

Quarry Mount Bid justified 4/5 favouritism in heat three poaching a second bend lead from Ring Christy before running on strongly for a five and a half lengths victory over Ring Christy in 29.76.

Having only his second ever race Glenview Miller at 5/1 made short work of the opposition in heat four making every yard of the running from trap three proving a length too fast for a fast finishing Ciaras Lady in 29.67.

Elsewhere on the attractive ten race programme, John Condon's Why You Sunshine, the 7/4 favourite gave a pleasing front running performance in a graded 550 powering her way to a six and a half lengths win over Battles Sugar in 30.37. A faster run than both semi finals of the Waterford Crystal stake.

### FIRST EVER FOR THURLES

For the first time ever in its 50 year history, the newly refurbished Thurles greyhound stadium will host the inaugural classic for the 1999 greyhound season, the Red Mills national breeders produce stakes.

Boasting a record prize fund of £22,000 substantially enhanced by support from the Tipperary Greyhound Owners and Breeders Association, this classic will for the first time in recent years offer prize money for heat winners.

This innovative approach by Red Mills Ltd, the sponsors and the Tipperary owners should result in Thurles Greyhound Stadium staging a successful and record breaking classic.

The entry fee for this year's produce stakes is £50 with Tuesday April 6th the closing date for entries.

The first round will commence on Sunday 11th April and will be completed on Tuesday 13th April.

### WATERFORD TUES., MARCH 30TH

The honour of recording the fastest time of the night

on this all graded programme went to the Thomas Arigan owned and Michael Gallagher trained Ballinderry Hare (Minnies Gorge - Ballinderry Ivy) who justified odds of 4/5 taking the eight contest in a close finish ahead of Sparkle Road in a career best time of 29.09. Spare a thought though for the connections of the runner up Sparkle Road. This daughter of Frightful Flash has now finished in second spot in her last four races with half a length being the winning margin in each case. Sparkle Road will find it difficult to pick up a race over the standard distance and we could well see the Perry Alyward trained runner tried over a longer trip in the near future.

The Patricia Norris owned and Declan Byrne trained Seskin Toby ran out a very easy winner of the sprint in 16.42. The runner up Ballyneale Rough ran a fine race in defeat and this three hundred yard trip appeared much too short for this black son of Phantom Flash. Watch out for this fellow when tried over the five two five yard distance.

### EASTER CUP VICTORY

Waterford breeder Jeremy Beamish from Hillview was on hand in Shelbourne Park last Saturday to see the greyhound he bred called Chart King race to victory in record time for the Easter Cup. The winners time was a brilliant 28.40 and congratulations are extended to all involved with Chart King. The winner is a son of Trade Official and Clarinka Sand.

### PUBLIC MEETING IN CLONMEL

A public meeting will be held at the Minella Hotel, Clonmel at 8.00 pm on Wednesday 7th April in connection with the closure of Clonmel Greyhound track for the past six months. This meeting is being organised by the friends of Clonmel with a view to providing a greyhound track in Clonmel within the next twelve months or sooner if possible. All interested in greyhound racing in Clonmel are earnestly asked to attend this meeting.

### WATERFORD CRYSTAL FINAL

The final of the Waterford Crystal open 550 sweepstake takes place at Kilcohan Park, Waterford on next Saturday night and the following in trap order is the line up for the £2,500 to the winner event.

1st; Lemon Holly (Boyne Walk - Lemon Roisin). 2nd; Odelle Duke (Cry Dalcash - Odelle Bess). 3rd; Fly Fright (Frightful Flash - Fly Smasher). 4th; Regal Champion (Alan's Champion - Betty's Gap). 5th; Sinead's Slaney (Slaneyside Hare - Pearls Girl) (w). 6th; Crokers Wolf (Frightful Flash - Gallons Quest) (w).

Lemon Holly is well drawn on the rails. Denny Lennon's charge has still to hit top form although it must be said she is improving with every outing. Expect a big run from this lady on Saturday night.

Odell Duke the hope of Dungarvan, usually gives his rivals a head start before flying home in the final fifty yards. Watch out for this fellows late burst of finishing speed.

Fly Fright is the real class act in the final but he is under a cloud following last Saturday night's performance where he weakened dramatically in the dying yards with the second semi final at his mercy. It would be the training feat of the year of Kilmacthomas trainer Ann Power who can get this tracker back to full fitness for next Saturday nights assignment.

Regal Champion holds his form well and does his best work from the halfway mark to the winning line.

Sinead's Slaney ran his best race for quite some time coming from well off the pace only to taste defeat in the closing stages. If improving on his start then Sinead's Slaney could well take a hand in the finish.

No doubt about it the locally owned and trained Crokers Wolf is the best drawn runner in the final. He simply loves trap six and showed his best form last week bounding clear to record a smooth 30.43 victory.

To sum up, assuming that Fly Fright had not recovered to show his top form this final appears at the mercy of Crokers Wolf, although Lemon Holly could well represent sound each way value from trap one.

For good measure next Saturday night we also have the two semi finals of the Kelly and Dollard confined 29.90 sweepstake.

**First Semi Final** — 1st; Glenview Miller. 2nd; Mulberry Tom. 3rd; Ciaras Lady (w). 4th; Quarry Mount Bid (w). 5th; Ring Christy (w). 6th; Proud Picture (w). Selected to qualify; Glenview Miller, Quarry Mount Bid, Proud Picture.

**Second Semi Final** — 1st; Links Oil. 2nd; Killiney Mick. 3rd; Carey's Miracle. 4th; No More Nips. 5th; Ashtown Lance. 6th; The Other Music (w). Select to qualify; Links Oil, Carey's Miracle, The Other Music.

### GREYHOUND SALES

Owners with entries in next Saturday's greyhound sales at Waterford are reminded that the trials commence at 10.30 am. All greyhounds must be weighed in by 10.00 am. The auction starts at 1.00 pm and the auctioneer is John A Dromey.

## WATERFORD SALES

The following in alphabetical order is a list of the entries for Waterford Greyhound Stadiums Premier Greyhound sales which takes place on Saturday April 10th.

A Slave Prince, Airmount Lucy, Apollo Tess, Applefort Flash, Best Wonder, Black Rooster, Boherash Swift, Boherduff Ellie, Boherduff Hare, Boherduff Sonya, Burst the System, Chairmans Girl, Clare Dasher, Clare Lovely, Clare Ringo, Clash Dasher, Cloheena Fox, Cool Boyne, Corrib Lord, Cuchulainns Wish, Cushie Goalie, Cushie Jamie, Cushie My Girl, Davids Beam, Delfino, Derrynane Lady, Dillrock Dropper, Dixies Image, Dohora Flash, Done a Runner, Drumgower Wonder, Dunrine Boy, Dunroman Ash, Farantane Gigolo, Fast Error, Fast Sale, Felix Well Done, Fisherman's Buddy, Fisherman's Pet, Gaelic Legend, Gaelic Mist, Galaxy Belinda, Game Legend, Game Picture, Game Pride, Game Rocket, Gaoithe Gorm, Get it First, Glenbrien Jan, Glenbrien Skoda, Gold Ragatag, Gaignoe Sam, Head On, Hustle Bustle, Icon, Intuitions Magic, Island Fling, Jaap Stam, Joshua Brookes, Karen's Cracker, Kens Choice, Kilbunny Blue, Kilcaroon River, Killotteran Duke, Killotteran Fox, Kingsmeadow Lucy, Lakefield Dancer, Lakefield Glory, Lakefield Mike, Lakefield Samba, Lawrum Limpy, Liberal Fintan, Liberal Vicky, Links Oil, Live Trade, Loose Chippings, Lost Pearl, Loum Bart, Lyons Jill, Maids Reward, Manor Drive, Manor Pride, Marble Charmer, Marble is Back, Marble Walk, Mazungu, Me and Shelley, Merry Tiger, Miss Fiddown, Mountaylor Best, Mountaylor Bird, Mountaylor Mills, Muckalee Star, Muls Tulip, Oscar Winner, Paper Party, Pendle Blue, Pendle Sky, Pet Shot Return, Prime Directive, Rathdaniel Gold, Rathdaniel Misty, Renatas Ginger, Rookery Beauty, Sanyo Kid, Sappers Mark, Saucy Trader, Scallywag Jack, Seefin Girl, Shandon Hobo, Sheeraghs April, Sheeraghs Deejay, Spahill Jim, Spahill Matt, Spahill Pride, Steel City, Tearaway Katie, Terminal Flash, Terrific Jane, The Other Devon, The Other Fox, The Other Music, The Other Sony, Toker Cross, Toms Intuition, Trafford Queen, Virgo Star, Willy Wagtail, Windgap Smasher.



## LOCAL ATHLETICS NEWS

# Ger Wyley Spring Series In Association With Fila

It's that time of year again when we launch the Ger Wyley Sports Sponsored Summer Road Racing Series. Now in its fifth year the series has ten races to keep local and visiting athletes alike from all over the southeast busy during the summer months. In association with Ger Wyley's kind sponsorship again this year, we are also delighted to announce that a major international sports company, Fila have come on board to co sponsor the event with Wyley Sports.

Ger has been working tirelessly behind the scenes in recent weeks putting the series together and with Mr. Aidan Walker, who is the Sports Marketing Manager for Fila in Ireland and I think you will agree they have put together a top class event. This joint sponsorship is a major boost to the series and indeed for road racing in the southeast and we at West Waterford A.C. are thrilled at the prospect of such an internationally acclaimed sports company as Fila and our local sponsor Wyley's coming together as sponsors for what can only be described as a feast of top class races over the next six months.

## CATEGORIES

The series this year will start on Friday, April 23 with The Marine Climb and finishing on Friday, September 3 in Ardmore. The promoting club, West Waterford, has applied for and received a B.L.E. permit for all ten races in this year's series.

The series will consist of three categories - under 40 men, over 40 men and ladies. Men who are under 40 years old on April 23, the date of the first race, will be categorised as under 40 for the duration of the series. Likewise those who are over 40 on April 23 will race in the over 40 section for the series. Entry fee to the series is £4. There is also an individual entry fee to each race and all races are open to non series members. A specially designed t-shirt will be given to all athletes who complete six of the ten races and there will also be a Fila goodie-bag on offer to all who complete all ten races in the series.

## SCORING SYSTEM

Runners amass the amount of points similar to their finishing position in each race. Of the ten races, a runner's best six races count in their final total of points. A minus 10 pts. bonus is credited to a runner who better, or equals, his or hers finishing position from the previous race. Prizes will be awarded to the top ten under 40 men, the top ten over 40 men and the top ten ladies as well as to the divisional winners in each category.

## THE RACES

**Marine Bar 10K — On Friday, April 23 At 8 p.m.** — This race, now in its 7th year, is very generously sponsored by Helen and Christy O'Neill of The Marine Bar, Pulla. The race starts at the Lookout in Dungarvan and takes the Old Sweep Road up to The Marine Bar. Individual senior and vets mens categories also individual ladies categories. Handicap teams of five based on recent 10K times. Entries taken at St. Joseph's Primary School, Dungarvan from 7 p.m. Course record 30.20.

**Waterford Crystal Paddy Flanagan Memorial — Saturday, May 15 At 7 p.m.** — This is the oldest race in Waterford and enters its 30th year, the race starts in Waterford City and finishes in Tramore. The event is held in memory of Paddy Flanagan who was the official race starter with Waterford County Board. The race is run over a distance of 7.5 miles. Individual, senior and vets men and women categories, team event. Entries at St. John's Hall near the Tower Hotel. Presentation of prizes at Tramore G.A.A. Hall.



Ger Wyley Summer Series in association with Fila. Pictured (l. to r.) Nora Healy, West Waterford A.C., Mr. Aidan Walker, Fila Ireland; Ger Wyley, Wyley Sports; James Veale, West Waterford A.C., Mary Rose O Droma, West Waterford A.C.

Course record 40.37.

**Morris Oil Butlerstown 10K — Saturday, June 5 At 7.30 p.m.** — Now in its 17th year this race is organised each year by Pat Hennessy and all entries go to the Alzheimers Society. This event also includes a 5K run and walk with a specially designed t-shirt to all finishers. Usual categories with a special team handicap event. Entries at Butlerstown G.A.A. Centre. Presentation of prizes at the Holy Cross Bar. Course record 32.10.

**SmithKline Beecham Rás Na Rinne — Friday, June 11 At 8 p.m.** — This is the 7th running of this race which starts at Coláiste Na Rinne down Mweelnahorna out to the point of the Cunnigar and returning in the otherside of the Cunnigar. This race is regarded as possibly one of the toughest yet one of the most popular races in the series. The winner each year receives the Seamus O Droma Perpetual Shield. The race distance is six miles. Same categories as The Marine Bar. Entries at Halla Na Rinne. Presentation of prizes in Mooney's Pub. Course record 30.03.

**East Cork Oil Dro-mana 5 — Friday, July 2 At 8 p.m.** — A very

popular race over a route recently used by Ray McConnell when he broke the Irish 100 mile record. The race will be run over the Dromana Drive from Villierstown to Cappoquin. Seniors, vets and juniors are graded in one category with prizes for the first 15 to finish. Outside of the individual prizewinners, there are three team awards with three to score, also ladies categories. Entries at Villierstown Community Hall. Presentation at Danny Flynn's Bar, Cappoquin. Course record 23.49.

**Irish Permanent 5K — Sunday, July 18 At 7 p.m.** — This is the shortest race in the series but is run at a very fast pace with always a very large local involvement in this race which is held in association with the Touraneena Racquetball Club. This race has a wide spectrum of prize categories for 16 year olds to 60 year olds while the Racquetball Club have novelty events for their members. Race entry at the Community Hall, Touraneena and presentation in Dunford's Bar. Course record 15.18.

**Ballymacarbry 5 — Monday, August 2 At 7.30 p.m.** — Held over a very exciting road and

wood mix, this race is now in its 5th year. Always a top class event organised by Frank Bolger, the categories include mens, ladies and juniors. Entries for this race are taken at Doocey's Bar, Ballymacarbry with presentation of prizes also in Doocey's. This race always sees a good number of runners from Tipperary as well as Waterford where we meet old acquaintances each year. Course record 25.00.

**Ballysaggart 10K — Friday, August 13 At 7.30 p.m.** — Now in its third year, this race has become very popular in the series organised by the equally popular Bennett brothers who are all members of West Waterford A.C. The race categories are senior mens and ladies with juniors also and there are team categories outside of the prizewinners for over 30's, over 40's and over 55's. Entries will be taken at the G.A.A. Field and presentation of prizes will be held at Meagher's Bar, Ballyvera.

**Youghal 4 — Thursday, August 19 At 7.30 p.m.** — This race, one of the oldest races on the circuit in Cork, was first held way back in the 1960's when it was traditionally held on New

Year's Eve. Now the race has a new lease of life held around the streets of Youghal over a three lap course.

There is always a great atmosphere at this race with great crowds watching on. Mens and ladies, individual, senior, vets and junior categories, team events. Entries at Youghal Community Hall, Main Street. Presentation of prizes at Noel and Kay Mackey's Central Bar.

**Ardmore 5 — Friday, September 3 At 7 p.m.** — The final race in the series ends in Ardmore where the overall prizes will be presented in the Round Tower Hotel. This is the fourth race in Ardmore and it is jointly sponsored by the Round Tower Hotel, Paddy Mac's Bar and the Ardmore Grange Ladies Football Club. Ladies and mens, individual, senior categories, starsign category, 12 sections in total and interpub relay team event. Also special juvenile events kindly sponsored by Mr. Conor French held during the senior event. Entries at Round Tower Hotel and presentation of prizes as well. Course record 25.40.



# LOCAL ATHLETICS NEWS

## TRIATHLON CORNER

### WEEK 5

So you've decided to do your first triathlon but you're a bit worried about the swim because you heard that everyone will be doing the Freestyle whereas you will be doing the Breaststroke. Don't let little things like that bother you. At the start of the race you will be asked to predict your time for the 1km (pool) swim so whatever time you put down will determine what lane you're going to be swimming in. A little word of advice, say a time that is normally faster than you could do but no more than 30 secs. to a minute so if it is possible that you could do the swim in 20 mins. put down a time of 19 mins. just so you won't be held up to much.

You're also a bit worried about the bike. Do I bring a spare tube and pump with me? Do I bring food and a water bottle with me? What about getting the wheel and tyre off, do I bring along a spanner and tyre leavers as well? The answer to all these questions is yes. The spare tube, tyre leavers and spanner (to open the wheel) can be kept in a bag attached to the saddle or frame or alternatively you could sellotape them to the frame along with a little bar of chocolate (not essential) but the most important thing to have on the bike is the water bottle and keep sipping it the moment you get on. This will prevent dehydration later in the race.

You're also a bit worried about the run because you're afraid you might stop in the middle to stretch your legs. If that's what it takes to get you round the course then do so. Walk, even crawl if you have to but when the finish line is in sight, nothing will stop you.

Next week we'll look at a four week training programme for the novice triathlete.

### WEEK 6 (Part 1)

#### STRENGTH AND ENDURANCE

In Part 6 of Triathlon Corner we're going to look at the first two weeks of a four week training programme, working specifically on strength and endurance. This type of training will target the cardiovascular system and work on increasing your cardiac output i.e. the ability of the heart and lungs to supply oxygen to the working muscles of the body.

It is this system that gets progressively more efficient over a period of time with regular exercise. (Lung volume only increases by around 5 or 10%). Let us take just the first two weeks of our training programme for the beginner triathlete.

#### TIP FOR THE WEEK

When training for a triathlon always try to increase the duration of exercise not the intensity. For example build up from 5 to 10 mins. Runs from 30 to 40 mins.

Next week the last two weeks of our training programme.

WEEK 1:				
Day	Swim	Bike	Run	Rest
Mon.	15 mins.			
Tues.				X
Weds.		30 mins.		
Thurs.			10 mins.	
Fri.				X
Sat.	20 mins.			
Sun.		30 mins.		
WEEK 2:				
Day	Swim	Bike	Run	Rest
Mon.	10 mins.			
Tues.			15 mins.	
Weds.				X
Thurs.		40 mins.		
Fri.				X
Sat.			15-20 mins.	
Sun.	20-30 mins.			

## BLE and BLOE Munster and National Records

The following are the records as they stand at the moment for Munster and National BLE and BLOE. There is a large Waterford interest in many aspects of the sport with no fewer than 43 records held by Waterford athletes. This is by any standards a superb total and reflects the talent that Waterford athletics has produced over the years, as you will agree from the list of Waterford holders listed below they make for some very interesting reading.

### Munster Senior Outdoor

10,000 M	John Tracey	Brussels	27.48.7	22-08-80.
1 Hour	John Tracey	Monaco	19.625m	19-09-87
3,000 s-c	Brendan Quinn	Brussels	8.24.09.	20-08-85
Pole Vault	John Hallissey	Glasgow	5.02in	19-01-97
L Jump	Peter O Connor	Dublin	7.61	05-08-1901
Marathon	John Tracey	Boston	2.09.15	18-04-88
10,000 WL	Jamie Costin	?????	43.20.78	??-??-96
100 m	Aoife Heame	Edinburgh	11.73	18-07-98
200 m	Susan Smith	?????	24.05	??-??-96
100 m H	Susan Smith	Tullamore	13.12	09-08-98
400 m H	Susan Smith	Zurich	54.31	12-08-98
Shot	Patricia Walsh	Santry	16.29	07-07-84
Discus	Patricia Walsh	Santry	57.60	07-07-84
Hept	Brid Hallissey	?????	5236	??-??-93
Marathon	Liz Bullen	?????	2.40.51	??-??-90

### Munster Junior Outdoor Records

5,000 m	John Tracey	Kirkby	14.04.06	26-06-75
3,000 S/C	Brendan Quinn	Champaign	8.42.5	31-05-79
Discus	Frank O'Brien	?????	78.94	??-??-84
10K WL	Jamie Costin	?????	44.12.51	??-??-95
100 m	Aoife Heame	Edinburg	11.73	18-07-98
200 m	Aoife Heame	Santry	24.50	26-07-98
Shot	Patricia Walsh	Santry	16.29	07-07-84
Discus	Patricia Walsh	Santry	57.60	07-07-84
Hept	Brid Hallissey	Belfield	4962	06-07-86

### Munster Junior Indoor Records

5K Walk	Jamie Costin	Nenagh	21.10.53	??-??-96
Pole Vl.	John Hallissey	?????	4.00	??-??-??
Trp. Jmp	Michael Murray	Nenagh	14.15	21-02-98
60 Mts.	Aoife Heame	Nenagh	7.63	11-01-98
60 Mts. H	Susan Smith	?????	8.63	??-??-84
Pent.	Brid Hallissey	?????	3604	??-??-93

### Munster Senior Outdoor Records

60 Mts. H	Derek Hayes	Kelvin Hall	8.29	19-01-97
Pole V	John Hallissey	Kelvin Hall	5.02	19-01-97
60 Mts. H.	Susan Smith	Nenagh	8.44	25-02-97
Pent.	Brid Hallissey	Nenagh	3909	16-02-92

## Dungarvan Boxing Club



▲ Picture shows Ben McCombie, Sgt. Eamon Owens and Jeremy O'Mahony

Dungarvan boxers, Jeremy O'Mahony and Ben McCombie are busy preparing for the All-Ireland Juvenile Boxing

Championships, which take place this week in the National Stadium. Jeremy and Ben are pictured with Sergeant Eamon Owens of the Dungarvan Gardai. The Gardai sponsored the County Juvenile Championships when they were held in the Sports Centre last month. Indeed, they have been very supportive of the boxing club.

The boxing club have sponsorship cards out at the moment to help finance the boxers going to Dublin as they will be there for four days, so please support them.



John McDonagh

## McDONAGH BROTHERS CHASE NATIONAL TITLES

Arthur and John, though residing in Dungarvan, are boxing out of Fermoy BC. They sometimes train in Dungarvan as there is a strong alliance between both clubs. John is boxing in the National Juveniles this week and Arthur is boxing in the National Youths the following week. Both lads are excellent boxers and stand a very real chance of bringing home the titles.



Arthur McDonagh

# Cunnigar Pitch & Putt Club Notes

### LOTTO WINNERS

Congratulations to Tom Houlihan and Tony Wright (Jnr) who shared last week's big jackpot of £1,800. The numbers drawn were 13-15-17-21. We again thank the sellers and the public for their great support. Next week's draw will take place as usual in the Clubhouse at 7.45 pm so make sure you get your ticket. Our jackpot will again start at £200.

### RESULTS

Last Wednesday we played 27 Hole Stroke, Jessie Landers hit back to win first nett and Pat Tutty took away 2nd nett. In the gross Paddy Street who is playing very well won 1st gross while 2nd gross went to Alfie Eubanks.

Also last Friday evening we played 27 Hole Stroke play with a big turn out for this tournament, Philip Regan played outstanding Pitch and Putt to win 1st nett and Martin Walsh who is back playing walked away with 2nd nett. In the gross ice man Thomas Maher won first gross beating John Carroll who took 2nd gross. Well done to all our winners and to all who turned up.

### FIXTURES

This Wednesday 7th April we will hold 36 Hole Stroke play, take note that tee off will be at 5.45 pm to 6.00 pm.

### CHAIRMAN'S SHOOTOUT

Our Chairman Shootout will take place this Sunday

11th April. Tee off at 10.30 am. Philip hopes to see all our players turn out for this very exciting tournament.

### TAKE NOTE

We asked all of our juveniles to get together this Saturday and every Saturday as our course is there for you. We have some very good players so make sure that you and your friends make use of your course and get your tournaments off to a flyer this summer.

### MEMBERSHIP PRIZES

You can become a member now until 31st December. Juveniles £10.00, over 60's £10.00. Adults £25.00 and family membership £40.

Pitch & Putt is real value for your money. Shout Fore.



# Brickey Rangers G.A.A. Notes

## UNDER 16 FOOTBALL

Our team is not having much luck in their games so far. Try as they might luck is not going their way. Some good performances have been shown by the more experienced players, but really we have been drawn in the wrong section. The lads continue to train, such is their commitment to the club, so who knows maybe their luck may change.

## UNDER 16 HURLING

West Waterford against Carrigdown from Cork.

This game of hurling played at the Fraher Field last Saturday had Christopher Morrissey playing an outstanding role. West Waterford had an easy victory over the cork side with the score line showing - West Waterford 3-10 Cork 0-7. Well done Christopher.

## UNDER 21 YRS FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

All eyes were focussed on our Brickey lads last Monday. The team had their training sessions put in and it was all systems go against An Gaeltacht.

The Brickey team took to the field led by their captain Jimmy Sheehan. From the throw in the Brickey's meant business and opened the scoring with a point from J.P. Donnelly. It was a tough physical game, but our lads did not stand back. They gave of their all and the scores mounted on the board. Point after point followed by M. Nugent, P. Halpin, who eventually scored 1 goal and 4 points. The ball flew up and down the field and the Brickey boys latched onto the loose ball and scored. Score of the match was a point by S. Condon who try as he might, went over the bar to a tremendous cheer from the supporters. J. Cooney had a tough hard battle midfield but his partner O. Casey was always there for back up. Our goalie was never troubled much as our full-back line did the business on the day. Well done lads on your win.

Team on the day; J. Sheehan (Capt), B. O' Brien, B. Murray, R. Tobin, S. Walsh, O. Casey, J. Cooney (1 pt), F. Nugent, S. Condon (1 pt), J. P. Donnelly (4 pts.), R. Halpin, P. Halpin (1-4), C. Cowming, M. Nugent (2 pts), O. Morrissey, J. Queally.

Final score; Brickey Rangers 1-12 An Gaeltacht 1-6.

## CO. MINOR HURLING CHALLENGE

Our representative on this hurling team last Sunday in Walsh Park was none other than James Cooney. The team had a victory over Laois and promises to go well in the championship. Well done James.

## TOWN AND COUNTY HURLING TOURNAMENT - U-13 YRS

We played our first game of the tournament against Tallow on Tuesday 30th March. This was a hard fought game which resulted in victory for the Brickeys. The final score; Brickey Rangers 3-2 Tallow 2-3.

Panel of Players; J. Cooney, T. Landers, R. Landers, I. Murphy, P. Nugent, C. Phelan, T. Lynch, M. Gee, C. McGrath, D. Ahearn, M. Lenane. Subs; R. Lenane, O. McCarthy, P. Curran, K. Gee, S. Tobin.

Our next game in the tournament will be against St. Oliver's in Bushy Park on Monday 12th April at 6.30 pm.

## MINOR BOYS HONOURED

The club honoured our minor team who brought a gleam of hope back to the Brickey Valley with their tremendous games of football last season. Such was their commitment that they won the Western Final and were unlucky to be beaten in the County Final. Well done lads.

Panel of players were as follows; P. Halpin (Capt), Enda Walsh, Brian O' Connor, Declan McGrath, O. Morrissey, B. O' Brien, C. Morrissey, J. Cooney, F. Nugent, B. Kinsella, M. Nugent, W. Queally, J. Nolan, J. Queally, C. Cowming, E. Tobin, J. Halpin, N. Russell, J. Tobin, J. O' Brien, D. McGrath, G. O' Brien and I. McCarthy.

## UNDER 11 YRS

Our first game in the Town and County Hurling Tournament will be against Naomh Brid on Friday next, April 9th at 6.45 pm.

## UNDER 10 YRS

Training will commence outdoors on Wednesday, April 7th at 5 pm in Bushy Park. We are asking all eligible players to be on time, and be togged out and ready to start on time, as the pitch will be needed for further training by other teams.

## SCOR NA BPAISTI

We wish the best of luck to our young Figure Dancers and Question Time team who take part in the Western Final of Scor na bPaisti next Saturday 10th April in Touraneena Hall. The children who took part are as follows; Mary Ryan, Caroline Hayes, Edwina Cooney, Jessica Lyons, Naomi Lyons, Aishling Fennell, Stacey Lyons, Yvonne Hillard in the figure dancing. Those who took part in the Question Time team were; Kieran Gee, John Cummins and Mary Ryan.

Best of luck to all of you. Calling all Brickey supporters to cheer on these young performers on Saturday next.

## BRICKEY GOLF SOCIETY

The inaugural outing of the Brickey Mixed Golf Society takes place on Saturday next, 10th April. Everyone is asked to attend at 1 pm sharp.

There will be a meeting in the Clubhouse at Bushy Park this week to finalise details, intending players will be informed of full out lay for Saturday.

## BRICKEY MINI LOTTO

The jackpot was not won last week so this week it is a whopping £1,200. So hurry and buy your lotto from any member of the club.

The lucky winners of £10 each were Anne McGrath, Shandon; Colin Keane, Ballyduff; Michelle Power, Twomile Bridge; Sean Whelan, Twomile Bridge. Martina Coady, Carrick-on-Suir.

We would like to thank T. Power's Public House for use of their premises. Next draw will be held on Sunday 11th April at the "Parrish".

## BRICKEY RANGERS LADIES NOTES

**Under 16 Yrs** — Last Monday evening in blustery conditions, our girls took on Clashmore. It was an important game for us and the girls played their hearts out. We were victorious when the final whistle was blown. The girls now play Tramore in the next round and a win here will put them in the final. Keep up training girls and victory could be yours.

**Under 14 Yrs** — The draw has been made for the under 14 yrs championship and we are drawn against St. Patrick's, a game to be played on 8th April. All team members will be informed. Regarding transport as the match will be played away.

**Under 18 Yrs (Minor)** — Training continues in the Leamybrien pitch on Saturdays. Our first outing will be away to St. Anne's on the 10th April.

**Intermediate Training** — Intermediate training has started in Bushy Park on Wednesday nights for the moment. There was a good turnout last weekend and it was great to see some of our mature ladies togging out. Keep up the training ladies, as our matches won't be long before they will be starting.

## COUNTY CAMOGIE

Our two star players namely Aoife Murphy and Karen Kelly have been called up for duty for the under 16 yrs championship. Training is in Tramore each week and both girls travel together. The first match is against Clare in Ennis on April 24th.

All Ireland Ladies Honoured

Our 16 representatives on the various victorious Co. teams were presented with a memento from the club Chairman Vincent O' Brien at a function last week which was held in the Poc Ar Buille. Those honoured were; Aoife Murphy, Karen Kelly, Treasa Power, Kristina Keating, Ciara Prendergast, Stephanie Hallihan, Sinead Kirwan, Tanya Kirwan, Monica Power, Sharon Foley, Katie Kiely, Leigh Mulhearn, Martina McCarthy, Deirdre Nagle, Sarah Hickey, Triona Whyte.

## GOLF SOCIETY

A meeting of the Golf Society will take place this Thursday night, April 8 at 8.30 p.m. in the Pavilion in Bushy Park. Members and intending members are asked to attend this very important meeting.

# Dungarvan G.A.A. Notes

## VISITORS

Midleton paid us a visit during the week to play our U-10's in hurling. We had a very good work out and would like to thank the Midleton Club for travelling down.

## TRAINING

Juvenile training next Saturday morning commencing at 11 a.m. and every Saturday.

## DEISE DRAW

The County Board are launching their Development Draw on Tuesday 6th April. Details later.

## U-16 FOOTBALL

By the time you read these notes our U-16 Footballers will have played Ardmore in the Western semi-final of the championship. The game was played at the Cappoquin venue on Easter Monday evening last. Report next week.

## SENIOR FOOTBALL

On Good Friday last we played Rathgormack "B" in the Ryan's Football League. We started the game fairly well but our scoring was a problem and after ten min-

utes there was no score in the game at all. We were awarded a penalty but we failed to convert this. Rathgormack picked off two points to lead 2 pts. to no score going into the last 10 minutes of the first half. We then scored 2 pts. to leave the score at half time 2 pts. a piece.

In the second half Rathgormack took over completely to score 7 pts. as against our 1 goal and 1 pt. We missed a number of chances especially at goals. In the finish this was our down fall and we were beaten on the scoreline of 9 pts. to 1-3.

Panel: Derek Truman, Dermot Dee, Christopher Gough, Michael McLoughlin, Bobby Lyons, Darren Lyons, Trevor Galvin, Tomás O'Mahoney, Eoin Cunningham, Paul Radley, John Power, Dermot O'Callaghan, Pepe Ferncombe, John John Ferncombe, Graham Nagle, Kieran Curran, Res., Bert Ahearne, Jason O'Mahoney, Alan Harney, Seamus Kiersey, Brian Shanahan.

# Shamrocks G.A.A. Club Notes

## COUNTY FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIV. 3 THIRD ROUND

We were at home to Ardmore on Saturday evening and after a good exciting game the visitors had a point win with the score Ardmore 1-13 Shamrocks 2-8. This was a game we could have won as the Ardmore goal seemed to have a few lucky escapes especially near the end of play and we would like to congratulate our players on a very gutsy display and we look forward to the championship later in the year.

## CLUB LOTTO

On Saturday night last at The Shamrock Inn, Knockanore the numbers drawn were 6, 8, 11, 20. There was no jackpot winner. The winners of £10 each were James Walsh, Dunmoon; Michael Lombard, Coolbeggan; Michael Aherne, Boston, U.S.A.; Ann O'Keeffe, Kilwinney; Batty McGrath, Dunmoon. There was also a special draw for five large Easter Eggs and the winners were Sharon Foley, c/o Jim Nicholson; Mary Stakem, Knockanore; Tom Coady, Knockanore; John Keane, Ballymote; Esther Power, Newport. The next draw will be on next Sunday night at Lombard's, Lackaroe and will commence at 9.30 p.m. Tickets are available from the usual sellers at £1 each and the jackpot on Sunday night will be £1,100.

## UNDER-21 WESTERN FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Our first round game against Dungarvan which was to be played at Cappoquin on Easter Monday has been called off and will be refixed for a later date.



# MINNIES SQUASH CLUB NOTES

## O'Brien Cup Wins For Freyne And O'Neill

On Wednesday night last, March 31 the finals of the Club Championships, the O'Brien Cups took place in front of a very large crowd. The mens fourth division final was between Trevor Walsh and Barry Power. Trevor came through his semi-final on Monday night with a 3-1 win over Michael Shanahan while Barry had a keenly contested 3-0 semi victory over Joe Tobin. In the final Trevor showed us all how much he has improved over the past few months by remaining cool and calm on the vital points. The first two sets were very close, Trevor taking them 9-6, 9-6. In the third it was very close again up to 5-5 before Trevor surged ahead to take the title 9-5. In the third division final we had Michael Tutty and Dave Tuohy. Dave booked this final berth with a convincing 3-0 win over Dermot O'Neill. Michael's passage was on a similar set score but a much tougher contest as he toppled Rene di Fusco who himself had toppled top seed and favourite Niamh McMahon. Michael led Rene 6-1 in set one only for Rene to pull level at 6-6. Michael regained his composure to take the set 9-7. In the second set Rene raced ahead 7-1 but incredibly Michael fought back well to take the set 10-8 before wrapping up the match 9-5 in the third. So to Wednesday's final which proved a really peculiar game. Michael raced ahead 6-0 before Dave got his first serve, Michael winning it 9-1. Dave's response was predictable, he stormed through the second 9-3 and the third 9-4. Michael, inspired by the support of Caroline, John and the two boys got a new lease of life to take the fourth 9-3. In the deciding fifth set the pendulum swung again as Dave regained control to serve out 9-2 for the title.

In the second division top seed Maurice Walsh faced the hero of the previous week, Pat Cullen. Maurice booked his place with a 3-0 win over Vincent Tutty while Pat claimed his spot with a memorable 3-1 win over Emmett Byrne. Maurice showed tremendous skill and patience to stifle the blistering pace of Pat in Wednesday's final, he even threw in a couple of 'Richie Burnett' specials to the delight of the crowd. Maurice won the opening two sets 9-3, 9-3. Pat responded well to win the third 9-4 but it was back to Maurice in the fourth as he claimed his title with a clinical 9-3 finish.

In the first division final the big two came through as Paul Freyne faced Pat O'Brien. Paul was nearly the vic-

tim of a freak semi-final result when clearly exhausted from his Aer Lingus Open Week and performances which has seen Paul claim the number six spot on the senior Irish team of which we are all so proud of. He was fortunate to come through 3-2 against a below par Ray Moore. Pat had an easier passage coming through 3-0 against the out of sorts Anthony Lyons. In the final the boys treated the large crowd to an excellent game of squash the lead two up to 5-5 before Pat eased ahead to serve for the set 8-5 but Paul hung in well and some uncharacteristic mistakes by Pat saw Paul level 8-8 before taking the set 10-8. Paul played some very neat squash to go 5-1 up in the second. Pat came back to 4-5 before Paul accelerated away to take the set 9-4. In the third Paul opened up a 3-0 lead. Pat, full of running, came back well to level and open a big 8-4 lead to again serve for the set. As in the first set Paul stayed cool, played some very delicate drops inch perfect lobs and some powerdrivers just at the right time to pull back level at 8-8. Pat got another chance and served again for the set 9-8 only to let the chance slip as Paul triumphed 10-9 for a 3-0 victory.

In the ladies final we had Bronagh O'Neill and Josephine Harty. Bronagh came through 3-0 in her semi-final against Sharon O'Brien while Josephine was made work harder for her 3-1 win over June Whyte. The very athletic Bronagh was an example to all of us about playing the 'T' as her movement off the ball was excellent as she won the opener 9-5. The second set was a much closer affair with the very determined Josephine battling her all the way before Bronagh won it 9-7. The third was very similar nip and tuck all the way Josephine edging ahead 7-6 but her failure to call let on what surely would have been a stroke was to prove costly as Bronagh won back her serve to pinch the set 9-7 and claim the title 3-0.

Paddy O'Brien presented the prizes afterwards thanking all the players and referees who took part. He complimented Maurice and his mini committee for resurrecting the club for having a hugely successful open and complimented all the teams who have performed as well around Munster claiming three Munster crowns between them. He wished the senior team the very best of luck at the All-Irelands in May and hoped the club would continue to triumph and succeed both home and away.

## LADIES IN SEARCH OF MORE GLORY

Following the huge success around Munster already we now have another team about to embark on hopefully another road to glory as Sharon O'Brien has assembled a ladies division five panel that we hope will do very well. The squad handed in for the campaign that begins next week is Bronagh O'Neill, June Whyte, Sharon O'Brien (capt.), Catherine Kiely, Peggy Whelan, Charmain O'Brien, Yvonne Whelan and Jackie Murphy. We wish the girls every success.

While on about Munster ladies, I'm certain everyone at the club will join me in wishing our triumphant Div. 4 captain Siobhan O'Mahoney a very speedy recovery from her recent very bad back injury which resulted in major surgery. Siobhan is a very hardworking club member who is full of enthusiasm and pride for her club. Siobhan, hope to see you chasing that little black ball around the court very soon.

## ALL-IRELAND COUNTDOWN

It seems ages ago since our senior team triumphed in their final match at Sundays Well to be crowned senior champions of Munster back in December and thus qualifying for the All-Irelands. The All-Irelands are due to be played up north in Newtownabbey over the weekend of May 7-9. The squad are now in full throttle building on their fitness by the day. The efforts of Paul Freyne are already there to be seen, champion of Munster, number six in Ireland and looking fitter and sharper than ever. Pat O'Brien also deserves great credit. His efforts have seen him shoot

up to number three in Munster. The rest of the squad are now getting into top gear and while they may not have played as much as the other two, my guess is with the right preparation and effort they should just peak at the right time in May and hopefully make it two All-Irelands in a row. Taking a team up north is a costly experience so to defray the cost, it is hoped to run a few ventures. Some being discussed at present are a table quiz, raffle and a blitz tournament draw in Dunhill. Keep watching these notes for further news and please support whatever ventures are arranged.

## MUNSTER DREAM DIES

On Monday night last our fourth division Munster team travelled to the Orchard to take on Mallow in their semi-final. This was a lifeline thanks to the team who thought their chances were gone after their 5-0 hammering in Middleton the previous Thursday. The team was strengthened with super sub Emmett Byrne available and so slotting in at number five. The nightmare began when Emmett, who we had hoped would be our banker, lost out 1-3 in a match tinted with some very dubious decisions.

Niamh McMahon put her defeat by Rene in the O'Brien Cup to ground as she sparked a mighty performance winning a brilliant battle in four sets. Maurice Walsh at one, under strain from the whole occasion, quickly found himself two sets down. He battled gamely to draw level only to lose out in the fifth. Kevin Tutty and Vincent Tutty went on simultaneously. Kevin lost two agonising sets 9-10, 9-10 before winning the third. In the middle of the fourth the match was stopped as news came across that Vincent had lost out 0-3 so the dream of a fourth Munster crown had died.

On Tuesday night our Div. 3 team were presented with their specially engraved Crystal Plates to mark their Munster triumph after their 60 match marathon league. It was ironic that it was the first night the boys were unable to 'field' a team as only number two Ray Moore (captain) and number three John Reynolds and number four Richard O'Mahoney were available for the presentation ceremonies. Runners-up Highfield were due to play Dungarvan Crystal in the final set of matches but the Crystal were unable to field a team, a surprise from the early league leaders. Fortunately we were on hand to tuck into the sandwiches and cakes which were on hand. Munster President John Cullen presented the prizes while our captain John Reynolds gave a very accomplished speech thanking all the teams who took part. He paid special praise to League Secretary, Peter Byrne (Highfield) who was super efficient in his running of the event. Congratulations to our triumphant squad who played in all or part of the league - John Reynolds, Richard O'Mahoney, Emmett Byrne, Maurice Walsh and Paul Veale. After sixty matches it's great to be crowned champions of Munster.

## Great Entry For The T.S.B.

The very popular T.S.B. Team Tournament is due to commence this Wednesday night, April 7 and as usual the 'computer' has thrown up some very juicy ties. Maurice Walsh, fresh from his O'Brien Cup triumph, faces Richard O'Mahoney still on cloud nine for his part in the Munster Div. 3 success. Pat Breen will be out to avenge his Allrounder and O.B.C. defeat when he meets Michael Tutty. Trevor Walsh and Joe Tobin do battle again with Joe hoping this is his turn for victory. A real classic could be the meeting of Catherine Kiely and Peggy Whelan, a match well worth seeing. Emmett Byrne and Paul Veale also looks interesting. Rene di Fusco, after toppling Niamh McMahon, will be hoping to triumph over ladies champion Bronagh O'Neill. The wine man Aonghus Walsh makes his debut against Yvonne Whelan. Dave Tuohy, Div. 3 champ will have a tough opener against Billy Smith. Sharon O'Brien can chart her progress as she faces Josephine Harty. Charmain O'Brien returns from her courier duties with a tough battle against livewire Michael Whelan. The tie of all the first round has to be the battle between team mates Niamh McMahon and Vincent Tutty, definitely a tough one to call.

## DATES

Next weekend the O'Sullivan brothers sponsored Cork Open takes place around the city. Our big two Paul Freyne and Pat O'Brien will be taking part where they will be joined by several other members.

The following Saturday, April 17, our Div. 3 team will be hoping to win the double when the championship takes place. Always a difficult task to win both in the one season, we wish the boys the best of luck. This Wednesday night, April 7 is D-Day for the Allrounder Ladder. The burning question is who is going to fill the top slots and collect the prizes.



# Novice League Finals At Ballyrafter



The Novice Pony Showjumping League Finals at the Ballyrafter Centre, Lismore were as expected, all hotly contested finals and every winner was a deserving one.

The Newcomer Ponies arrived for 9.30 a.m. despite the lost hour overnight and young Laura Breheny, Tramore with her 128 'Kilbride Star Appeal' made the early start for her family of 6 a.m. all worthwhile by stopping the clock on 57.90 to get within one-tenth of a second of the optimum time of 58 secs. and take this first final of the day.

For the rest of the day each final was jumped-off in the third round and no-one was giving anything away. Peter Moloney, Colligan secured the Bucas Leading Pony Award for 'Colligan's B. J.' in the second round of the Decie Fuel 128 Final and then gave Rebekah Hitchmough, Midleton a real run against the clock in the final round. Rebekah and 'Devor Prince' got every turn against the clock to win a very good competition from Peter who also took third with his other ride 'Colligan Ginger'.

The six pony jump-off of the Brideview Bar and River Room Restaurant 138 Final was as exciting for the audience as the riders. The Bucas Leading Pony in this 'Navilluso Chimbu' had the task of setting the standard and Glanmire girl Sarah O'Sullivan did just that in 38.30. However it was shortlived as Dearbhaile Byrne, Clonmel rode 'Ballyphilip Lad' smoothly and quickly round the shortened course in 37.27 and after superb efforts by those following the positions remained with Dearbhaile the delighted winner. Leah Quinlivan and the very talented four year old 'Hadgi Bei' took third.

Cork Tack Room, also loyal sponsors of the leagues, had a superb final when the 148 D Ponies belied their inexperience to provide a fantastic competition. Eleven year old Shane Hassett of Killenaule set the standard with Robert Long's 'Skipaway' but very shortly after Gemma Phelan, Cap-

pagh who is having a wonderful season so far rode a great round on Niamh Melody's Connemara 'Nier Valley Oscar' to win in 35.37. Sarah-Kate Quinlivan also had a brave try with 'Clover Let's Go' but settled for third.

In comparison with the other finals on the day unexpectedly the Southern Trailer Systems 148 C & D Final had just four through to the final round but it still turned into a real fight to take the title. The local girls had made it their own and Kathleen Denn got a real flyer with 'Mysterious Hunter' of 35.00 but a pole down looked costly. Fellow Cappoquin competitor Rebecca Veale put everything into her round on 'Lacken Heather' to put 37.73 on the clock and then Gemma Phelan, with the Bucas Leading Pony 'Kilcannon Explosion' who had not had a fence down right through the league, took the same route but had to settle for runner-up position this time in 38.35 but 'Explosion's clear record intact. Kathleen was an honourable third.

The previous Friday

evening was the scene of another great final with the always popular Willie Roche League. Tramore girl Elaine Farrell took first and second in the first final which was compensation as her pony 'Joshua' has just been sold and went to his new home that evening. Linda Doherty, Araglen and 'Dasher' kept up their consistent record and took third.

Another Cappoquin rider, Eoin Fives had a round that would win any class in the 138 Final with the inexperienced 'Drumrue Jeff' who only started jumping at the beginning of this league but he got superb balanced turns to win in 35.46 from Fenor lad Paddy O'Donnell and the equally novice 'Cheeky Fellow'.

Anita Gleeson, Fermoy and 'Falcon' came into the winners enclosure a little like Cheltenham with great cheering from her supporters after winning from Dearbhaile Byrne and 'Eclipse Wonder'. Another eleven year old rider, Katie Winspear originally from Yorkshire and now living in Mitchelstown, deservedly took third with 'Mandy'.

## Jonathan Shaw Wins Second Munster Boxing Title



Jonathan Shaw of Caseyville, Dungarvan, boxing for Clonmel Boxing Club won his second Munster boxing title with a convincing 26-2 win in the final in Cork recently. He now qualifies to box in the National Juvenile Championships which will take place in Dublin later.



Pictured above (l. to r.) Louise Moloney, Colligan Equestrian Centre; Raymond Beresford, sponsor; Pat Barron, winner Colligan Woods Riding Club League and Colligan Equestrian Centre Amateur League.

# COLLIGAN WOODS RIDING CLUB NOTES

### PAT PULLS IT OFF

Pat Barron on 'Moll' pulled off an amazing double recently to win both the Colligan Equestrian Centre Amateur League and the Colligan Woods Riding Club League.

Pat, one of a number of riders to participate in both leagues, was the only rider on top points in both competitions coming into the final. On Final night, Pat and 'Moll' had a lovely double clear in the Equestrian Centre League throwing down the gauntlet to Des O'Brien on 'Toby Lord Byron', the only other club member in a position to challenge for the Equestrian Centre title. Des rose to the occasion going clear also but only just. His size nines, or was it Toby's size twenty nines, almost came into play again. Foot size must be a family trait! Pat and Des eventually shared first on 42 pts. having each dropped three points along the way. Pat, however, was al-

ready on maximum points in the Riding Club League hence his win in the Colligan Equestrian League put him in a unique position and must surely make him our top primary rider for 1999. Pat, who takes time off from farming to train with 'Moll', has seen his hard work come to fruition. Congratulations.

### RIDING CLUB LEAGUE

Final night saw four riders achieving maximum points - Pat Barron on 'Moll', Carole Whelan on 'Tom Joad', Averil Burke on 'Mattie' and Tess O'Brien on 'Toby Lord Byron'. Thanks to John and Louise for all the hard work which made this very successful event possible.

### COLLIGAN EQUESTRIAN CENTRE LEAGUE

The final saw a number of our members in the top rankings namely Pat Barron and Des O'Brien who shared first place. Congratulations also to

Tom McCauliff, one of our supporters, who shared the honours. Tom is, I understand, still reeling from the celebrations. Whether for his equestrian skills or his silver wedding anniversary has yet to be determined.

### SNIPPETS

Congratulations to Eileen who is expecting to hear the patter of tiny feet (or should that be hooves) soon. Good to see Tony Condon and Babs Coady back in action after recent illness/injury.

### RIDING CLUB FANTASY LEAGUE

Results Of Third Round — Francis Dwane (The Green Man), Anthony Lynch (The Farrier), Pat Barron (Joanna's Lad), Babs Coady (Where's Jake), Michelle Coffey (Late Entry), Martin Lavan (Testing Times), Caroline Lynch (Farrier's Day), Des O'Brien (Bigfoot), Ursula Walsh (After Eight).



# European One Wall Handball Championship '99 An Outstanding Success

On visiting the tranquil grounds of St. Augustine's College on Good Friday evening at 6 pm, the only indication of the International invasion to follow was the flying of the 6 National Flags. By nightfall National youth handball teams from France, Holland, Belgium, England and Wales as well as the native Irish gathered to do battle for their respective countries in the traditional One Wall handball courts and to vanquish all opposition in so far as possible.

After two days of intense handball competition amid good social interaction off the court the battle was won by the Irish team and the widespread consensus amongst all participants and visitors was that the Dungarvan hosting and running of the Internationals was an all round resounding success.

The European One Wall Handball Championships were officially opened by the Chairman of Dungarvan Urban District Council, Councillor Lar Hart. It was a very colourful and most impressive opening ceremony with the teams and mentors immaculately turned out parading in their national colours behind their respective flags with the music provided by the Dungarvan Pipe Band. The punctuality of this ceremony set the trend for the games and with all participants parading in the gym at 9 am. Tom Keith acted as Master of Ceremonies and the dignitaries present Cllr. Lar Hart, Mr. Peter Carter president of the handball council and Fr. Moran principal, eloquently and briefly extended a warm welcome to all players, managers and supporters. Standing in the Friary complex last Saturday morning amongst so many international visitors, one could be justifiably proud of the outstanding facilities so well prepared at this great sporting venue. The attention to detail was a credit to Bro. Finbarr Spring O.S.A. and his organising committee.

The competition proper commenced at 10 am and was confined to the three indoor courts due to inclement weather. Each National team fielded players in the U-19, 16 and 13 grades, and due to their hosting of the competition St. Augustine's College were also allowed to enter a team. The last European One Wall Championship held in Ireland was in Roscommon in 1997 and was an open competition for singles and doubles. St. August-

tine's players acquitted themselves with distinction in that championship with two of their number getting to the last 4, with one being narrowly beaten in the final itself. A number of our players who featured in Roscommon lined out over the weekend for St. Augustine's, Kenny Keane captain, Ciaran Shiels, Barry McAndrew and Aidan Russell.

The hosting of these games was a major organisational challenge given that a total of 64 doubles games had to be run off Saturday and it is noteworthy that the immediate past handball students of the college, now in University, shouldered much of the practical organisational responsibilities over the two days being assisted by the younger members of the St. Augustine's Handball Club.

The handballers themselves got down to business straight away and spectators were treated to a great feast of handball. All teams were seeded and it was obvious from early on that every available energy, enthusiasm and commitment was going to be forthcoming from the respective teams to try and lift the overall title. As this was the greatest ever gathering of International youth one wall handballers, there was great interest in the style, skill and speed that the different countries might bring to the game.

It was expected that the Irish national team comprised of All Ireland winners in the different age groupings from the 40 x 20 and 60 x 30 games would set a high standard and they certainly did. There was great interest and anticipation to see what type of handball the English team would produce because they also were champion players in their own games known as the "Eton" and "Rugby" codes and for the first time ever players from both games had been brought together and trained as a National team under the management of the Eton Fives coaching agency and national team manager Howard Wiseman. It became obvious from early on that the English had a very well prepared team, superbly fit, particularly good at the overhead lob shots and that they would be serious contenders to lift the title. Wales have a strong association with One Wall Handball and while they certainly produced some lively players, and contested every ace to the last, they fell behind to the stronger teams.

The French teams participation added greatly to the championships as they played with great flair and passion but they seemed to lack the same strength and capacity to kill off shots that the stronger teams had. That they had strong support with them soon became obvious through the whole hearted cheering of their representatives, the sound of French accents and their general participation which added greatly to the colour and atmosphere of the championships. Belgium and Holland found it hard to come to terms with the strength and skill displayed by the stronger teams and fared poorly as regards clocking up scores.

Having secured the hosting of this prestigious championship for 1999, Bro. Finbarr Spring O.S.A. made strong representations that as the host club be allowed enter a team, that given their track record in the 1997 European Open Championships and that the clubs involvement could only add interest and vibrancy at a local level. Following deliberations at an International level their participation was agreed upon and over the weekend the St. Augustine's Club representatives certainly did themselves proud by giving a great account of themselves. At the end of day one the league table was as follows; Ireland 543 pts. England 405 pts. St. Augustine's 400 pts. Wales 289 pts. France 268 pts. Belgium 86 pts. Holland 61 pts.

Following competitions on Saturday the visitors were mainly catered for within the school complex with local live entertainment laid on. It is understood that a great night was had by all. The championships resumed at 10 am Sunday and thankfully the weather permitted the use of all seven courts indoor and outdoor as a total of 96 singles matches had to be played.

The large attendance witnessed handball at its best with great skill, speed and stamina on display. The Irish team, all champions in their own right, managed to keep their lead but were severely tested in several matches particularly by a number of the top English and St. Augustine's players. Given the closeness of the courts, the intensity of play and healthy rivalry, there was a terrific standard of sportsmanship. It is noteworthy that the Irish team had the only female player Lydia Doolan playing under 16 and from

Roscommon. Lydia is an All-Ireland title holder and also won the American open championships in December. She is a most impressive player.

From noon on Sunday there was a general acceptance that the Irish National team would emerge winners of the overall competition. Attention immediately focused on the English National team and on St. Augustine's who were relatively close on the score board. As the afternoon wore on there was a palpable air of tension as supporters gathered around the main score board to collate the latest result of both teams. The English National team with their stronger and more balanced line up edged ahead and at the end of play proved themselves very deserving runner ups.

The final scores at the end of the championships were as follows; Ireland 1153 pts. England 935 pts. St. Augustine's Club 850 pts. France 601 pts. Wales 520 pts. Belgium 163 pts. Holland 148 pts.

The Irish Team Manager, Mark O' Gara from Roscommon expressed himself as being delighted with the win but equally so at the effective and efficient way in which the whole championships were run. He particularly admired the fact that the tournament seemed to be administered by well disciplined and personable young handball club members with no hitches whatsoever, and that while he had attended many championships in America, Belgium and throughout Ireland, the standards prevailing at the St. Augustine's venue was way above anything he had ever experienced.

The English Team Manager Howard Wiseman stated that he was delighted in the way that his players adopted to the one wall game and that it was their first togetherness really in bringing the opposing codes together, "Eton" and "Rugby" and that the weekend both from a handball and social perspective was a fabulous success. He forecasted that the competition could only go from strength to strength on the International scene.

Kenny Keane, captain of the St. Augustine's team, said he was thrilled with his teams performance and the whole weekend was a great experience.

The weekend was brought to a fitting close on Sunday night at a banquet dinner at St. Augustine's College with a Civic Reception

afforded to the visiting teams and officials and presentation of prizes there after. Councillor Lar Hart, Chairman of the Dungarvan UDC, in addressing the International gathering stated that he hoped all visitors had a thoroughly enjoyable stay and that the Civic authorities in Dungarvan saw it as most important to fully support Championships such as these were International youths gather in top class competition, bringing themselves and other very welcome visitors into the town. He was fulsome in his praise for St. Augustine's College who were always pro-active in seeking out and hosting prestigious National and International events and that they always acquitted themselves with distinction in the running of same. He thanked the youthful gathering for their great participation and wished them well in the future. The Chairman then presented to each of the team managers a specially prepared framed scroll to mark the participation in the championship and their visit to Dungarvan. He also presented a special scroll to Bro. Spring and to Lydia Doolan, the only female participant.

The new President of the Irish Handball Council Mr. Peter Carter discharging his first official function paid glowing tributes to all involved in the weekend and said that what he was witnessed in Dungarvan gave great encouragement for the development of handball both Nationally and Internationally in the years ahead. He particularly thanked Bro. Spring and his youthful committee, some of whom were immediate past pupils for so ably running the championships. He said he had never before witnessed the youth of a single club discharging administrative refereeing and other duties in such numbers and so competently without any fuss or excitement and that he was leaving Dungarvan with several pointers for this three years in Office.

The Irish team were then presented with the magnificent trophy kindly donated by St. Augustine's College and they and all other participants were in turn presented with specially commissioned medals having a Dungarvan and European element to them. Following the presentation ceremony traditional Irish Entertaining dancing and music "Le Cheile" was laid on for the visitors.

All in all the 1999 European One Wall Championships were a tremendous success and the host club St. Augustine's juvenile handball club can take a well deserved bow for showing remarkable cohesion, teamwork and organisational flair that has brought credit to themselves as individuals, their manager Bro. Spring, to the town of Dungarvan and the County in general. Well done to all involved.



# Western Bord Na nÓg Notes

## Jaumann Sponsored Under-16 Football Results

Div. 1 - Abbeyside 2-13 Brickey Rangers 3-8.  
Div. 3 - Affane 6-8 St. Olivers 3-4.

### LEAGUE TABLES

DIVISION ONE	Pld	Pts
Abbeyside	4	8
Dungarvan	4	4
Tallow	4	2
Ardmore	4	6
Brickeys	4	0

Abbeyside into Western Final.

### DIVISION TWO

Naomh Bríd 5	1	3
Nire	5	10
Clashmore	5	3
Kilgobinet	5	8
Shamrocks	5	0
Kilrossanty	5	6

Nire into Western Final.

Semi-final: Kilrossanty v Kilgobinet.

### DIVISION THREE

Stradbally	5	8
Affane	5	6
Ballyduff	5	4
An Ghaeltacht	5	10
St. Olivers	5	2
Lismore	5	0

An Ghaeltacht into Western Final.

Semi-final: Affane v Stradbally.

### FIXTURES

#### Under-16 Football Semi-Finals

- Div. 1 - Ardmore v Dungarvan on Sunday, April 11 at 11.30 a.m. in Cappoquin.
- Div. 2 - Kilgobinet v Kilrossanty on Sunday, April 11 at 12 noon in Dungarvan club grounds.
- Div. 3 - Affane v Stradbally on Sunday, April 11 at 6.30 p.m. in Fraher Field.

#### Munster Under-16 Hurling

West Waterford v East Waterford on Saturday, April 10 in Fraher Field at 2.30 p.m.

### WEST WATERFORD 3-11 CARRIGDAUN 0-7

Played in Fraher Field last Saturday, West Waterford had a convincing win over Carrigdaun and had two wides before Ger O'Donovan opened the scoring with a well taken point. Jimmy Moore shot over our next point followed quickly by a goal from John Hurney. Carrigdaun replied with two points from frees. John Wall added two more points and Paul Kearney added a goal and a point to leave the half-time score West Waterford 2-7 Carrigdaun 0-4.

The second half was a much closer affair with both sides exchanging point for point until late in the game. Substitute Colm Geary goaled for Waterford to run out convincing winners. Paddy Keane in goal had very little to do but coped well with what came his way. John Ahearn was outstanding at full-back as was Willie Kiely at centre-back. Cornerbacks and wingbacks also played their part. Michael Walsh and Chris Morrissey were excellent at midfield and gave the forwards plenty of ball. Even with the score of 3-11 the forwards squandered some easy scoring chances. We had a total of 22 wides. Let's hope this will not happen this Saturday when we take on East Waterford in Fraher Field at 2.30 p.m. We had an easy victory over the same opposition in the Gleeson Cup a few weeks ago. I expect a much closer game this time. They had very little done for the Gleeson Cup but since then they have brought in Joey Carlton and are training two nights a week.

# Abbeyside's Hurling Stars Of The Future



Pictured above and below are young hurlers with Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Club who took part in the winter indoor hurling training sessions at St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside



# Sliabh gCua/ St. Mary's G.A.A. Notes

### SENIOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Last Saturday evening we played An Rinn in the third round of the league. This was a very close game as conditions were very poor for football. We played with the wind in the first half and lead 0-7 to 0-4 at half time. In the second half both defences were on top and we held out for our second win. Sliabh gCua 0-8 An Rinn 0-6.

Team; Eamonn Condon, Paddy Corcoran, James Condon, Paul Condon, David Meaney, Tomas Condon, Declan Kiely, David

Whelan (0-2), John P. Fitzpatrick (0-2), Ian Dunford (0-1), Eamonn Butler, Eamonn Lonergan, Aidan Fitzpatrick (0-1), Pa Hallinan, Kieran Hallahan (0-2), Subs; Sean Kearns, Joe Lawlor, James Connors, Roy Ware.

### WESTERN HURLING LEAGUE

We play Colligan next Saturday evening at 6.30 in Kirwan Park. All players to be there at 6.00 pm sharp.

### TRAINING

Training every Tuesday and Thursday night at 7.30 pm sharp.

## Waterford G.A.A. Results

### CO. FOOTBALL LEAGUE

- Division 1 — St. Saviours 2-8, Kilrossanty 2-6; Stradbally 0-11, Rathgormack 1-5; Nire 2-10, Gaultier 1-9; Tramore 0-8, Kill 0-8.
- Division 2 — Rathgormack (B) 0-9, Dungarvan 1-3; Sliabh gCua 0-8, Ring 0-6; Ballinacourty 1-11, Dunhill 1-10.
- Division 3 — Brickey Rangers 2-10, Emmets 0-6; De La Salle 0-13, Geraldines 0-8; Bonmahon 1-12, Affane 0-9; Ardmore 1-13, Shamrocks 2-8.

### CO. SENIOR HURLING LEAGUE

Lismore 1-19, Fourmilewater 1-10.

### EAST MINOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE

- Ballyduff/Butlerstown 1-15, Dunhill/Fenor 2-7; Tramore 2-9, Rathgormack 2-8; De La Salle 2-8, Mt. Sion 2-8; St. Marys 3-11, Roanmore 2-6; St. Mollerans 5-6, Kilmacthomas 2-1.

### MUNSTER U-16 INTER-DIVISIONAL HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

West Waterford 3-11, Carrighoun (Cork) 0-7.

### NATIONAL HURLING LEAGUE

Waterford 2-12, Laois 0-6.



# Ardmore G.A.A. Club Notes

## RYAN'S SUPER VALU LEAGUE Ardmore 1-13 Shamrocks 2-8

Our third match in the Ryan's Football League was again a very tight affair with our third two point victory being recorded. A wonderful save in the final moments by Damien Lenane from a quick free probably saved our bacon as a goal at that stage would probably have won it for the home-side.

We started brightly with some excellent scores being taken by John Conway and Richie Hennessy but our defences on the other hand were in a generous mood and conceded some soft scores.

In the second half Ardmore again moved into a six point lead but again the concession of some needless scores put us under pressure for the closing stages and but for that fine save from Damien we could have lost the match. However with three wins under our belt, we should now be in a position to challenge for a top two position which would give us a shot at winning the weekend away.

### WEST WATERFORD ADVANCE

Well done to Billy Harty and his West Waterford under-16 hurlers who had a fine win over Carrigdaun from Cork on Saturday last in Fraher Field. Billy played his part in a fine win. They now face East Waterford in the next round and will be confident following their Gleeson Cup success that they can get a repeat victory on Saturday next also at Fraher Field. We wish the team and selectors the very best of luck.

### UNDER-21 FOOTBALL

We will have played the Nire in the Under-21 Football Championship by the time these notes appear and we will be hoping for a victory against very difficult opposition. We will have a repeat on the game next week.

### UNDER-16 FOOTBALL

Our under-16 footballers received a walkover from Tallow last week and have now qualified to meet Dungarvan in the semi-final with Abbeyside awaiting the winners in the final. No date has been given to me yet for this game but it will most likely take place on Sunday next as the under-16 hurlers are playing on Saturday.

### UNDER-14 PEIL NA NÓG

We are scheduled to meet Abbeyside in the first round of this under-14 football competition on Wednesday next, April 14 with the winners playing the semi-final on April 17 with the final against the winners of Kilrossanty v Clashmore fixed for April 18. To qualify means we will have to win three very hard games in five days so our under-14 footballers are asked to be in the field on Wednesday night at 7 p.m. for training for this competition as we have very little time to prepare. Team manager Frankie North would like all of the panel to be in the field on Wednesday evening and as the schools are on holidays it is hoped that those working will make the effort to attend training.

### PHELAN CUP

We are due to face Dungarvan on Sunday next in the Phelan Cup but in view of the fact that all of our players will be involved in a final, we will be hoping for an alternative date for this fixture.

### SCÓR NA bPÁISTÍ

Both Grange and Ardmore schools were represented in Scór Na bPáistí held in Ballinroad last week. Grange N.S. got two acts through to the next round and we wish them the very best of luck. We hope to have a full report on their progress when the schools return from the Easter break.

### MINI-SEVENS

The Ardmore School performed very well in the Mini Hurling Sevens played in Abbeyside last week. Victor Mullins had the lads in fine shape. They won against Glenbeg N.S., were narrowly beaten by ?? and also beaten by St. Joseph's N.S., Dungarvan. Having to play two games in succession cost them victory in one of the games as they ran out of steam in the closing stages but well done to all of the lads on a fine display.

### TRAINING

Hurling training continues each Friday evening for all grades with under-12's from 5.30 p.m., under-14's 6.30 p.m. and under-16, minor and adult at 7.30 p.m. All players are asked to be in attendance.

### CLUB LEAGUES

At present names are being taken for the upcoming club leagues in both hurling and football. Teams will be graded with special rules also in place so that younger players can play a full part as the rules will benefit them. Players must be seven or over to take part and under twelve. There may also be a league for the younger boys and girls if there are enough players available. If you wish to take part, please give your name to Declan Barron who is organising the leagues. Girls and boys may take part.

### GOOD OMEN

In 1997 when we won the Intermediate Football County title, our friends in the soccer club, Ardmore A.F.C. had just won the Tyre Centre Cup and all of the players shared in both successes.

Again on Sunday next Ardmore A.F.C. are back in the Cup Final where they face Cappoquin. We wish all of the lads the very best of luck as they try to bring the cup back again to Ardmore and if they do then maybe it will be a good omen for our footballers for 1999 also.

The under-11, under-13 and under-17 sides are also in their cup finals and these will be played by the time these notes appear so we hope that they too have been successful.

### 21st BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Congratulations to Patrick Gallagher who celebrated his 21st birthday with a huge party at Paddy Mac's on Saturday night last. It was a wonderful night and a fitting coming of age for this very popular young man.

### LOTTO

Sunday night's Lotto was held in Paddy Mac's with the numbers 3, 7, 17 failing to find a match. The following consolation prizewinners were drawn from the drum -

Stephen O'Neill, Whitegate, Cork; Jean Conway, Lissarrow; Paddy Mac, Ardmore; Alan North, College Road, Ardmore; Declan Hennessy, College Road, Ardmore.

Once again our thanks to Paddy Mac's staff for their help. Next Sunday night we return to Fleming's Bar in Grange and with the jackpot continuing to climb, now is the time to get your ticket. So if you want to win be sure to be in.

## Western Primary Schools I.N.T.O. Mini Sevens Camogie Final



▲ Chairperson, Waterford Primary Schools G.A.A. Board, Margaret Cunningham presenting the Bro. Dormer Cup to Lismore's captain, Nicola Morrissey.

Photos by Sean Byrne



▲ Lismore, winners of the Western Primary Schools I.N.T.O. Mini-Sevens camogie title. They beat Ballyduff 2-0 in the final played in Modeligo. Front row (l. to r.) Kelly O'Sullivan, Jannette Moloney, Roseanne Leddy, Eidel Ormonde and Shelly Keane. Back row (l. to r.) Joanne Leahy, Tanya Morrissey, Lorraine Hennessy, Deirdre Walsh, Laura Buckley, Nicola Morrissey (capt.), Lisa Fitzgerald.

▼ Ballyduff, beaten by Lismore in the final of the Western Primary Schools I.N.T.O. Mini-Sevens Camogie Competition. Front row (l. to r.) Lorraine Hannon, Olive Hogan, Niamh Geary, Marie Feeney, Karen Keating and Mairead Finn. Back row (l. to r.) Breda Feeney, Tara O'Flynn, Sheila Ahern, Anita O'Keeffe, Aoife Walsh, Vanessa Hannon and Elaine Sheehan.





G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

# Western Board Leagues

A most comprehensive programme of games in both the hurling and football divisional leagues has now been circulated to all clubs in the western division. The programme provides for matches up until late June

where there will be a break in order to allow the championships to commence. The leagues will then resume in September. The matches are on a home and away basis and should a club ground not be available the game will revert to their opponents venue. Gate receipts of a £1 to be collected and retained by home club.

**Hurling Division 1 (all games 7 p.m.) — April 11th — Shamrocks v. Abbeyside at Knockanore; St. Mary's v. Colligan at Touraneena; Ballysaggart v. Cappoquin at Ballysaggart; Dungarvan v. Clashmore at Dungarvan Club Ground. Ring have a bye.**

**Sunday, April 24th at 7.30 p.m. — Colligan v. Ring in Colligan; St. Marys v. Cappoquin in Touraneena; Shamrocks v. Ballysaggart in Knockanore; Clashmore v. Abbeyside in Clashmore. Dungarvan have a bye.**

**Division 2 Hurling — Weekend 10th April at 7 p.m. — Lismore v. Kilrossanty in Lismore; Kilgobnet v. Ballinameela in Kilgobnet; Geraldines v. Ardmore in Aglish. Abbeyside have a bye.**

**Round 2 — April 25th at 3 p.m. — Abbeyside v. Lismore in Abbeyside; Kilrossanty v. Kilgobnet in Lemybrien; Ballinameela v. Geraldines in Ballinameela. Ardmore have a bye.**

**Division 3 Hurling — April 24th — Modeligo v. Fourmilewater at Modeligo at 7.30 p.m. Tallow v. Cappoquin at Tallow. April 25th at 3 p.m.; Dungarvan v. Ballyduff at Dungarvan, April 24th at 7 p.m.**

**Round 2 — May 9th at 3 p.m. — Modeligo v. Tallow at Modeligo; Fourmilewater v. Dungarvan at Ballymacarbry; Ballyduff v. Cappoquin at Ballyduff.**

**Division 4 Hurling — Tourin v. Geraldines at Tourin 24/4/99 at 7.30 p.m. — Clashmore v. Brickeys at Clashmore 25/4/99 at 3 p.m.; Seana Phobal v. Glen Rovers in Old Parish, 24/4/99 at 7.30 p.m.**

**Round 2 — all on May 9th at 3 p.m. — Tourin v. Clashmore in Tourin; Geraldines v. Seana Phobal**

in Aglish; Glen Rovers v. Brickeys in Melleray.

## WESTERN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

**Division 1 — Nire v. Ballinacourty in Ballymacarbry 16/4/99 at 7 p.m.; Stradbally v. Ballinameela at Stradbally 16/4/99 at 7 p.m.; Ballyduff v. Modeligo at Ballyduff 17/4/99 at 7 p.m.; Kilgobnet v. Old Parish at Kilgobnet, 17/4/99. at 7 p.m.**

**Round 2 — 16/5/99 — all at 7.30 p.m. — Ballinacourty v. Stradbally at Abbeyside; Ballinameela v. Ballyduff at Ballinameela; Seana Phobal v. Nire at Old Parish.**

**Division 2 — Sliabh gCua v. Ballysaggart at Touraneena, 16/4/99 at 7 p.m.; Clashmore v. Kilrossanty at Clashmore 16/4/99 at 7 p.m.; Brickeys v. Affane at Bushy Park, 16/4/99 at 7 p.m.; Dungarvan v. Eire Og at Dungarvan Club Ground, 18/4/99 at 11.30 a.m.**

**Round 2 — Ballysaggart v. Clashmore in Ballysaggart 7-30 p.m. 14/5/99; Kilrossanty v. Brickeys at Leamybrien 7.30 p.m. 14/5/99; Affane v. Dungarvan at Cappoquin 16/5/99 at 7.30 p.m.; Eire Og v Sliabh gCua at Dungarvan 16/5/99 at 7.30 p.m.**

There will be no postponements under any circumstances and clubs with players required for county team duty will be required to play without them.

# Fixtures

The first round matches in the senior hurling championship have been brought forward from May 9th to May 2nd in order to give the county senior hurling selectors an extra week free from club championship games

## SARGENT CUP GAMES

This competition gets underway on Sunday next when four first round matches are down for decision. Group teams are excluded from the Sargent Cup.

### AT FRAHER FIELD

With no intercounty match fixed for this date, patrons will be entertained with a double header at Fraher Field where Tallow take on the intermediate county champions, Stradbally in the opening tie and Erin's Own will meet Fourmilewater in the second game. The winners of the first game here will play Lismore in the quarter final and the winners of the second match will take on Ballyduff.

### AT WALSH PARK

There is a double header here also with Roanmore playing De La Salle in the opener and Passage taking on Portlaw in the second match. Winners of first match will play Ballygunner and the other winners will meet Mount Sion.

## PHELAN CUP

The 1999 Phelan Cup is also due to get off the ground on Sunday next

at Fraher Field Ballinacourty will meet Ring at 7 p.m. (winners will meet Kilrossanty) and Dungarvan will take on Ardmore in Cappoquin at 3.30 p.m. The winners here will meet the Nire.

On Tuesday evening of next week Kill will play Stradbally at Dunhill, winners meeting St. Saviours, and at Walsh Park, Gaultier will play

Tramore and the winners here will face Rathgormack

# St. Olivers GAA Notes

## EASTER DRAW

On Sunday last, April 4th, we held our Easter draw. It was greatly supported by all club members. We would like to thank Herlihy's Super Valu Dungarvan for their sponsorship of the second prize Easter Surprise and Marie Ronayne for fourth prize, a bottle of wine.

Results are as follows: 1st, £100, Kieran Mernin Villierstown; 2nd, Easter Surprise, Helen Ryan, Cooneen, Aglish; 3rd, Easter Egg, Shane McCarthy, Salterbridge, Cappoquin; 4th, Bottle of Wine, Regina Walsh, Curraghroche, Aglish. Once again, thank you to everyone who supported the draw.

## COUNTY HONOURS

The Club would like to congratulate Ger Donovan on being selected to play with the West Waterford U/16 team. They beat Carrigdown last Saturday in the Fraher Field. Wishing Ger every success in the fu-

ture.

## TRAINING

Hurling training in Aglish as follows:

U/6-U/9 Saturday morning, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.; U/11 - Wednesday 6.30 to 7.30. Everyone to have helmets and hurleys.

## U/13 TOWN AND COUNTRY LEAGUE

Our U/13 hurlers played Naomh Bríd in the field in Aglish on Tuesday, 6th April. Results next week.

## COMMITTEE MEETING

Our next meeting is in Ballinameela old school on Monday, 12th April at 9 p.m.. Hope to see all committee members there.

## COMING FIXTURES

U/11 challenge match Friday, 9th April in Aglish - St. Olivers v. Kilrossanty, 6.30 p.m.

U/13 - Monday 12th April - St. Olivers v. Brickeys in Bushy Park, 6.30 p.m..

U/11 - Friday, 16th April - St. Olivers v. Abbeyside in Aglish, 6.30 p.m.

# Waterford Senior Football C'ship Fixtures

**May 29 — Rathgormack v. Ring at Fraher Field, 7.30 p.m.**

**June 5 — Nire v. Faugh a Bealach, at Fraher Field, 6.45 p.m.; Kilrossanty v. Gleann Bríd at Fraher Field, 8 p.m.; Stradbally v. Meaghers, at Kill, 8 p.m.**

**June 6 — Dungarvan v. Gleann na nDeise, at the Fraher Field, 6.45 p.m.; St. Saviours v. Ardmore, at the Fraher Field, 8 p.m.; Kill v. Tramore at Walsh Park, 8.45 p.m.; Ballinacourty v. Gaultier, at Walsh Park, 8 p.m.**

# County Board Meeting

The April meeting of the County Board is scheduled for next Monday night and will have a 7.30 p.m. start at Lawlor's Hotel.

Included on the agenda is an update on the Club Loan Scheme to the County Board. It is presumed that all clubs will have notified the county secretary of how they intend to service the repayments.

Details of the new Deise Draw will be given to delegates and the starting date will be announced also. A championship and league update will be given and there will be the usual reports from the various county selectors.

## Minor Hurling Challenge

In a minor hurling challenge which preceded the NHL game at Walsh Park, Waterford defeated a Lois selection by 1-17 to 1-3.

# Paul Flynn



Many people felt that WLR went a bit overboard with the announcement to the conclusion that it was supposed to be an April fools-day gimmick. Some unkind things were said about the Ballygunner sharpshooter's decision and Paul was not the most popular guy around when the truth came out later in the day.

Last year out of a total of 19 intercounty matches, Flynn scored his record total of 7 goals and 82 points (103 points) out of our total of 18 goals and 258 points. That score put him into the 'Ton Up' club for the first time (membership of the Ton Up Club is confined to players whose total score in points over a year numbers 100 or more.)

Our old friend Ger Loughnane of Clare was also in the news on Fools Day when an announcement on Clare Fm. stated that he was quitting the hurling game to go into politics as an independent councillor after the June elections. This was also scotched later in the day.



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

NATIONAL HURLING LEAGUE

# Waterford Trounce Midlanders

## WATERFORD 2-12 LAOIS 0-6

Following three defeats on the trot, this was a resounding victory for Waterford who played very well throughout and never allowed Laois to take a grip on the game at any stage. The visitors played a tough style of hurling and conceded many fouls which proved costly, especially in the 28th minute when the returned Paul Flynn goaled from a 22 metre free which extended our lead to eight points coming up to halftime.

This victory and the manner in which it was achieved will increase our disappointment of losing to Cork eight days earlier when we had to field without Flynn and Browne.

The match, which attracted a 5,000 attendance, was played in wet and murky conditions with daylight beginning to fade as the game wore on.

The Waterford team was not named until Saturday afternoon and showed some surprises. Needless to mention, the selectors became the object of much criticism for the amazing delay in selecting their team. The fifteen who eventually lined out had no injury problems that we heard of. Brian

Greene was out with an injured finger and Tony Browne was absent from training because of a bout of flu.

Stephen Brenner replaced Brendan Landers in goal and Dave Bennett was moved out to midfield to partner Fergal Hartley, with Billy O'Sullivan moving to centre half forward. The remainder of the team was more or less as expected. Over the hour Waterford played no substitute...

The crowd in Walsh Park included a big number who came in support of Laois, whose confidence had been boosted by their recent wins against Wexford and Cork.

### PLAY

Laois put in an early at-

tack that yielded nothing. In the 4th minute Paul Flynn pointed from play and three minutes later Michael White did likewise. Laois were awarded a '65' which was sent wide. In the 9th minute Anthony Kirwan received a heavy tackle and Paul Flynn duly obliged by pointing the resultant free. Then, in the 11th minute, B. Rigney had a great point from play to open their account. In the 17th minute Ken McGrath sent over what looked to be a point, but the umpires disagreed and the referee Willie Barrett disallowed the score.

Paul Flynn from a free in the 18th minute, Anthony Kirwan from play in the 20th and Michael White,

also from play in the 21st minute, gave Waterford a clear 5 points advantage and Laois were already finding it difficult to get a grip on the game.

With only 4 minutes of the 1st half remaining, Paul Flynn extended our lead by a further point from a free. The puck out was caught by Eamon Fennelly who duly pointed for the visitors. Paul Flynn bent low to take a 22 metre free and to everyone's amazement, he shot for goal and gave us a 1-7 to 0-2 lead in the 28th minute. Scoring was not finished however and what was probably the best point of the match was hit over by Ken McGrath just on the call of halftime to leave the score at 1-8 to 0-2.

### SECOND HALF

There was no breeze of any consequence in the game and no good reason for supposing that Laois would turn the game around in their favour unless Waterford began to show a lapse of form.



Paul Flynn came back after suspension to score 2-5 of Waterford's tally against Laois.

From the start Laois exerted great pressure, but a very solid defence in which Tom Feeney and Brian Flannery excelled and a strong half back line of Peter Queally, Stephen Frampton in the centre and James O'Connor who was brought on to replace the injured Brian Greene who yielded precious little despite the over robust tackling of the Laois attack. Declan Rigney had a point from play, but any slight hope of a Laois revival after this was well and truly dispelled when Waterford replied with 1-3 before the visitors were to score again.

Paul Flynn had a 39th minute point from play and a super point, also from play by Billy O'Sullivan, was followed by Dave Bennett's only score of the game which was scored when the new midfielder pointed a '65'. Our second goal came in the 44th minute after splendid work by Ken McGrath and Anthony Kirwan. It was now 2-11 to 0-3 with the match entering the final quarter.

In the 49th minute Michael White had Waterford's final score, a nice point from play. David Cuddy (3), Cyril Cuddy (1), ended a disappointing hour for our very ambitious visitors. All the Waterford forwards played well, including Dan Shanahan who did great work without get-

ting his name on the scoreboard.

After the match, Gerald McCarthy said he was pleased with the team's overall performance and despite the fact that we are out of the running

for league honours no effort will be spared in attempting to beat Tipperary in our final match on next Sunday week.

Interestingly, the match was refereed by Willie Barrett who had been in the headlines following the Munster final replay between Waterford and Clare last July.

Scorers — Waterford: P. Flynn 2-5, Ml. White 0-3, A. Kirwan, K. McGrath, B. O'Sullivan and D. Bennett 0-1 each; Laois: D. Cuddy 0-2, C. Cuddy 0-2, D. Rigney and E. Fennelly 0-1 each.

**Waterford** — S. Brenner, T. Feeney, S. Cullinane, B. Flannery, P. Queally, S. Frampton, J. O'Connor, D. Bennett, F. Hartley, D. Shanahan, B. O'Sullivan, K. McGrath, M. White, P. Flynn.

**Laois** — R. Cashin, S. Dooley, P. Maher, P. J. Peacock, N. Rigney, P. Cuddy, A. Bergin, D. Conroy, O. Dowling, D. Cuddy, D. Rooney, C. Cuddy, E. Fennelly, M. Rooney, M. Delaney. Subs: L. Tynan for E. Fennelly, N. Lacey for M. Delaney.

Referee W.Barrett, Tipperary.



At the presentation of Glanbia Leisure Wear and Kit Bags to the Waterford senior hurling team in the Glanbia Conference Centre were (l. to r.) Kieran O'Connor, Glanbia, Gerald McCarthy, team manager, Brian Flannery, team captain, Tom Corcoran, Vice-Chairman Glanbia and John Glavin, selector. (Rory Wyley)

Waterford manager Gerald McCarthy was pleased with the team's overall performance





## G.A.A. NOTES

# Annual Congress

The annual Congress of the GAA will take place at the Burlington Hotel, Dublin on Friday and Saturday of next week.

Much of the interest will focus on the election of a new president and who will succeed Joe MacDonagh at Congress in the following year. Sean MacCaighe, Monaghan, who was runner up on the last occasion, is favourite to beat Munster's Noel Walsh and Leinster's Albert Fallon. For the first time ever, the voting will be by proportional representation. This election will take place on Saturday of next week.

All delegates attending will sit in at Workshops on Friday afternoon and practically every one attending will be hoping that there will be more interesting than they were last year.

The other big interest in the Congress will focus on the proposals to change the

Disciplinary Code.

Among the major changes proposed are in the case of a sending-off for a Category D offence shall stand suspended for the duration of the game only. If he repeats the offence within the next 48 weeks, he shall be suspended for 2 weeks. The idea behind this is that a referee will more readily send off a player when he knows that a suspension will not result.

A player sent off for an offence which merits 2 or more weeks, shall not serve his suspension during the months of December and January. This means that a player sent off at the end of November will have his suspension dating from the 1st February, unless the competition in which he is playing continues through the winter months.

**Juvenile Grades** — Up until now the General Rules dealt with the under 16 grade only and the other

juvenile grades were dealt with regulations decided on by Central Council. This is also to change. It is proposed that the suspension applicable to under 15 downwards will now be extended to include under 16 grades. Therefore, all underage players who offend under the category D rules will be suspended for one week. For underage Festivals a player sent off shall stand suspended for the next match in that competition, but if his team are no longer engaged in that competition he will be suspended for one week.

From now on, an under 16 juvenile cannot be called before a Disciplinary Hearing, unless he requests such a hearing, in which case he shall be accompanied by a full adult member and while giving evidence, he cannot be heard by more than 5 members. There are other changes of lesser importance also proposed.

## BY "COMMENTATOR"

## Primary School Prospects Spotted Last Week



The Ballyduff N.S. camogie team who won the Roinn A Final of the recent indoor blitz at Lismore. Miss O'Farrell N.T., Caitriona Caples and Mary Kenneally are doing good work in the school and club promoting camogie.

Photo shows back row (l. to r.) Anne-Marie O'Farrell (N.T.), Aoife Walshe, Anita O'Keefe, Elaine Sheehan, Tara Flynn and Sheila Aherne. Front row (l. to r.) Breda Feeney, Vanessa Hannon, Sharon Kenneally, Mairead Finn, Karen Keating.

## Park Hotel Sports Star Of The Month



The Park Hotel Sports Star of the Month for February goes to Padraic Fanning and Colm Bonner, W.I.T.'s backroom duo who masterminded recent Fitzgibbon and Ashbourne victories at Garda College, Templemore.

This was Waterford Institute of Technology's first ever camogie victory in the Ashbourne series and for the hurlers their third Fitzgibbon title.

At the presentation luncheon in the Park Hotel, Mr. Pierce Flynn presented the February award to Padraic Fanning and Colm Bonner while both College captains Andy Moloney and Bridget Mullahey were present with the historic Fitzgibbon and Ashbourne Cups first presented in 1912 and 1914 respectively. Both of these trophies are now being consigned to the archives of third level history and will rest in the museum at Croke Park. Replacement cups will be presented for next year's competitions.

Also in attendance were many of W.I.T.'s back-up team including Donie, Kitty and Sinead Nealon, Phil Fanning, Sheils O'Donoghue, Eugene McKenna as well as John A. Murphy and Fr. P. Moran (adjudicators).

▲ Photo shows Pierce Flynn presenting the Park Hotel Sport Star Award For February to joint winners Colm Bonnar (left) and Padraig Fanning. Included are Fr. Pat Moran O.S.A., Chairman Adjudicating Panel and Eugene McKenna, W.I.T. (Rory Wyley)

**CURRABAHA B N.S., KILMAC- THOMAS** — Bobby Power, 10 years old, 3rd Class.

Bobby is a well built lad with very good basic skill. Lives at Fahafeelah and plays underage with Kilmacthomas. Very lively at sessions and is always involved. Could go on to be a useful hurler. Likes watching Waterford play and his favourite hurler is Tony Browne.

**GRANGE N.S.** — Orla Hickey, 11 years old, Rang 4.

Orla is a very pleasant and well co-ordinated girl who could play most sports. Her home is at Lissarrow and she starred at last Wednesday's visit. New principal Mr. Micheál Gildea and his staff give great support to the coaches on visits. Many fine hurlers have learned the trade in this school and have went on to represent Waterford at different levels. Orla's favourite hurler in Dan 'The Man' Shanahan.

### MINI SEVENS HURLING

Abbeyside G.A.A. pitch was alive with young hurlers on Tuesday evening last when the mini-sevens took place. The standard looked very good and most games were very close. St. Joseph's, Coolnasmear/Kilbrien and Scoil Gharbháin qualified for the semi-finals. At Lismore, Tallow, Ballyduff, Cappoquin and hosts Lismore battled it out with a very strong Lismore (Scoil Bothar Na Naomh)

team going through.

### UNDER-13 TOWN AND COUNTRY LEAGUE

The first games in this new league took place last week with wins for Lismore, Brickeys, Cappoquin, Middleton and Abbeyside. The Under-11 League will start this week. Rachael Ryan is the secretary of this committee and the '38 man', the legendary Willie Barron is the chairman.

### WEST WATERFORD 3-11 CARRIGDOWN (CORK) 0-7

This scoreline flattered Waterford at Fraher Field on Saturday last. Only some great defensive play kept the Cork side out early in the second half. Waterford hurled very well for most of the game with M. Walsh (Stradbally) and Christy Morrissey (Brickeys) doing trojan work at midfield. The Kearney twins showed the skill we expect from Tallow lads and John Ahearne, Denis Coffey, Shane Hayes, Willie and Sean Kiely, Jimmy Moore, Colm Geary all played well in what was a good team effort.

### NEXT WEEK'S COACHING DATES

Mon., April 12 - St. Mary's, Dungarvan.  
Tues., April 13 - Ballyduff Upper.  
Weds., April 14 - Piltown/Seana Phobal.  
Thurs., April 15 - Knockanore.  
Fri., April 16 - Scoil Bothar Na Naomh, Lios Mór.



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