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Congratulations to Fiona Ni Dhroma, who recently graduated with a Diploma in Higher Education, Registered Nurse from Anglia Polytechnic University, Essex. Fiona is only daughter of Seamus and Marie Ros Ui Dhroma, Baile na nGall, An Rinn. She is a past pupil of Meanseoil San Nioclas, An Rinn.

Christmas Spending On The Rise As Shoppers Prepare For Euro

Kevin Kirrane

Businesses in West Waterford saw a Christmas "spending frenzy" as people cleared out stashes of coins and punts in preparation for the dawn of a new currency.

As Lady Lavery and the other figures of Irish history depicted on the punts are consigned to the past, a flood of coins, which were stashed away in jars and bottles, have been taken out and spent, before the Euro becomes the country's new currency.

Although a dual currency will be in operation for the month of January, shoppers in Dungarvan and other towns in West Waterford, have driven up sales in shops throughout the region as they

prepare for the changeover.

Local Department Store, Shaws have reported their best Christmas to date, with the number of cash transactions showing a steady increase and sales showing a significant rise over previous years.

Manager of Shaws John Nee said that this comes despite the effects of foot and mouth early in the year and the media hype regarding the economic impact after September 11th. This, it was

feared, would have a bearing on spending in the town this Christmas, but Mr. Nee said this hasn't been the case.

Supervalu Store Herlihy's in O'Connell Street, have also sounded an extremely positive note on the levels of sales.

Manager Tim Foley attributed this to a number of factors including the newly extended store, the introduction of a Santa's Grotto and the spending of punts before the Euro is introduced on

January 1st. This has all led to sales being "well up" on the previous year, Mr. Foley said.

Garvey's Supervalu on the Quay in Dungarvan were also happy with how their sales went this Christmas with all the traditional Christmas merchandise selling well.

Liam Power of Garvey's believed the level of spending in Dungarvan has seen this year is due to shoppers

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Gardai Report Clean Bill Of Health For Christmas

KEVIN KIRRANE

Christmas festivities in Dungarvan passed off quietly for the most part, with only a small number of incidents reported over the holiday period.

The festivities saw large crowds of revellers flock to Dungarvan over the Christmas week but, by and large, the crowds were well behaved and good humoured.

Sergeant Paul O'Driscoll said that while a number of people were arrested over the week for public order offences these were mostly of a minor nature.

With St. Stephen's night traditionally one of the

busiest nights of the year for pubs and nightclubs in the town, it was little surprise that it was also the busiest of the Christmas period for the Gardai.

The majority of the public order offences occurred on St. Stephen's night but Sergeant O'Driscoll again wanted to make it clear that these were of a minor nature.

A significant police presence was also on view during the week with extra Gardai drafted in from the district to prevent anything from getting out of hand or the revelry felt throughout

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Paddy Foley's Bar Fundraising Presentation

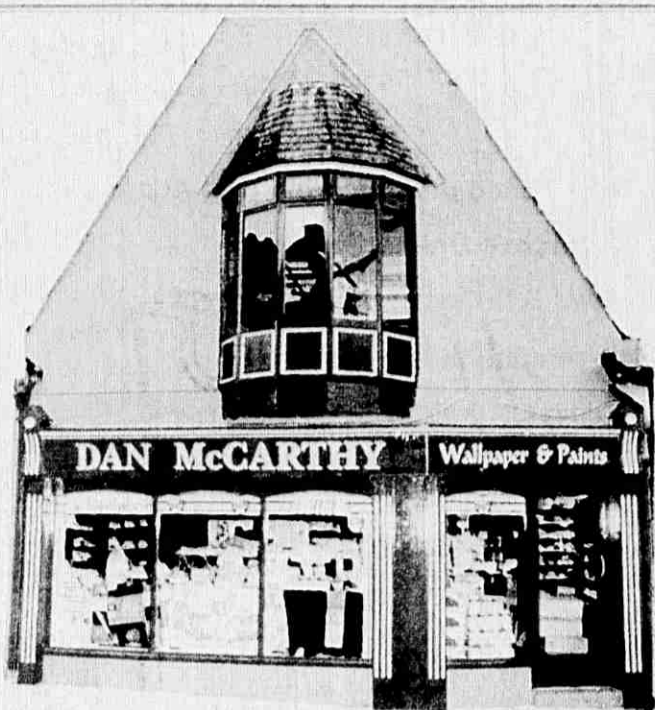


Table Quiz at Paddy Foleys raises £2590.90 for Our Ladys Hospital for Sick Children, Crumlin. At the presentation of the cheque were seated (l. to r.) Mary Foley, Darragh Hayes, John Fitzpatrick, Development Manager, Our Ladys Hospital for Sick Children, Dublin and Maura Curran. Standing (l. to r.) Trish Veale, Anita Coleman, Kieran Curran, Breda Wall, J. D. O'Shea and Jim Egan. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

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Photographed after receiving his Diploma in Counselling is Michael Dunford, "Achnacarry," Kilnafrehan Middle, Dungarvan. Michael is currently working as a generic counsellor with the "Cuan Mhuire Rehabilitation Centres." He is also studying for his M.A. Degree at the University of Limerick.

Graduations



Catherine Ni Chrotaigh who graduated recently from Waterford Institute of Technology with an Honours Degree in Financial Services. Catherine is a daughter of the late Eddie and Margie Crotty, Ballinacourty, Ring.



Ms. Eve Altman, Dungarvan, who graduated with a Diploma in Journalism from The Irish Academy, at a function held at the Ambassador Hotel Cork. Plc. —(John Sheehan Photography).

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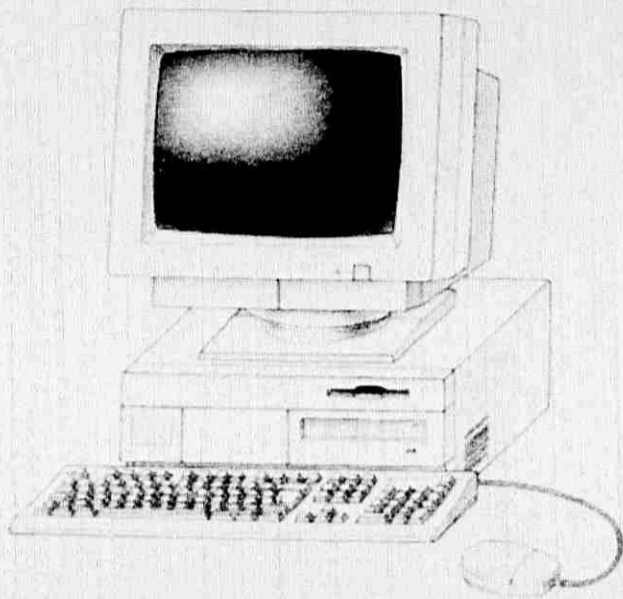
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Atom Bomb

The first atomic bomb exploded over the city of Hiroshima, in Japan, on 6 August, 1945. It was dropped by the USA. The world had never seen such a terrible weapon — in a few seconds, over 150,000 people were injured or killed.

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Children's Writing Competition

Tallow Writers' Group, County Waterford's only writing group, is pleased to announce that, due to extra demand, the closing date for the Source West Waterford Children's Writing Competition has been extended.

Following many requests for extra time from West Waterford area's 18 schools, the

competition's closing date has been extended to 31 January 2002.

This is the first children's writing competition just for West Waterford! It's open to everyone up to the age of 12, currently living in the West Waterford area (Tallow to Dungarvan, Ballysaggart, Knockanore and Ballyduff).

We're looking for prose and poetry that's exciting, original, imaginative and with lots of sparkle! There are six categories to enter, with a prize for each:

Prose Age 0-6 years (£10/*12.70)
Poetry Age 0-6 years (£10/*12.70)
Prose Age 7-10 years

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Poetry Age 7-10 years (£15/*19.05)

Prose Age 11-12 years (£20/*25.40)

Poetry Age 11-12 years (£20/*25.40)

The prizes are vouchers to the above values, very kindly sponsored by David Walsh Office, Stationery and School Supplies, Lower Main Street, Dungarvan, Co Waterford (Tel: 058 42634). Every winner will also receive a certificate! A booklet of the winning entries (and winners' photo's) will be published in 2002.

There are two judges: Kevin McCarthy, a well-known writer and author of children's books, and Maureen Fox, a long-standing and well-recognised journalist. Entry is free, with one entry permitted for prose and/or poetry for each child. Entries must be handwritten or typed, written on one side of white A4 paper and no longer than 400 words (prose) and 30 lines (poetry).

All entries must include name, address, age and phone number and be sent to:

Breeda Geary (Treasurer, Tallow Writers' Group), Glenacrogghery, Tallow, Co Waterford (Tel: 058 59121)

To have an entry returned, include a stamped, self-addressed envelope. As usual, the judges' decisions are final and no correspondence will be entered into. Winners will be notified by the end of February 2002.

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Scoil Mhuire, Abbeyside, winners of the 5th Class Section of the Abbeyside Community Centre Schools Table Quiz. (left to right): John Power, Craig Kinghorn, Mark Earley and Tim Daly. Also included are Aine O'Riordan, Secretary and Johnny Hourigan, Chairman, Abbeyside Community Centre Committee. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

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Wedding Bells



Jane Cookson daughter of Margaret Cookson of Merseyside and Joel Mahon, son of Henry and Mary Mahon of Ring, Co. Waterford who were married recently at St. Nicholas Church Ring with the reception at the Gold Coast Hotel Dungarvan.

Efforts On-Going For CCTV

Discussions are on-going with the Gardai about the possibility of putting in CCTV cameras in Dungarvan and County Manager Donal Connolly is also getting a price on the cost of the operation.

In reply to a question from Cllr. John Deasy, the County Manager said that agreement would also have to be reached with the Department of Justice who would have to give the ultimate go-ahead.

He said the Department has given the green light for close circuit televisions in ten areas already next year and a further six towns will be included after this.

The County Manager said that the Gardai in the town and the Urban Council will make a submission for CCTV in Dungarvan when the six areas come up for discussion.

Kilrossanty Notes

DEATH

The death took place last Wednesday of Pate Veale Leamybrien Pate was in his mid nineties. Pate was deeply involved in G.A.A. Kilrossanty. Burial took place in Kilrossanty cemetery. Sympathy to his sons, daughters, brother and sister. Full obituary next week. May he rest in peace.

HALL

Annual general meeting of the hall takes place on Monday night in the hall at 8.30. Anyone interested in the affairs of the hall are welcome to attend as well as former members of the committee.

COLLECTION

Just a reminder of the collection for the support of the clergy if you have not contributed do so this weekend. Remember the value of the euro is only 80 pence adjust your contributions accordingly. Thanks to those who have contributed.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to the Scurry family Kilnagrange on the death of Jim Scurry Kilnagrange who died over the weekend. Burial took place in Fews cemetery. May he rest in peace.

MARRIAGE

Congratulations to Mary Brazil Fews and Pat Fahey, Rathgormack who were married last Saturday. Good wishes to ye both for your future together.

A.G.M.

Annual general meeting of Kilrossanty G.A.A. will take place on 18th January at 7.30.

DRAW

Winners of the local draw held recently Dermot Kiely Balingown £20, John Flahavan £20 Kilnagrange, Dermot Kirwan Grawn £20, Sheile Murphy Furraleigh £20, Paddy Mullaney Bal-

lykerogue £20, Peter Barry Kilrossanty £20. Promoters prize went to John Kiely Balingown £20 and Jimmy Doocey Kilminion £20. Thanks for all the support during the year. Details of new draw will be on notes in the coming weeks.

A.R.G.

No monthly meeting in January. The February one will be held on 6th February.

Nótaí an t-Sean Phobail

AISTEOIRI AN T-SEAN PHOBAIL

Aisteoiri an t-Sean Phobail will present "Sive" by John B. Keane in Halla Colmain an Sean Phobail on Friday 11th January and Sunday 13th January 2002. Booking - Contact Margaret at 058-46123.

INDISPOSED

A speedy recovery to Jimmy Kirwin, Mrs. Cleary and Kathleen Young, all of whom were hospitalised over the festive season.

C.L.C.G. AN T-SEAN PHOBAIL

Lotto results - No jackpot winner last two weeks. Consolation prizes An t-Ath O Dalaigh P.E., E. Lenane, J. Power, P. Flynn, P. O Domhnaill, C. Power (Bottle of Whiskey), J. O' Donnell, A & M O' Donnell, M. Coles, P. Phelan, J. Sheehan. Jackpot next weekend 1150 euros. Tickets will now cost 1.50 euro per week. In the event of no jackpot winner - jackpot will rise by 70 euro per week. Consolation prizes 15 euro. Ath bhlasin faoi mhaise dhiobh go leir.

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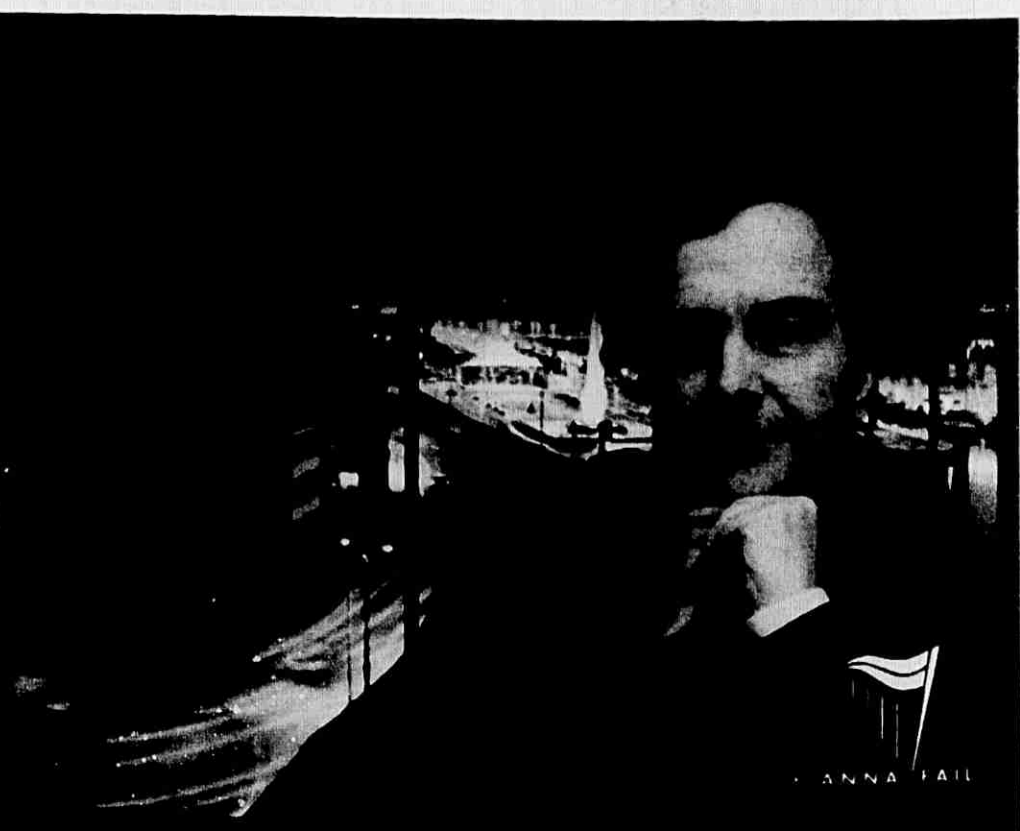
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Recent Weddings



Married recently in St. Oliver Plunkett Church, Blackrock, Co. Louth were Caroline, daughter of John and Ann Maguinness, Blackrock, and Nicholas, younger son of Tom and June McShane, Ballinacourty, Dungarvan. The reception was held in the Nuremore Hotel, Co. Monaghan. The best man was Padraig McShane and the bridesmaid was Mairead McCaul.



Married recently in Garranbane Church were Kieran Drummy, Dungarvan and Karen Fitzgerald, Clonea. The celebrant was Fr. Keogh. The reception was held in the Waterford Manor. —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

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Tallow Notes



The Board of Tallow Area Credit Union 2001/2002 following their AGM on Thursday night last. Seated l to r; Kathleen Barry, Credit Committee. Mairead Sheehan, Treasurer. Sean Twomey, Chairman. John Lyons, Vice Chairman. Finbar Barry, Manager. Mary Ahern, Secretary and Angela Leahy, Asst Secretary. Standing l to r; John Martin, Chairman, Supervisory Committee. Edmond Galvin, Finance Committee. William Tanner, Farm Committee. Kieran O'Brien, Chairman Credit Committee, Tony Hickey, Promotional & Development Officer and Ugene Flynn, Board Member.

(Photo: Sean Byrne.)

TALLOW G.A.A. NOTES

An Comhdhail Bliantuil A.G.M.

The vibrancy and renewed vigour in Tallow G.A.A. was evidenced by the impressive turnout at the clubs annual convention in St Patrick's Hall on the 20 Dec. It was reflected also in the willingness of people to take on new responsibilities in both administration and team preparation which augurs well for the challenging times ahead. It was a solid meeting, not entirely without acrimony, with the club refocusing on priorities for the year ahead. The treasurers report from Mairead Sheehan showed what great strides have been made with the club finances under Liam Moroney's stewardship but there is no room for complacency as we embark on ambitious field development. Subsequent financial reports from Timmy Sheehan and Fiona McDonnell underlined the importance of the Lotto and potential of the Deise Draw as fundraisers. Chairman Liam Moroney's address, which he combined with secretaries report in Seany's absence, was wide ranging and comprehensive in dealing with affairs of club and county. He stressed the need for the club to provide our own referees given the shortage in the county.

Prior to the election of officers many in attendance paid tribute to the outgoing Chairman and Runai. Having worked closely with both over the last few years I would like to add my own. Sean Sheehan has served the club well as Chairman and then Secretary. In fact but for him at one stage we might have no club. As Charlie Haughey might put it: "You have done the club some service. We know it!" We wish you a speedy recovery Seany and have a few jobs in mind for you when you're back on your feet. Chairman Liam Moroney and myself had our spats but he was an outstanding chairman and easy to work with. He always had his finger

on the pulse and like any good leader often solved an issue before it became a problem. Our thanks to both. The election of officers and selectors went smoothly once we had secured a chairman and I believe we have a strong team in place under the chairmanship of John McDonnell for the year as ar geomhair.

Diaspoireacht agus Ceistean-na: There was a good debate regarding team affairs and other matters with many contributing from the floor. New chairman John McDonnell handled the meeting well (he says he's a novice) soliciting opinions widely to reach a broad consensus without undue delay. It was the overwhelming consensus of the meeting that the club field junior hurling and football teams and that they be given greater priority than has been the case heretofore. Patron: Fr. O' Farrell, President: Harry Rohan (The club sends best wishes to Harry for the New Year). Vice-Presidents: John Geary, Fr. Cotter, E. de Paor, Sean Donoghue, Sonny Brien, J.W. McCarthy, Con Ryan, P.J. Collins, Michael Tobin, Officers Elected - Chairman: John McDonnell (a wealth of experience in the game) Vice-Chair: Denny Cunningham.

Secretary: Fiona McDonnell - Fiona is no stranger to the position as she has served as runai before. Her experience will be invaluable. Assistant Secretary: Lindsay Keywood - Great to have the Brits on board. Lindsay may yet become a legend in her own right. Treasurer: Mairead Sheehan - no better girl to mind the Euros. Lotto Treasurer: Fiona McDonnell - To continue the excellent work she did last year. Deise Draw Treasurer and Lotto co-ordinator: Liam Moroney - if he can't do the job nobody can. P.R.O.: Liam Mulcahy - had to fight off several contenders.

Chairman of Field Committee: Liam Moroney - vital position due to field development. Registrar: Eddie Cunningham - Cunni surely knows the ropes and will get technical expertise from Lindsay. Hurley Officer: Brian Henley - if there is something wrong with your hurley and you cant score this is the man to complain to. Insurance Officer: John Murray, Membership Officer: Colin Cunningham - he got off lightly. Selectors - Senior selectors: Pat Murphy & Johnny Geary - along with John Boylan these lads did a tremendous job last year. They can only work with the number of players available to them. Still with a bit of rehabilitation and repatriation maybe they will have a bigger panel available this year. Junior Hurling: Denny Cunningham - Denny will be picking his own selectors to work with him.

Junior Football

Timmy Sheehan - Player manager Timmy is charged with the responsibility of re-establishing football in the club. An onerous task but he's up to it.

U21 Hurling

James Beecher & James Murray, Football: James Murray - great to see 2 players of their calibre getting involved in team preparation.

Lotto Changes

You will now be selecting 4 numbers out of 24. With the change in currency Lotto charge will be E1.50 but prizes will go up accordingly with the jackpot rising by E150 each week it is not won and consolation prizes going up to E15. I will have full results of all draws over the holidays in next weeks notes.

Field Development

Full details next week.

TALLOW TRADERS & BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

The next meeting/AGM of the above association will be held on Wed. 9th January at 8.30 - 10.00 pm in the Devonshire Arms Hotel. A good attendance is encouraged.

BRIDEVIEW LTD A.F.C. NOTES

Frost Plays Havoc with Fixtures

Both of Utd's Junior teams fell foul to the heavy frost over the festive season.

One piece of good news for the club is that our U-18 side are still unbeaten with just two games remaining.

At this stage Utd need a point from both of these games to clinch the league title.

This Sunday sees them at home to Araglen and we appeal to our supporters to turn up in big numbers and urge on the lads.

Sympathy

The club extends its deepest sympathy to the Lyons family, Convent St. on the sad passing prior to Christmas of Mary. May she rest in peace.

Red House League Meeting

This Monday night at 9.00 pm in the Red House Bar.

U-18 League

Kilworth Celtic 0 Brideview Utd 6

Utd despite being short some players (due to illness) had a big away win over Kilworth on St. Stephen's Day.

We opened the scoring after 12 mins when a Michael Curley corner was headed home by Paul O'Brien. On 22 minutes our keeper Kevin Walsh brought off a marvellous save to keep us in the lead.

Just before the break a long clearance by Dermot Casey saw Paul O'Brien run in behind the defence and shot low into the net. At the break Utd led 2-0.

The game as a contest was over 5 mins. into the second half when Michael Keating set up Paul Kearney to shoot home. O'Brien was in for a hat trick after 53 minutes. A great through ball from Michael Curley saw Michael Keating run in beat the defender and shot home from the edge of the box.

A corner by Keating in the 67th minute saw O'Brien blast home from close range. This was the final goal and Utd continue their winning run.

Utd: K. Walsh, D. Casey, K. Casey, M. O'Brien, P. Keating, M. Curley, M. Norris, M. Keating, W. Curley, P. O'Brien and P. Heskinn. Res: E. Fitzgerald used.

Lotto Results

December 23rd. Numbers drawn 2-7-11-20. No winner. Match 3 winners, B and J. Syndicate. Adrian Hickey, Liam O'Hara, Sophie Cronin Delaney, Irene Bryan, Neddy Curley, J. O'Brien, Paul Harty, Jake Grey. So the jackpot moved on to E3.

On Sunday night last December 30th the lotto numbers were 11-12-13-18. No winner. Match 3 winners Brian Power and M. Meaney. Jackpot this Sunday night is E3,500. The draw takes place in Luke McCarthy's Bar at 7.30 sharp.

Next week we will tell you about our new lotto.

Fixtures for This Weekend

Saturday January 5th U-16 league Brideview Utd v Kilworth Celtic, kick off 2.00 pm. Sunday January 6th Red House League Premier Division. Lismore v Brideview Utd, kick off 11.30 am. Div. two Affane v Brideview Utd, kick off 11.00 am.

Youths League Brideview Utd v Araglen Celtic, kick off 2.30 pm.

Lismore Notes

BALLINVELLA COMMUNITY CENTRE

Christmas party will be held in the centre on January 6th at 9pm. Music provided and all are welcome.

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The members of the company wish to thank all those people who supported them in their recent fund raising efforts for the Christmas lights fund, the draw for Christmas hampers, the church gate collection and the business people in the town who gave individual donations. This year over E4,000 was spent on erection, insurance, electrical work and extension of the lights to West Street. The winners in the draw for 3 Christmas hampers were - Mrs. K. Leahy, Bishopstown seller

Cahill's Shop, Mrs. M. Ormonde Townspark East, Lismore seller Maurice Dunne, Mrs. K. Hyland, Chapel St. Lismore seller Post Office Lismore. The first lotto draw of 2002 will be held on Tuesday 8th January in Eamonn's Place. The super jackpot draw stands at 9,150 euros and the bonus jackpot 150 euros. Tickets cost 1.50 euros each. The company wishes to thank all those people who purchased lotto tickets during 2001 and all those business and members who sold tickets. A peaceful and prosperous new year to one and all.

LISMORE GOLF NOTES

Results — Competition Monday 17th to Friday 21st - 9 Hole Bottle. Winner Stephen Hales (19) 20 1/2 pts. Competition

Saturday 22nd and Sunday 23rd - 12 Hole Bottle. 1st Frank Corcoran (12) 32pts 2nd Dom Spillane (13) 31pts.

Fixtures — In our weekly 9 hole competition club registrar Stephen Hales (19) got himself in the spirit his nice 20 1/2 points winning himself a bottle as our nice spell of dry weather continued. In our weekend competition the numbers were down due to Christmas shopping on Saturday and the course being unplayable on Sunday till after dinner due to frozen greens it did not effect the scoring though as Knockanore's Frank Corcoran (12) made light work of the job in hand shooting an excellent 32 points which equates to level par golf in second place Dom Spillane (13) prescribed the

right medicine for himself to post an impressive 31 points.

Ladies Notes

We extend sincere sympathies to the family of an esteem past Captain and President Mrs Mona O' Neill who died recently.

Results — Sunday 9th to Wednesday 19th December - Christmas prizes - 9 Hole stableford - 2 cards to count - 1st Ann Bennett (37) 44pts 2nd Gloria Lynch (27) 40pts 3rd Mary M. Murphy (23) 39pts 4th Eileen Tinnelly (24) 38pts 5th Patricia Bolger - McCarthy (18) 38pts 6th Margaret Morrissey (25) 35pts.

Fixtures — Wednesday 2nd January - 9 Hole Stableford. Wishing all our members, families, friends and sponsors good wishes for 2002.

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Horoscopes with *Ali*

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ARIES Mar 21 to April 20

Stop trying to please all of the people all of the time and start pleasing yourself. Acknowledge your sensitive side as a strength but avoid placing yourself in situations where you know you will be vulnerable. January brings surprises and sets the scene for an eventful 2002. Where 2001 was too slow for your liking, 2002 is all about speed! Phone 1550-920-257 for a detailed analysis.

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TAURUS April 21 to May 21

Promote an extrovert approach and avoid sticking with old patterns just because they help you feel safe. Memories can act as a double-edged sword and you need to let go of old baggage. In January, get social! 2002 finds you more partnership and people orientated than ever before. Enjoy a year of sharing and caring. Telephone 1550-920-258 for more on love and luck. You know you want to know!

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GEMINI May 22 to Jun 21

January brings a magic moment. Savour it. You have a lot of dreams riding on what 2002 can provide. With belief and effort, they can come true. This is an exciting year of self-discovery when forgotten talents rise to the surface. You have made a few mistakes in the past - who hasn't? Accept that they are a part of a valuable learning experience. Telephone 1550-920-259 for further celestial insights.

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CANCER Jun 22 to July 22

Through January, curb impulsiveness. Professional opportunities are at hand and there are new bridges to cross. Emotionally, bridge a gap with communication. 2002 will see you venturing out from your Cancer shell, taking more risks and being more ready to show your sensitive side. A bit of a dreamer, this is a year to base plans in reality. Telephone 1550-920-260 for more on love and luck.

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LEO July 23 to Aug 22

You have the capacity to inspire and impress. Avoid over analysing situations. Events prepare the ground for new beginnings. As one door closes, another opens. This proves the case in January. More than usual, you feel the need for togetherness. Look forward to a 2002 that promises renewed family harmony and a strengthening of connections. Telephone 1550-920-261 for an in depth celestial analysis.

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VIRGO Aug 22 to Sept 22

Headway can more easily be made as you come into your own and gain a new assertion. Mistakes of the past can be forgotten as you use life lessons to great advantage. Way to go, hero! In January, save money and invest wisely. 2002 will provide exciting professional developments and perhaps even the opportunity to change track. Telephone 1550-920-262 for a detailed astrological assessment.

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LIBRA Sep 23 to Oct 23

In January, past difficulties become vague memories. 2002 is your year to get real. Dreams remain important but you must be decisive. Developments in the early part of the New Year provide you with the opportunity to get rid of burdens that have slowed you down. As the year progresses, life will pick up pace. Telephone 1550-920-263 for an in depth astrological assessment of all aspects of life.

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SCORPIO Sep 23 to Oct 23

You have a new confidence and are drawn to assist others in need. A home from home beckons. You will soon be out of a financial pickle. January proves romantic and wedding bells will soon be ringing. A heartfelt wish can now come true. In 2002, shed an old skin. Be who you want to be rather than how others expect you to be. Telephone 1550-920-264 for more on love and luck, work and money.

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SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 to Dec 20

Brimming with enthusiasm is how we find you, when life patterns make sense. You will look within and reflect on all the things you thought you understood and surprise yourself by coming up with lots of new conclusions. January is a slow month but this is not the trend for the rest of the year. 2002 finds you moving at fast pace, onward and upward. Telephone 1550-920-265 for more celestial insights.

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CAPRICORN Dec 21 to Jan 20

It is time for you to get a message and perhaps one that you have been avoiding. In January, be honest with yourself. Look forward to a year when you can afford to be more lavish than usual. You can expect over-due business or professional opportunities. Throughout 2002, reassess life plans and get back on track. You can move mountains. Telephone 1550-920-266 for an in depth astrological analysis.

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AQUARIUS Jan 21 to Feb 19

January is a month of renewed hope and fresh starts when you must put the past behind you. Decisions you make will have far reaching effect on your future. 2002 promises to be an exciting year from start to finish. Expect lucky breaks and fortuitous developments. You will soon be counting your blessings. This is a year of optimism and personal development. Telephone 1550-920-267 for details.

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PISCES Feb 20 to March 20

Your strong personality will lead you to great success but just be sure to complete one project before you start another. In January, promote a relaxed attitude. This is an excellent time for future planning especially in relation to study and education. In 2002 you are no longer swimming against the tide nor pulling this way and that. With direction you can reach your destination. Telephone 1550-920-268.

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Dungarvan Leader Gardening

Try Something Really Different

NOW the winter nights are reaching their peak, it's time to settle down in front of the fire and prepare a plan of action for next year.

Now is the time to send for the latest seed catalogues from mail order seed companies so that you can decide what to grow in your garden next year.

It will be time well spent as many of the new varieties might be in short supply and if you want to be sure of getting what you want you should get your order in early.

Vegetable gardeners par-

ticularly enjoy browsing through seed catalogues, dreaming of the bumper harvest to come.

While looking through the catalogue, why not try something different this year.

While people can buy most 'fresh' vegetables in the supermarket whatever the season, it is usually not so easy to grow your own exotic vegetables.

While the likes of peppers, tomatoes and aubergines can ripen and happily crop in a cold greenhouse, not many gardeners would attempt to grow that other up-and-coming New World

favourite, the sweet potato.

That could all change with the introduction by Marshalls, the Fenland vegetable seed company, of a variety called Beauregard.

The deliciously sweet nutty flavoured tubers develop beneath the vine-like plant, just like a 'normal' potato.

These sweet potatoes can be grown successfully from a type of rooted cutting called a 'slip', which transplants and establishes readily in good soil.

Marshalls will despatch the 'slips' in May for immediate planting under polythene and fleece to give them some protection during the early stages

of growth.

As summer arrives, the plants will grow rapidly until harvest in October. Alternatively, they can be grown in a polytunnel or greenhouse.

On the vegetable seed front, Marshalls have a new purple sprouting broccoli Bordeaux, that will crop in July from an

April sowing.

This is because, unlike other varieties, it does not need a period of cold to initiate flower spears.

Another 'out of season' brassica is savoy cabbage Clarissa, which heads up from late July onwards from a March to April sowing.



SWEET DISH: Grow your own sweet potatoes

This week in the Garden

PRUNE CLEMATIS JACKMANII

Clematis of the jackmanii and viticella kinds may be pruned. The work must be completed by the end of February or you may damage the plant. Once the plant is pruned back it will grow to look much tidier and presentable.

There are two methods of pruning the plant. If you cut the plant back to within 30 centimetres of the ground every year it will keep it small and tidy, or allow a framework of longer side growths to grow then cut them back one joint annually.

START TO PROPAGATE CARNATIONS

Carnation cuttings may be taken from now until the end of March. They are best if taken from side shoots produced a little way up the flowering stem. Shoots are ideal if they are around eight centimetres in length, but should not be used if they were taken from near the top or bottom of the stem.

Remove the shoots by pulling gently down and away from the plant. They should be inserted about 2.5 centimetres deep in pure silver sand or an equal mixture of good loam and silver sand. They need to be watered frequently and be kept at around 10-16 degrees.

CONTINUE TO PRUNE CHRYSANTHEMUMS AND ROSES

Continue to cut back the later chrysanthemums as soon as they finish flowering and continue to prune and cut back all rose bushes and standard roses.

Mowing - a never ending task?

AS IF gardeners did not have to spend enough time already trying to keep their lawns in trim, now it seems that there might be no respite at all during the winter months.

BBC weather forecaster Isobel Lang says that global warming, or at least a definitely recognisable climate changes, have extended the growing season in both spring and autumn so that in many years grass never really stops growing.

Record for the last 30 years suggest that the growing season may have been extended by as

much as a month in many parts of Britain.

Isobel has joined forces with a Woodland Trust scheme urging people to supply evidence of when spring begins - from the first sight of leaves to swallows arriving - so that they are able to record as broad a picture as possible for the changing seasons.

But it seems that longer grass and longer mowing hours might be here to stay and the day when you put the mower away for the winter has gone forever.



Picture shows a huge crowd of shoppers queuing for the Ger Wyley Sale on Thursday last.

Kill Notes Modeligo Notes

NEW YEARS DISCO

The New Years Disco in Kill will take place on the 5th of December. Doors open at 8.30pm. Admission £4. Hall rules strictly apply. No Alcohol. Please come early as a large crowd is expected.

YOUTH FOLK CHOIR

The choir is to start to rehearsals after its Christmas break. Members are asked to note that rehearsals for the next two weeks are on Friday nights, starting on Friday 11th of January at 7.45pm. Look forward to seeing you all in Dunhill Church on that day. The Munster Semi-Final of Scor will take place in Ovens in Cork on Saturday 12th of December at 7.30pm.

SAD PASSING

It is with great sadness that we record the sad passing of Nuala Phelan nee Walsh of Kill. Nuala who was in her early 40's passed away last Saturday in the Waterford Regional Hospital, after been there for some time. She had a very serious illness, which she bore, with great dignity over a 5 year period. She will be sadly missed by all who knew her. She was a great mother and wife to her children and her husband, as well as been a great

daughter. Though she was only in her 40's she had accomplished much in her short life. She had four children Emma, Lauren, David and William. Herself and her husband David can be proud of them. She also helped with the running of the farm, as well as running the shop and pub at home when it was in business. She was a woman of great morals and values. This could be seen in her ordinary every day life. Nuala is survived by her husband David, her sons David and William, her daughter s Emma and Lauren, her father Davy Walsh, her sisters Elanor and Rosemarie, her Uncles Jimmy, Tom and Michael Corcoran and Aunt in-law, Nan Corcoran, her brothers in-law Billy Hovenden, Sean Phelan and Tom Phelan, her nieces Mary Phelan and Vivian and Hillary Hoveden. Sincere sympathy to all her family and friends. May God and His Angels Have Mercy on Her Soul.

NEWS FROM KIRWANS

Lotto winners Peg Kiely and Ned Casey. For your entertainment next Friday the Remedies are in the house and on Sunday Teddy Barry is in the house. Well done to all the lads of the Kirwans Golf Society that took part, down at the sweep last weekend.

Dungarvan Camera Club Notes

Following the great success of our annual exhibition the club has now got to get down to the business of the new year. First and foremost is the AGM. This is to be held on Tuesday 8th January at 8.30 sharp!. We would kindly ask all members to attend this most important of meetings so as we can discuss the order of business for the new year and elect a new committee. Any new members will be made most welcome so if you are interested, or if you saw the recent exhibition in the Library and would like to have a go then come along. The meeting will be held as always in the Park Hotel so I hope to see you all there!

Ballysaggart Notes

CARD RESULTS

20th December - Neille Devine and Cissie Power, Mary Ellen Geary and Lizzie Keane, Dick O' Donnell and Terry Mulcahy, John Kennefick and Joe Power. Best of last 5 - Tony McGrath and Joe Roche. Lucky Tables - John Bennett and Liam Power, Tom Brennock and Cassie Hyland, Pat Kirby and Mary Casey, Mary Whelan and Dan O' Brien. Raffle - Mgt Bennett, Maura Murray, Dan O' Brien, Joe Roche, John Kennefick, Ger Power, Nellie Devine, Pa Geoghegan, Hugh Geary, Mike Whelan, Ann Bennett, Maureen Doherty, Helen Brennan, Dan Howard, Tom Brennock, Jim Geoghegan, B. Clancy, Nellie Brackett, Tom Veale. The committee wish to sympathise with the family of Jim Geoghegan who passed away since our last card game. May he rest in peace. Cards on Thursday of this week as usual.

G.A.A. LOTTO

The weekly lotto will recommence on Tuesday 8th January. Jackpot will be 500 euros tickets on sale at 1.50 euros.

ENGAGEMENTS

To Michael Kearney and Helena and Shane Fennessy and Sinead who got engaged recently. We say congratulations.

HAPPY EVENT

To Kathy and Joseph Nugent on the birth of their baby boy. Congratulations.

DEATH OF JIMMY GEOGHEGAN

The news of the sudden death of Jimmy Geoghegan on Friday morning was received with sincere regret in the area. His remains were rewarded to the church in Ballysaggart on Saturday and he was laid to rest on Sunday morning and on both occasions the big crowds were a testament to his popularity. To his brother Willie, sisters Mary and Margaret, all his relatives and friends we offer our sincere sympathy.

NEW YEARS GREETINGS

We wish all our readers and the editor and staff of The Leader a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Notes

LOTTO

Draw on 22/12/2001. Numbers drawn: 4, 19, 23. No winner of £500 jackpot.

£10 Winners: Johnny Flynn Cappagh; Nuala Griffin; Mage Morrissey Lismore; Helen Cunningham Cappoquin; Kevin Walsh Churchquarter. Special draw for Christmas prizes: James O'Shea Cappagh; Paddy Coyne Cappagh; Mary Glavin Ballinameela; Seamus Troy Clashmore; Michael and Ellen Cappagh P.O.; Ned, Paul and Jeddy c/o Deckie's; Angela Scanlan Cappagh; Ger Flavin Cappagh; Alice Burke Graigueavurra; Tina Fitzgerald Dungarvan. Draw on 29/12/2001: Winning numbers drawn: 11, 12, 18. No winner of the last Irish Punt jackpot of £600. £10 Winners: Amy; Sean and Kevin O'Neill Lower Glen; John Fitzgerald Newtown; Siobhain Fitzgerald Upper Piltown; Katie O'Neill Ardsallagh; Margaret Grace Kilcooney.

PLEASE NOTE

With the introduction of the Euro from the 1st January 2002, the price of the lotto tickets will be 1.50 euros. The jackpot will commence at 300 euros and will increase by 150 euros each week. The present five £10 winners will be replaced by five 15 euro winners. As we are in the middle of a jackpot run at present the first jackpot of the New Year will be 900 euros. Will your name be written in history as the first Euro jackpot winner of Modeligo Mini Lotto? Well get writing those tickets, don't leave them sitting on the shelf with all that loot waiting to be won. Good luck to all.

MODELIGO G.A.A.

The Annual General Meeting of Modeligo G.A.A. Club will take place on Saturday, 5th January 2002 in Modeligo Community Centre at 8.15pm. All members and intending members are asked to attend.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

A big "Thank You" to everyone who contributed to help make our Christmas celebrations a joyous event. The church is beautifully adorned with festive flowers and holly and as usual the Crib is splendid. Well done to all those concerned. Sincere good wishes to everyone for a Happy New Year. Hoping it will bring new hopes and dreams to all. We offer our condolences to all who suffered bereavements during the past year. Best wishes for a speedy recovery to all who are sick. Congratulations and welcome to all new arrivals. Thanks to each and everyone for their help and support during 2001 in making our community what it is. Wishing you peace and love for 2002.

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The Annual General Meeting of Modeligo/Affane Pioneer Club will take place on Saturday 5th January 2002 in Affane Hall, following the 8.15pm Vigil Mass. All members and intending members are welcome to join us.

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In most cases, the meter owner is your landlord and you should make contact with your landlord or the landlord's agent to ensure that arrangements have been made for the conversion and recalibration of the meter for use with euro currency.

If your landlord has made these arrangements then you may not need to take further action.

If no such arrangements have been made so far, you should contact your landlord immediately and request clarification of the position from January 2002 when euro currency will be introduced.

Landlords are advised to contact the meter manufacturer or supplier for advice on euro conversion and recalibration.

Recipes



COOKERY CORNER

A Meaty Alternative

Goulash

A Hungarian dish made at home in your English kitchen.

Cooking time: 1½ to 2 hrs.

Ingredients:

(Serves 3-4)

- 450g lean beef lamb or pork, cubed
- 400g can chopped tomatoes
- 300ml stock
- 150ml red wine
- 1 onion, sliced
- 2 x 15ml sp tomato puree
- 1 x 15ml sp paprika
- 1 x 21/2ml sp caraway seeds

Dumplings:

- 100g self raising flour
- 50g beef suet
- 1 x 21/2ml sp caraway seeds
- Salt and black pepper
- Water to bind

Method:

In a large casserole dish place the meat and sauce

ingredients. Season and stir.

Transfer to preheated oven (Gas mark 3, 170°C, 325°F) and cook until the meat is tender.

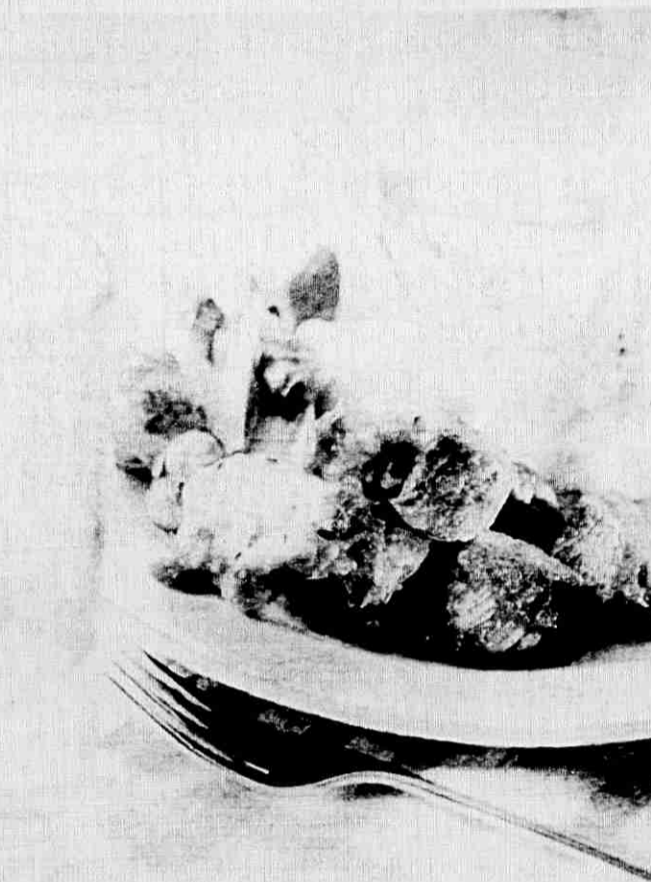
Meanwhile, make the dumplings. Mix the flour, suet and caraway seeds and season. Add cold water and mix into a soft dough.

20 minutes before the end of cooking time, divide the dumpling dough into 4-6 pieces and drop into the casserole. Return to the oven, uncovered for the final 20 minutes.

Serve with mashed potato, sprouts and leeks.

Suitable cuts:

- Beef - braising cubes; chuck, blade - stewing cubes; shin, leg
- Lamb - braising cubes; shoulder, leg
- Pork - braising cubes; shoulder, leg



Tips:

- For convenience, dumplings can be bought ready made, frozen or in a packet.
- All stock can be used instead of red wine.
- Dried mixed herbs can be substituted for caraway seeds.

Cheesy Topped Vegetables

GIVE plain vegetables an exciting twist, serve them with a tasty cheese sauce.

Ingredients:

(Serves 6)

- 3 carrots, peeled and sliced
- 1 cauliflower, divided into florets
- 225g small broccoli florets
- 75g frozen peas

FOR THE SAUCE:

- 40g butter
- 40g plain flour
- 450ml semi-skimmed milk
- 100g half-fat double Gloucester, coarsely grated
- 2 x 21/2ml sp Dijon mustard
- 1/4 x 21/2ml sp salt
- black pepper

Method:

Cook carrots in boiling water for 3 minutes. Add cauliflower, broccoli and peas.

Cook for 3-5 minutes, or until vegetables are just tender. Drain well. Put vegetables in large, flame proof dish, cover and keep warm.

For the sauce, melt the butter in a pan. Add flour and cook, stirring, for 1 minute.

Remove from the heat and gradually stir in the milk. Return to the heat. Cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Stir in three-quarters of the cheese, the mustard and the seasoning.

Pour the sauce over the vegetables and stir to coat. Sprinkle over remaining cheese. Grill under a medium heat for five minutes, or until cheese is bubbling. Serve immediately.

Chocolate Angel Torte - It's Simple

Make this impressive cake for a special celebration.

Ingredients:

- 165g plain flour
- 25g cornflour
- 10 egg whites
- 1/4 x 21/2ml sp cream of tartar
- 275g caster sugar
- 2 x 21/2ml sp vanilla essence
- 175g plain chocolate
- 200ml soured cream
- 2 x 21/2ml sp orange juice
- 225ml double cream
- 150g low fat natural yogurt
- 25g plain chocolate curls
- 8 raspberries

Method:

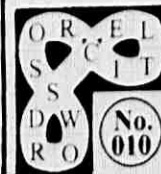
Preheat oven to 180°C/350°F/ Gas Mark 4. Grease and flour a deep, 23cm ring tin. Sift together the flour and cornflour. Whisk the egg whites and cream of tartar until soft

peaks form. Gradually whisk in sugar. Fold in flour mixture and vanilla with a metal spoon. Pour mixture into tin. Stand tin on a baking sheet. Bake for 35-40 minutes, or until the centre springs back when pressed. Invert tin on to a wire rack. Allow cake to cool in tin. For the filling, break up the chocolate and melt in a heat proof bowl over a pan of simmering water. Remove from the heat. Stir in soured cream and orange juice. Cool for 10 minutes.

Turn out the cake. Cut into three layers. Sandwich together the layers with filling. Put on a serving plate. For the icing, whip together cream and yogurt until soft peaks form. Spread over cake. Chill for 1 hour. Decorate with chocolate curls and raspberries.

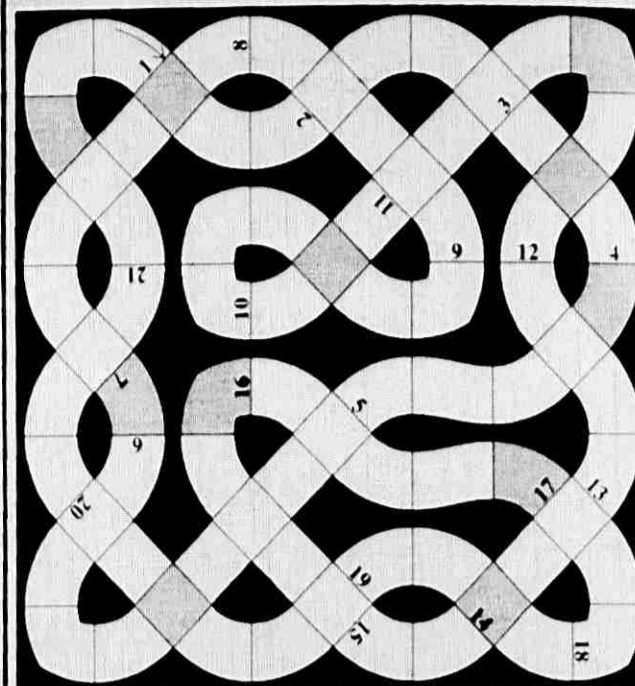
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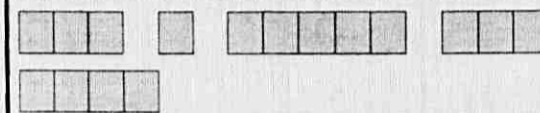
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| 1 Thirty-six inches (4) | 12 Expel someone from a property (5) |
| 2 Informally, money (5) | 13 Large, scholarly book (4) |
| 3 Sharpen with a whetstone (4) | 14 Group of western countries (1,1,1) |
| 4 Newspaper boss (6) | 15 Type of nut (6) |
| 5 Jewish New Year festival (4,7) | 16 Entirely (6) |
| 6 Expressing surprise or sympathy (2) | 17 English city (4) |
| 7 Scottish New Year's Eve (8) | 18 Leg joints (5) |
| 8 Market town in Somerset, England (6) | 19 1st November, celebrated by the ancient Celts as a festival marking the beginning of winter and their new year (7) |
| 9 A single payment made at one time (4,3) | 20 Man-made material (5) |
| 10 Be listless and apathetic because of unhappiness or boredom (4) | 21 Not far away (6) |
| 11 Nine squared (6,3) | |

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Health Tips from "Remedies"

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LOOK BACK AT

2001

BY KEVIN KIRRANE

2001 proved to be a year full of delays and legal action with Clancy Constructions multi-million pound development subject to an appeal to An Bord Pleanala, the Power Plant held up in a High Court Challenge and the Garrynagree landfill site also in the High Court. It was a year that a terrorist attack on the Twin Towers in New York and on the Pentagon in Washington shook the world to its foundations, making not just international but national headlines as well. The Global economic affects that followed hit West Waterford hard with Waterford Crystal and Cadena in Tallow two of the worst affected. Overall it was a disappointing year on the jobs front with tourism affected early in the year by the scourge of Foot and Mouth and later by American Tourists reluctance to travel. Even before the September attacks occurred, Stafford Miller suffered from Glaxo-SmithKline's decision to move its operations for the manufacture of toothpaste over to England.

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Launch Of New Juvenile Club In West Waterford

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ASTI Strike Provokes Student Walk-Out At St. Augustine's College

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Deasy Graphically Details Trail of Destruction

Response To F&M Threat Draws Commendation

MOTHER'S DAY

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Dungarvan Man Fatally Injured In Traffic Accident

Sixty Nine Year Old West Waterford Man Found Guilty Of Rape

JANUARY

Planning permission was granted to Clancy Construction for their £300 million development of a 42 acre site in Dungarvan in what was to be just the beginning of a saga that would re-surface many times over the year.

Health issues once again surfaced in January with £80,000 granted by the Minister of Health Michael Martin for an extension of the Alzheimers Dayroom. Meanwhile, staff of the local hospital celebrated the 100th birthday of Nora Kirby of 52 Caseyville.

Also celebrating was Cllr. Ciaran O Riain who was honoured by Fianna Fail for his 47 years of service as a member of Waterford County Council.

Cllr. John Deasy led a claim that planning staff were doing "nixers" and claimed there was no public confidence in this department.



Cllr. Ciaran O Riain honoured by Fianna Fail for his 47 years service to Waterford County Council.

Controversy continued as tensions soared outside the Civic Offices when upwards of fifty traders gathered before an Urban Council meeting in protest at a proposed new Traffic Plan. The traders issued a communique claiming the traffic plan to be deeply offensive and in the end councillors made no decision.

The RNLI braved treacherous New Year conditions to bring a crippled vessel "First Cork" to Helvick Pier.

The month ended as it started with the Glanbia development on everybody's lips. This time, however, it was the objectors to the project that made the headlines. An Taisce appealed planning permission and called for proper development of the site.

New developments, albeit on a totally different scale were said to be in store for the Motor Taxation Office as Cllr. Fiachra O'Ceilleachair called for lunchtime opening.

Three Dungarvan students greeted the Minister for Education Dr. Michael Woods as Michael Foley Strandside North, Abbeyside, Liam O'Mahoney Coolroe, Dungarvan and Joanne O'Dea from Parklane Abbeyside received their NCVA Certificates.

Ian Bellingham from Ballinamult



Mrs. Kirby celebrates her 100th birthday

Cllr. Deasy continued his planning claims as the month came to a close and upped the ante by calling for an independent investigation into the "startling and disturbing information".

Better news for Cancer Research, though, as the Dungarvan Terry Fox Run raised a record total of £6,678.

Great news was had by the Sisters of Bon Sauveur as £61,355 was granted by the Government for a voluntary housing project.

Ian Bellingham from Ballinamult began 2001 as an MBE after he was recognised and honoured for his service in the Royal Navy on the New Years Honours List

FEBRUARY

Young Waterford Gaelic footballers were left out of pocket to the tune of hundreds of pounds after their dressing-room was raided while they trained just yards away.

The South and East Branch of the Samartians had cause to celebrate after 25 years in existence.

Austin Deasy TD attempted to oust his party leader John Bruton and although his effort was to ultimately end in failure it was to mark the beginning of the end for Bruton as leader.



Adam Crowe, a 12-year old from Dungarvan, caught and tagged a 9lbs wild salmon on the opening day of the salmon fishing season on the River Blackwater near the Blackwater Lodge

A High Court Challenge to Dungarvan Gas

Fired Power Station halted work with the objectors claiming developers had breached a number of conditions laid down in the planning permission.

The demolition of a well known Dungarvan landmark did go-ahead, however, as the Niro 4 building at the Glanbia site was demolished

Drama continued at the Civic Offices - this time at a meeting of Waterford County Council - as members of Lickey Concern Group packed the public gallery during a heated discussion on a proposed new dump.

A playground in Dungarvan was finally to become a reality in February as the Urban Council cleared the way for its development in Walton's Park.

Local traders once again attended the Council Chambers as the Traffic Management Plan was discussed in detail and the council gave an undertaking that no changes would be made until the Glanbia development is in place.

The development of a playground in Tal-low was announced and was to be located on lands purchased by the Council at Townspark East at a total cost of £30,000.

The Park Hotel played host to the 50th anniversary celebrations of Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Éireann.



DEMOLITION AT THE GLANBIA SITE BEGINS

MARCH

Farmers prepared for the worst in West Waterford



Foot and Mouth struck fear into the hearts of landowners as disinfectant mats began to appear in front of shops and hotels. A scare also occurred at a farm in West Waterford but thankfully was speedily given the all-clear.

Events throughout the county were cancelled with the St. Patrick's Day parade as well as the monthly meeting of Waterford County Council falling victim as gatherings of large groups of people were prohibited.

It was also the month that Udaras na Gaeltachta opened its new sub-office in Ring in the refurbished Community Centre.

The local Gaeltacht had a new TV star as well, with Maggie Breathnach presenting a trek through India as part of the Buail Bothar series.

Nineteen years old Karen Halley made a name for herself as well with spectacular performances with River-dance.



Karen Halley

The Fire Service commended a local motorist for his bravery and quick thinking following a two vehicle collision at Cuscham which thankfully didn't result in life-threatening injuries for either driver.

The matter of queuing times at Dungarvan Post Office were raised by Austin Deasy TD and it was decided that a canopy be erected outside the Post Office.



Three Touraneena girls achieved Irish Dancing Success at the Munster Championships. Sinead and Deirdre Kiely and Kate Fitzpatrick qualified for the World Championships.

Strikes among secondary school teachers brought disruption to the year as teachers sought a 30% pay rise but met a immovable force in the form of the Fianna Fail government.

Students at one point began to walk-out of classes in return and in St. Augustine's a group of around 200 students showed their frustration by staging a solidarity strike.

Gertie Morrissey had reason to celebrate though as she was honoured with a civic reception for her exemplary service to Dungarvan.

APRIL

Another casualty of Foot and Mouth was the popular Feile na nDeise which was deferred to the following year in line with a national ban on outdoor events.

Sister Mairead Foley was honoured by her colleagues at a special function held in St. Joseph's Hospital in light of her service as Matron of the hospital.



Sister Mairead Foley

An Enterprise Centre for Lismore was announced by Tanasite Mary Harney in an attempt to alleviate some of West Waterford's unemployment problems.

Things were looking up for West Waterford on that front as a £6 million fish processing plant was proposed for Tallow which was hoped to employ 45 people.

The fall-out from another development hit home at a meeting of Waterford County Council as long serving member Cllr. Ciaran O Riain branded the decision not to open up Croke Park to other sports a disgrace in light of the funding for developing Croke Park by the taxpayer.

Donal O'Brien from Western Bay was honoured at the Park Hotel following his retirement after 28 years with Michael Curran & Sons.

Rural Garda stations came into focus during April with the Chief Superintendent Michael O'Halloran saying that while Gardai were successful in implementing their tasks it

was increasingly difficult to station new recruits in rural stations.

Foot and Mouth continued to place a heavy cloud of doubt over the farm industry but they were not alone in suffering. The tourism industry called for aid and one hotel the Blackwater Lodge closed temporarily.

The People In Need Trust which organises the RTE Telethon announced an allocation of £23,000 to five West Waterford organisations - Childers Estate Community Project, Dungarvan Care of the Aged, The Waterford Branch of the Samaritans, Dungarvan Youth Club and the West Waterford Wheelchair Association.

The last week in April saw public representatives become increasingly frustrated by delays in locating major developments in Dungarvan. Cllr. Kyne claimed Dungarvan was being held to ransom by the objectors to the development of the Glanbia site while Labour Deputy Brian O'Shea criticised the delay in decentralising the OPW to Dungarvan.

The Old Market House Arts Centre celebrated its first birthday with the official opening of two major exhibitions.

The Urban Council approved the sale of 1.13 acres of land for the extension of Fraher Field which it was announced with terracing would raise the size of the ground to almost double its capacity.



Donal O'Brien and his wife Teresa who retired after 28 years service with Michael Curran and Sons.

MAY



Cappoquin honour legendary rower Dan Murray

The beginning of May saw the reoccurrence of the issue of planters in Tallow hit the headlines again with traders in the town declaring that they would withdraw from paying their rates unless they were removed.

Molly Keane's Memorial Creative Writing Award was awarded to a Co. Kerry native Liz Ryan who penned "Birthday Greetings".

The exciting new talent of Dungarvan artist Ann Dunphy was honoured when she was awarded the third annual Tyrone Guthrie Centre Regional Bursary award.

The development of a web site for Waterford County Council and Dungarvan UDC was publicly announced.

Rowing was at the centre of attention in Cappoquin as the town celebrated the legacy of Dan Murray who was internationally renowned for his achievements throughout his career.

A Welsh choir who had previously performed at the Royal Albert Hall in London were hosted in Lismore Cathedral and Dungarvan Parish Church.

Incomes in Co. Waterford were shown to be on average 12 percent below the national average following a report published by the Central Statistics Office.

Fears that Co. Waterford's students would not be able to sit their Leaving and Junior Certificate examinations were allayed after the ASTI voted against measures to re-im-

pose threats to disrupt the exams.

Anticipation started to grow for the visit of St. Therese's relics to Tallow with the publication of the timetable of the visit which allowed for round the clock veneration with the relics accessible to the public for most of the time.

A party of eleven members of Waterford Co Council and Dungarvan Urban Council visited Taranto in Italy for the annual three days of ceremonies to commemorate St. Cathaldus.

The level of ambulance cover provided in West Waterford was described as totally unacceptable by Urban Councillor Damien Geoghegan who revealed that there were only 4 ambulances on duty during the day.

Ministerial approval for a community school in Lismore was announced paving the way for its development.

A capacity crowd made their way into Lawlors Hotel to debate the future of the proposed multi-million pound development on the former Glanbia site with the developers ConClan and the Dungarvan Chamber of Commerce in attendance.



An artists impression of the Glanbia site

Gardai in Dungarvan set up a new initiative to identify young people who may get into trouble and divert them from their erring ways before they get established.

Dungarvan Urban Council started negotiations with a contractor with a view towards building 40 affordable houses in the Shandon area.

JUNE

Lawrence Hanrahan pictured with the first new potatoes from Ballinacourty



Labour Leader Ruairi Quinn met with his colleagues in Dungarvan and predicted in a Press Conference that Fine Gael's Cllr. John Deasy would top the poll.

Urban Councillor Damien Geoghegan called for restoration work to be carried out on Dungarvan Bandstand.

The issue of taxi fares came to the fore as a delegation of taxi drivers presented a draft fare structure based on the Cork city model.

A local writer Aine Ui Fhoghlu from Ring scooped the Strokestown International Poetry Competition in the Irish Language section beating off seven other nominated poets.

One hundred houses were planned to be built by McInerney Construction over a 4 year period. Other facilities including a modern creche facility, a doctors surgery and a convenience store were also announced for Knockateemore.

A new recycling scheme was unveiled as well as the details of the kerbside collections in Dungarvan and West Waterford which would take place on alternative weeks.

Waterford County Council held their council meeting in Tallow for the first time in a hundred years.

Following the public meeting held by Clancy Construction

on the development of the Glanbia site one of the main objectors to the project Dungarvan Chamber of Commerce withdrew their appeal and Vice President John Walsh resigned.

The Town Renewal Scheme whose aim is to rejuvenate Tallow, Cappoquin and Kilmacthomas was deemed a big disappointment with criticism of the areas that were left out of the scheme.

Ardmore suffered from adverse publicity about its water when it was revealed that the EPA refused its nomination for a blue flag because sewerage was seeping into the sea water.

A dark cloud of gloom descended on Dungarvan when it was announced that 104 jobs were lost at the successful drug and health care product factory, Stafford Miller, as a result of the companies transfer of its Sensodine brand to Maidenhead, England.

The EPA announced that dumping in Dungarvan's landfill would have to stop - a decision which County Manager



Cappoquin celebrates the life of one of its most famous sons - Michael Cavanagh - pictured above is the Cavanagh family at the newly erected monument

Donal Connolly announced he would appeal.

Dungarvan's plans to become a host town for the Special Olympics was revealed and a committee - headed by Cllr. Michael O'Riordan - was selected.

The sacred relics of St. Therese visited the Carmelite Monastery in Tallow as thousands of people lined the street to catch a glimpse of her casket.

A new radiology unit at Dungarvan District Hospital costing over £100,000 was officially opened. The provision of the unit meant that the results of an x-ray would be on the radiologists desk within minutes.

Cappoquin celebrated the life and exploits of one of its most famous sons, Michael Cavanagh with a hectic schedule of historical events. Cavanagh earned a place in history for the quality of his poetry and his contribution to Celtic Studies.

A new taxi fare structure was finally implemented by Dungarvan Urban Council with an increase for the minimum fare up to one mile rising by £1.



Tallow hosts historic County Council meeting

JULY

An investment of £7 million was funnelled into the counties three Vocational Colleges - Dungarvan Technical College, Mean Scoil San Nicholas in Ring and St. Declan's Community College in Ring - to carry out building work.

The privately owned seating at Davitts Quay was ordered to be removed by the Urban Council after disturbances when an English yacht sailed into the harbour.



Cllr. Ollie Wilkinson was elected as chairman of Waterford County Council. The election of the former West Waterford County Board

Chairman marked the third occasion in four years that a candidate from the west has been elevated to the position. Cllr. Teresa Wright became UDC chairperson.

A 13th to 14th century Anglo-Norman settlement was discovered in Shandon following preparatory work on the development of 87 houses in the area.

An Urban and Village Renewal Scheme was unveiled which saw £400,000 allocated to projects in Dungarvan, £100,000 to Kilmacthomas and £200,000 to Lismore.

A wind farm which was to include 12 wind turbines and had received planning permission had that permission overturned by An Bord Pleanala.

The permission had been granted to DP Energy Ltd - a Cork based group of former environmental activists but strong opposi-

tion was shown by the local community.

Developments were announced to be in store for Tallow library and the Library Headquarters in Lismore with a quarter of a million investment.

The County Manager Donal Connolly attempted to withdraw an undertaking he gave to the High Court. The undertaking stated that Waterford County Council would not apply for a waste licence for the proposed landfill at Garrynagree until legal proceedings brought by a local resident had been determined.

It was announced that Waterford Co Co were to be charged an additional £450,000 waste bill as part of a countryside landfill levy passed by the Dail.

The levy which is to be enforced in January would see the Government charge 15 euros on every tonne of waste the Co Co distributed in the landfill. It also said Waterford County Council would have to recoup these costs.

The 7th Annual Dungarvan Bay sponsored swim in aid of the RNLI Helvick Head Lifeboat took place and was a great success according to all those involved.

Retirement Celebrations took place for the former Principal of Coolnasmear NS, Mary Hickey who gave 32 years of distinguished service to the pupils of the area.



Mary Hickey and family

SEPTEMBER

The new 8.4 km outer by-pass at Kilmacthomas, constructed at a cost of £20 million was officially opened by Minister



Number one supporter

for the Environment and Local Government Noel Dempsey. Waterford County Council announced that the Civic Offices were to be extended at a cost of £1.2 million just two years after they were originally built. The extension which will start sometime in the New Year will be 3,000 sq feet in size and facilitate the thirty extra staff needed in the planning and sanitary services sections.

Cllr. Fiachra O'Ceilleachair walked out of Waterford County Council's September meeting in protest at the decision by the local authority to adopt the Ring/Old Parish area action plan. The plan allows for land zoned for 3 to 8 houses to be built in area per acre which lead to fears by locals that housing estates would be formed.

Glencairn Inn, Tallow was awarded the prestigious Cesar Award for the Irish Inn of the year after a survey of visitors to the Inn by the Good Hotel Guide.

Sean Murphy of Bachelors in Trouble was the winner of the Waterford heats of the National Culchie Festival.

Seventeen special needs children who attend St. John's Special school were denied speech therapy following a decision by the South Eastern Health Board to withdraw this service due to staff shortages. The decision

was described by Principal Anna Kirwan as a "disaster" for the school.

A bid to charge the headquarter of the traveller support group, Pavee Point, for the cost of the clean up of the Youghal Road failed following a vote on the issue by members of the Urban Council.

The first step in the development of a new fire station for Tallow was given the go-ahead by the Minister for the Environment Noel Dempsey.

The RNLI once again came to the rescue when they assisted a pleasure craft whose engine had stalled.

Shaws of Dungarvan, one of Ireland's longest established chain of department stores, celebrated its 25th birthday this month.

The devastating September 11th terrorist attacks on New York and Washington had a very local impact after a group from Glanbia had a narrow escape as they were due at a meeting in the Capital building in Washington just yards away from where a plane was directed into the Pentagon.

A week later saw a global recession hit with one of the first victims being workers in Dungarvan Crystal where it was announced the plant would close for two one week periods.



Signing of contracts for 30 affordable houses in Shandon

AUGUST



Officials and members of the Playground Committee 2000

Hundreds of children, parents and well-wishers, flocked to a sun drenched Walton's Park to play their part in the official opening of Walton's Park playground.

There was a tense stand-off between a group of traveller/traders and the owners of a commercial site in Shandon which eventually saw the convoy of 12 caravans leave two days after first arriving.

Two Dungarvan men were rescued by Helvick Head Lifeboat after their boat was found drifting out from Dungarvan Harbour. Friends of the boys ashore watched helplessly as the boat was swept out before the rescue service successfully brought them back to shore in safety.

Derek Grant of The Allrounder was awarded the August winner of the Chamber of Commerce Customer Care and Services awards.

The Blue Note Restaurant in Ardmore was officially opened by Nicola Beresford of WLR in a lavish ceremony.

One of the largest ever traveller convoys to gather in Dungarvan, took over a 2 acre Urban Council site on the Youghal Road which was due to begin development of a scenic walkway between that road and Quanns. The massive entourage involved upwards of 60 caravans and a further 60 cars.

Work started on three acres of the former Glanbia site to set up a new outlet for Tom Curran's Hardware. The new outlet was designed by Architect and Dungarvan Urban Councillor Damien Dillon.

Several businesses and private houses were flooded by upwards of 8 inches of water in Tallow caused by a sudden thunderstorm. West Street was worst hit with the Corner House Bar, Cunningham's Hardware and the town's Garda Station the main premises that were affected.

Over a thousand people turned up at Stradbally Cove for the final day of the Stradbally Ceol and Craic Festival. The



Tallow gets hit with floods

Festival weekend was a revival of traditional dancing and music last performed in the 1940's at the Cove.

A museum project for Lismore Heritage Centre has been earmarked for funding to the tune of £110,000 with the funding coming under the Arts Culture Enhancement Scheme which made a total allocation of £36 million to projects across Ireland.

The proposed development of the Glanbia site by Clancy Construction of a shopping complex met with intense scrutiny at An Bord Pleanala's oral hearing. Three days of submissions were heard after which the Inspector Andrew Boylan set about formulating a recommendation.

A sigh of relief was felt all over Dungarvan after the traveller convoy on the Youghal Road finally left but this was tempered when the extent of the rubbish they left behind was made clear. Sofas, armchairs and an assortment of other

furniture as well as refuse was left strewn all over the site.

Dungarvan Dramatic Club celebrated their sixteenth anniversary with an exhibition of photographs, drama workshops and pub theatre project while renowned writer and performance artist Donal O'Kelly performed "Catalpa".

Lismore suffered a spate of vandalistic attacks when in one night, a number of windows were broken with the main victims of the attacks the two sports facilities in the town - the GAA Clubhouse and the Cricket pavilion.

Cappoquin finally got a new doctor for the area after a wait of 17 months during which patients from Ballinameela had to travel as far as Conna to then be referred to Ardkeen.

Pay claims, disruptions, strikes and counter strikes were all but forgotten towards the end of the month as the Leaving Cert results were announced with local schools said to be delighted with the results achieved by their students.

Dungarvan Urban Council and Waterford County Council honoured the Waterford Minor Ladies team after they won the only county title to come to the county this year.

Intense speculation surrounded the possibility of a Government Department locating in Dungarvan after a statement from Minister Martin Cullen appearing to state the town was at the forefront as far as a bid was concerned.

Anita Meagher was crowned Macra na Feirme Queen of the Land at the Ballyduff Harvest Festival.



Abbesside Pattern was hailed as a fantastic success with bouncy castles, an open air disco and a sports day with the ever popular tip the bucket competition.

OCTOBER



Dungarvan's Day Care Centre suffered another in a series of vandalistic attacks that led to fears that permanently. The centre was extensively damaged in what was described by Gardai as the mindless action of thugs.

The number of people signing on in Dungarvan showed another increase rising from 891 to 922 over the period of July to August. This did not take into account the loss of 104 Stafford Miller employees.

America was accused of treating the ordinary people of Afghanistan like battery chickens being fed up for the slaughter by Cllr. Tom Higgins as the reprisals for the Sept. 11 attacks got underway.

Discussions were said to be ongoing for a new hospital in Dungarvan after Deputy Austin Deasy announced that a project team was appointed for the project.

Joan Sandford-Kiby launched her second book entitled "My Lovely Years" which tells the simple, funny sad and poignant tales of her life in the town.

Ring Musician, Ciaran O Gealbhain, was honoured at TG4 Irish Traditional Music Awards.

The announcement of the closure of Cadena Ireland with the loss of 68 jobs sent shock waves throughout the community in Tallow and was greeted with dismay by employees. The company announced a worldwide restructuring of its manufacturing and supply chain operations which ultimately resulted in the closure of Cadena in Tallow.

Floods ravaged parts of West Waterford as three feet of water blocked roads and damaged houses following a downpour of proportions not seen in the area for twenty five years.

A vault in the historical Affane graveyard was discovered to be desecrated after its lid was pried open and the coffin was smashed while other graves were robbed of urns and marble plaques.

A new £40 million residential development and hotel which may create 250 jobs was announced for the Burgery, Dungarvan. The development will be set on 21 acres of land, and will comprise of 133 houses and a four/five star hotel.



Breda O'Sullivan wins overall Chamber of Commerce Customer Care Award

DECEMBER



Harry Potter lookalike launches WLR/Lions Club Hamper Appeal

Dungarvan Urban Council passed their estimates which saw refuse collection rise by £1.15 in what was at times, a heated debate.

Further troubled times surrounded Waterford Crystal as they demanded a 10% cut in prices from its worldwide network of suppliers.

The Tanaiste Mary Harney refused Deputy Austin Deasy request for a task force for West Waterford to be set up despite the loss of jobs at a number of factories around the area.

Scoil Mhuire in Abbeyside won the Waterford county prize in the Centra Safe & Sound road safety competition which was run in association with the National Safety Council.

Local man, Gareth Forsey, scooped the Chef of the Year in Wirral, England.

The future development of Dungarvan harbour received a significant blow when the Marine Institute announced that while Tramore harbour would be developed no facilities in Dungarvan are to be developed.

The old reliable - rural roads - came to the surface again as Cllr. Willie McDonnell was told he had missed the boat on road improvements.

The controversial topic of incineration once again reared its head as a new Waste Management Plan was drawn up which proposed that an incinerator be built in the South East region by a private company.

Going into 2002 decisions and judgments on cases before the High Court, An Bord Pleanala and the EPA will shape West Waterford's future in many ways. The most important of these undoubtedly remains the Glanbia development with the decision of An Bord Pleanala's Oral Hearing to be made soon.



The man himself "Santa" arrives in Dungarvan by Helicopter

Waterford's waste management which has increasingly become a much discussed issue will also be decided as the EPA rule on the future of Dungarvan's landfill while the High Court rule on Garrynagree.

NOVEMBER



New lorry acquired for Kerbside Collection

The first kerbside collection of recyclable by a local authority in Ireland began in West Waterford with materials collected on a once a month basis. This is to change sometime in the New Year to twice monthly collections.

Construction work on Lismore Community School began on the new £4.81 facility.

An anthrax scare gripped Kilmacthomas as a suspicious substance was discovered in the Post Office by one of the employees. Ultimately as was expected the scare proved to be a hoax.

Redundancy notices were issued to eighty contract workers in Dungarvan Crystal.

Six potential routes were selected for the £40 million Dungarvan outer by-pass which will connect the Pike and the N25 and will, it is hoped, radically reduce traffic on the current by-pass.

Dungarvan's Old Market house Arts Centre received the third-quarter nomination for the 2001 WLR Fm/ Waterford Crystal Arts and Entertainment Awards.

A new scheme was launched recently in the Park hotel which will see the planting of wood-

lands in green areas around Dungarvan and the construction of a new walkway near Fr. Twomey's Road.

Hotels in West Waterford were said to be getting through the tourism crisis that resulted from the September 11th terrorist attacks due to good marketing, Regional Director of the Hotel trade announced.

Waterford County council's recycling scheme gain impetuous and support along the way as well, as it attracted ringing endorsements across the political spectrum with Minister Dempsey and Labour spokesman Eamonn Gilmore both showing support.

John Barry who was chairman of the Waterford Leader Partnership for over seven years stepped down from the position with a ceremony held in his honour.

The future of Dungarvan's Energy Power Plant looked more assured as the County Manager revealed that Bord Gais indicated that they may be in a position to provide a gas line to the plant.

Legal action was announced against a developer who felled nine trees during construction of a housing development in Tournore.

Close Circuit television came one step closer to becoming a reality in Dungarvan after Urban Councillors gave it their unanimous support.

West Waterford hotel's and restaurants received a massive vote of confidence after one of Ireland's leading food critics

Old Market House Arts Centre Scoops Arts and Entertainment Award



John McKenna described the area as a "food lovers paradise in the renowned Bridgestone Food Lovers Guide to Ireland.

The newest Book of local interest to hit the shelves was launched in November by Frank O'Brien who wrote a history of the O'Brien family in Co. Waterford down through the ages. Appropriately enough the launch took place in the Desie Room in the Park Hotel.



Ceremony to unveil plaque in memory of World War One men and women of the locality

The retirement of Deputy Principal of St. Augustians College, Abbeyside Seamus McGrath was marked by a dinner and presentation in his honour from his colleagues in the Dungarvan ASTI Branch.

The decision to exempt mobile phone masts on public, commercial and industrial buildings from the planning process has been described as "a disgrace" by Fine Gael General Election Candidate Cllr. Maurice Cummins.

A moving ceremony was held in St. Carthage's Protestant Cathedral, Lismore as a plaque was unveiled dedicated to the memory of the men and women from Co. Waterford who served in World War 1.

Waterford County Council's estimates were passed on a 19-4 vote which saw householders hit with a 57% increase in the cost of ordinary waste collections and a 7.5% increase in rates.



Retirement of Seamus McCraith

Abbeyside Topics

PADDY O'BRIEN FOR MINNIES

On Friday 11th January the pattern committee proudly present Paddy O'Brien and his band in Minnies. Doors open at 9.30 pm and tickets for the occasion cost £7. Get together with a few of your friends and head for Minnies for what promises to be a really great night. Tickets are available from any member of the committee or from Minnies Bar. This is the first event of the year organised by the pattern committee and we are asking you all to come along.

NEW YEARS GREETINGS

We wish all our readers a Happy and Prosperous New Year. We would like to thank all those who provide material for Abbeyside Topics and we look forward to their continued support during the coming twelve months.

ABBEYSIDE PATTERN NOTES

Two thousand and two being the year,
Let's hope for you it's full of cheer,
From the pattern committee to one and all
Enjoy yourself and have a ball.

To start the year with a touch of flair
Let the lights shine bright in the wintery air
Wish everyone the best of health
With lots of luck and plenty wealth.

During the year there's the pattern queen
With the finest ladies you've ever seen
So come to Minnies and enjoy the craic
And watch the girls take the flak.

The tip the bucket and the greasy pole
Getting the stick thru the hole
Push the barrow and be quick
Staying dry is the trick.

Running races with Miguel
The flag is up, he rings the bell
Round and round and round they go
But who wins, no one knows

To win a medal can be tricky
When the judging is done by Chicky,
While Charmaine and Johnny sit and think
Are you ready yet for another drink.

Music galore at the 'Poor Man's Seat'
Come along and enjoy the beat,
Visit the locals for a rest
And enjoy a pint at it's best.

At Minnies, Radleys and the Village Inn
There's plenty porter, beer and gin
While at Alice O'Connors, there is no doubt
They have the finest pint of stout.

Deirdre and Kathleen spin the wheel
Win a voucher or a meal,
Bounce in the castle with Emma and Rose
Sure at the pattern, anything goes.

Sailing races against the tide
From the rock to Abbeyside
Detour at the Tigh an Cheoil
Liquid refreshment's good for the soul.

In the big parade there is no stress
Wear anything for the fancy dress
A special prize for a Miguel impression
Just the smile, with no aggression

Bowling with Ernie, Tom and Mike
Or race past Jim on your bike.
Toss the sheaf, or peg the line,
Whatever takes you, with us it's fine.

So don't be shy and miss the bus
You are always welcome to be with us
For a little while, with us please bide
A Cead Mile Failte to Abbeyside.

So join the party and sing aloud
And get in form with the crowd
What to do, if you don't know,
Just be like Elvis -- go man go

Brendan O'Brien,
PRO Abbeyside Pattern Committee.

RAMPS FOR FRIARS WALK

Since the ramps were placed in Murphy Place many motorists have stopped driving through this estate and instead prefer to speed along Friar's Walk. Naturally the residents of Friar's Walk are upset at this development and they are now campaigning for ramps to be installed at suitable locations along Friar's Walk.

A suitable New Years Resolution for many motorists would be to slow down while driving in the urban area.

RAMPS FOR HOME RULE STREET

Home Rule Street is very narrow by any standards and most of the residents have to park their cars at the side of the street. Yet many motorists speed along there going to and from Sexton Street. One annoyed resident of Home Rule Street stated he would be willing to pay for the ramps himself.

LATE POSTAL DELIVERIES

People living in Friar's Walk are complaining that they do not receive postal deliveries until between 4.00 pm and 5.00 pm, they had been used to getting a morning delivery for many years. The present timing of postal deliveries is too late for meetings etc. fixed for the early afternoon.

SENIOR CITIZENS NEW YEAR PARTY

The committee have arrangements well in hand for the Party which will take place on Sunday January 6th at the Gold Coast Hotel. The event is very much looking forward to by our Senior Citizens and it is our way of saying thank you to them for their contribution to society so far. We wish the Senior Citizens committee every success in their efforts and we thank them for their excellent work.

Abbeyside Reference Archive Notes

WELL, WHAT'S NEW?

There are a lot of things new. The year is new, the euro is new, but from the archive viewpoint the big new is we are open this Sunday evening at 2.30pm for business as usual. We had our two month annual break and it is hoped we come back fresh and ready to start another year. We have new books among them "My Lovely Years" by Joan Sandford Kirby and "Fish Stone Water" - Holy Wells of Ireland" by Anna Rackard and Liam O'Callaghan. We also have on display our Millennium Survey of Abbeyside Graveyard and the photograph of one of the earliest corrils to be used in Dungarvan. Eddie Cantwell will be on hand to answer the questions and parking as usual is at "The Pond".

Note - As next Tuesday is the second Tuesday we remind our committee the meeting takes place at 7pm.

LOCAL HISTORY

This photograph was taken in April 1953 at Dungarvan Railway Station and shows Joe Organ of Abbeyside, and his son Pat (better known as Paudie), taking delivery of three boxes of fish from Dublin.

Joe Organ was associated with the fish trade for going on thirty five years. The idea of bringing fish from Dublin to Dungarvan! - a town that had been for generations recognised as one of Ireland's best known fishing ports - appeared most unusual; in fact absolutely amazing.

Joe's explanation was simple. There was no fish to be got around the local coastline, for there was little or no fish there. He alleged that between trawlers and other fishing craft, they swept even the shrimps off the seabed of the Waterford Coastline. At the time Joe had no beating around the bush when he suggested that the plundering that had been done on the famed NYMPH BANK and, for that matter, all over the area, would for years to come make fishing a poor proposition in the area. Whether that was right or wrong was open to discussion according to Joe.

We now know he was correct as to this day the fishing grounds in the area have not recovered.

Paudie told me that he had to stay home from school every Friday in order to help his father deliver the fish to the houses in the locality.

Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA Notes

The Club AGM was held recently in Scoil Mhuire Abbeyside the following positions were confirmed for the year 2002.

Presidents: Mrs. Margaret Cashin, Mrs. Breda Lennon, Declan Terry, Paddy Joe Dwan, Vice Presidents: Fr. Colin Fives O.S.A., Fr. Michael Brennock, Fr. Michael Enright PP, Fr. Martin Keogh, Mathew Organ.

Officers of the Club, Chairman: Tony Mansfield, Vice Chairman and Irish Officer: Thomas O'Faolain, Secretary: Bernard Shields, Treasurer: Larry Cliffe, Membership Officer: Seamus Fitzgerald, PRO: Mike Briggs

Committee Members: Packey Hurney, Seamus O'Brien, Mathew Hogan, Joseph Organ, Timmy Organ, Breda Cleary, Joe Cleary, Christy Phelan, Billy Hickey, Kevin Tobin, Greg Fives, Mary Fitzgerald, Neil Moore, Tommy Treacy.

A part from the selection of Officers other areas addressed were the need for ground and facilities development especially in light of the latest building projects, which will border the Club, grounds. These building projects will in time bring increased population and opportunities for the Club to add to its membership. As discussed there is a need for the club to consolidate and position us for the medium to longer term so that the Club and its membership can grow stronger at all levels. The Chairman also thanked the outgoing PRO, Jim O'Dwyer who has had to step down due to work commitments. The Chairman was also generous in his praise for the continued support for all of the Club Deise Development Draw Supporters, Collectors, Coordinator and also the support of all of the Club Sponsors. Without this level of support the Club could not survive. Membership for the coming year 2002 was set as follows.

Ordinary membership: 10 Euros; Student membership: 15 Euros; Husband & Wife membership: 15 Euros; Player mem-

bership: 30 Euros

Heartiest congratulations are due to the following Club people who have been appointed or continue to influence the GAA in areas other than our own Club.

Seamus O'Brien who was re-elected as delegate to the Central Council and also fills the role of Registrar to Bord na nOg and the Western Board.

Pat Moore as County Hurling Development Officer and also Co. and Inter-county Referee.

Also the following continue or have taken up roles within Coiste na Peil. Greg Fives as Chairman, Fr. Pat Moran as Treasurer, Seamus Fitzgerald as well as PRO of the Schools Board, Packey Hurney which also includes his Refereeing duties.

Breda Cleary as Chairperson of the Schools Board and Joe Cleary as Bord na nOg Treasurer. This also includes being committee members in our own Club. This is a serious GAA commitment from one household. We can imagine the conversation over the cornflakes in the mornings.

The Christmas period also brings home a lot of Club members which adds to the whole village. A lot of shake hands and backslapping takes place and an amazing amount of club stories surface (all of them true of course). Spotted home during the festivities. Paudi Shields, Ivan Breen, Alan Gazza Beatty, Derek Kenneally, Karl Power, Richie Morrissey, Derek Hayes, Mickey Enright and also Jonathan Moore and John Foley are home for the 2002 season, which is great news. It is only at this time of the year that we really realise how many of our people have been through our juvenile set up and gone onto to pastures new. This brings a huge drain on our club with the amount of obviously intelligent people we have who are either away in college, away on apprenticeships or based full time in other places. This is an area that we certainly need to look at. The

drain to other locations on our playing resources is enormous.

There was also a great night in Minnies for a surprise Birthday party for Paul Breen. There was a massive turn out which was fitting for Paul and the Breen family. Very few families have given more to the Club than the Breens. At least the Breen hair has survived the shaving ordeal.

Some of our younger Club Members are in Arizona with Brother Springs St. Augustine's Handball Team. We wish the whole team well on their travels. More about this in the next notes.

The next Juvenile Committee meeting will be held in the Parish Hall (archives) at 8 pm the 9th of January. This meeting will include the selection of Managers/Coaches for each of the Juvenile Teams for the 2002 season. Those who want to be considered please submit your names to Billy Hickey Chairman or Larry Cliffe Secretary.

The next adult committee meeting will be held in the Parish Hall on the 10th of January at 8 pm. As at the Juvenile Committee the Managers/Coaches for the adult teams will also be selected at this meeting. Nominations please to Bernard Shields Secretary.

We would also like to extend our sympathies to the Queally family on the death of Mrs. Queally during the Christmas season.

We like to wish Tony Morrissey and Jim Joe Landers a speedy recovery from their recent illness. May they be back in the thick of things as quickly as possible.

Finally we wish all of our Club Members and their families at home and away the very best for the year 2002. Long we may continue to flourish and for particularly those who are away watch out for the Club website which will be up and running early in the New Year. We will also be putting in place an e-mail address for ongoing club news. Any items of interest can be passed on Mike Briggs (especially items like Shapes being spotted walking across the Causeway hand in hand).



Paudie Organ with his father Joe Organ at Dungarvan Railway Station with 3 boxes of fish.

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RECENT DEATHS

LATE MARY PARKER (NEE LYONS)



With feelings of great sadness and regret we write on the passing of Mary Parker (nee Lyons), South Terrace and Caseyville which occurred on Tuesday 11th December at St. Joseph's Hospital. In failing health for some time, Mary had enjoyed the wonderful care and professional expertise of all at St. Joseph's for seven years. A native of Shandon, aged 69 years, she was daughter of the late Michael and Madge Lyons and was predeceased by her sisters Biddy and Carmel.

During her years of employment she gave of her best at Keane's Brewery and later at St. Joseph's Hospital. She emigrated to England and eventually returned to Ireland and purchased the Cove Stores near Waterford's Regional Hospital. She was a wonderful business person whose enterprise was patronised by a wide clientele. Selling her property she returned to England for some years. A person of many talents, her cooking was always spoken of in admirable terms, while her flowers and flower arranging also came in for much praise.

She loved animals, especially her canine friends. Our deepest sympathies we extend to her son Frank, daughter-in-law Judy, grandson Michael, her brothers, sisters and many other relatives who will miss Mary dearly.

On Thursday evening the large concourse of mourners were joined at the Kiely Funeral Home by Canon O'Connor P.E. for prayers and rosary after which the funeral cortege left for St. Mary's Parish Church.

On Friday Canon O'Connor P.E. was chief celebrant with Fr. O'Mahoney P.P. and Fr. O'Riordan C.C. joining the overflowing congregation in celebrating the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for the repose of Mary's soul. The lessons were read by Derek Lyons and John Hanley (nephews). Prayers of the Faithful were read by Sean Lyons, Billy Hanley, Ann Butler and Mairead Molloy. The offertory gifts of a rose, oven glove, bread and water and wine were brought to the Altar by nieces Paula Dunne, Jackie O'Shea, Amy O'Shea (grandniece) and grandson Michael Lyons. We are indebted to Lorna Murray (nee Daly) for her much appreciated music.

In the adjoining cemetery following prayers and final blessing Mary was laid to rest, a person who was so special to so many.

Chief mourners were son Frank, daughter-in-law Judy, grandson Michael, brothers Michael and John, sisters Noreen, Helen and Peggy, sisters-in-law Terry and Maura, brothers-in-law Brendan and John and a wide circle of other relatives including nephews and nieces.

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

LATE HANNAH CURRAN



We learned with great sadness and regret of the passing at Drumhills Nursing Home of Hannah Curran (nee Devine), "Bayvilla", Youghal Road, Dungarvan on Friday last December 21st. Aged 92 years a native of Kilgobnet and predeceased by her husband Tommy by some years, Hannah had spent the last eighteen months or so in the love and care of all at Drumhills which was deeply appreciated by the family.

In her time Hannah worked as Manageress at Lawlor's Hotel and resided at 6 Emerald Tee. A quiet inoffensive individual who enjoyed the simple things of life, we offer to her sons Pat, Tom and Liam, daughters Marie, Margaret, Ann, sisters Toddy, Nellie, Daisy and all her relatives our heartfelt sympathies at this time.

Following rosary and prayers recited by Fr. O'Mahoney P.P. the removal took place to St. Mary's Parish Church where Fr. Cooney O.S.A. led all in prayer at the funeral service. The 12 noon funeral Mass on Sunday celebrated by Fr. Cooney O.S.A. was offered for the happy repose of Hannah's soul. The lessons were read by Ann McDonald (daughter), Edward Lawton and Jo McDonald (grandchildren).

The Prayers of the Faithful were shared by Philip Lawton, Mary and Marie Curran (grandchildren). The offertory gifts were brought to the Altar by grandsons Tom (Killarney) and Tommy (Bayvilla).

We gathered in the adjoining cemetery after Mass for final prayers read by Fr. Cooney O.S.A. and assisted by Fr. O'Mahoney P.P. and Fr. O'Riordan C.C. as Hannah was laid to rest. Her passing and that of her husband Tommy severs another link with our own child-

hood as the Curran's were always spoken of with affection re their milk run which brought urban and rural together in a most practical way for us.

Chief mourners were sons Pat, Tom and Liam, daughters Marie, Margaret and Ann, sisters Toddy, Nellie and Daisy, sons-in-law Terry McDonald, Richard Lawton, Gerry Murphy, daughters-in-law Angela, Cecilia and Catherine and a wide circle of other relatives including grandchildren, great grandchildren, nephews, nieces and friends.

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

LATE MAURA CONDON

We pen these lines on the passing of Maura Condon, Beechwood Park, Ballinlough and O'Connell Court, Cork and late of Sexton St., Abbeyside which took place on November 28th at St. Finbarr's Hospital, Cork. In failing health for some months, Maura bore her cross with admirable courage and dignity. In her mid sixties Maura was daughter of the late Laurence (Lar) and Peg Condon and was predeceased by her sister Ita. Her late father was Editor of the Dungarvan Observer where Maura herself worked for some years. A person of deep faith she was a devoted child of Mary and was dressed accordingly for her funeral obsequies.

On Thursday evening Maura's remains lay in repose at St. Finbarr's Hospital Chapel for some hours where Fr. Kelleher (Hospital Chaplain) led us in prayers before the removal took place to the nearby Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Ballinlough. Canon Cashman P.E. conducted the funeral service which concluded with the rosary. Afterwards her remains were brought to the Kiely Funeral Home, Dungarvan where family, friends and acquaintances gathered before the funeral cortege left on Saturday morning for St. Augustine's Church, Abbeyside.

Fr. Doherty P.P. with cocolebrants Canon Cashman P.E., Cork and Fr. Richard Haslam Oblate Fathers, Dublin offered the Holy Sacrifice for the repose of her soul. The lessons were shared by Phil Mansfield, Judy O'Donovan, Lily Haslam (sisters) while prayers of the Faithful were read by Denise Haslam (niece), Sorcha O'Keefe (grandniece), Patrick Mansfield (nephew) and Orla

Daly (niece).

The offertory gifts were brought to the Altar by Brigid Coffey and Maura Horan (cousins), Mairead O'Halloran (niece), David O'Donovan (nephew), Fiadhait O'Keefe (grandniece). Poem of Farewell was read by Maeve O'Keefe (niece) as a Communion reflection.

Maurice O'Donovan (brother-in-law) ensured that Maura's funeral Mass was a real celebration of her life by his singing. Journeying via Sexton St. the funeral cortege arrived at St. Laurence's Cemetery, Ballinroad, where following final prayers and blessing Maura was laid to rest with her parents.

'May the sod of her native parish rest gently upon her'.

We offer our sincerest sympathies to her sisters Phil Mansfield, Lily Haslam and Judy O'Donovan, her brother-in-law Maurice O'Donovan, her nephews, nieces, grandnieces, grandnephews, relatives and friends and all who mourn the passing of Maura.

Faoi bhrat Muire go raibh sí.

(Funeral arrangements in Cork and Abbeyside were carried out by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

LATE JOHN BRAY



On Friday 14th December the entire locality of Cappoquin was shocked to learn of the sudden and untimely passing of John Bray, Cappoquin and Tramore which sad event occurred at his home in Tramore.

Aged 34 years John was a man of many fine qualities, to say he was a hard working individual would be an understatement. He had the ability to turn his hand to anything. He took great pride in doing any job, big or small. John went to work in England for some time with family members but returned to Ireland and moved to Tramore where John met Caroline and they settled and shared a happy and contented life. John enjoyed returning to his home town of Cappoquin where he loved catching up with neighbours and friends about the happenings of the locality. John will be greatly missed by everyone who knew him and everybody whom he met and influenced will have their own special memories of him.

A person who always had time for a smile, a joke and a chat, John's first priority was his loving partner Caroline and his son Dillon whom he was very proud of. He possessed a wonderful, warm personality,

and he will be sadly missed by his family and a large circle of friends.

On Saturday evening a very large crowd attended the removal from Walsh's Funeral Home, Cappoquin where prayers were recited by Rev. Fr. Kiely P.P. On arrival at St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin his remains were received and blessed by Rev. Fr. Kiely P.P., assisted by Rev. Fr. Arthur P.E.

On Sunday morning funeral Mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Arthur P.E. Burial took place in St. Declan's Cemetery, the Cemetery in which John worked for many years. Rev. Fr. Arthur P.E. officiated at the graveside where John was laid to rest in the presence of a large cortege of mourners. May he rest in peace.

The chief mourners were his loving partner Caroline, son Dillon, father Tommy, mother Mary, brothers Thomas, Michael, Vincent, Larry and James, sisters Josephine, Kathleen, Helen, Ann Marie, Martina and Siobhan, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

(Funeral arrangements by Aidan Walsh & Sons, Funeral Directors, Cappoquin).

LATE MARGARET QUEALLY (NEE SHANAHAN)

We record with sadness and regret the passing of St. Vincent's Hospital, Dungarvan on Christmas Eve of Margaret Queally, Coolagh, Abbeyside and late of Whitestown, Clonea-Power who was predeceased by husband Sean just two years ago. We offer our sympathies to sons John, Michael and Pat, brother Paddy Shanahan, daughters-in-law Mary and Miriam and many other relatives including brother-in-law Canon P. Queally P.E., Ardinnan who officiated at the funeral obsequies.

Following rosary and prayers at the hospital mortuary on St. Stephen's Day the removal took place to St. Augustine's Church, Abbeyside for funeral Mass with the interment afterwards in the adjoining cemetery.

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

LATE WILLIAM (BILLY) CUSACK

On Sunday last, 30th December the locality learned with sadness and regret of the passing of Billy Cusack, "An Griánán", Youghal Road at Drumhills Nursing Home after a duration of illness. A Dentist by profession, Billy's passing is deeply regretted by his wife Evie, sons Peter, Kevin, David, sister Peggy Rice, brother Edward, his sister-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends. RIP.

Removal took place on Monday evening last from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church. Funeral Mass was celebrated on Tuesday after which the interment followed in the adjoining cemetery.

(Full obituary next issue).
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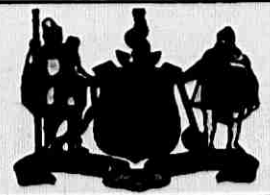
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An Bord Pleanála Refuses To Give Date For Glanbia Judgment

An Bord Pleanála have refused to give a date for a judgment on the Oral Hearing into the Glanbia development other than to say that a decision is imminent, County Manager Donal Connolly said.

Previously a proposal to contact the Ombudsman and the Minister for Local Government Noel Dempsey as well as An Bord Pleanála themselves was made by Cllr. John Deasy and a decision to do this was deferred to the December meeting.

But, Cllr. Damien Dillon, who is also a Dungarvan based architect, revealed that he had been informed that the Ombudsman will not look into planning issues.



Cllr. B. Kyne

Cllr. Billy Kyne added that every councillor has made contact with An Bord Pleanála and said that he was sure that last Friday was the day that a judgment would be made.

"The least we're entitled to is a date when the judgment will be made", Cllr. Kyne said. "If we got a date we could stand over that".

The County Manager replied that the council will make contact with Minister Dempsey as he appoints An Bord.

Boreenatra Road Plan To Be Discussed With Residents

The Urban Council discussed ways to improve the roadway at Boreenatra. The road in that area is just five metres wide and is scarcely wide enough to allow a line of parked cars and two-way traffic.

Councillors were also told that when two cars meet on the road they must drive onto the green to pass out.

To improve the situation, Town Engineer Joe Brennan said, they have two options. The first would provide for kerbing of the existing green area and the introduction of one way traffic flow which would cost £4,000.

The second option is to widen the road to eight metres to allow two way traffic at all times and this would cost £10,000.



Cllr. P. Power

Cllr. Paddy Power said that he would be in favour of the second option but he wanted the council to consult with the residents before a plan is implemented.

Cllr. Michael O'Riordan seconded this proposal but said the green area is very vulnerable from camping travellers and so some kerbing may have to be introduced. Landscaping, traffic calming, extra car parking and the under grounding of overhead networks will also be agreed with residents.

Transparency Of Private Sales Of Land Discussed



Cllr. J. Deasy

The policy of selling land privately, when the Urban Council believe only one buyer would be interested in purchasing was

strongly criticised by Cllr. John Deasy.

The private sale, which is called a Section 83 notice, was previously raised by Chairman of the Urban Council Cllr. Teresa Wright over the sale of a parcel of land in Abbeyside.

After this was raised publicly, Cllr. Deasy said that a number of people had contacted him who disagreed with the private sale and asked for the policy to be re-

viewed.

The Section 83 notice returned to the agenda when 56 sq metres of Urban Council land on the Youghal Road was disposed of free of charge to the VEC.

Cllr. Deasy said he did not disapprove of the sale of land to the VEC in this case but it should be the policy of the council to sell land on the open market.

However, County Manager Donal Connolly said it was the policy of the Urban Council to do just this but in certain cases there are reasons not to.

Cllr. Wright

also said that each section 83 should be taken on its merits and she agreed that land should be given to sporting or educational bodies.



Cllr. T. Wright

Independent Councillor Michael O'Riordan concurred, saying that it was rare for the council to sell land privately and went on to say that as everything the council does is advertised "everybody can see our business".

However, Cllr. Deasy said that the details of the section 83 was not put in the public domain and in the interests of transparency every sale should be put up for public tender.

Cllr. Billy Kyne replied that if the County Manager took that option "the VEC wouldn't be in the site at all".

The County Manager added that the land in question "is of no use to anyone other than the VEC".

CALL FOR ACCOMMODATION FOR THE HOMELESS

Temporary homeless accommodation in Dungarvan needs to be addressed quickly, Cllr. Teresa Wright said in the aftermath of the closure of a B&B facility used by the homeless in the town.

Cllr. Wright described how a young homeless person has to visit her office each day just to stay warm and get something to drink. She said that it is extremely disheartening for this person as there are no facilities available for him.



Co. Manager D. Connolly

The County Manager Donal Connolly replied that the council does need to look at some short term solutions, come up with a strategy to deal with the situation and find some accommodation for the homeless.

Cllr. Lar Hart said that it is a sad state of affairs that a homeless person under thirty years of age and single can't be put on the housing list and described the situation as a disgrace.

The Labour Councillor said that being on the housing list would give the homeless some light at the end of the tunnel and described the council policy for the housing lists as "discrimination against those under thirty."

Urban Council Agree To Raise Loan For Shandon Houses

Dungarvan Urban Council have agreed to raise a loan of £2.8 million from the Housing Finance Agency for the thirty affordable houses being constructed in Shandon.

The loan will be subject to interest but although the houses would normally be £95,000 to buy on the private market, under the affordable housing scheme buyers will save around £10,000 on their purchase.

Town Clerk Joe O'Flaherty said that already there have been over a hundred declarations of interest from people for the houses.

Committee Attempting To Attract Dublin Firms

County Manager Donal Connolly updated members on the progress being made in attracting new industry into Dungarvan.

He said a committee had been set up involving trade union representatives and councillors and it is currently liaising with industries, especially those Dublin firms who are interested in expanding outside the capital.

The IDA are also looking at particular industries with the objective of attracting them to the vacant Advance factory in Shandon.

Crossing Road At Civic Offices Is "Taking Your Life In Your Hands"

Crossing the road at the Civic Offices has become very dangerous because of the volume of traffic going past according to Cllr. Michael O'Riordan.

The Independent Councillor said it has become especially dangerous for senior citizens saying that "you're virtually putting your life in your hands."

The council should now look at putting a pedestrian crossing near the local authorities headquarters he said, before questioning what could be done about the buses that currently block people's view when crossing the road.

Cllr. Damien Dillon questioned whether part of the Glanbia development plans include an area for a



Cllr. D. Dillon

new bus stop.

The County Manager Donal Connolly replied that the plan does in fact include space for a bus stop and it would be the council's preferred option if one was provided there although agreement would ultimately have to be made with Bus Éireann.

Naming Of Houses In Quanns

The seven houses in Quanns that were recently constructed and will be available for letting in mid-January will be named by the residents themselves.

The naming was deferred on suggestion of Cllr. Michael O'Riordan who



Cllr. M. O'Riordan

said that the people who are to live there should be given the options and allowed decide.

Town Clerk Joe O'Flaherty - as in the naming of previous estates - circulated three options and invited suggestions from the council.

The three options were Cois Farráige, Radharc Heilbhic and Radharc Cuinigeir with Cllr. Damien Geoghegan saying that he was glad that the council had gone for Irish names again.

Ballymacarbry News

FOURMILEWATER HURLING CLUB HOLD THEIR A.G.M.

The 76th Annual General Meeting at Fourmilewater Hurling Club took place at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry on Sunday last. Chairman Michael Danagher welcomed the members to the Annual General Meeting and spoke on the many functions of the club during the past year, the highlight was the winning of the County Intermediate Hurling Championships and he wished the players every luck in the coming years Senior Championship.

Secretary Thomas Doocey gave a detailed account of every game the club were involved in and they were many. He thanked his assistant Pat Grant for his help and everybody else who helped him.

The Treasurer Thomas Kelly gave in fine detail the income and the expenditure of the club, the income total was £17,925.64 and the total expenditure was £17,571.50 leaving the club with a small balance of £354.14. The largest expenditure was for hurleys, that sum was £3,802. With all the reports adopted and everybody thanked for their work during the past year the election of officers for 2002 took place.

President Tom Walsh. Vice

ANNIVERSARY MASS FOR DAN BREEN

The Annual Anniversary Mass for the great freedom fighter Dan Breen was celebrated on Sunday last of the Parish church Donohill, Co. Tipperary at the request of the Third Tipperary Brigade Old I.R.A. The Mass was followed by a ceremony of remembrance where another brave son of Tipperary Paddy Dalton was killed in action close to Donohill Village in the tragic Civil War. Dan Breen and Paddy Dalton were soldiers of Ireland in the fight for Irish Freedom. On Sunday last their names and those of Sean Treacy, the Crowes, Barlows, Powers, Moloneys, Hogan and Robinson were recalled with many other brave men and women who served Ireland during the struggle for independence.

Chairman Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P. Chairman Michael Danagher. Vice Chairman Thomas Crotty. Secretary Thomas Doocey. Asst. Secretary Pat Grant. Treasurer Thomas Kelly. PRO Pat Grant.

Committee; Paddy (Tyler) Walsh, Tom Flynn, Aidan Ryan, Paudi Halpin, Tony McCarthy, Liam Rice. Membership £25 x £10 x £5. Players meeting 1st February.

LOTTO

Fourmilewater Hurling Club lotto jackpot £900. Numbers drawn 10-21-22. No winners. 5 x £20 winners Martin Brett, c/o Melody's, Ballymacarbry. Mike Guiry, c/o Pinewood Health Care. P. J. Wall, Knockaun. Billy Cooney, Ballymacarbry. Aine Dunne, c/o Post Office Ballymacarbry. Winners of 5 additional prizes of £20; Eileen Guiry, Knockatreelaun. Joan Molloy, Kilmacomma. Bernie Prendergast, Lyre East. Kathleen O'Gorman, Glasha. Eileen Power, St. Martin's Place, Ballymacarbry. Jackpot this week £1,000.

Fourmilewater lotto jackpot £1,000. Numbers drawn 2-8-9. No winners. 5 x £20 winners D. Murphy, Toureigh. Eileen Power, St. Martin's Place. John Power, Curtiswood. Helen Ryan, Touraneena. Martin Wall, Knockaun. Jackpot this week £1,400.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy of the district is extended to John Shiels, Clogheen, Ballymacarbry on the death of his father Thomas (Tommy) Shiels, Ardane, Bansa, Co. Tipperary which sad event took place peacefully after an illness of long duration in the loving care of the Matron and staff of Saint Theresa's Hospital, Clogheen.

On Saturday evening his remains were removed from O'Heney's Funeral Home, Bansa to the Parish Church of the Annunciation, Bansa where they were blessed and received.

On Sunday morning the feast of Saint Sabinus (Martyr) the 11.30 am Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his eternal soul. After Mass he was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

Beannacht de lena anam.

RECENT DEATHS

LATE EDMUND BURKE

Profound and sincere feelings of regret were widely expressed at the news of the unexpected death of Mr. Edmund (Ned) Burke, Touraneena, Ballinamult which sad event took place peacefully at the Regional Hospital, Waterford on Friday 21st December. Deceased in his late eighties was a member of a well loved and respected Sliabh gCua family. In his early days he worked as a farm labourer, he was noted as a tidy farm hand and was a neat hand to build a stone fence. After some years with the farmers he took up employment with Waterford County Council and with them he remained for forty years until he reached retirement age. In the forties he fell in love and married a Ballymacarbry girl Alice Grant and set up home at Cloneagagale where they became the proud parents of seven children, to them they were utterly devoted and the children thought the world of their parents.

In his early twenties he was an outstanding footballer and was a member of the Sliabh gCua team that won a County Junior football title in 1936 when they defeated Fenor. He was also a noted dancer and at the age of fifty nine years he partnered his wife Alice to an All Ireland title in 1972 with the Sliabh gCua set dancers who won the Scor. He was a man who took a deep interest in the church and graveyard at Touraneena, he also took over the bell ringing when Dan Kiely retired. He kept the graveyard and its surrounds in a neat and tidy state, he also allotted grave plots to people. He was also associated with other things in the parish.

He was also a man with strong republican views and was President of the local Cumann of Fianna Fail and he was President of the Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's GAA Clubs. He was a man who was always welcome in what every company he found himself and the district is the poorer at his passing.

Many tributes have been paid to this fine gentleman but perhaps the finest was paid to him on Saturday evening when all walks of life were represented in the vast concourse of mourners who were present when his remains were removed from his residence to Saint Mary's Parish Church, Touraneena where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher P.P., Nire/Touraneena. A guard of honour was provided by the GAA clubs and the set dancers and the coffin was draped in the club colours and a number 9 jersey, the number he wore in his playing days.

On Sunday morning, the feast of Saint Servulus (A beggar) requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his immortal soul. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher P.P., assisted by Rev. Fr. Sean Nugent P.P., Burncourt/Clogheen and Rev. Fr. Paddy Hallinan retired Australian Mission. After Mass on a frosty December day a kind and loving father was taken to his place to rest in the plot with his daughter Teresa who predeceased him by some thirty nine years.

Fr. Kelleher P.P. officiated at the graveside in the presence of another large concourse of mourners paying their last respects to a Christian friend whose memory they will long treasure. Fr. Hallinan recited a decade of the rosary, a guard of honour was provided by the local GAA clubs and the set dancers and the musicians who supplied the music when he won the Scor gave a musical selection in the churchyard.

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

Ni bheidh a leithead aris ann.
(Undertakers Troys, Lismore).

LATE MR. KEVIN BOLGER

It is with deep and sincere regret we record the death of Mr. Kevin Bolger, Willow Close, Clonmel and late Rathgormack, Carrick-On-Suir which sad event took place at the Mater Hospital, Dublin on Monday 17th December. Deceased was a member of a well loved and respected Rathgormack family. A man of many charming traits of character, his gentle, good humoured and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition, commended him to all. He was a kind and loving husband and father, his wife Vera and his children were his pride and joy, to them he was utterly devoted.

His presence amongst his family and friends will be very much missed as was evidenced on Wednesday evening when his remains after prayers were recited, were removed

from O'Donoghue's Funeral Home, Clonmel to S.S. Peter & Paul's Parish Church, Clonmel where they were blessed and received.

On Thursday morning, the feast of Saint Philogonius (Martyr) requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his gentle soul. After Mass the funeral took place to the Sacred Heart Cemetery, Rathgormack where he was laid to rest in the presence of a large concourse of mourners paying their final respects to a Christian friend whose memory they will long treasure.

To his wife and family, his parents, brothers and many relatives we extend our sympathy.

Craobh an ti ar lar grasta agus trócaire ar a anam uasal.
(Undertakers O'Donoghue's, Clonmel).

CO. WATERFORD LADY DIES AGED 98 YEARS

Mrs. Rita Kennedy (nee O'Brien), St. Nicholas Terrace, Old Bridge, Clonmel who passed to her reward recently was a charming petite lady possessing a boundless energy which belied her great age. She was an independent strong willed person, who first saw the light of day some ninety eight years ago.

A woman who led an active life from which she derived much happiness and fulfilment, she was one of ten children of the O'Brien family from the Mountain Road, Clonmel. At the tender age of seventeen she left home and went to England where she trained to become a nurse, and when she qualified she returned to Clonmel and after a short time she decided to join the Sisters of Mercy in Clogheen, taking the name of Sister Margaret and she nursed in the hospital there and after giving twenty five years to the Mercy Order, she retired and with a friend she emigrated to the United States where she opened up a Nursing Home and she married an American and he after visiting Ireland fell in love with the place and they then sold their respective businesses and came back to Ireland intending to settle in Midleton, Co. Cork where they opened a shop. Sadly Rita's husband died suddenly after some time there. She then returned to the States and nursing before finally returning to Clonmel where she married Johnny Kennedy from Saint Nicholas Tee in 1971.

Johnny had also lost his spouse and he and Rita had been very friendly in their youth, so they were great company for each other.

They had a happy life together, going here, there and everywhere, they went to Lourdes and to Florida. They were a familiar couple on the mountain road with their red setters. They both loved to go on CIE tours to different parts of the country. Rita was a person with a fine voice and could give a fine rendering of Ave-Maria. When her husband died some years ago she lost interest in most things. Some five years ago her health began to fail her, and she had to be looked after by her step daughter before she went to Woodside Nursing Home, Killusty where after some time she passed peacefully away.

Her remains were removed to S.S. Peter & Paul's Parish Church, Clonmel where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Pat Hayes C.C. S.S. Peter & Paul's.

On the following morning requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of her gentle soul, the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Pat Hayes C.C. After Mass the funeral took place to Saint Patrick's Cemetery, Clonmel where she was laid to rest. Fr. Hayes C.C. officiated at the graveside.

To her families, O'Brien's and Kennedy's we extend our sympathy.

Go maith suaimhneas siora aici i measc na Naomh.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy of the district is extended to Mrs. Margaret Connolly, Castlequarter, Ballymacarbry on the death of her father James Brennan, Maralfield Road, Clonmel which sad event took place at Saint Joseph's Hospital, Clonmel on Monday 17th December.

On Tuesday evening his remains were removed from Condon's Funeral Parlour, Clonmel to Saint Mary's Parish Church, Irishtown where they were blessed and received. On Wednesday morning the feast of Saint Nemesion (Martyr) requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his eternal soul. After Mass the funeral took place to Saint Patrick's Cemetery, Clonmel where he was laid to rest.

Solas na Soillse de na anam.
(Undertakers Condon's, Clonmel).

C.B.S. NOTES

A MEMORABLE CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The first school term ended on a high note last Friday with the wonderfully entertaining Christmas Concert. This was a show with something for everyone, with comedy sketches, music, singing and even juggling! The students and teachers involved in the various aspects of this event can feel very pleased with the net result of their combined efforts.

Mr. Doran and Mr. Williams produced a first-class stage, while Ms. Hunt and Ms. Byrne worked on the festive backdrop. Mr. O Chionnfhaoilaidh and Mr. Kelly oversaw the whole event. However, no one put more energy into this show than our two livewire MCs, Anthony Young and Ronan Flynn. From the moment they bounded onto the stage to set the show in motion, this irrepressible, adrenaline-driven pair hardly stopped to take a breath as they danced, sang, and wisecracked their way through the two-hour show.

Adopting the stage personae of American "rappers", they kept the audience entertained, while ensuring a smooth movement from one act to the next. Their boundless enthusiasm and clear enjoyment of their roles as organisers and presenters of the show suggest that Messrs. Young and Flynn may well be the impresarios of tomorrow!

The Christmas Concert 2001 opened with some seasonal carols from the First Years, followed by the "Early Early Show" hosted by Derry O'Connor and starring the less than melodic "Wastelife" (Cian Whelan, Anthony Dalton and Steven Collender) as well as such luminaries as Eamonn Dunphy (Edward Walsh) and Dustin the Turkey (Matthew Kavanagh).

Derry's composure in the face of Eamon's obstinacy and Dustin's jibes suggest that he may well have a future as a chat show host, or maybe even as a teacher! Tom Stack and Dane Power were hugely entertaining as straw-chewing farmers with a passion for Massey Fergusons. Ross Stack amazed us all with his remarkable ability to deftly manoeuvre his unicycle around the crowded assembly area, before taking to the stage to do his impressive juggling act. Next up was Conor Power who sang some Christy Moore songs in his own inimitable manner.

After the interval we had the Teachers' Act as Mr. Hughes, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Morley and Mr. O'Chionnfhaoilaidh got the crowd going with a medley of Beatles songs. Ms. Toomey, Ms. Byrne and Ms. Hunt - the slick supporting dancers - were visibly awestruck to be in the presence of such musical talent!

We then had more comedy provided by Emmet Walsh and Jason Hodnet, with the former doing an entertaining Billy Connolly impression. The Transition Years' very humorous sketch was one of the high points of the concert. Written by Ronan Dennehy, this sketch was set in a classroom and revolved around the efforts of a hapless teacher (Ronan Dennehy) to control a class more interested in their newspapers, mobile phones and walkmans than in academic endeavour.

Even the intervention of the Principal (played with the requisite authority by David Hughes) had little impact on a bunch of malcontents (played by Eamon Connors, Vincent Murphy, Sean Hackett, Donnacha Culloo, Mark Flynn and Micheal Gee) whose behaviour ranged from the disruptive to the criminal. We would of course like to remind parents that this hilarious classroom scenario was not in any way inspired by actual experience!

The one and only (thankfully!) Christopher Morrissey followed with his unique brand of humour, his David Attenborough impression being particularly entertaining. Anthony and Ronan then sang one of the current teen anthems, before the Sixth Year Choir (possibly something of a misnomer!) brought the show to a close with some more carols - the singing here was notable more for its volume than for any melodic qualities.

All agreed that this Christmas Concert was one of the best yet, generating the kind of energy, enthusiasm and good humour upon which schools thrive, and providing an opportunity for many students to remind us that they possess diverse gifts and talents which may not find expression in day-to-day school life.



Group pictured at a Seminar in the Park Hotel, hosted by Dungarvan Tourism, titled "Meeting the Marketing Challenges in Tourism for West Waterford." Included in the group are, seated: Padraig Cleary, Marketing Consultant, Margo Slator, Secretary, Breege O'Connor, Manager, and Teresa O'Connor, Chairperson. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Waterford Links to Acclaimed 18th Century Poet Are Celebrated

The strong Waterford thread in the life of renowned 18th Century poet Tadhg Gaelach Ó Súilleabháin is celebrated in a new biography - copies of which have been presented to the library at Waterford Institute of Technology and to the public libraries in the South East. An Cantaire Siúlach (The Wandering Minstrel) by Úna Nic Enrí, an academic from the University of Limerick's Mary Immaculate College, traces the poet's life from his birth in 1715 through to his death at the Cathedral of the Most Holy Trinity in Waterford 80 years later.

The author of the new tome attended a reception at the Waterford Institute of Technology library on Friday (December 7), during which she handed over copies of the book to the Institute and to librarians attached to local authorities across the region.

"During his lifetime, Tadhg Gaelach Ó Súilleabháin spent a considerable period of time living and writing in Youghal, Cappoquin and Dungarvan with much of his poetry alluding to people and places he came across in these areas. Having died at the Cathedral in Waterford where his memory is preserved by a wall-mounted plaque, he was laid to rest in Ballylaneen, near Kilmacthomas. As East Cork and West Waterford are areas that we draw a considerable portion of our student population from, it was particularly fitting that the library at the Waterford Institute received one of the first copies of this new publication," remarked Institute director, Professor Kieran R Byrne.

"Tadhg Gaelach was a noted literary figure in his day and his work and life were not devoid of controversy. This book from the scholarly pen of Úna Nic

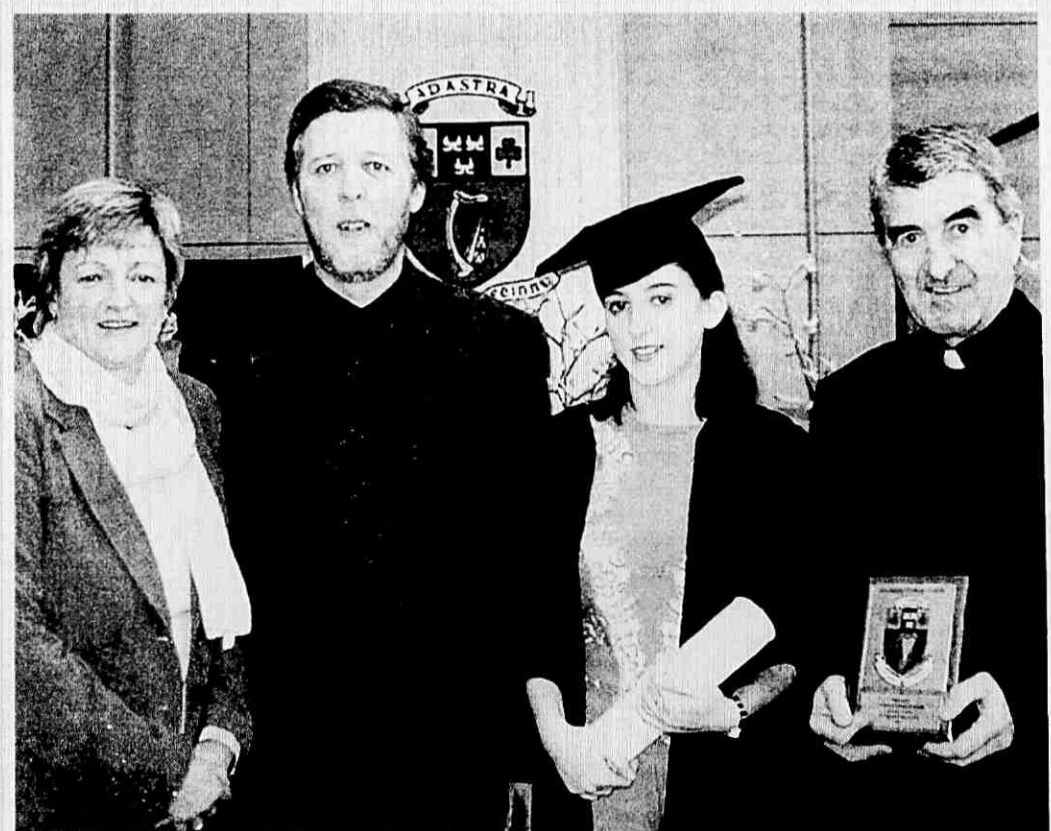
Enrí returns our attention in a stimulating way to a remarkable era in Irish history and, more specifically, to one of the more colourful characters of that time. A particularly interesting strand of the biography deals with the poet's involvement in a movement within the Roman Catholic Church to achieve a common prayer ritual. Indeed, many of Tadhg Gaelach's poems were subsequently sung as hymns - making his legacy all the richer.

"From the Waterford Institute's point of view, we are delighted to have facilitated

this celebration of the poet's sometimes overlooked achievements. This latest event at the Institute's library is another tangible expression of the way in which we are seeking to represent the culture and history of Waterford and, in particular, the Irish-speaking area in the West of the county. We must be careful going forward as an Institute not to forget to reflect this region's rich history and its wide inheritance in learning, literature and language.

"On a more general note, it may be recalled that the Min-

ister of State at the Department of Arts, Heritage, Gaeltacht and the Islands, Mary Coughlan TD visited the Waterford Institute last month. At that stage, we briefed the Minister on plans we have to more fully integrate the Irish language into Institute life. These proposals are continuing to receive attention as we set out to forge stronger links with the Gaeltachtaí across the State, including of course the area centred on Ring in County Waterford." Professor Byrne concluded.



At the UCD Entrance Scholars Awards presentation were (from left): Ann and Ger Howley (parents), Sarah Howley (award winner) and Fr. Pat Moran, Principal, St Augustine's College

Recently Sarah Howley, Pinewood, Dungarvan former pupil of Abbotside N. S. and St Augustine's College was among one hundred and seventeen new entrants to UCD who received Entrance Scholars Awards. Based on

Leaving Certificate results in June last, the award winners were each presented with a cheque for one thousand pounds by Art Cosgrove President of UCD, in a very impressive ceremony in the O'Reilly Hall, Belfield. Fr

Pat Moran, OSA, Principal of St Augustine's College received a commemorative plaque for the school in honour of Sarah's achievements, who has joined the faculty of Arts in UCD and is studying Psychology.

Christmas Spending On The Rise As Shoppers Prepare For Euro

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wanting to get rid of their Irish currency before January. He also said that it is a clear sign of the confidence people have in the economy.

Darrers Stores, meanwhile, reported that sales were extremely positive and had shown a healthy growth on previous years.

Meanwhile, businesses in

the region have stockpiled the new Eurozone currency as well, which it is said will give the Irish market an additional competitive edge and attract more foreign tourists.

With increased trade between the 300 million citizens of the Eurozone the New Year is looking bright for businesses in Dungarvan as well.

Gardai Report Clean Bill Of Health For Xmas

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the town from turning sour.

Meanwhile, the Government's television and radio campaign against drink driving also appears to have been heeded in the vast majority of cases, with just four drink-driving related arrests taking place over the week.

Thankfully, however, Sergeant O'Driscoll reported that there were no fatalities and no serious motoring accidents in a week where driving conditions were often treacherous.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

CONGRATULATIONS TO BALLYGUNNER

The following letter was received by Ballygunner captain, Billy O'Sullivan from a West Waterford Supporter following their Munster final win:

Dear Billy, Congratulations to you and your troops on a most inspirational and gripping day of hurling, certainly one which will be well documented in the hurling archives of the years to come.

All of you must be complimented on a spirited, sporting and entertaining game which displayed unrelenting courage, passion and soul which now seems to be the trademark of this colossus of a Ballygunner team.

Ballygunner have always been of proud disposition, resourceful, with one essential characteristic - their innate ability and willingness to work as a unit, and for each other displaying: all that synthesises this wonderful and traditional game.

This was a game which brought out the most commendable characteristics of this century-old sport, which have been adhered to and respected by this club over the years. But there wasn't anything magical about this victory, this was the culmination for a panel who were training together, thinking together, and playing together and the end result is - winning together. The only magical feeling about the grounds on Sunday was the Waterford supporters from all parts of the county: their excitement, delight and astonishment as the long whistle sounded, and the realisation that we had eventually turned the corner in hurling history not only for the Club but also for all the proud Decies supporters.

But this day belonged to Ballygunner, a day to be revered also by the Coach, Selectors, the background team, and all the families of the panelists' who have supported and ac-

commodated this wonderful bunch of clubmen over the championship.

If there is room for irony in this letter, can I draw some similarities between the County fortunes of 1998 and Ballygunners' fortunes of this year?

Waterford played Cork in the league final of 1998, and were beaten, Tipperary in the first round of the championship and were victorious, Clare in a Munster Final (twice) and were unlucky in the replay. All these counties were represented in this year's Club Championship, and were in Ballygunner's path to the provincial final.

For you Billy, it has been a long wait - 13 years of Inter County Hurling with no accolade to display seems the biggest injustice in the world of sport. Nevertheless, as Niall Cahalane once said: "To win a title in a county jersey is a fantastic achievement, to win a title in your club one is the pinnacle of everyone's sporting career".

You have been an excellent Captain, and a brilliant ambassador for the sport of hurling. From now on, those who don the red and black jersey need no convincing what sporting success is all about.

Making the breakthrough on Sunday in a provincial title must be akin to: being released into a world where there are no boundaries. For your team colleagues who have played on the Inter County circuit with you, and indeed who will shadow the new found pastures - this is ye're just reward, but with the reward there is the inherent urge which whispers "Never give up".

Billy, neither you nor they did, a fitting reward, thank you lads for all the wonderful memories.

— A West Waterford Supporter



Pictured above are the St. Mary's Junior Infants Classes of Mrs. Mansfield and Miss Harty who took part in their recent Christmas Concert.



Presentation of prizes to the winners in the Herlihy's Super Valu, best letter to Santa competition. Front l to r; Michael O'Donnell. Colum O'Donnell, Lorraine O'Neill (winner) Donal O'Donnell (runner-up), Megan Phelan, Mark Phelan and Neil Phelan. Back l to r; Robert Phelan (runner-up), Tim Foley, Manager, Santa. Santa's Elf, Marie, Marie-Thérèse Ni Lathaigh, Herlihy's, Kate & Louise O'Neill. (Photo: Sean Byrne)



Afghan Concern Appeal

Ardmore Technologies Ltd organised Business Breakfast raises £1050 towards the Concern Afghanistan Appeal. At the presentation of the cheque were l to r: Cillian McCarthy, Sales Manager and Paula Dee, Receptionist. Ardmore Technologies Ltd, Michelle Whooley, Concern and David Stewart, Company Accountant. Ardmore Technologies Ltd.

Photo: Sean Byrne



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QUESTION

I believe the scheme of tax relief on interest payable on home mortgages is about to be changed. I have a mortgage but I am not liable for tax. Will I be able to benefit from the change?

ANSWER

Yes. Under the Tax Relief at Source scheme for home mortgage interest the tax relief which you currently cannot avail of can be extended to you.

From 1st January 2002 tax relief on interest payable on new and existing mortgages will no longer be given through the tax system but at source. This means that the tax relief element will be "built into" the monthly mortgage repayment. Your mortgage repayment will be reduced by the amount of the tax credit. For example, if the interest element of your mortgage is IR£100 per month, your mortgage lender will reduce your monthly mortgage payment by IR£20 per month starting from January 2002. This reduction is the same as giving tax relief at the standard rate (20%) through the tax system. It will no longer be necessary to claim tax relief in the annual tax return. Earlier this year those who are already claiming mortgage interest relief should have been written to by Revenue. If you have been claiming mortgage interest relief since before July 2001 but you were not written to, you should phone Revenue at LoCall 1890 463626. Those taking out new mortgages since July 2001 should have completed form TRS 1 which would have been available from their mortgage lender.

If you have an existing home mortgage but could not claim tax relief as you were not liable for tax you should complete form TRS 1 which is available from your mortgage lender or any Revenue office in order to avail of the relief.

Further information is available from Revenue, TRS Section, Collector General, Sarsfield House, Limerick Tel: 1890 463626 and the Citizens Information Centre below.

This column has been compiled by Dungarvan Community Information Centre which provides a free and confidential service to the citizen at the Courthouse, Dungarvan. Opening hours: Monday to Friday, 11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. Tel.: 058-44633.

MONEYMATTERS

SHOPPING ON THE NET

All shopping is not without risk, but this is especially true for On Line shopping. The following guidelines may help you to shop safely online.

Order only on a secure server: This will be evident by an unbroken key or padlock at the bottom of your screen. If you are in such a site and want to enter another one, a message will come up on screen i.e. "you are now leaving a secure site".

Protect your privacy: Provide the most basic personal information and make sure that you know how it is going to be used.

Paying by Credit Card: Again make sure that only the secure site is used. Use different passwords when you are making a purchase than you use to log on to your home computer.

Post and Packing: Make sure that when you are calculating the cost of your goods that you take into account postage and packing. It can add greatly to the cost. If you are unsure, try putting all the items that you want into the 'shopping basket'. Then before you give your payment option i.e. by credit card it should automatically add up your purchase (incl. postage and packing) which will in turn give you a final total. If you are not happy do not proceed any further.

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Prizewinners in the Tallow Area Credit Union AGM Draws — (seated left to right) Maggie Foster, Charlotte O'Connor, Nora Willis, Lena Walsh and Sean Twomey, Chairman Tallow Area Credit Union; standing: John Martin, Chairman Supervisor Committee, Austin O'Brien, Paul Hickey, Pat Henley, Noel Ryan and Mary Beecher, Assistant Manager, Tallow Area Credit Union. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Fortnightly Collections Of Recyclable Materials

HOUSEHOLDERS URGED TO 'THINK GREEN' IN 2002

Householders in County Waterford are being urged to 'think green' for the New Year as Waterford County Council prepares to step up its collections of dry recyclable materials which will take place fortnightly from January onwards.

The local authority continues to report an impressive response from householders to their recycling initiative that has seen dry recyclable materials collected from outside residences right across the county since November.

The Council's Environmental Education Officer, Celine Horner, has outlined details of revised arrangements for the Council's kerbside collections.

"From January onwards, the recyclable materials will be collected every second week — an acknowledgement that this waste forms a major portion of all the material that has traditionally been placed in wheelie bins and taken to landfill sites. This should also mean that householders aren't left storing any waste materials in or around their homes for unacceptable lengths of time.

"To take the period immediately after Christmas, dry recyclable materials will be collected in the County Council's administrative area (East and West Waterford, excluding the City and Dungarvan) during the week commencing December 31 with standard wheelie bin collections in the week beginning January 7. This will then alternate in subsequent weeks." Ms Horner continued.

"In the area administered by Dungarvan Urban District Council, standard refuse collections will be taken up in the week commencing December 31 with a recycling collection from each household in the town during the week starting January 7. Again, this routine will then simply switch over in subsequent weeks — making it easier for householders to know when the next collection of a particular type of waste is due to take place.

"There will be a further economic incentive to row in behind the recycling initiative when the new charges regime begins on January 1, 2002 with a price of just 3 to be paid for every four clear plastic sacks left out for recycling. At the same time, it will cost 6 to have a wheelie bin collected. As is currently the case, the sacks and wheelie bin tags will be available from local retailers."

Waterford County Council is also asking householders to take particular care to recycle their seasonal packaging waste and help make it a less environmentally damaging Christmas.

"Each household in County Waterford generates an average of 80lbs of waste each Christmas — including everything from cardboard and plastic toy boxes to drinks cans and glass bottles. We would encourage people to recycle the packaging element of that waste by separating it and — where appropriate — placing it in their clear plastic sacks for subsequent collec-

tion by our crews," commented Ms Horner.

"While we have had excellent support for the recycling initiative to date, it is perhaps worth reminding householders of the particular materials that can be placed in the sacks for collection. These include cardboard, newspapers, magazines, washed milk and juice cartons, all types of plastic including bottles, drinks cans and food tins. Any other packaging waste as well as glass bottles can be taken to bring centres that the Council operates right across the county.

"Recycling this Christmas will be easier than ever and it is to be hoped that householders will bear in mind the role that they can play in preserving the environment for future generations. Recycling and waste reduction are key planks of this Council's ongoing environmental protection efforts and the continued support of householders is crucially important. The excellent response that people have given to the recycling initiative so far gives us great confidence that householders will continue to back our efforts in 2002 and beyond."

MUNSTER COMMUNITY GAMES A.G.M.

The A.G.M. of the Munster Community Games was held in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan in December. Delegates from the six Munster Counties attended and National Community Games was represented by Nóirín Doyle, National P.R.O. Cllr. Ollie Wilkinson, Chairperson Waterford County Council was also in attendance. Greita Whelan, County Chairperson welcomed the delegates and guests to Dungarvan.

Cllr. Wilkinson praised the great work being done by the Community Games volunteers and spoke of the importance of young people being involved in sport. He referred to the great achievements of Villierstown man John Treacy who participated in Community Games at a young age and indeed went on to win the Marathon at the National Finals, one of his first great achievements.

Nóirín Doyle outlined the great amount of work which goes into the running of the games and stressed the fact that over 30 different sports are catered for. No other organisation in the Country covers such a wide range of activities.

The meeting ended with the election of officers as follows — Chairperson: Anthony Fitzsimons, Limerick; Secretary: Ned Lafferty, Tipperary; Treasurer: Thomas Hassett, Waterford; Registrar: Ann Grant-Nestor, Limerick; Asst. Games Director: Tom Kearney, Waterford; Chairperson of Appeals Committee: David Reynolds, Waterford.

Primary Schools G.A.A.



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LISMORE PRIMARY SCHOOLS STUPENDOUS YEAR

Some of the trophies on display. The year 2001 was one of unprecedented success on the playing field for the pupils of Bunscoil Bothar na Naomh. This relatively new school (formed in 1988 with the amalgamation of Lismore C.B.S. and the Presentation Convent Primary Schools) has certainly blazed a trail in the Gaelic games field.

Last year no fewer than 12 titles were won all in the A grade. The trophies on display in the school include - Hurling: County and West U-13 Hurling, County and West Mini 7's, St. Colman's Primary School's Blitz, County Indoor Championship, Camogie: County and West Mini 7's, County U-13 Championship, Gaelic Football (boys): County and West U-13 Football, West Mini 7's (The county final will be played in the spring of 2002). Other trophies won by the school include Youghal U-10 Hurling

Tournament, The Town and County League U-11, Fermoy Juvenile G.A.A. Blitz and Sciath Bhaile an Easpaig U-12 Hurling.

At a press morning in the school before Christmas all the trophies were on display. Lismore's Jimmy O' Gorman Waterford's Representative on the Munster Council was Master of Ceremonies for the occasion. He spoke about the wonderful achievements of the school on the field of play. He pointed out that the Lismore Juvenile and Adult Club recognise that all the staff of the school deserve tribute for promoting Gaelic Games in the school.

He stated that this work is often taken for granted but not in Lismore. The Chairman of the Lismore Club Bernard Dooley agreed that it was great to see so many pupils present and great to see so many trophies. He pointed out that it was important not just to win but also to participate.

School Principal David Corbett welcomed everyone pres-

ent to the school. The backbone of Gaelic Sports in the school were teachers Sean Prendergast and Ann-Marie O' Gorman and the other teachers encouraged them. He thanked the coaches Peter Power, Michelle Power and Johnny O' Grady for their input into Gaelic games in the school.

He mentioned the financial support given by the parents council and he valued the time and effort they put into fundraising. He hoped the value of the pupils achievements will be seen in time to come.

The Chairperson of the West Waterford Primary Schools Board Breda Cleary thanked the teachers and coaches for their work in promoting Gaelic games in the school. She realised it took a great deal of time and effort to achieve so much success on the playing field. "Ta athas orm bheith anseo ar maidin", stated special guest Sean Fogarty Vice Chairman of the Munster Council. He stated he had never seen such an array of trophies in primary, secondary and third level institutions.

He stated there was a major turnaround in thinking towards primary schools at senior Munster council level. Sponsorship of £100,000 had been received from McDonalds and as a result equipment would be distributed to all primary schools. In conclusion, he thanked Jimmy O' Gorman for inviting him to Lismore.

Finally, Jimmy O' Gorman thanked all their sponsors and encouraged the children to have pride in their Parish. He wished everyone "A Happy Christmas" and a "Prosperous New Year".

Tea and sandwiches were served to all those present.

Sliabh gCua/ St. Mary's GAA Notes

LATE NED BURKE

It is with sadness we the club record the passing of Ned Burke. He was one of the last Senior members of our club. He had been President, Chairman and selector and mentor to the club down through the years. He was a member of the 1936 team which won the Junior Co. Football title. Ned was predeceased by Paddy Nagle, Ballinamult, who was also a member of that team. Ned was Chairman of the club in the 80's when we won 5 Co. Championships. He was also involved in the now extinct Handball Club. In the 70's he was involved in Athletics, the Gun Club and the Darts Club. He was a member of the 1972 winning set dancing team. It was the first All-Ireland title, not alone for Sliabh gCua but also for Waterford.

It would have been fitting for Ned, if he had received the Jack Furlong award for all his involvement, playing, administration and also being involved in Scor, but it was not to be. He was totally dedicated to the club and was not afraid to speak his mind on occasion. We extend our sincere sympathy to his wife Alice, sons Carthage and Albert and daughters Breda, Alice, Marion, Veronica and Jenny.

Results of our local Christmas Club draw in which Joe Coffey, Knockmeal Stores presented the club with a 21" Colour Television.

1 Peggy Condon, Boulavounteen, 21" Television. 2 Donnacha Dunne, Hamper. 3 Bert Ahearne, £50 voucher.

Results of Deise Draw: 1st 50 Euro Breda Hallahan. 2nd Free Deise Ticket Andrea Dunford. 3rd Whiskey Gerard Butler. 4th Wine Christy Hallinan. 5th Whiskey Kieran Hickey. 6th Vodka Dick Power.

Geraldines G.A.A. Notes

DEISE DRAW

The last draw of the year was held in Portlaw on December 17th and the club had two winners - Anne Hallahan Kilmagabogue Villierstown £100, W.J. Treacy Ballycoe Dungarvan - a crystal hurley. This was the final draw of the current series and we would like to thank everyone who supported us this year. The new draw begins in march with larger cash prizes.

LOTTO

Week ending 30th December. Numbers 4-12-22. No winner. £10 winners - Marie Duffy Aglish, Eddie Stears Villierstown, Eileen Meskill Dromore, John, Kathleen and Esther c/o Hurleys Shop, Caine Ronayne Ballingown. Next weeks jackpot - £400 508 euros.

DUGOUTS

The dugouts were rooked and finished during the Christmas break.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

The club would like to wish all our members, supporters

and everyone in the locality a very Happy New Year.

A.G.M.

The club will hold its A.G.M. on Saturday 19th January 2002 in our hall after evening Mass.

Naomh Brid G.A.A. Club Notes

Naomh Brid G.A.A. would like to extend sincere sympathy to Alice Burke and family on the death of Ned Burke just before Christmas. Ned's death will leave a void in the community Ned was a great G.A.A. man and always showed interest in our young players and their progress. May he rest in peace.

Waterford Handball Report For The Year 2001

GOLD, SILVER AND BRONZE FOR WATERFORD HANDBALLERS

Waterford senior handball players, all drawn from the Kilgobinet Club, contested three All-Ireland finals in the 60 by 30 code in 2001. One of our great competitors, Martin Sandford achieved a very well deserved Silver Master's Title when he gave his greatest display in the Waterford colours at the Ballina venue.

Our hard hitting veteran handballer, Mossie Butler, was narrowly defeated in a tie breaker game for the Emerald's Master's title by the experienced Tom Deering of Mayo. Sligo man, Paddy Walsh, who has been very much in form in recent years, was taken to the tiebreaker game by Declan Mulcahy, no mean accomplishment by Declan as he had been away from the game for a period. Philip Butler, son of Mossie, won the Munster under 21 title in great style beating Kerry's Clive Coonihan.

On the juvenile front, the county was well represented in the Annual Liscarroll Open at juvenile grades 15 and 13. This is played during January and is a good start for all juvenile players for the year ahead.

The Friary/Abbeyside/Ballinacourty club represented Waterford. Michael Browne, John Kindregan and Patrick Hurney reached the quarter finals. Patrick Hurney lost out at this stage. Michael Browne and John Kindregan reached the semi-final. John Kindregan played Ger Coonan of Tipperary in one semi-final and Michael Browne played Michael Allen of Cork in the other semi-final. John Kindregan had a great battle with Ger Coonan before losing 21-20 and 21-17. Michael Browne won his semi-final on the score 21-12 and 21-16.

The final between Ger Coonan and Michael Browne was the best final in recent years with the result going to a tiebreak. Eventually, Michael won on the score 21-16, 18-21, 11-8.

The county achieved its first Under 17 Doubles All Ireland title in the 60 by 30 Championships on 5/10/01 against Laois opposition at the Clonmel venue. Seamus Lavan and Michael Brennan of the Friary, Abbeyside and Ballinacourty Handball Club did Waterford proud in winning a tightly fought contest that provided great excitement for the large attendance as fortunes changed regularly with a most welcome end result for the county.

On the following Sunday, 7th October, Waterford representatives Patrick Hurney and John Kindregan, made the long journey to Williamstown to try and emulate the achievements their fellow club members.

In the All Ireland under 15 final, they faced strong opposition in a well balanced Wexford pairing and despite their best efforts, Patrick and John were in some difficulty with Wexford dominating much of the play.

Wexford defeated our lads on the score 21-14 and 21-12. Jason O'Brien and Seamus Power had to settle for All-Ireland bronze in the U-14 doubles after meeting a strong Tyrone opposition.

In the 40 by 20 code we had just one winner in Munster. Patrick Hurney put on a great show of good handball right through the Munster competitions and into the All-Ireland final. Patrick and Brian Nugent of Wexford had a great battle before the Wexford players won out on the score 21-18 and 21-17.

Quite a lot of our juveniles of the past few years are now going through third level education and we are hoping they will keep up the interest in handball and win honours for their Colleges.

We would like to congratulate St. Augustine's College on winning three Munster Colleges 60 by 30 titles. Senior singles and doubles and inter doubles. They also reached the All-Ireland Finals in the Senior and Inter doubles.

The long cherished ambition to provide a championship 60 by 30 handball with related facilities for the Friary/Abbeyside/Ballinacourty Handball Club and Waterford County, is about to be realised and it is confidently expected that all facilities will be fully in place for the 2002 championships. This major development project has been greatly aided by substantial National Lottery finding, by Waterford County G.A.A. Board, Waterford County Council and the great goodwill and tangible financial assistance that has been forthcoming from so many sources - both public and private towards the project. The coming 12 months will see renewed efforts at fundraising as some £70,000 is needed to complete the project.

Our thanks are due in no small way to our two local newspapers, the Dungarvan Leader and Observer for the great coverage they gave us during the year. Without this coverage, handball would be lagging behind other sports. To Jim Joe Landers of Waterford Local Radio for his radio coverage. Every household in the county is well informed about Waterford handball. To Fr. Pat Moran, O.S.A. the Principal of St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan, for his help. To Eddie Corbett and the Ballyporeen Handball Club and the Clonmel Handball Club for giving us the use of their alleys during the year.

Finally, many thanks to all our handballers for their great efforts during the year. They brought many titles to the county during the year, and we wish them well for the coming year. Happy Christmas and good fortune for the coming year.

— Ray McAndrew, County Board P.R.O.

Ballygunner G.A.A. Notes

U-21

Not many Clubs find themselves playing in a County Final just two days before Christmas but that was how we met Colligan in a replay, having drawn one week previously. The game as such was a thriller with Colligan getting off to a dream start leading by 1-4 to 0-1 after ten minutes. However, Damien Clifford replied with 1-1 and Brian O'Keeffe gave us two points from frees and Gearóid O'Connor scored a further point to leave the half-time score B.G.1-4 Colligan 1-8.

Again, Colligan got off to a great start in the second half and found themselves with a 1-16 to 1-9 lead. The introduction of Tommy Power brought new life to our attack and with a goal from Ray Hearne and further points from B.O'Keeffe (2), D.Clifford (1) and G.O'Connor (1) we came back into the reckoning. Tommy Power scored our final goal, having previously scored two points, to leave us behind by one point on the final whistle B.G.3-10 Colligan 1-17. Any independent observer probably felt that Colligan deserved their victory and we extend our congratulations to them on what we understand was their first ever U-21 hurling championship title.

To our own panel of players we say well done and they can look back with pride on their championship campaign where they had wins over Dunhill/Fenor, St. Mary's, Passage East and two great games against Colligan.

MAYORAL RECEPTION

His Worship, The Mayor, Ald. Hilary Quinlan recently hosted a reception at City Hall for our Munster Club panel of players. The evening was a very enjoyable one with the Mayor making a presentation of a beautiful piece of Waterford Crystal to our Captain Billy O'Sullivan and also presenting commemorative ties to Club President Ml. Carroll, Chairman Pat O'Sullivan and Trainer/Coach Gordon

Ryan. The Mayor's address of welcome showed that he had done some research before our arrival at City Hall as he had a very good grasp of what we have achieved on and off the field as well as our aspirations for the future. Chairman Pat O'Sullivan suitably replied on behalf of the Club and made an appropriate presentation to our First Citizen. We appreciate the courtesy extended to us by His Worship and thank him for a most enjoyable occasion.

SENIORS

Training has now resumed after the Christmas break (what break?) in preparation for our All-Ireland Club Semi-Final match against Clarinbridge representing Connacht. This game is scheduled for Semple Stadium, Thurles on Sun. 17th Feb 2002. Clarinbridge were victorious over Athenry in the Galway Championship where Athenry were hot favourites before the game. With such an impressive record behind them, we cannot take anything for granted and you may rest assured Clarinbridge will be all out for victory on 17th Feb. Only the very best performance from all of our panel will give us the best chance of securing further honours in this great inter-club competition.

GET WELL

One of our key U-21 players, Rory Phelan has been laid low with illness recently and we wish him a speedy return to full health. We have no doubt that had Rory been available for our matches against Colligan, the result would probably have swung in our favour as he has been such a key influence in the previous games.

SEASONS GREETINGS

We would like to wish all Club Members and Supporters a very Happy New Year for 2002. Also, a big "Thank You" to the local media for their continued coverage of club affairs during the past twelve months - we look forward to another successful year ahead.

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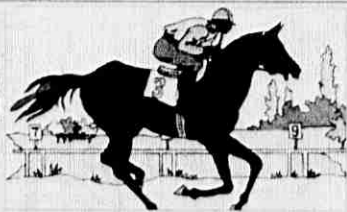
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HORSE RACING NEWS

BY MARK PHILLIPS



AS YOU WERE JIMMY

One of the countries leading National Hunt claiming riders Jimmy Mansell lost his appeal against a fourteen day suspension imposed by the Clonmel stewards recently after he struck fellow rider Emmet Stack across the arm during a hurdle contest at the venue. Jimmy can now enjoy his unplanned holiday until January 13th.

NICK TO RETIRE

Nick Dundee has for now run his last race and heads to Coolmore to enjoy his retirement. It's a pity that this horse who won his maiden Point to Point at Kill when ridden by County Cork amateur William O'Sullivan never reached his true potential but that's horse racing for you.

PUNCESTOWN WINNERS

There was plenty of local success at the Puncestown pre Christmas meeting. Knockeen trainer Henry De Bromhead ran his British import Pheisty in the opening maiden hurdle and going off the well supported second favourite at 2/1 this Barry Geraghty ridden son of Faustus duly romped to a good win over Castle Kevin. Pheisty incidentally won three times on the flat in Britain.

Ian Power from Abbeyside in Dungarvan continues to catch the eye and he had little difficulty in capturing the second division of the maiden hurdle aboard the Noel Meade trained Native View who beat Broadwalk Night by six lengths.

Dunhill's Shay Barry showed he had fully recovered from his recent heavy fall at Clonmel by partnering Leadamurraydance 20/1 to a surprise handicap hurdle win. Trainer David Wachman who trains at South Lodge just outside Carrick-On-Suir teamed up with his stable amateur Mark Grant to take the concluding bumper with the well fancied The Nephron who got up in the dying strides to collar Some Judge. Cappagh trainer Declan Queally ran Poor Witness in this contest and this close relation of decent handicap hurdler Camden Tanner appeared to struggle in the tacky going and maybe be better suited to a better surface.

1,500 FOR TONY

Top jockey Tony McCoy recently rode his 1500th winner at Exeter riding Celtic Native to victory in a novice chase.

MORE POWER TO ROBERT

Twenty year old amateur rider Robert Power rode his first winner at Puncestown last week and the son of former top class International show jumper captain Con Power is expected to turn professional in the New Year.

STRANGE DECISION

The Stewards of the Turf Club over ruled the Navan Stewards decision on the fine and ban imposed on trainer Mouse Morris and owner David Lloyd over the running of His Song behind Limestone Lad at Navan. Not so lucky though was the rider Waterford born David Casey who had his suspension reduced from seven days to two days for making insufficient effort on the long time absent His Song. By their actions the Stewards of the Turf Club are holding jockey David Casey fully responsible for the whole affair. A weird decision though as surely the rider didn't take it upon himself to give the mount an easy race.

PEDRO PETE PUT DOWN

Nicky Henderson's useful timber topper Pedro Pete is no longer with us having been put down after contesting the Ladbroke Hurdle having sustained an injury during the running of the Ascot race.

ADRIAN TOPS ON FLORIDA PEARL

County Meath rider Adrian Maguire came in for the spare ride aboard the Willie Mullins trained Florida Pearl in the King George Chase at Kempton Park on Boxing Day and giving this strapping gelding a great ride he beat the best in England and France on the day to triumph from the relative novice Best Mate who ran a gallant race in defeat but did not appear to stay the trip in the closing stages. A major disappointment in the race was the Francois Doumen trained First Gold the 6/4 favourite who jumped well for the trainers son Thierry but was found wanting for pace off the final bend eventually finishing out of the money. It's obvious that Florida Pearl prefers flat tracks such as Kempton and Leopardstown and while he should run well at Cheltenham next March in the Gold Club I still think he will struggle over the final two furlongs up that punishing finishing straight.

GREAT FARE AT LEOPARDSTOWN

The four days at Leopardstown provided some excellent jump racing. Local trainer Henry De Bromhead got among the winners on the Thursday as Larry Hurley from Tramore.

Touraneena Racquets Column

UPCOMING RACQUETBALL LEAGUES

The closing date for entries to the local racquetball leagues is Friday 11th January. Already there seems to be a massive interest been drummed up. Everybody is welcome to participate and all standards of players will be catered for. The entry fee is 6 euro for adults and 4 euro for U-18's.

Each player will be guaranteed a minimum of two games before the knockout stages. In the league prior to the Christmas break, we had a total of 40 players participating of which they were broken into divisions with players of equal standard. No fixed dates were arranged for matches.

Players were given seven weeks to arrange and play their games and it worked really well so the same system will again be used this time.

There is a compulsory ruling that all players must wear protective eye wear. If anyone is interested in participating in the leagues, just contact any of the following before 11th January - Pat Dalton 058-47244, Eleanor Hickey 058-47313 or Pat Keane 087-6380649.

FUNDRAISING RUN

The local racquetball club are currently organising a fundraising 10 mile run from Dungarvan to Touraneena to be held on the first weekend of February.

It will be run on a relay fashion in which 10 of our players will run one mile each. The task is to predict the time that it takes for them to complete the course. All our players will

Dungarvan Rugby Club Notes

DUNGARVAN 10 WATERFORD CITY 20

Another landmark day at Ballyrandle when the blues U-14's ran out against Waterford City. It was a great free flowing game which saw the Waterford side score four to our two. This was a well drilled city team against a Dungarvan side in it's game and there was no gap in talent just experience and that will come. So well done to all who turned out.

YOUTHS

On Saturdays coaching continues for the U-8,10 and 12 between 10.30 and 12, the numbers are growing every week. The U-14 and U-16 now train on Fridays at 7pm.

FIXTURES

We travel to Waterford City on Sunday 6th kick off at 2.30pm. The U-8,10, 12 all travel to Youghal on Sunday the 6th for their first matches, leaving the clubhouse at 10.20am.

TICKETS

Names are now being taken for the forth coming six nations international. Contact Ray Harty.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

We at Dungarvan rugby club wish a happy new year to all the members and supporters of Dungarvan rugby club this year. Thank you.

have their cards soon, lines will be one euro each and the winning prediction will receive 50 euro.

MIXED BADMINTON TEAMS

36 players from the local club have entered into the upcoming county mixed badminton leagues which are due to start on the 6th of January.

We have a team participating in 6 of the 7 grades and when looking at them on paper they should also be more than capable of featuring prominently in their respective grades.

The teams are as follows:

Section A — Dick Guiry, John Hallinan, Pa Hallinan, Breda Connors, Rose Cooney, Trudy Kennedy.

Section B — Pat Hearn, Seanie Kearns, Pat Cliffe, Karen Kearns, Geraldine O'Ryan and Mary Murphy.

Section C — John Dalton, Eamon Lonergan, Mike Gleeson, Jackie Aherne, Kathleen Fitzpatrick and Sarah Gleeson.

Section E — Pat Foley, Colin Gleeson, Noel Flynn, Bernie Foley, Grainne Hallinan and Nuala Power.

Section F — John P. Fitzpatrick, Aidan Fitzpatrick, Brendan Tobin, Gillian Glee-

son, Pauline Cliffe and Nuala Dalton.

Section G — Pat Keane, Jack Power, Willie Power, Theresa Butler, Maria Gleeson and Nancy Condon.

All the fixtures will be posted on the notice board in the community centre.

MEMBERSHIP

Any outstanding membership fees from players who played in the leagues prior to the Christmas break or new players participating in the mixed leagues are now due and are to be paid to either Dick Guiry or Theresa Butler.

CLUB NIGHT

A date for a weekly club night will be announced in the very near future. Training for juveniles will recommence again this week and will continue on Tuesday and Thursday nights.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

The annual County Championships for mens and ladies doubles will be held on Sunday the 20th January. All the various grades will be catered for on that day. Anybody who is interested in playing in this event should contact Dick Guiry. The event is likely to be played in Lismore.

East Cork/West Waterford Schoolboy Leagues

FIXTURES

Saturday January 5th.

U-11 League — Ballybridge Utd V Blackstone R. 1.30 W. Collins.

U-12 League — Cappoquin/Affane V Fermoy Utd 12.00 M. Condon.

U-13 League — Ballybridge Utd V Blackstone R. 2.30 W. Collins.

U-14 League — Castlebridge C. V An Gael 2.30 M. Hartnett, Valley R. V Ardmore 12.30 M. Hartnett.

U-16 League — Brideview Utd V Kilworth C. 2.00 P. Marks, Pinewood R. V Clashmore R. 2.00 M. Condon.

Sunday January 6th

U-15 league Blackwater R. V Cappoquin/Affane 2.15.

Please ring in results by 6.00 Sunday evening to 025-36928

MEETING

There will be a schoolboy league meeting in the Devonshire Arms Hotel Tallow on Monday night next at 9.00. Committee meeting will take place at 8.15.

Ballinroad AFC Notes

DIV. 2B LEAGUE

Park Rangers 2 Ballinroad 4

First half we went a goal down against the run of play after a mix up in defence. Attaching pressure from midfield brought an equalising goal which Paddy Walsh scored with a cracking shot from 18 yards which hit the top right hand corner of the net. Some good defending and hard work kept Ballinroad on top of the game. After some good build up to play the ball broke to Philip Coles in the 18 yard box and he hit home to give us a 2-1 lead. Pat Flynn made some crunching tackles that were vital. From a corner kick it took a powering header from Carl Power to put us 3-1 up, at the end of the first half. Second half Pat Flynn was substituted for Seamus Veale. Some great battling from Richard Lynch and Mark Coles kept us in the lead. Good passing by Jacko Kiely and Kevin Lonergan gave Philip Coles a true ball which he hit a low shot into the corner of the net to put us 4-1 up. Park Rangers got a second on the break which gave a final score Park Rangers 2 Ballinroad 4. Team: John Paul Hallahan, Richard Lynch, Maurice Tobin, Carl Power, Pat Flynn, Mark Coles, Kevin Lonergan, Jacko Kiely, Paul Lennon, Paddy Walsh, Philip Coles. Subs: Seamus Veale for Pat Flynn. It was a good team performance by the team. Man of the match Paul Lennon with some outstanding defending. We are unbeaten in 2001.

RESULTS FROM 2001

Kilmac 3 Ballinroad 4.
Ballinroad 6 Ferrybank 2.
Tycor 2 Ballinroad 6.
Park Rangers 2 Ballinroad 4.

FIXTURES

Saturday 5th January Ballinroad V Johnville kick off 2.15 pm. Training resumes Thursday 3rd January at 7.30 pm.

Brickey Rangers G.A.A. Notes

BRICKEY MINI LOTTO

The Christmas lotto draw was held in the Tudor House on 20-12-01. Numbers drawn were 2,15,25. There was no jackpot winner. £50 winner - Eamonn Lynch. £10 winners - Mary Kiely, Paddy Kiely, Josie Fitzgerald, Margaret O'Brien, Richard Tobin, Owen Morrissey, Paul, Tony and Liam Hansbury, Noreen Dalton, Peter Hayes, Jackie White.

The last draw of 2001 was held in Tommy Powers Bar on Thursday 27-12-01 numbers drawn were 9,13,16. There was no jackpot winner £50 winner Joe Foley C/o Tommy Powers. £10 winners - Maura Toddy, Mary Murray, John Ahearne, Nick Roche, Pat Needham. The first draw of 2002 will take place on the 3rd January in Bridie Dee's Bar and the jackpot will be 3,809.21 euros (£3,000).

Tickets just £1 or 1.27 euros available from all promoters.

DEISE DRAW

The December draw was held in Portlaw on 17-12-01 Pat Morrissey, Kilossera was the lucky winner of £100 voucher. Congratulations Pat. In our club members draw funded by the club Julia Ahearne was the lucky winner of £50 and Sean Condon won the promoters prize.

Overall we did well this year, winning 4 prizes in eight draws, Gerard McGrath won 4th prize in the June draw, Mary Martin won 19th prize in the July draw.

Nollaig Halpin won the co-ordinators prize in the August draw and Pat Morrissey won't he 16th prize in the December draw.

The new series of draws will begin in March and prizes will consist of All-cash prizes for 10 euros per month the first prize will be 12,000 euros 2nd prize 2000 euros. 25 prizes in all plus special club prizes.

Tickets will be available from

all promoters in the new year. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all our members for their support throughout the year.

JUVENILE A.G.M.

Our juvenile A.G.M. will take place at the club on Friday 4th January at 8.00pm. All parents of juvenile players are asked to attend.

PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

Fergal Hartley will be in Bushy Park to present our victorious U-16 hurling and U-12 football teams with their medals on Wednesday January 9th at 8.00pm.

A.G.M.

The Brickey Rangers G.A.A. club will hold their annual general meeting on Saturday 12th January at 7.30pm.

SYMPATHY

The club extends sincere sympathy to the McCarthy families on the death of Paul. May he rest in peace.

Acknowledgments

MARY POWER
(née Reilly)
Carrigmorna
Leamybrien

The family of the late Mary Power (née Reilly) wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, floral tributes and those who called personally; also to those who attended the obsequies. A special word of thanks to Fr. Delaney, P.P., Fr. Collender, O.S.A., Fr. Ahearne, P.P., Sr. Therese, matron, nurses and staff at St. Joseph's Hospital; nurses and staff at Dun Abbey House; Kilrossanty Parish Choir, Tony Coffey and Kilrossanty GAA Club; Tom Drohan, Funeral Director, and all the kind neighbours and friends who helped in every way.

Trusting this will be accepted by all. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for their intentions.

HANNAH FRAHER
44, Mitchel Street
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The family of the late Hannah Fraher wish to convey their sincerest thanks to all those who sympathised with them on Hannah's passing. We are most grateful to all those who attended the funeral obsequies; those who travelled long distances to share our grief; those who sent Mass cards, cards of sympathy and floral tributes. We would like to thank Joan, Tom and all the staff in Drumhills Nursing Home for the wonderful care they took of Hannah, and to all the staff in Waterford Regional Hospital. To Canon O'Connor, Fr. O'Mahony P.P., Fr. O'Riordan, C.C. and the Very Rev. Fr. Kennedy, P.P., our sincerest thanks. We would like to pay tribute to the undertaker David Kiely for the manner in which he undertook all of the funeral arrangements.

As a token of our deepest gratitude the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

Month's Mind Mass for Hannah will be offered on Sunday, January 6, in St. Joseph's Hospital at 10 a.m.

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Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

JOHN REYNOLDS
MANIFICENT ROUND

The 15 Holes singles stableford played for on Saturday turned into a one man show as John Reynolds playing off (2) returned an almost unbelievable 38pts. John played exceptional golf as he recorded 6 birdies and 9 pars in what can only be described as a truly outstanding round of golf. John in this form, surely a great advertisement for married life, had birdies on the 1st, 3rd, 7th, 10th, 14th, & 15th. John, a tremendous club man both with his time and as a sponsor proved to be a very popular winner. In second place was John Colbert playing off (15) with 36 pts. John had 20 pts on the front 9 and was helped greatly by a fine birdie on the 8th. John added 16 pts on the back with birdies on the 12th and difficult 14th. The gross was won by Kevin Moroney with 30 pts. The highlights for Kevin were consecutive birdies on the 2nd & 3rd.

JACKIE FAHEY
CONTINUES IN RICH
VEIN FORM

The 15 holes Singles Stableford played for on Thursday 20th December was won by

Jackie Fahey playing off (19) with 33 pts. Jackie, fresh from his great win the previous day, had 19 pts on the front 9 and added 14 pts on the back 6 finishing with four straight pars. The former Fianna Fall T.D is playing some his best golf at present and in this rich vein of form is sure to win again soon. His great win is yet another feather in the hat of the 60. Com society.

JOHN FRANKLIN WINS
CHRISTMAS DAY 9 HOLE

The 9 hole singles Stableford played for on Christmas day and kindly Sponsored by John Gough (Old parish area league team member at present) was won by John Franklin with 21 pts. John sprang to prominence earlier in the year with a sparkling opening round in the presidents prize and proved a most deserving winner Christmas morning.

DERMOT WALSH AND
EDDIE ELSTEAD WIN
CROSS CARDS

The 13 hole Stableford Cross Cards played for last Saturday was won by Dermot Walsh (7) and Eddie Elstead (10) with a great score of 35 pts. Starting on the 6th they had 4 straight pars to the turn. Then Eddie, one of the outstanding players of the year, had three birdies in a row from the 10th. Not to be outdone Dermot birdied the 15th. In second place we had Maurice Cliffe (19) and Pat Terry (14) with 34 pts. The high point of the round was an excellent birdie three on the 17th by Pat.

MENS RESULTS

15 Holes Stableford 22 /12/01: 1st J. Reynolds (2) 38pts 2nd J. Colbert (15) 36 pts B7 Gross K.Moroney (7) 30 pts.

15 Holes Stableford 20/12/01: 1st J. Fahey 25.12.01 9h 1st J.Franklin 21pts (b6) 13h Stableford Cross Cards 1st D. Walsh (7) & E. Elstead (10) 35 pts 2nd M. Cliffe & P. Terry (14) 34 pts

MENS FIXTURES

3rd .5th & 6th Jan 02 13 Holes Singles Stableford.

AREA LEAGUE
POSITIONS AFTER ROUND
FIVE

Group A - Old Parish 121 31pts, Master McGrath 114 29pts, Silver Springs 105 13pts, Kilmurray 51 11pts. Group B - Ballinroad 127 33pts, Fr. Twomeys 118 19pts Stradbally 121 17pts, Park Lane 122 16pts. Group C Abbeyside 120 27pts, Sea Park 123 25pts, Kilmeaden 121 22pts, Kereen 107 9pts, Burgery 61 7pts. Group D - Ballinacourty 134 27pts, Strandside 137 25pts, Bun Mahon 125 23pts Comeragh 107 10pts.

The Area League will recommence on Thurs. 10th January 2002.

CHRISTMAS TEASERS

I asked you four questions in the last set of notes and here are my selections.

Q1. Who was the most popular winner this year? This to me was the easiest of the questions and anyone present in the clubhouse on the first Sunday June will agree with me that the acclaim and warmth of Fr. Doherty's win in the Captains prize was immense and his fine acceptance speech will long live in the memory.

Q2. Can you recall the shot of the year? The shot of the year as far as I am concerned happened about 5.15p.m on Sunday 11th March in the final of the area

league final between Strandside and Bonmahon at that precise time I, along with several others, was standing on the practice putting green. I had just received the news that Strandside were leading 5 matches to four with the last match all square on the 18th tee. The last match involved two of our finest golfers namely Paddy Kennedy (Strandside) playing off (5) against Tom Norris (Bonmahon) playing off (4) I looked down the 18th as Paddy Kennedy was starting his second shot which came 30 metres short. Up stepped Tom Norris in the knowledge that if he didn't win the hole Bonmahon were out. Tom struck from 200 metres and the ball came to rest 2 metres from the hole. Because of its importance and the pressure associated with it I had to give it the shot of the year. Tom went on to win the hole and the overall match on the 20th.

Q3. Can you name the round of the year. This happened during the Saturday of the President's Prize. Saturday morning we had high winds and a torrential downpour, so hard that I think if it wasn't one of the 'Majors' play would have been called off. It was unbelievable to think that someone could shoot 42 pts that morning, but Pearse Moloney playing off (10) did just that to claim what I would call the round of the year.

Q4. Which golfer showed the most improvement this year? In a year dominated by the youth of the club my selection is order of merit winner Dungarvan CBS student Kevin Stack who lowered his handicap from 15 to 6. Kevin not alone proved to be the most consistent golfer of the year but gets my vote as also the most improved golfer of the year.

Postscript: You do not have to agree with my selections and if anyone has other winners I would like to hear from you.

LADIES RESULTS

13h Singles Stableford Winner Tish Baumann

LADIES FIXTURES

05.01.02 15 Holes Singles S/ford, 5th & 6th Jan 9h 15h Stableford 08.01.02 15h Stableford Open 9 Holes 3 Ball Rumble - will finish on 04/01/02.

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The 9 Hole Singles 60. Com competition played for on Wed. 19th Dec was won by Jackie Fahey playing off (19) with 18 pts. Jackie, a great supporter of this society, is in tremendous form of late and proved a worthy winner. The next competition is on Wednesday 2nd January and the draw for partners will take place at 1.00 p.m

MEMBERSHIP FEES
FINAL REMINDER

The Annual Subscription and Entrance Levy are now extremely overdue. This is the FINAL REMINDER to any members who have not yet paid.

MINI LOTTO

Week ending 30/12/01. Winning Numbers: 16, 18, 19, 20. Jackpot Winner: No Winner £10 Winners: Deirdre Hayes c/o Pro Shop, Jack & Ann Elstead, Emily Norris, Tom Norris, Bonmahon, Nicky Norris. Next Week's Jackpot: 2,700 euros. Next Draw: 06.01.02. Tickets on Sale in the Clubhouse. Thank you for your support.

West Waterford
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Club Notes

WLR FM LIONS CLUB CHRISTMAS HAMPER APPEAL

This annual fundraising event took place from Thursday 20th to Sunday 23rd December. As in previous years it was an Open Stableford competition for both gents and ladies and they turned out in strength to support this most worthy of causes once more. West Waterford Golf and Country Club were delighted to be associated with the event again this year and would like to thank all our members and friends and visitors from other Golf Clubs who supported the event. All competition fees from members and visitors reached over the four figure sum and captain Mossie Curran and Secretary/Manager Tom Whelan handed the proceeds to the Hamper appeal Committee. Joe and Adrian Kelly of Kelly's Food store in Mitchel St were the generous sponsors and we thank them most sincerely for their continued support.

O'CALLAGHAN ON A ROLL

Terry O' Callaghan having own at the Farmers Christmas outing midweek kept his form in place to win the Wlr Hamper Appeal scoring 36pts over 16 holes defeating his weekly playing partner Justin Spratt on the back nine. Carrick man Frank Murphy set the play early in the event scoring 35pts finally finishing in 3rd position. Sean Fleming went around one over par to take gross.

RESULTS

1st Terry O' Callaghan 36pts, 2nd Justin Spratt 36pts, 3rd Frank Murphy 35pts Gross Sean Fleming 31pts, 4th Seamus Power 34pts 5th Michael O' Keeffe 34pts.

FRANKIE IS BACK

The great Frankie Walsh is back on the winning circuit having not scored on two hole but kept his nerve to defeat the rest of the field with 34pts in the 16 Hole Stableford run out the 26th and 27th December. Ballyunion golfer Kevin Frost brought his golf game in good shape to West Waterford scoring 33pts finishing second. Results: 1st Frankie Walsh (21) 34pts, 2nd Kevin Frost (6) 33pts, 3rd Tommy Butler (8) 33pts.

CHRISTMAS DAY BOTTLE

Well done to Justin Spratt scoring 20pts to win the Christmas Day Bottle of brandy.

SCOTCH FOURSOMES

Results - 1st John Dunphy (1) Ollie Broderick (22) 57.5pts 2nd Brian Hillard (14) Phil Kinsella (18) 60pts 3rd Percy Walsh (19) Pat Murphy (12) 60.5pts.

GRAHAM SHOOT TO THE TOP

Scores were top class over cold weekend with Graham O' Mahony taking the honours over 16 holes with a score of 38pts. Honorary member Pat Murphy taking a few days holidays over the Christmas period featuring 3rd in the Scotch Foursomes, keeps form up to take second in weekends competition. Brickey man Phil Kinsella coming into form at the right time featured with another good score of 36pts. Level par round by Clashmore man keeps Sean Fleming as top gross man. Results: 1st Graham O' Mahony (19) 38pts 2nd Pat Murphy (11) 36pts 3rd Phil Kinsella (18) 36pts 4th Michael Walsh (18) 34pts Gross Sean Fleming (2) 32pts.

FIXTURES

Friday 4th Saturday 5th and Sunday 6th January - 16 Hole Stableford January 9 Hole 2 cards to count.

WINTER LEAGUE 2002

Preparations are well under way for the 2002 Winter League, which following the success of last years event, is bound to generate huge interest. Notices regarding the league, including the list of players interested in participating will be posted on the Clubhouse notice boards in the near future.

CLUB OUTING

The Annual Club Outing will take place next year to Mount Wolsley. A list is now posted on the main hallway notice board in the Clubhouse and all interested members are asked to place their names on the list and submit the deposit payable to the office. Numbers are strictly limited to 44 persons owing to accommodation restrictions, hence the need for early booking and paying of deposits. At time of going to press there are only 12 spaces left.

DUNGARVAN GOLF INTERNATIONAL 2002

This prestigious event now in its fourth year takes place from 22nd to the 24th May 2002 at our three local courses. Regular meetings of the International Committee have been taking place ever since the 2001 competition concluded last May and early indications are that bookings will be significantly greater than in previous years. It is expected that there will be numerous enquiries coming in during the festive period from people hoping to take in the international while on a return visit during May and for further information please contact the Tournament Director on 058-42249 or 058-44055.

RULES OF GOLF

All members are urged to familiarise themselves with the Rules of Golf. Established members are asked to help out our numerous new members with any questions that they may have, and to ensure that they themselves are aware of all the rules. It is planned to hold a "Rules Evening" either on the 20th or the 27th January and all members are requested to be in attendance. Please check the club notes and the notice boards within the Clubhouse for the precise date of this information evening, which will be decided upon this week.

Birthday
Remembrances



MURRAY — Birthday Remembrance of our dear friend, Brian, late of King Street, Abbeyside, whose birthday occurs on January 8. When last I looked upon your face, I tried hard not to cry, Instead I bent down and kissed your face, And said a last goodbye. If my tears could build a stairway, And my heartache build a home, I'd have walked all the way to heaven, Brian, To bring you home again. (Always loved and sadly missed by your "second family" John, Breda and girls).

MEEHAN — In loving memory of our dear grandfather, Joe, 60, Murphy Place, Abbeyside, whose birthday occurs on January 4.

You had a smile for everyone, You had a heart of gold, You left the dearest memories, This world could ever hold. We cannot halt the hands of time, Nor live again the past, But we will love and miss you, As long as time will last. (Always loved and remembered Da-Da — from your granddaughters Finola and Majella).



IN MEMORIAM



O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear son, Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

Anniversary Mass in St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday, January 5, at 10 a.m.

A million words could never explain,

The wonderful son I lost that day.

The joy that you brought, the laughter we shared,

I just hope you know how deeply I care.

I think of you daily, Pius and the happy times we had,

You are never far from me, for I thought the world of you.

Look after him, Lord, Don't leave him alone,

For this is his thirteenth birthday,

Away from home.

(Your heart-broken Mam, Pearl.)

O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother, Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

Look around Your garden, Lord,

For an angel with a smile, He won't be hard to recognise, He must stand out a mile.

So put Your arms around him, Lord,

And kiss his smiling face, For he is very special,

And can never be replaced. We do not need a special day,

To bring you back to mind, For a day without a thought of you,

Is very hard to find. Wherever life may lead us,

In everything we do, Part of us will always cry,

For yesterday and you.

(Always remembered by his loving sister Caroline, Eddie, Barry, Dean, Joshua and Jade.)

O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother, Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

Have you ever lost a brother who meant the world to you,

One you loved so very much and miss just like I do,

If you've never had this feeling, pray you never do,

For when God takes your brother,

He takes a part of you. I think of you in silence, Pius,

I often call your name, What I'd give to hear your voice,

And you to call my name. You may be out of sight, Pius,

We may be worlds apart, But you're always on my mind

And forever in my heart.

(Always loved and remembered by your loving sister Mag, Willie, Nicola and Liam.)

O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear nephew, Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

Happy memories last forever, Of days when we were all together,

Each one of us in our own way, Have special thoughts of you today,

Quietly today your memory we treasure,

Loving you always, forgetting you never.

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by Breda, Paddy and family.)

O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother, Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

Your memory is precious and never grows old,

It is locked in our hearts in letters of gold,

Your presence we miss and memories we treasure,

Missing you always, forgetting you never.

(Always remembered by his brother John, Breda, Cian, Pius and baby Colm.)

O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother, Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

Sometimes it's hard to understand, Pius,

Why certain things must be, And the reason why they happened,

Is so often hard to see. We miss you and we mourn

you in sorrow unseen, And dwell on the memory of

days that have been. Wherever life may lead us,

In everything we do, Part of us will always long,

For yesterday and you. Time and years go swiftly

by, But love and memories never die,

Memories are the loveliest things, They last from day to day,

They don't wear out, they don't get lost, And can never be taken

away. We never part from those we love,

No distance can divide us, With memories dear, and love

sincere, You'll always walk beside us,

So young to die, So precious to lose,

God's will be done, We could not choose.

(Always remembered by your loving brother Adrian, Tracy, Jessica and boys.)

O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother, Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

Today we are thinking of someone we love,

But we know he is happy in heaven above,

Loving memories are all we have left,

Of a brother we loved and will never forget.

(Never forgotten by his loving brother Thomas and Jackie, Amy, Dawn, Tammy, Lauren, Lucey and baby Willie.)

O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear brother, Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

A million times we've missed you,

A million times we've cried, If love could have saved you,

You never would have died. Things we feel most deeply,

Are the hardest things to say, Our dearest one we've always

loved you, In a special way. (Never forgotten by his loving sister Michelle, Kiki and baby Robyn.)

O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

Beautiful thoughts of a nephew so dear,

Cherished forever with love sincere, Dear is your memory, sweet is

your name, Close to our hearts you will always remain.

(Fondly remembered by Sheila, Jimmy and family.)

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Every day in some small way,

Thoughts of you come our way, Years may pass, tears may

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Happy memories last forever, Of days when we were all together,

Each one of us in our own way, Have special thoughts of you today,

Quietly today your memory we treasure,

Loving you always, forgetting you never.

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (From Jimmy, Marion, Pat, Mark, Nicola and Jenny.)

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Quietly today your memory we treasure,

Loving you always, forgetting you never.

A heart of gold, a life so true, Loved and remembered by all

he knew, Always willing, helpful and kind,

What beautiful memories he left behind.

(Always remembered by your loving friend and brother-in-law Pat Tutty and family.)

O'SHEA — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

Gone from us that smiling face,

The cheerful, pleasant ways, The heart that won so many

friends, In bygone happy days,

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Never forgotten by your loving mother-in-law Kitty Tutty.)

KEANE — Eighteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Bobby Keane, late of 71, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, who died on January 4, 1984.

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (From his loving wife, family and grandchildren.)

BUCKLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my mother, Margaret Buckley, Chapel Street, Lismore, who died January 8, 2001. R.I.P.

Your wants in life were simple,

Your love for your family true, As long as we were happy,

You were happy too. You gave us all you had to give,

Gifts both great or small, But most of all you gave us love,

The greatest gift of all. (Sadly missed and always remembered by your son Denny and grand-daughter Laura.)

BUCKLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my mother, Margaret Buckley, Chapel Street, Lismore, who died January 8, 2001. R.I.P.

God looked around his garden,

And he found an empty place, He then looked down upon

the earth, And saw your tired face,

He put his arms around you, And lifted you to rest,

God's garden must be beautiful, He only takes the best.

(Always remembered by Catherine, Tom and family.)

BUCKLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Margaret Buckley, Chapel Street, Lismore, who died January 8, 2001. R.I.P.

Those special years will not return,

When we were all together, But the loving memories of

you, mother, Will stay with us forever.

A year has passed since that sad day, You closed your eyes and

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When we were all together, But the loving memories of

you, mother, Will stay with us forever.

A year has passed since that sad day, You closed your eyes and

slipped away, You left us quietly, you made

no 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. (Sadly missed and always remembered by your son Liam, daughter-in-law Ann and grandchildren Aoife, Clodagh and William.)

BUCKLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Margaret Buckley, late of Chapel Street, Lismore, whose anniversary occurs on January 8.

At night the silent stars look down,

On a grave not far from here, Where sleeps the one I can't

forget, And will always love so dear.

(Lovingly remembered by Patsy, Peg, Billy, Linda, Mark, Patrick and Brian.)

BUCKLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Margaret Buckley, late of Chapel Street, Lismore, whose anniversary occurs on January 8.

No longer in our lives to share, But in our hearts you are

always there, The way you were, you will always be,

Very special in our memory. (Always remembered by Caroline and Keith.)



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You never asked for much in life,

Of riches you had but few, But you gave wealth beyond

compare, To those you loved and knew,

No one knew the heartache, Of what your parting cost,

But God in all his glory, Has gained what I have lost,

I think of you in silence, And often speak your name,

All I have are memories, And your picture in a frame.

(Sadly missed and always remembered by your daughter Teresa, son-in-law Eddie.)

NANNIE

Call her name out softly,

And when she looks your way, Tell her that I love her,

And miss her every day. (Hugs and kisses, sadly missed by your grandson Evan X X X X.)

BUCKLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Margaret Buckley, Chapel Street, Lismore, who died January 7, 1995. R.I.P.

Gone from us that smiling face,

The cheerful pleasant ways, The heart that won so many

friends, In bygone happy days,

His life made beautiful by kindly deeds,

Helping hands for others needs, His beautiful life came to an

end, He died as he lived, every-one's friend.

(Sadly missed by your daughter Eileen, son-in-law Jamie, grandchildren Keith and Gillian.)

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✠ IN MEMORIAMS ✠

FRAHER — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dad, John Fraher, late of Cahernaleague, Ballinamult, who died on January 7, 1995. R.I.P.

Anniversary Mass in St. Mary's Church, Touraneena on Friday, January 4, at 7 p.m.

Your needs in life were simple,
Your love for me was true,
As long as I was happy,
You were happy too.

You taught me many things in life,
Always good and true.

But you never taught me how to cope,
With the pain of losing you.
So forgive me, Lord, if I still weep.

For a dad I loved and wanted to keep,
Perhaps some day you'll tell my why,
You broke my heart and let him die.

I know all my life I'll miss you, dad,
For you meant everything to me,
I have such precious memories,
That others cannot see.

They are mine to keep forever,
From which I will never part,
I will always love and miss you, dad.

From the bottom of my heart,
(Sadly missed by your daughter Pauline and grandson Mark).

HARNEY — Sixth Anniversary — In loving remembrance of George, 103, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on January 1, 1996.

Anniversary Mass on Sunday, January 6, at 11 a.m. in the Friary Church, Dungarvan.

Silent thoughts, a quiet prayer,
For someone special in God's care.

(Sadly missed by Mary and family).

HODNETT — Thirty-ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear father, Edward Hodnett, Ballyhane, Cappoquin, who died on January 5, 1963. R.I.P. Masses offered,

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

(Sadly missed by his daughters and grandchildren).



HAYES — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Abbie Hayes, late of 3, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died January 2, 2001.

Along the road to yesterday,
That leads us straight to you,
Are memories of happy days,
Together we once knew.

The blow was hard, the shock severe,
To part with one we loved so dear,
Our loss is great, we'll not complain,
But trust in God to meet again.

(Lovingly remembered, from your sons, daughters, grandchildren and greatgrandchildren).



LYONS — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband Michael, late of 2, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on January 6th, 2000.

Mass offered at St. Mary's Parish Church on Sunday, January 6, at 10 o'clock.

Memories are something no one can steal,
Death is a heartache no one can heal,
Time slips by and life goes on,

But from my heart Michael, you are never gone.

(Lovingly remembered — your wife Kitty).

LYONS — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Michael, late of 2, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on January 6, 2000.

No special day is needed, Michael,
For us to think of you,
For you were someone special.

We thought the world of you.
(Never forgotten and sadly missed — your sister-in-law Mary and family in Liverpool.)

LYONS — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Michael, late of 2, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on January 6, 2000. Mass offered in Lourdes.

Memories are a gift to treasure,
Ours of you Michael, will last forever,
Will those who think of Michael today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Sadly missed — Marian, Cathy, Debbie).

LYONS — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Michael, late of 2, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on January 6, 2000.

Quietly today your memory is kept,
No need for words, we will never forget,
Our thoughts go back as they often do,
We treasure the memories we have of you.

(Never forgotten — your sister-in-law Mag, Michael and family).

LYONS — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my father, Jimmy Lyons and my brother Michael Lyons, late of 2, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, whose anniversaries occur at this time.

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

(Lovingly remembered, sadly missed by Breda, Larry and family).



CANTWELL — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Liam Cantwell, Ballinroad, Dungarvan, who died on January 6, 1992.

A special smile, a special face,
A special someone we cannot replace,
Our wish is just a simple prayer,
God bless and keep you in his care.

(Always remembered by your loving father, brothers and sister.)

HARTE — In loving memory of Johnny Harte, Knockaraha, Ballymacarby, who died December 31, 2000.

Happy memories last forever,
Of days when we were all together,
Each one of us in our own way,
Have special thoughts of you today.

Quietly today your memory we treasure,
Loving you always, forgetting you never.

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

(Lovingly remembered by his wife Nan, daughter Noreen, son John, son-in-law Ned, daughter-in-law Margaret, grandchildren Niamh, Róisín and Clara).

MAHONY — Twenty-seventh Anniversary — Fond memories of my dear mother, Nora Mahony, late of 33, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died December 22, 1974.

Once again at Christmas time,
My thoughts will fondly stray,
To the memory of my mother,
Who has long since passed away.

So call her name softly, Lord,
And when she looks your way,
Wish her a happy Christmas,
From all of us today.

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

(Fondly remembered by your daughter Nora, son-in-law Jimmy and grandchildren, Tramore X X X X).

REGAN — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of Lar Regan, late of 50, Glendine Drive, Seapark, Abbeyside, who died January 9, 1994.

Anniversary Mass on Saturday, January 19, at Abbeyside Church at 7 p.m.

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

(Never forgotten by your loving wife Josephine and family).

WALSH — Eighteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of our daughter Patricia, late of Towns Park West, Lismore, who died on January 4, 1984.

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 daughter,
The best beyond compare.

(Always remembered by your loving Mam).

WALSH — Eighteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Patricia Walsh, late of Townparks West, Lismore, whose anniversary occurs on January 4.

Call her name out softly, Lord,
And when she looks your way,
Tell her that we love her,
And miss her every day.

Find the softest pillow,
To rest her head upon,
Place a kiss upon her cheek,
And tell her who it's from.

(Sadly missed and always loved by her brother Patrick, Margaret, Nicola and Tanya).

WALSH — Eighteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my sister, Pat, late of Townparks West, Lismore, whose anniversary occurs on January 4.

A special day, another year,
A loving thought, a silent tear,
A little prayer to keep in touch,
With one we loved and miss so much.

(Always remembered by John, Nora, Kelly, Shaun and Robert).

WALSH — Eighteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister Patricia, late of Townparks West, Lismore, who died on January 4, 1984.

As time unfolds another year,
A quiet thought, a silent tear,
For a special sister in God's care.

(Always remembered by your sister Margaret, Clem, Daniel and Tricia).

WALSH — Eighteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Patricia Walsh, late of Townparks West, Lismore, whose anniversary occurs on January 4.

Memories are something no one can steal,
Death is a heartache no one can heal,
Time slips by and life goes on,
But from my heart you are never gone.

(Never forgotten and always loved, your loving daughter Gina).

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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 my mother,
The best beyond compare.

(Never forgotten by your loving daughter Jennifer, son-in-law Kieran, grandson Oisín).

WALSH — Eighteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my sister Pat of Townparks West, Lismore, who died on January 4, 1984.

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

So put your arms around her, Lord,
And kiss her smiling face,
For she was very special,
And can never be replaced.

Look after her Lord, in your garden of rest,
For on this earth she was the best.

(Always remembered by Ann, Bernard and niece Lynne).

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As time unfolds another year,
A quiet thought, a silent tear,
For a special sister in God's care.

(Always remembered by your sister Margaret, Clem, Daniel and Tricia).

WILLIS — Seventeenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Harry Willis, late of Kilwinny, Tallow, who died on December 28, 1984. May he rest in peace. Masses offered.

The day is remembered and quietly kept,
Words are not needed, we will never forget,
Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Always remembered by his loving family.)

WALL — Twelfth Anniversary — In loving memory of Ann Wall, late of 30, Comeragh Crescent, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs on January 4.

As down the road of memories,
We gently tread today,
Our loving thoughts are with you,
As life goes on its way.

Time may heal the heartaches,
Like the smile that hides the tears,
But happy memories keep you close,
Despite the passing years.

(Inserted by her loving husband Tom, son David, daughter Shirley, grandchildren Kellie, Thomas, Charlotte.)

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A PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN (Never known to fail) — O most beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine, splendour of heaven, blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin assist me in my necessity. O Star of the Sea help me and show me herein you are my mother. O Holy Mary Mother of God, queen of heaven and earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succour me in this necessity; there are none that can withstand your power. O show me herein you are my mother. O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times). Holy Mother I place this cause in your hands (3 times). Holy Spirit, you who solve all problems, light all roads so that I can attain my goal, you who gave me the divine gift to forgive and forget all evil against me and that in all instances of my life you are with me, I want in this short prayer to thank you for all things as you confirm once again that I never want to be separated from you in eternal glory. Thank you for your mercy towards me and mine. The person must say this prayer on three consecutive days. After three days the request will be granted. This prayer must be published after the favour is granted. — J.C.



McGRATH — Fourth, Twenty-ninth and Eighteenth Anniversaries — In loving memory of my father William, his wife Bridget, their son James and granddaughter Loretto, whose anniversaries are at this time. Masses offered.

A light is from our household gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home,
That never can be filled.

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

Our Lady of Lourdes pray for them.

(Always loved and never forgotten by Maggie, son-in-law Ted, grandchildren and greatgrandchildren X X X).



GREYHOUND NEWS

BY MARK PHILLIPS

Waterford Tuesday December 18th 2001

Impressive Debut By Droopys Queenie

Making her debut on this graded eleven race card the Sean Dunphy owned Droopys Queenie (Top Honcho-Droopys Kylie) 4/5 displayed all the right qualities posting an impressive 28.72 front running success. Quickly into her stride this June 00 whelp led by a couple of lengths around the first turn from Seskin Princess but moving up a gear down the back stretch the favourite opened up a significant lead which extended to fourteen and a half lengths at the winning line.

In the opening novice race all the money was for Slipaway Sue 4/6 but she was badly hampered throughout and basically got no run. Indeed the winner Knockenduff Hill (Droopys Merson-Naughty Nellie) 5/2 owned by Ann Flanagan endured her fair of hardship rounding the first bend before sprinting past Famous Express for a runaway fourteen lengths win over Slipaway Sue in 29.54.

The second race confined to novice sprinters saw the Sean Carroll and Senan Walsh owned Upper Star (Upper Spark-Romantic Sunset) 2/1 make all the running from trap six and when a closing Sparta Harry lost ground on the opening bends Upper Star raced on to a four lengths win over "Sparta" in 16.76.

In an open looking fourth contest the Autumn Syndicate owned and Killian Power trained Autumn Thorgil (Thorgil Tex-Miss Piggy) 5/2 made all the running to oblige in 30.26. Clash Womble closed right up on the leader running down to the penultimate turn but "Autumn" kicked again going clear for a handy five lengths victory.

The fifth contest confined to novice sprinters saw local publican John DeBromhead team up with trainer Peter Brady as 2/1 shot Man Of Lamancha a January 2000 son of Spiral Nikita and Pretty Michelle overcame a slow start to win out in a promising 16.48. Minglers Honcho displayed nice early pace to lead from Faros Art but with the leader keeping wide on the run to the first bend Man Of Lamancha cleverly switched his challenge to the rails sweeping into the lead to score by two and a quarter lengths.

Showing huge improvement from her first race outing the Anthony Donnelly owned Shes A Keeper (He Knows-Jeffys Fawn) 3/1 ran away from her opponents in the sixth race to score in 29.40. Breaking in front of Kilmeaden Jenny Shes A Keeper remained at the head of affairs throughout and maintaining a steady gallop up front won going away by ten lengths from Kilmeaden Jenny.

A costly failure for connections in his previous outing over this circuit the George Roche owned Rosetown Best (Powerful Flash-Lisnakill Connie) 1/1 came good in the seventh contest overhauling the early leader Seans Choice to triumph by one length from a running on Smart Tip in 16.88.

The bookmakers bet 5/2 the field in the eight event where the fast starting duo of Fairbrook Penny and Rightful Best had this event to themselves a long way from home. The pair raced neck and neck down the back stretch but in the closing stages the Tony Kinsella owned Fairbrook Penny (Mountleader Peer-Sadlers Surprise) asserted her superiority to quicken clear for a three lengths win in 29.63.

In the ninth race Has Blocks cut an early dash from trap four but he was joined in the lead over the final two bends by Hildun Tex. Just as this pair were settling down to scrap it out up the home stretch the Eric O Mahoney owned Kilbunny Cosy (Druids Wally-Kilbunny Honey) 4/1 made sound late headway up the rails to beat Hildun Tex by the minimum distance in 29.88.

It was tight up front throughout the tenth race with Ger O Connors Trish Valais (Droopys Fintan-Valais For Sure) 2/1 and Doms Choice having their own private duel. On the run to the winning line however the Wexford entry Trish Valais found that bit extra to score by half a length in 29.96.

In the eleventh and final contest the Michael Forbes Gallagher owned and Donncha O Sullivan trained Ickledo Bart (Lenson Lad-Deerfield Mist) 5/1 posted back to back victories in 29.88. Carried wide off the second bend by Tingle Girl Ickledo Bart gave away his early lead to Taghmon Moll before renewing his challenge in the closing stages to triumph by a short head.

Waterford Saturday December 22nd

Ballybray Jasper Made All The Running

Waterford track took the added precaution of salting the all sand racing surface to protect it from the arctic conditions and this action allowed the ten race card to go ahead as planned. The nap of the night for the punters came in the shape of the John Murphy owned and R Leahy trained Ballybray Jasper (Vintage Prince-Lone Sady) and this 2/5 duly delivered the goods in style in the first semi final of the Christmas Cracker 29.60 stake making all of the running to oblige in 29.27. Quickly into his stride from trap one Ballybray Jasper led early on from Ranger Elite and That's The Finest and in a one sided event the favourite came home five and a half lengths clear of Ranger Elite with a fast finishing Nice Nancy a short head away in third.

Valentia Topper and Captain Mackey shared favouritism at 6/4 in the second semi final but it was the two outsiders Truleigh Jewel 6/1 and Law Law 5/1 who dominated matters from the outset. Law Law (Deep Decision-Senahel Trade) took over in the lead over the opening two bends and was never subsequently headed breezing in two lengths clear of Truleigh Jewel in 29.66. The winner is owned by Ger Ryan and Lauren Fitzgerald from Limerick.

In the first graded race the Pat Hally owned Mersons Cheeta (Droopys Merson-Garranlea Flyer) 5/4 ran on strongly over the three bends to strike the front from the early pacesetter Sheeraghs Eily before proving a length to good for Texas Tess. Time 29.82.

The second race run off over the 300 yard sprint trip saw the Walter Sames owned Hopeful Stapler (Staplers Jo-Villiers Lady) 3/1 score in 16.94. The winners task was made easier at the opening bend when a challenging Fast Ceili was struck into from behind by Cullinane Ranger. Hopeful Stapler was left in the clear at that point to defeat the slow starting but fast finishing Crack Off Padge by a length.

The consistent Crokers Nikita justified 4/5 favouritism with an easy 29.61 winning return in the third. Owned by Jim Treacy and trained locally by Davy Power the well drawn Crokers Nikita (Spiral Nikita-Honey Vixen) packed to much early pace for his rivals as he sailed into the lead on the fence and despite the best efforts of Bohemian Crokers Nikita won a shade cleverly by three and a half lengths.

Trap one also housed the winner of the fourth event as the John and Mary Fitzsimons owned and Dave Maltby Baker handled Killeagh Jack came good at odds of 4/1 in a speedy 29.35. Killeagh Jack sealed this victory with a positive start and despite the constant presence of Ocejaydee Killeagh Jack (Broadway Johnny-Broadway Kate) saw the trip out well to score by one and a half lengths.

Vigorous Simba was installed as the 6/4 favourite in a 300 yard dash but he gave himself no chance of victory with a slow exit from trap six. Glencroe and Lemon Post were in the firing line throughout but driving up the inside on the run to the first bend the Keith Freer owned Farranrory Tiger (Lenson Lad-Farranrory Pat) 5/2 came through smoothly to inflict a length defeat on Lemon Post in 16.63.

A 730 yard marathon saw the David O Brien owned Looking Smashing (Thorgil Tex-Jalee Gem) 5/2 register a very easy win in 41.84. Looking Smashing took over in the lead early on from Barbies Granny and after seeing off the back stretch challenge of the evens favourite Beauty Wonder Looking Smashing cruised to victory by six and three quarter lengths from Barbies Granny.

Favourite backers suffered yet another reverse in a 550 yard contest as the evens favourite Morris Arms mistimed his break. No such problems though for the Joe Langton owned and Declan Byrne trained 5/2 chance Castlecreen Dino (He Knows-Maltese Angel) who bombed away from trap three to lead from Charming Dilemma and sticking to the task in hand "Castlecreen" stayed on well to score by a length in 30.58.

In the final race of the night run off over six bends Peter Come On the evens favourite led to the fifth bend but he soon gave way to the Elizabeth Atkinson and Brian Kilroy owned Hopeful Picture this January 99 son of Some Picture and Ballyhayden Girl getting every yard of this extended trip to oblige at a price of 5/2 by five and a quarter lengths in 41.67.

Christmas Cracker Final

The trap draw for next Saturday nights final of the Christmas Cracker 29.60 stake worth £1,000 to the winner is as follows.

1	Ranger Elite	2	Ballybray Jasper
3	Truleigh Jewel	4	Captain Mackey
5	Nice Nancy	6	Law Law (w)

The early pace of Ballybray Jasper should see him home in front of Captain Mackey and company.

Waterford Saturday December 29th 2001

Three In A Row For Ballybray Jasper

Kilcohan Park was no place for the faint hearted last Saturday night where the final of the Christmas Cracker 29.60 kept a good sized attendance warm on a cold night. The only unbeaten finalist Ballybray Jasper (Vintage Prince-Lone Sady) was all the rage at 1/3 to land the £1,000 first prize but this was no easy ride for the favourite as he had to battle hard for his 29.38 win. Owned by John Murphy and trained by R Leahy Ballybray Jasper made maximum use of his early pace to storm clear of a slow starting Ranger Elite but making eye catching late headway Nice Nancy made the favourite pull out all the stops in the closing stages to score by three quarters of a length.

Bellefonte (Summerhill Gift-Me And Molly) 3/1 ran out a very easy winner of the first race for Clonmel owner Dan Fogarty in a career fastest 29.23. Getting the better of an early duel with Bongo Chief Bellefonte lengthened his stride down the back stretch to forge clear for an eight and a quarter lengths win over Saltee Nell. Meadow Court broke in front in the second race but lost ground at the first bend when steering a wide course. The Andrew Weldon owned Bonmahon Ranger (Come On Ranger-Ashfield Shadow) 3/1 struck the front at this juncture to motor clear for a three and a half lengths victory over Meadow Court in 29.41.

Coming in as a reserve into trap six in the third the Gerry Kiely owned Airmount Tina (Doyougetit-Airmount Jessica) 3/1 enjoyed an easy pillar to post 29.60 victory. Making the first bend in front of Scintillas Jodie Airmount Tina had this contest in the bag a long way from home eventually proving three and a quarter lengths to good for a hampered Vintage Drifter in 29.60.

Ferrybank trainer Gerry Kiely went on to complete a training double in the ninth race sending out Airmount Tinas full brother Four For Fun owned by the Four For Fun syndicate to an easy win in a speedy 29.18. Sprinting into an early lead on the wide outside Four For Fun the 5/4 favourite galloped clear of Ballybray Jet and despite a late surge by Frightened Pig Four For Fun won out by four and three quarter lengths.

Two local entries Atlanta Cutey and Lady Flow dominated the fourth race from the outset. The Pat O Brien and Wayne Allen owned and Jim Coady trained Lady Flow (Shanless Slippy-Commet Hill) 5/2 produced the superior dash of early pace to shade the opening bend from Atlanta Cutey and while the latter never gave up the chase Lady Flow kept going at full steam to record a two lengths victory in 29.52.

The punters were having a lean time of it so far and a 5/1 winner of a graded sprint did nothing to help their cause. Crokers Again was well supported here at 6/4 but he completely mistimed his break from trap two. Moorlands Shadow and Magic Spice edged clear of Only A Kid and it was the Nano Hart and Mary O Shea owned Magic Spice (Spiral Nikita-Magic Clash) who stayed on the stronger in the closing stages to triumph by two lengths in 16.69.

Young Thomas Foley's home bred Active River (Doyougetit-Active Lynx) got back on the winning trail capturing the sixth race in 29.45. This early paced runner appeared all set for a cosy success forging clear of Tingle Fawn but Dinan Tom produced a flying finish from the rear of the field only to taste defeat by the minimum distance.

In a 730 yard marathon Final Fantasy the well backed evens favourite set off in front to make all the running but the favourite was unable to shake off the persistent challenge of Express George (Billy George-Dance Elizabeth) 4/1. Switching his challenge to the rails Express George edged his way into the lead midway down the back stretch to draw clear up the home stretch for a five and a quarter lengths win in 41.97. The winner is owned by County Wexford based Ray Jennings.

The Autumn Syndicate owned and Killian Power trained Fly Quest (Top Honcho-Fly Venue) was all the rage at 4/6 in the concluding 730 yard marathon but after leading early on from Peter Come On the favourite had to be at his very strongest in the closing stages to hold the late run of Hopeful Picture who was forced to change sides up the home stretch when losing out by half a length in 41.69.

G.A.A. NOTES BY COMMENTATOR

JUNIOR FOOTBALL COUNTY FINAL

Colligan/Emmetts Are Worthy Champions

EMMETTS 2-15
SALLYDUFF EAST 1-5





G.A.A. NOTES BY COMMENTATOR

NATIONAL HURLING LEAGUE

Decisive Win For Waterford In Opening Round

WATERFORD 2-17
BOBBY 0-5



Waterford v Wexford At New Ross



G.A.A. NOTES BY COMMENTATOR

Munster Convention



Splendid Display By Waterford In Defeat

CORK 2-10 Waterford 2-6



Launch Of New Juvenile G.A.A. Club For West Waterford







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Late Goal Seals Tallow's Win



Lismore's Easy Win in Mismatch



Winners and Losers

West Waterford Athletic Club Notes

GlaxoSmithKline Event Benefits Alzheimers Unit



NEXT RACE IN SERIES

SENIOR SERIES FOR TWENTY FIVE



Photo by Gary Wyley

TOP TEN FINISHERS



REWARDING RACES IN COUNTY LEAGUE

Dungarvan United A.F.C. Awards Night





HORSE RACING NEWS






JANUARY

Colligan/Emmetts became County Junior Football Champions for the first time since 1961 when they defeated Ballyduff East on a scoreline of 0-10 to 1-5. The victory saw the dominance of Western Clubs continue in football as the Colligan victory saw western clubs record their seventh football title. Hero of the game was John Wall who was top scorer in the game with 5 points to his name.



Minister Martin Cullen officially opens the Cunnigar Pitch and Putt

Pitch and putt in the county received a tremendous boost as Minister Martin Cullen officially opened Dungarvan Pitch and Putt Club even if it was ten years after it first opened to the public.

Waterford handball had reason to celebrate with the county's young handballers achieving a number of firsts in the All-Ireland championships with Barry MacAndrew from Dungarvan among the medals.

Waterford's hurlers had a tough run-out against a strong W.I.T. team in a challenge match before defeating them 2-18 to 1-17. One of the best performers on the day was W.I.T.'s Andy Moloney - later to play with Ballygunner.

In athletics the longest series in the history

of West Waterford A.C. concluded with Ray Burke emphatically winning the Senior category with tremendous performances in the 45th Millennium road racing championships.

An entertaining game of hurling was played between Waterford and Limerick in the AIB Senior Hurling Tournament with Limerick just proving too strong for an experimental Waterford outfit, running out 3-11 to 1-13 winners.

Towards the end of the month Cappagh born jockey Tom Queally added yet another title to his impressive list of honours when he was awarded the Park Hotel Sports Star supreme award becoming the youngest ever to do so at the same time. Only in his first year as an apprentice jockey Tom had already captured five meet doubles and a treble at The Curragh and also won the Champion apprentice.

Waterford senior hurlers suffered an embarrassing result as they were well beaten in a challenge match by Galway club side Athenry on a scoreline of 5-11 to 3-12.

A clash of the two local soccer leagues in the Oscar Traynor Cup saw Waterford Junior League triumph easily over the Red House League eventually winning 6 goals to one. It was the Red House leagues first competitive Inter League match and one they were not likely to forget too easily.



Tom Queally crowned Park Hotel Sport Star of the Year

FEBRUARY



Shane Whelan meets Liverpool star Michael Own

In Basketball Waterford's Senior Ladies, Bausch & Lomb Wildcats had an easier than expected victory to retain the Senior Cup after defeating Toika Rovers 62-44 in the final.

Glanbia renewed their sponsorship of the county hurling teams - a decision very much welcomed by players and selectors alike.

Another Senior Waterford county team - this time the footballers - suffered defeat at the hands of a club side, Nemo Rangers, coming out on the wrong side of a 2-11 to 2-7 scoreline.

Gerald MacCarty's Hurling side fared no better as they were well beaten by Tipperary 3-16 to 1-10 in a charity game played in Clonmel.

Following the Red House League's embarrassing result against Waterford, they produced a gutsy display to gain a creditable draw with Cork AUL 1-1.

Ray Dwyer was the popular winner of the 13th running of the Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup in a year when approximately two thirds of the field of

ninety two ran faster than their predicted time.

The millennium selection of Waterford's football and hurling teams turned into a gala occasion for the thirty people who were selected as they were feted by a large crowd in Dungarvan.

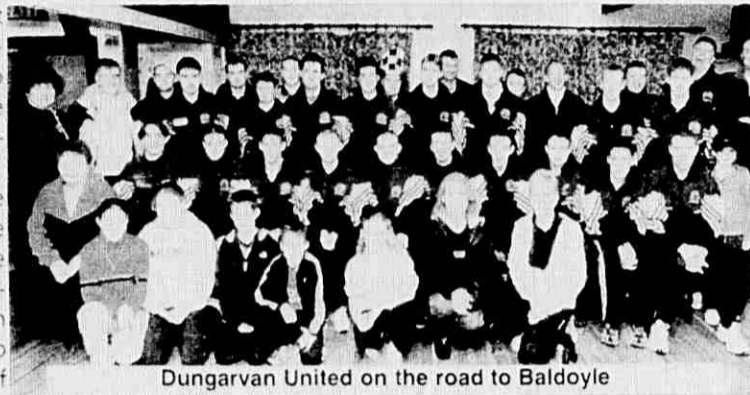
KCK athletic club were also celebrating as club member Niamh MacGrath achieved a new record with a high jump of 1 metre and 20 cms.

Dungarvan Utd had a dream start to the New Year as they cruised through to the final 32 of the largest cup competition in Europe, the FAI Junior Cup, at the expense of fancied Dublin side Baldoyle Utd with a two-nil victory.

Caitriona White who was top scorer in both the final and semi-final of Basketball's Blue Riband trophy, the ESB cup was crowned Park Hotel Sports Star for January for her achievements.

Waterford's Hurlers suffered a bad day at the office as they were blitzed by a far superior Kilkenny side in a one sided encounter, losing 2-14 to 0-8.

A closer encounter ensued in the National Football League where defeat was snatched from the jaws of victory by Waterford against Tipperary in a match that saw Waterford lead for most of the game until they conceded five points to end up 0-14 to 0-10 losers.



Dungarvan United on the road to Baldoyle

MARCH



Allrounder Winter League prize giving night

William Harty continued to make his mark on the athletics world as he returned to top form and clinched the All-Ireland Junior Cross country title.

A rejuvenated Waterford hurling team bounced back from their hammering at the hands of Kilkenny to emerge victors over Wexford by three clear goals in the National Hurling League. Paul Flynn came out top scorer having got a goal and five points to his credit in the 3-13 to 0-13 win.

Villierstown Principal teacher Margaret Cunningham received the honour of taking over as national secretary of Cumann na Bunscoil on a historic night in Belfast. She was the first lady to attain this office.

The normally invincible Waterford Senior Ladies team came crashing back to earth with a bang as they suffered a heavy defeat

at the hands of Monaghan losing 4-12 to 1-8 in the National Football League.

The inaugural presentation of the Dungarvan Credit Union Young Sports Star Award saw William Harty come away with the top prize.

The month also marked yet another achievement when William Harty raced away to victory and a much deserved place on the Irish Junior team following a remarkable run in the Inter Club Cross Country Championships in Scotstown, Monaghan.

Foot and Mouth disease impacted on the sports world as it was announced that teams from countries affected by the virulent disease were prevented from participating in the FBD Milk Ras. A number of other events succumbed altogether, including GAA matches, soccer and athletics meeting.



William Harty wins Dungarvan Credit Union Young Sports Star Award

APRIL



Abbeyside's 2A side defeat Dungarvan in tense local derby

Local businessman Mel Shanley took up the challenge and competed in the Chicago Triathlon. Afterwards Mel said it was an experience he will always cherish and was delighted to have raised money for Our Lady's Hospital for Sick Children in Crumlin.

Cois Bride, was officially launched by Waterford hurler Ken MacGrath and Kerry footballer Mike Frank Russell in front of a huge crowd of well wishers, supporters and future players. The juvenile club came about following the amalgamation of Tallow and Shamrocks.

With the F&M scourge contained games other than those in border regions were permitted to resume much to the relief of all concerned.

Ardmore powered their way to the U21 Hurling finals with an impressive seven point victory over Fourmilewater with a top performances from, amongst others county senior player, Seamus Prendergast who scored 1-8 of his sides 1-13 scores.

In the other semi Stradbally got the better of Tallow although the contest was closer

than the 2-8 to 0-9 scoreline suggested in a rip roaring contest from start to finish.

Mick McCarthy's father, Charlie, who originally came from Tallow died in England during the month. He had already inspired Mick's visit to Tallow a few years before.

A shaky Waterford defence saw county hurlers suffer a five goal defeat at the hands of Tipperary in the National Hurling league which struck a blow to the Deise's prospects of reaching the semi-final of the league.

Waterford's Senior Ladies fared little better in football when they slumped to defeat against Longford in the third round of the National League.

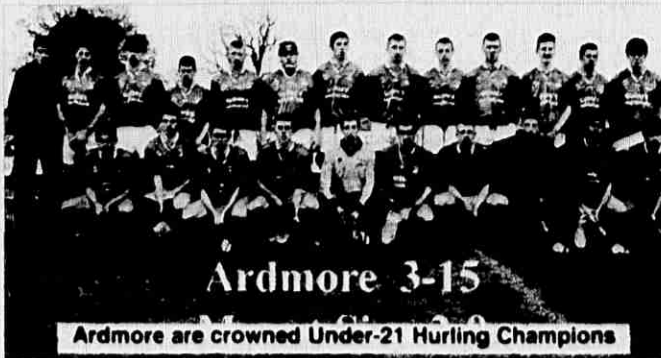
In Junior Soccer Dungarvan created another little piece of history when they advanced to the sixth round of the FAI Junior Cup with a 2-0 victory over top Limerick side Geraldines.

More success was had by Waterford Junior clubs as Conna side Valley Rangers proved more than a match for Cork AUL high flyers Coachford and came away with a well deserved win to put them through to the next round.



Dungarvan stewards and fans who attended the 1-1 draw against Longford in the FAI Cup Semi Final

MAY



Ardmore are crowned Under-21 Hurling Champions

Barry Hamilton and Brian Foley fired on all cylinders in the Dungarvan Crystal Invitation in Squash. Eleven year-old Barry captured the plate while Brian won his group and cup in his age group.

Cappagh jockey Tom Queally partnered his winner on the flat in Wexford riding the reserve horse Beepeep for Curragh trainer Frank Ennis. In the end his win was by a comprehensive margin.

Successful Waterford boxer, Niall Gough laid down his gloves for the last time after representing Ireland for the 74th time. He had won eight national titles through his career.

In the U21 (A) County Hurling Championship Ardmore cruised to victory against Mount Sion in an at times absorbing encounter. Most of the damage done to the Mount Sion goal was done in the first half when they scored 2-9. The second half saw more of the same with Ardmore eventually running away with a 3-15 to 2-9 victory.

Waterford Colleges Senior Hurling Final between St. Augustine's and Kilmac' school St. Declan's brought the curtain down on another year of colleges hurling activity. The Friary boys dominated the exchanges for long periods and were good value for their nine point winning margin.

Juvenile handballer Patrick Hurney of the Friary Club reached the final of the under 15s after defeating Conor Flynn of St. Paul's Belfast with ease on a scoreline of 21-6.

The blue riband competition of the Red House League, the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup was contested between Lismore and Valley Rangers which saw a brilliant goal settle a poor match. On a livelier than normal playing surface Lismore fought the hardest and came out on top 1-0.

Waterford's minor footballers turned in a fine performance to defeat Tipperary 2-6 to 0-9 and in doing so winning the round robin with a total of two wins and two draws in the series.



Brideview United crowned Red House League Champions

JUNE

The FBD Milk Ras, Ireland's most prestigious cycling event, arrived in Grattan Square Dungarvan in front of a thronged crowd. The stage was won in fine style by Jeremy Maarten's, a professional rider from South Africa, with Rory Wyley Junior's teammate Mark Lovatt coming in second and Joe Kelly finishing first of the Dungarvan contingent.

The National Marathon was also held in Dungarvan with the help of West Waterford Athletic Club. Humid conditions especially in the second half of the race tested all the runners to their natural limits but the winner of the title Pauric McDiinney of Civil Service AC took it all in his stride to atone for his defeat last year. West Waterford had a great team effort and finished second overall in the clubs.

Waterford Greyhound Stadium housed its biggest attendance of the year as the Philip O'Riordan Memorial Stake produced a popular local winner in the form of the Myles and Ann Lavery owned Ballybrazil Jet. The 4/5 favourite ran away with the final in the fastest time of the night.

Abbeyside owner Catherine Kiely also had success on the night as she sent out the 5/1 winner Cunnigar Pearl who came away



Cappoquin bring home the silverware

sweetly from the traps and beat off the persistent challenge of Fintys Paper by a length and a quarter.

KCK Athletic Club retained the Babs Connors Memorial Cup for the Best Track and Field Club in the second and last round of the Waterford County Track and Field Championship, held in the RSC. Top performer for KCK was Jamie Hawan with five wins and a second.



Cycling Superstar Sean Kelly in town for Ras

Paul MacGrath turned up for a charity match in support of child-line against Waterford Utd but sadly the support was not present

as Waterford ran out 12 -1 victors over Menaggio in front of just 200 people at the RSC.

The senior hurlers prepared for their much anticipated Munster Semi-Final Clash with a comprehensive victory over Galway in a high scoring game. At half time Waterford led by 1-16 to 3-4 and were never headed in the second half winning 2-25 to 1-16.

On the same card Tallow amateur Paul Tobin partnered his second winner under rules as 10/1 shot Chancers Dante defeated a big field in the concluding bumper. The winner is owned and trained by Sean Ahern.

Lismore's U-14 hurlers won the Rice Cup shield against Callan CBS winning 4-6 to 5-1.

High expectations for Waterford's Championship hopes did not materialise after Limerick fought back from an eight point deficit in the first 16 minutes. In the end Waterford lost by a single point.

Gerald MacCarthy meanwhile confirmed his decision to retire as coach after much speculation about his future.

Cappoquin AFC brought silverware back to the club for the first time since their league win nine years ago in 1992 after an impressive 4-0 victory over Valley Rangers in the Liam Fitzgerald Cup.

Ras na Rinne produced a record entry of 101 runners with the unstoppable William Harty winning his fifth race of the series from five as he dominated from start to finish and recorded the fastest ever time in the series.

JULY

The County Bord na Oig finals were played with the best teams in the four divisions each meeting. In Division One De La Salle were worthy winners with Connor O'Toole, Alan Power and Christopher Sheehan all bagging goals. In Division Two Dungarvan were unlucky to lose out on a scoreline of 5-8 to 3-3 to Ballygunner.

James Ledingham was the winner of the 800m at the Nestle Tailteann Inter-Provincial Games. His achievement was enough to see him gain an international call-up.

16 year old Claire O'Sullivan from Ballinroad won the junior under 19 women's pole vault championships in Tullamore.

Waterford's U-21 hurlers bowed out of the championship at the semi-final stage after a seven point defeat at the hands of Tipperary. Seamus Prendergast top scored for Waterford with eight points in a game that saw Tipperary take the running all the through the match.

Jamie Costin and Michael Murray secured National Senior Medals at the National Track and Field Championships. Costin finished second to Robert Heffernan in the 10k walk in a time of 41 minutes while Michael Murray was third in the triple jump with an effort of 14.7m.



Lismore's footballers beat Kill in the senior football championship

The eight race in the Ger Wyley Sports Summer Road Racing Series was an outstanding success when over 230 people raised £2,200 for the Alzheimers Unit at St. Joseph's Hospital in Dungarvan. In the losers group of the Senior Hurling Championship Tallow and Stradbally fought each other to a standstill despite seven minutes of extra time. The closing minutes saw frantic efforts from both sides with Tallow striding out in front with a four point lead but the reds hit back to level the match with a goal and a point. In the senior football championships Lismore had a narrow victory over Kill which kept Lismore in contention for the elusive senior double. Lismore's Brendan Landers scored four of Lismore's points to give them an 0-10 to 0-7 victory.

AUGUST

Edel Morrissey had a brilliant win in the 800m at the Juvenile track and field championships to take her first national title while she finished second in another event - the 300m.

Waterford Ladies minors marched through to the All Ireland Final with an impressive result against Galway, ending up winners by eleven points. A superb last 20 minutes saw Waterford score 1-10 to a solitary Galway point to stretch their lead and assure them a place in the final.

Justin McCarthy was selected as the new manager of the county's senior hurlers beating off eight other nominees for the position.

The county's ladies football team saw their domination of Munster come to an abrupt end as they were defeated by Clare on a scoreline of 3-12 to 3-5. Waterford's unbeaten run in the Munster Senior Championship had dated back to 1993.

The Amstel Pub League came to a conclusion amid the tension of a penalty shoot-out. Kiely's and the Lady Belle could not be separated over ninety minutes, grabbing two goals a piece but Kiely's went on to win the shoot-out 4-3.

Well known Kilmacthomas trainer Killian Power had cause to celebrate a unique double as he celebrated his marriage to Rosemary Walsh before travelling back to Kilcohan to see his greyhound Autumn Smashed power her way to victory in the Waterford Heating and Plumbing final.

While the Senior Ladies Footballers exited the stage the Minor footballer produced a vintage display to defeat Meath in the All Ireland Final at a wet Dr. Cullen Park in Carlow. The young Deise side easily dealt with a fancied Meath team 6-12 to 2-6 to capture the county's sixth minor title since 1991.

Dungarvan cyclist Rory Wyley Jnr produced a top class overall performance to secure a well earned victory in the Bikehut Tour of Cranborne. He had already earned a top three finish in the fifty mile time trial and finished in the bunch to take the title.

In the Senior Hurling semi final Lismore and Mount Sion produced a sparkling display but finished all square. Lismore had led the game by five points coming into the closing stages but they allowed the champions back in for a goal and two points.



Rory Wyley Jnr.



William Harty win Ras Na Rinne race

SEPTEMBER

St. Anne's of Cappoquin secured the Intermediate County Title with a good victory over Tramore in Dunhill after scoring a remarkable fourteen goals and ten points to Tramore ten points.

Dungarvan cyclist Thomas Hogan was successful on the national stage after he won the U-23 Championship. Thomas delivered the goods on a testing 110 kilometres of racing in Batterstown in Co. Meath.

The reply of the Senior Hurling Semi-final between Lismore and Mount Sion was another epic encounter and more close fought than the final score of Lismore 4-19 to Mount Sion 3-13.



Lismore's Sean Daly and captain James O'Connor with mascots

Dungarvan Utd started work on their new astroturf development for their training area. The cost of the development came to €160,000.

Across the Devonshire Bridge Abbeyside's young players were going goal crazy securing 12-1, 7-0 and 8-6 victories.

Vetern showjumper Francis Connors was awarded the Sports Star of the Month for

his achievements in helping Ireland win the Nations Cup in Sweden riding Bobby Flynn's Cruiseway and was also part of the Irish team who were runners up in the Nations Cup in Denmark.

The second Senior Football Semi-Final saw Stradbally creep through against a determined Ardmore side 1-7 to 0-7. Stradbally led for the majority of the match and as hard as Ardmore tried they could not get the goal they needed to share the spoils.

September was a month to remember for Cappagh jockey Tom Queally as he partnered two winners at the Glanbeigh Pony and Horse race. He had a winner each day and finished third in the featured Derby Event.

Lismore battled hard in the Senior Hurling County Final but it was Ballygunner who emerged victorious by 4-12 to 1-16. Lismore started off strongly and were 0-7 to 0-2 up early in the game but Ballygunner were too strong and failed to score a single point in the final twelve minutes.

In the FAI Junior Cup Valley Rangers recorded an emphatic 4-0 win over north Tipperary side Kilcommon. The first half was goaleless despite relentless Rangers pressure but cracks appeared after just three minutes of the restart when Billy Carr drove home from the edge of the area.

In the Minor Football Final Ballinacourty pipped Nire to the title by a point in a close fought match. Ballinacourty led for most of the hour and led 1-5 to 0-4 at halftime before running out 1-11 to 1-10 victors.

In a lively Junior Football Semi Final Ballinacourty recorded a well deserved victory over Nire on a 3-14 to 3-8 scoreline.

OCTOBER

Ballyduff clinched their first County Minor Hurling title after recording a five point win over Erin's Own. The City side made the better start despite playing against the breeze and goals early in the first half saw them control the match from the start.

Railway Athletic progressed to the 2nd Round of the Munster Junior Cup after an amazing game against Park Rangers. The game featured seven goals, four penalties and 3 sending offs and was played at a break-neck pace.

Ring/Old Parish athletes had a very successful County Championships as they claimed three individual titles. Mark Shalloe, Ann Marie Jordan and Shane Power all won medals.

Former Aston Villa and Bournemouth player Trevor Berry joined Waterford Utd as the club renewed its efforts to claim a promotion place in the league and discarded its "local players only" policy.

The senior football final between Rathgormack and Stradbally was a low scoring affair that ended with both teams on four points. The match was played in atrocious conditions and led to criticism of the GAC for not calling it off.

The Minor Final also ended in stalemate with Ballinacourty and Rathgormack ending on six points apiece. The match was level on five occasions and never looked like being anything other than a draw.

Dungarvan Utd advanced to the 2nd round of the FAI Junior Cup at the expense

of cup kingpins Bohemians 2-1.

In the Junior Football final a late Eoghan Walsh point deep into injury time earned Ballinacourty a draw in a well contested match against Ferrybank. Ballinacourty took the lead for the first time in the 49th minute but found themselves searching frantically for an equaliser again before Walsh pointed from a free.

Dungarvan CBS turned in a sparkling performance to score a surprise victory over Ennis CBS in the Munster Colleges Senior B Hurling Championship.

Light Middle weight Gary Collins was selected for the U-21 championships and was hailed as Dungarvan's best prospect in years. He already had an impressive win over Shafout Huzzain of Birmingham.

Waterford Utd secured a valuable 2-0 home win over Sligo Rovers with Scottish striker Barry Wood giving a man-of-the-match performance after creating the first and scoring the other.

The Red House League went down to Cork AUL in the Oscar Traynor Cup by 3 goals to 0 but the real talking point was the comedy of errors in securing a venue for the match. The game was first to go-ahead in Lismore, then Conna before finally moving to Ardmore.

Ballinacourty won the Minor Football Championships after a brace of first half Declan Fives goals thwarted Rathgormack in a keenly contested Football Championship Final Replay.



Pictured above are a group of local youngsters (ball boys) who travelled to the RSC in Waterford when Paul McGrath and his son took part in an exhibition game against foreign opposition. Also included is Francie O'Brien.

NOVEMBER

Waterford County Hurling Champions Ballygunner swept aside the challenge of Clare Champion's Dora Barefield 2-19 to 2-13 in one of the best Munster Club Championship games for a very long time. The game featured some splendid performances with top among these from Andy Moloney.

In Intermediate Football, the replay between Kilmacthomas and Ring saw Kilmac overpower their opponents to take their first adult football title by 1-13 to 0-8.

Valley Rangers captured the Tony Bolger Cup after a penalty shoot out as 90 minutes and extra time couldn't break the deadlock between themselves and Lismore. The match had already featured a number of close shaves for Lismore as Valley struck the crossbar before they went on to win 4-0 on penalties.

Philip Harty left underage competition on a high note when he won the combined U-23 and Novice race in the Munster Cross Country Championships from an entry of ninety runners.

Dungarvan Utd produced an excellent performance to advance to the fourth round of the FAI Junior Cup after an emphatic 5-0 win over Tipperary side Rearcross.

Ardmore were worthy County Junior Hurling Champions after they overcame Fenor 0-17 to 0-12. The match was close fought up until the dying moments when the Western Champions stamped their authority to take their second title in the grade in 22 years.

Ballinacourty made no mistake at the second time of asking in the Junior Football County Final running out 7 points to 1 winners. Ballinacourty last won the County Ju-

nior Football Final in 1978.

Ballygunner and Toomevara couldn't be separated despite an explosive start from the Tipperary champions that saw them go four points into the lead within a minute of the opening. Ballygunner fought back with the final score ending Ballygunner 0-12 Toomevara 1-9.

Dungarvan Rugby Club finally had something to shout about as they pulled out all the stops to emerge 26-12 winners over Dunmanway.

The Irish Cross Country Championship's held in St. Augustine's grounds in Abbeyside saw Waterford's William Harty and Robert Wade finish second and third respectively in the U-18 All-Ireland's.

Jamie Costin successfully qualified for yet another major championships when he beat the 4hrs 05mins qualifying time for the 50K European Championships at a race in New Zealand.

An 88th minute goal ended Dungarvan Utd's dreams of once again entering the national open draw stage of the FAI Junior Cup in a 1-0 defeat to Tipperary side Peakvilla.



JAMIE COSTIN

DECEMBER

Ardmore retained their Under 21 Hurling title after a gargantuan effort to beat Tallow by 4-5 to 0-8. The nine point winning margin gave the holders a far more clearcut victory than the defeated Tallow team deserved.

In the Under 21 football final Ring had a five point victory over Kilgobinet. Cian O'Connor was top scorer on the day with seven points for Ring.

Ballygunner were worthy Munster Club Hurling Champions after a titanic struggle with Blackrock of Cork. Paul Flynn won the accolade of man-of-the-match after contributing 1-9 to the Ballygunner total.

Valley Rangers advanced to the open draw of the Munster Junior Cup at the expense of fellow Red House League outfit Cappoquin 3-1. They will now play a team from County Clare.

Dungarvan Athletic Club had a successful day in the Munster B Championships with Zoe Scallon, April Duff and Darragh O'Riordan all finishing well up the field.

The Red House League suffered three defeats in a row after a 6-0 defeat to Waterford Junior League. The result was not enough for Waterford Junior League to reach the final stages.

Ardmore won their third title after adding the Under 21 football final to their hurling title with a 1-7 to 0-9 win over the Nire.

Kilmacthomas clinched the Under 21 Football B Final after a one point victory over An Gaeltacht 2-8 to 1-10.

William Harty finished off the year just as he began it with a superb performance in the European Junior Cross Country in Switzerland to finish in 15th place.

"Flashback In Time"



We continue our "Flashback In Time" series this week with a photograph of "Oglai na gComarach" (Comeragh Youth), who were the winners of the Dungarvan CBS Street Hurling League in the late 1950's. In those halcyon days of hurling at the Brothers, there was great rivalry between the various town and country area teams and the games drew huge and vociferous crowds to the Brothers' field. The team above are (back row, left to right): Ted Coughlan, Jim Ahern, Michael Murphy, Donal Connolly, — Lannen, Richie Callaghan, Monnie Hallahan, Mark Cummins, Davy Cullinan; front row: Sean McGrath, Percy Ahern, Patrick Power, Pat Dee (Capt.), — Hansberry, Dick Lenihan, — — — — —, Tom Condon.

WEST WATERFORD BORD NA nÓG NOTES

PROPOSED GRADINGS MADE OUT

The offices of Bord na n-Óg Port Láirge Thiar met recently to look at the gradings for this year's championships. All club secretaries should by now have got a copy of these gradings.

The gradings decided upon by the officers are not as yet official until a full delegate meeting takes place on January 15. Clubs are asked to look carefully at their grading and to come back to the meeting and to only ask to come down if they are 100% certain that they will not cope in the division that they are in.

The grading's made out by the Bord are as follows:

UNDER-16 FOOTBALL

Division 1 — Dungarvan, Ballinacourty, Brickeys, St. Olivers, Ballyduff and Kilrossanty. Division 2 — Affane, Nire, Clashmore, An Gaeltacht and Stradbally. Division 3 — Naomh Brid, Cois Bhride, Lismore, Ardmore and Kilgobinet.

Last year a sub-committee of the Munster Council which were looking into the amount of games of football played in the four weaker counties, their results showed that Waterford not playing half enough underage football. In compliance with the findings of the survey, we plan to double the amount of games in under 16 football played in West Waterford on other years. We are planning to do this by getting teams to play each other twice, i.e. home and away.

If the county final date stays roughly as it has been over the

past few years this will mean that this year's under 16 football championship will start in mid-February.

UNDER-16 HURLING

Division — Dungarvan, Lismore, Abbeyside, Brickeys, Cappoquin and Cois Bhride. Division 2 — St. Olivers, Clashmore, Kilrossanty, An Gaeltacht, Colligan and Ballyduff. Division 3 — Stradbally, Naomh Brid, Ardmore and Fourmilewater.

Over the past two years the under 16 Western championship has run into problems with the late running of the championships. In 2002 it is hoped to play the under 16 Western championship before the minor championship begins.

UNDER-14 FOOTBALL

Division — Dungarvan, Affane, Ballinacourty, Nire, Stradbally and St. Olivers. Division — Kilrossanty, Cois Bhride, An Gaeltacht, Brickeys, Lismore and Clashmore. Division 3 — Ardmore, Ballyduff, Kilgobinet and Naomh Brid.

Like in under 16 football, it would be intended to run this championship off on a home and away basis which will give the teams in divisions one and two a minimum of ten games to play. Again, like in under 16 football, if the county final date was roughly the same as last year, the championship would begin in early August and break for a week in the middle for the Tony Forristal Competition.

UNDER-14 HURLING

Division 1 — Cappoquin, Lismore, St. Olivers, Dungarvan,

Abbeyside and Cois Bhride. Division 2 — Ballyduff, An Gaeltacht, Stradbally, Brickeys and Fourmilewater. Division 3 — Naomh Brid, Clashmore, Ardmore, Colligan and Kilrossanty.

It would be hoped to start this competition shortly after Easter and that as much as possible of it would be played before any county competition may start.

PEIL ÓG

Peil Óg is the competition used to find the Western team to contest the County Féile Football Final. The competition is confined to the teams in division one of the Under 14 Football competition. This competition is knockout and will be over within three weeks.

THOMAS SCANLON CUP

The Thomas Scanlon Cup is to find the Western Team to contest the County Féile Hurling Final. Like the Peil Óg Competition, it is restricted to the teams in division one of the under 14 hurling championship. This competition is knockout and will be over within three weeks.

NICK FITZGERALD CUP AND SHIELD

This year's Mick Fitzgerald Cup and Shield will be run off on a league basis. Eight teams will play in division one and the other eight teams in division two. The eight clubs will be split into two groups of four with the top two teams in each section advancing to the semi-finals.

The teams in the cup section are Cappoquin, Dungarvan, Cois

Bhride, Fourmilewater, Lismore, Stradbally, Abbeyside and Brickeys. The teams in the plate section are Colligan, Ballyduff, Ardmore, St. Olivers, An Gaeltacht, Kilrossanty, Clashmore and Naomh Brid.

UNDER-12 FOOTBALL

Six teams have been placed in division one. The other ten teams will be put into two groups of five. The top two teams in each of these sections will contest the division two semi finals and the next two the division three semi-finals.

The six teams put into division one are: Dungarvan, Ballinacourty, Stradbally, Brickeys, Clashmore and Lismore. The other ten teams to be split into two groups are: Nire, St. Olivers, Kilrossanty, An Gaeltacht, Affane, Cois Bhride, Naomh Bid, Ballyduff, Kilgobinet and Ardmore.

UNDER-12 HURLING

Division One — Brickeys, Dungarvan, Lismore, Abbeyside and Cois Bhride. Division 2 — Fourmilewater, St. Olivers, Cappoquin, Stradbally and Clashmore. Division 3 — Ardmore, Kilrossanty, Ballyduff, An Gaeltacht and Colligan.

This year's under 12 hurling tournament will be completed before the majority of the National Schools break for the summer holidays in the last week of June.

UNDER-11 GROUND HURLING

This year's ground hurling tournament will be run off as a blitz at three different venues on one day. The three winners will

go on to contest the county finals.

Division 1 — Cappoquin, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, Lismore and Cois Bhride. Division 2 — Stradbally, An Gaeltacht, Fourmilewater, Brickeys and Naomh Brid. Division 3 — St. Olivers, Ballyduff, Clashmore, Kilrossanty, Ardmore and Colligan.

Confusion surrounds the rules of this competition. When it came to county finals over the past few years the West and East had played under different interpretation of the rules. It is hoped that a set of rules could be drawn up at a meeting and then distributed to all clubs.

AFFILIATION

With the new currency now in operation, the Bord has decided to look at the affiliation prices for 2002. It has been decided that to register a club will cost 13 Euros. For each under 14 and 16 hurling and football teams the cost will also be 13 Euros. It has also been decided to charge clubs 6 Euros to enter the various under 11, 12 and 13 tournaments run by the Bord.

REFEREES

It has been well documented that there is a serious shortage of referees within the division and the county. It has been pointed out on a number of occasions recently that some referees are doing up to eight games a week between underage and adult championships.

Over half the clubs in the division do not supply a referee to our Bord to take charge of games. If we were to get ten new

referees it would eliminate a lot of hassle and it would almost assure that there would be a referee free to turn up for every fixture.

All clubs have players who no longer play and who still want to be involved in some way. If clubs were to approach these ex players (male as well as female) they may be only too willing to take up refereeing.

If new referees can be found the Bord could arrange a venue where these men and women can get instruction.

SCHOOLS COMPETITIONS

Recently the Western and County School League football finals were played in Fraher Field. We congratulate all the winners and commiserate with the runners up.

A.G.M.s

At present clubs are holding their A.G.M.s. We would like to appeal to all clubs to forward a list of all new officers to the divisional secretary as soon as possible.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Michael Drislane, Gerard Miller, Conor Hannon, Eoghan Geary and Jamie Kearney of the Ballyduff Club on winning the county final of the Munster Council Centenary Year Project recently and then going on to win the Munster Final.

GET WELL SOON

We would like to wish Tony Morrissey and Jim Joe Landers a full and speedy recovery to full fitness.

Betting Odds

The publication of the betting on the All Ireland finals which were published by the leading bookmakers on Saturday last, show, among other things, that the big names in the business are not over enthusiastic about Waterford's prospects of taking the McCarthy Cup this year. Surprisingly they also show that they are by no means confident about Tipperary retaining their title.

McCarthy Cup — 2/1 Kilkenny, 4/1 Galway, 5/1 Cork, 11/2 Tipperary, 12/1 Clare, 12/1 Limerick, 20/1 Wexford, 22/1 Waterford, 22/1 Offaly;

In football it is 9/2 Galway, 5/1 Kerry, 13/2 Meath, 10/1 Dublin and Tyrone and 12/1 the field after that.

TRAINING

Activity has begun in some form or other with our 8 inter-county teams. Panels have been named and are being added to and some training is in progress.

Next Sunday month, our footballers will be in action against Wexford in Fraher Field, in the first round of the league.

Ken McGrath Honoured

The Mount Sion star, who was nominated on successive years for an All Star, has now been named as a replacement All Star and hopes to travel to Argentina next month with the group. This is well deserved honour and we hope that Ken and colleagues will not be prevented from travelling because of the present troubles in that country.

GAA. Respond To Hamper Appeal

The response from all 55 clubs as well as the three boards, means that approximately £2,000 was passed over to the WLR Lions Club Christmas Appeal some days before Christmas.

On the occasion of the hand over it was nice to hear Tony Morrissey and colleague Jim Joe chatting on air again. Both were hospitalised until a couple of days before Christmas. Both are doing very well.

Pat Veale R.I.P.

This great Kilrossanty footballer played a leading role in the story and history of the Comeragh club at a time when their profile was high and when they were winning championships in the senior grade.

A former Kilrossanty player who was very many years his junior, described the late Pat as a Kilrossanty legend and for very many years, a father figure in the club.

He first came to prominence when winning a junior football county championship in 1937 and then had the honour of leading the 1939 winning senior championship team as captain. He continued playing for many years afterwards and on retirement became the successful trainer of no less than seven championship winning Kilrossanty teams.

He played at senior and junior level with the county and was a county senior football selector when Waterford defeated Kerry at Walsh Park in 1957. At the removal of his remains on Thursday, December 27th to Kilrossanty church and again at his burial, there was a huge turnout of club personnel and his coffin was draped in the club colours.

He is survived by his brother Mick (Dyke), sons, Jimmy and Percy and daughters, Breda, Ann and Maire and to whom we extend our sincere sympathy. May he rest in peace.



Tom Browne, Ballinameela, and Pat Prendergast, Jay Prendergast and John O'Donnell, Ardmore at the Western GAA Board Convention in Modeligo Community Centre.—(Photo: Sean Byrne).



Members of the Modeligo GAA Club who looked after the arrangements for the hosting of the Western GAA convention in the Modeligo Community Centre, including the Ladies who catered for all present.—(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Ardmore Surrender U-21 Hurling Title At Walsh Park

MOUNT SION 2-12 ARDMORE 0-5

Obviously weary from their non-stop activity at the highest level in the club championship and being forced to field without several of their players including scoring forward, Billy Harty, the reigning county under 21 hurling champions, Ardmore, were forced into defeat in a rather disappointing decider before a big crowd at the city venue on December 23rd.

Mount Sion, enjoying the advantage of an uninterrupted preparation and having to concentrate on only one code, took the field fit, fresh and very eager to recover the title from their conquerors of the previous season and were able to take the game to their opponents from the start.

From the throw in and even before this, Mount Sion let it be known that they meant business.

As the final progressed the representatives of the famed Monastery club, stamped their authority on the game. Attacking from the beginning, they hit over 6 points before the end of the first quarter had arrived and at this stage the holders had but a solitary point. Within minutes of the start of the second quarter the title looked to be on its way back to the city after corner forward Sean

Ryan had goals in the space of two minutes. This enabled Mount Sion to retire at half-time with a secure lead of 2-7 to 0-4.

SECOND HALF

For Ardmore it was an uncomfortable 30 minutes even though they continued to fight to the death. Their efforts yielded a single point while Mount Sion, with Eoin Kelly, Eoin McGrath, Ian Power and others in sparkling form, managed a further 5 scores. Mount Sion were deserving winners as they were undoubtedly the better team over the hour. Considering all the circumstances, Ardmore were left with a mountain to climb from the start and must have been at very long odds to win here again. The defeat does not take from the high profile of an outstanding club, which they have won for themselves in 2001. I have absolutely no doubt but that Ballygunner's Munster Club triumph, cost Ardmore the "Club of the Year" award. After 8 weeks of non stop action they are now fully deserving of a long rest.

It was a county final in which no favours were asked or given and a game that took the strong handling by referee Pat Moore to control

and Pat did this very well indeed.

Scorers: Mount Sion — S. Ryan 2-1, E. Kelly 0-7, M. Frisby, E. McGrath, D. Kelly and M. O'Regan 0-1 each; Ardmore — S. Prendergast 0-2, J. O'Donnell 0-2, R. Hennessy 0-1.

Mount Sion — I. O'Regan, N. O'Brien, J. Farrell, K. Flynn, P. McGrath, K. O'Connor, K. Stafford, E. McGrath, I. Power, M. O'Regan,

N. Mackey, E. Kelly, S. Ryan, P. Moore, M. Frisby, Sub. D. Kelly for N. Mackey.

Ardmore — D. O'Donnell, P. Conway, D. Prendergast, C. O'Connor, N. Hennessy, D. Lenane, R. Hennessy, W. Hennessy, P. Beausang, M. O'Connor, J. O'Donnell, A. North, E. Foley, S. Prendergast, D. O'Reilly for E. Foley.

Referee: Pat Moore, Abbeyside/Ballinacourty.



Eddie Cunningham and John Lyons, Tallow GAA Club delegates at the Western GAA Board Convention in Modeligo Community Centre.—(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Under 21 'B' Hurling Co. Final

Colligan Triumph In Thriller

COLLIGAN 1-17 BALLYGUNNER 3-10

County finals rarely live up to expectations, but this was certainly an exception and the big crowd got great value in watching a match of high quality and one of the best county finals played in this grade for a very long time.

It was being predicted that Colligan had missed the bus, so to speak, as lady luck had helped them to a share of the spoils on the previous Sunday in the drawn match. That forecast was wrong, if only

marginally so, as the underage representatives from the Rockies emerged victoriously and deservedly from a contest that did both clubs proud.

The Western champions showed from the throw-in that they were about to make an almighty effort to win on this occasion and after an under pressure Ballygunner defence had conceded 1-4 as against 0-1 for themselves in only nine minutes, it seemed

that Colligan were going to score an easy victory. Colligan's splendid goal was hit home by John Kiely after less than nine minutes. Although Colligan continued to dominate, Ballygunner came back into the game gradually and a goal by Damien Clifford in the 20th minute helped in restoring their confidence and by half-time they trailed by 1-8 to 1-4.

SECOND HALF

Colligan again came out with all guns blazing and extended their lead to seven points. This lead looked quite comfortable when the 1-16 to 1-9 lead separated the sides entering the final five minutes. Then lightning struck twice for the Gunners and a Raymond Ahearne goal in the 56th minute was followed by an Ian Power goal almost on the call of time. It was all too late as Colligan's top scorer John Wall had rifled over a priceless point in between. It was the insurance score because it was the one which made all the difference between winning or being forced into an extra time period.

On the Colligan side it was a great team effort and while they did have their stars, it would be less than justice not to give equal praise to all fifteen players on the day.

Ballygunner were naturally disappointed to have been pipped for a match that would have brought the club a hurling double in this momentous year.

Scorers: Colligan — J. Wall 0-7, J. Kiely, 1-2, C. Morrissey, R. Bannon, R. Kirwan and B. Lynch 0-2 each; Ballygunner — D. Clifford 1-2, T. Power 1-2, B. O'Keefe 0-4, R. Ahearne 1-0, G. O'Connor 0-2.

Colligan — D. J. Casey, D. McGrath, W. Kiely, J. Moloney, V. Lynch, P. Radley, P. Ryan, S. Dempsey, R. Keane, J. Wall, C. Morrissey, J. Kiely, B. Lynch, R. Bannon, R. Kirwan.

Ballygunner — S. Cummins, W. Hutchinson, D. White, A. Freney, P. Hogan, A. Kirwan, N. Mullane, R. Hearne, B. Mullane, J. J. Haran, B. O'Keefe, D. Clifford, S. O'Sullivan, P. O'Sullivan, G. O'Connor. Subs. T. Power and N. Smith.

Referee: John M. Kelly, Shamrocks.



Pictured at the Western GAA Board Convention in Modeligo Community Centre (left to right) Anthony Walsh, Sean Tobin, Pat Dunford, Roger Casey and Paddy Walsh, Colligan GAA Club delegates —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

THE NEW SEASON?

Although it has only just arrived, the speculators are already at work and making predictions about what may happen not only on the playing front, but also on the political and administrative side of the association.

Many changes are certain and these include the election and installation of a President Elect at Congress in April. The new incumbent of the office will come from a list which includes Kerry's Sean Kelly, and Clare's Noel Walsh, Seamus Allridge, Albert Fallow, who was runner up to Sean McCague last time round, and P. J. McGrath, Mayo and former Connacht Council Chairman. There can still be a dark horse or two, but this is unlikely.

Another certainty is the opening of the fully developed Croke Park with an 82,000 capacity (and admitting 79,500 only because of planning restrictions).

Giving Central Council the authority to allow other games to be played in Croke Park may be taken a step further when the matter will be aired at Congress and probably voted on by secret ballot. I can see Congress deciding to agree with the proposal in the not too distant future, but I cannot see Central Council (in its present form) agreeing. I say in its present form because proposals to change the style and format of Central Council are ready for submission to Congress in April next and if approved then the present members of Central Council will be replaced by the 32 County Board Chairmen.

The proposals also state that County Board Chairmen

can hold office in their own counties for a maximum of five consecutive years. Other proposals are embodied in the package and I will deal with those in the months ahead.

Recognition of the Gaelic Players Association and the subsequent adoption of a 'Pay for Play' scheme will certainly figure in the headlines during the season ahead, but I cannot see it becoming a reality, just yet (and I mean 'just yet.') I have no doubt but that 'pay for play' will eventually come. The demands will likely grow in line with the increase in gate receipts and the increase in sponsorship.

WHAT I WOULD LIKE TO SEE

I would like to see Development grants considerably reduced by Central and Provincial Councils and the consequent savings directed towards paying a much bigger share of the Property, Public Liability Insurance and the Accident Scheme. In this, all clubs in the country would share equally. At present the Development money goes in the main to the bigger venues and the bigger clubs.

I would like to see an in-depth and urgent examination of the whole club structure, nationally, as whether or not we care to admit it, clubs are beginning to wither out of existence. A very large proportion of our clubs exist in name only. The two contributory factors are finance or the lack of it and having to fund raise for most of the year and the other problem is in the recruitment of people who are prepared

to service the clubs.

It is an undeniable fact that clubs all over the country are losing their vitality and the sooner that this is realised and something positive done about it the better.

I would like to see much improved presentation of our games at all levels, beginning at the top. I would see it as an improvement in this direction if the President and the captain of the winning team in the All

Ireland finals were not allowed to make speeches that bore everyone and give an undignified appearance to the presentation of the trophy.

I would like to have the same at provincial, county and divisional level and all for the same reasons.

Staying on the playing ground, I would like to see team managers, selectors and others in their camps barred from sidelines at All Ireland provincial and at county finals in counties. I would like to have a 'runner' on field to execute the instructions of managers/selectors. It could operate in all venues where there is a stand.

I cannot end without saying that I would like to see club taking the matter of the recruitment of referees more seriously.

And on a final bore and also on the subject of refereeing, I would like to find referees taking more appropriate action against their abusers and players and sideline people who use foul language during games.

Not being a super optimist I do not expect all (or any maybe) of these wishes to become a reality, but in being honest, I feel that one day they will.

THE 2001 ROLL OF HONOUR

As will be seen from the list of county champions, a total of 12 clubs got mention in the Honours List for the year which ended with the two under 21 hurling county finals on December 23rd, at Walsh Park.

The list is for the championships controlled by the county board. Coisde na nOg championship results have been published by their board's P.R.O.

Senior Hurling — Ballygunner 4-12, Lismore 1-16.

Senior Football —

Stradbally 1-1, Rathgormack 2-4 (replay).

Intermediate Hurling —

Fourmilewater 1-14, Dunhill 2-7.

Intermediate Football —

Kilmacthomas 1-13, Ring 0-4 (replay)

Junior Hurling — Ardmore 0-17, Fenor 0-12.

Junior Football — Ballinameela 0-7, Ferrybank 0-1.

Under 21 Hurling — Mount Sion 2-12, Ardmore 0-5.

Under 21 Hurling 'B' —

Colligan 1-17, Ballygunner 3-10.

Under 21 Football — Ardmore 1-10, Tramore 0-8.

Under 21 'B' Football —

Kilmacthomas 2-8, An Gaeltacht 1-10.

Minor Hurling — Clonea 2-16, Cois Bríd 2-13.

Minor Hurling 'B' —

Ballyduff 2-15, Erin's Own 3-7 (replay).

Minor Football —

Ballinacourty 2-6, Rathgormack 1-7 (replay).

Minor Football 'B' —

Brickey Rangers 2-16, Gaultier 0-2.

Kilmacthomas and Ardmore were the only clubs to have taken 2 county championships last year. In fact it can be claimed that Ardmore won three since in the early part of the season they won the 2000 version of the under 21 hurling championship when defeating Mount Sion.

Kilmacthomas also had a 'first' in that this was the first occasion on which they had won the intermediate football county championship — even though they had gone from junior to senior many years ago.

Clonea minor hurlers also had a first ever title in this grade while Cois Bríd in their first year in existence reached the county 'A' minor hurling final.

In all, 4 of the 14 county finals ended in a draw. Throughout the championships there was a record number of 19 drawn matches and replays. Two of the county finals were decided by a single point.

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC NOTES

Allrounder Winter Leagues Resumes On January 9

The second part of the Allrounder Winter road running league will resume on Wednesday the 9th of January with eight stages remaining in the fifteen week series. The leagues are now divided into a large number of divisions which should maintain and give everybody's interest up to the conclusion of the league on the last Wednesday in February. Everybody is now confined to their own division with the only difference being that the overall winner in both leagues can come from any division. Eighty nine runners took part in the 3.2 mile league in stage 7 before Christmas with victory going to Conor Phelan 22.43 from Eamonn Martin 25.31 and Patrick Doherty 30.26. The fastest times were recorded by John O'Lionain 19.11 men in Emer Connery 21.46 and women. Eight five runners ran the 5.7 mile league. Pat Frisby was first home in 46.13 from Brendan Donnelly 37.57 and Derek Truman 37.14. The fastest runners on the night were Alan Ryan 34.19 and Eilis Ni hAodha 39.44. The current league leaders are Jennifer Young 3.2ml and Norma Wall 5.7 mile.

MYSTERY TOUR

The winter league Mystery Tour during which the presentation of prizes will take place will be held on Friday March 1st 2002. Keep the date free!

ENTER IN EURO

As publicised before the commencement of the league, when we change to Euro the entry fee each week will be 1.50 euros. In the meantime you can pay your £1 or the 1.50 euros up to Wednesday the 6th February.

THIS WEEKS TOP TWENTY

The fastest top twenty 3 mile runners during the league — 1. Liam O'Lionain 19.11 2. Austin Cooney 19.54 3. Shane Power 20.00 4. Stephen O'Connell 20.20 5. Austin Hallahan 20.26 6. Niall Collieran 20.30 7. Tommy Lynch 20.37 8. Shane Kelly 20.40 9. Liam O'Droma 21.17 10. Aidan Dillon 21.23 11. Brendan Mansfield 21.26 12. Emer Connery 21.46 13. Sean Walsh 21.55 14. Eoin Browne 22.01 15. Brian Byrne 22.18 16. Cathal O'HUallachain 22.19 17. Colin Cunningham 22.26 18. Denis O'Brien 22.31 19. Paul Duggan 22.34 20. Michael Collins 22.37.

The fastest top twenty 5.7 mile runners during the league — 1. James Ledingham 33.16 2. Martin McCarthy 33.28 3. Derek Lyons 33.49 4. Patrick Halpin 33.57 5. Richard Halpin 34.04 6. Alan Ryan 34.19 7. James Veale 34.20 8. Gerry Cantwell 34.57 9. Timmy Foley 35.08 10. Finbarr Kelly 35.19 11. Colin Lyons and Benny Fitzgerald

35.21 13. Ray Kelly 35.22 14. Ray Burke 35.35 15. Conor Murray 35.36 16. Martin Hayes 35.37 17. Michael Dwyer 35.41 18. Jim Fleming 35.52 19. Anthony Dwyer 35.53 20. John Joe Wright 35.34.

Top twenty 3 mile league table — 1. Jennifer Young 300pts 2. Rose Crotty 321 3. Muriel Healy 345 4. Helen Hayes 351 5. Pauline Drohan 372 6. Mary Shalloe 372 7. Liam O'Lionain 376 8. Linda Bradfield 382 9. Liam O'Droma 391 10. Liam Sandford 404 11. Michelle Power 410 12. Mary White 426 13. Mossie Quinn 440 14. Carol Elstead 441 15. Brendan Mansfield 442 16. Anselm Hayes 443 17. Jackie Young 447 18. Pat Dalton 448 19. Martina Ryan 455 20. Ger Hallinan 460.

Top twenty 5.7 mile league table — 1. Norma Wall 234 2. Michael O'Droma 290 3. Tom Power 316 4. Brian Collins 320 5. Ann Dunford 325 6. Martin Sandford 328 7. Garrett Byrne 329 8. Geoff Bullen 330 9. John Flynn 330 10. Dermot Dwyer 341 11. Geraldine O'Connor 349 12. Breda Hayes 350 13. Brendan Donnelly 366 14. Benny Flynn 371 15. Colin Lyons 374 16. Ray Kelly 375 17. Kieran Cahill 377 18. George Tutty 386 19. Mark Vespa 392 20. Kevin Healy 409.

HAPPY 2002 FROM THE CLUB OF 2002



Pictured above are well known Waterford runners Fergie Nolan, Ray Murray and Pat Hennessey who having a combined age of 2002 would like to wish all athletic enthusiasts a happy new year for the coming season 2002.

THIRTY YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

Michael Fitzgerald Wins In Butlerstown

Dungarvan A.C. runner Michael Fitzgerald, the sweep showed a clean pair of heels to his opponents in Butlerstown last Sunday Jan 9th 1972 when he came home a clear winner of the boys U-14 open race. A powerful runner in full flight, young Fitz finished ahead of Pat Gear St. John's Park and John Kelly of the newly formed Shamrocks A.C. in Knockanore. The team prize was won by Dungarvan A.C. with a scoring quartet of Michael Fitzgerald, Jim Meehan, Pat Tutty and John Organ. The U-12 race was won by Kevin Kenneally St. Nicholas A.C. from his club mate Liam Kelly with Dermot Cunningham Tramore A.C. in third spot St. Nicholas won the team award with John and Tomas Manahan being the other two members. Lisa Curran St. Nicholas was third in the girls U-12 race behind Breda Quilty St. Johns Park and M. Lyons Carrick-on-Suir. St. Nicholas A.C. Ring won the mens intermediate co. championship with a team of Ray Tracey, Paddy Kelly, Seamus O'Droma and Jimmy Walsh. On one of the rainiest days, weather wise, ever seen at a cross country fixture in the county, ever child and adult who ran must be highly complimented. It wasn't merely the winners who were made of stern stuff. A pool of freezing January rain water was availed of by the runners to wash the mud off their legs. The races were held on the lands, kindly put at the organisers disposal by Mr. Michael Hayes, the former Waterford All-Ireland hurler.

U.B. 40 +++!

Happy Birthday to club members Noel O'Doherty and Dan Dineen who celebrated major milestone birthdays over the Christmas period.

2001/2002 WINTER LEAGUE 5.7ml

Results Round 7 19/12/01

NAME & NO.	Time	NAME & NO.	Time
1 316 Pat Frisby	0:46:13	49 33 John Joe Wright	0:35:54
2 43 Brendan Donnelly	0:37:57	50 50 Alben O'Donoghue	0:35:55
3 197 Derek Truman	0:37:14	51 94 Brendan Landers	0:39:26
4 55 Norma Wall	0:43:17	52 282 Matt Kiely	0:41:27
5 84 Alan Ryan	0:34:19	53 45 Pat Dunford	0:36:29
6 60 David Sheehan	0:36:49	54 240 Luke Brennan	0:40:03
7 255 Benny Flynn	0:40:50	55 1 Dan Dinneen	0:48:34
8 26 Micheal O'Droma	0:40:52	56 10 Michael Deegan	0:43:35
9 31 Anthony Dwyer	0:35:53	57 6 Stephen Curran	0:44:06
10 8 Gerry Cantwell	0:34:57	58 93 Trevor Galvin	0:42:07
11 16 Ian Walsh	0:36:36	59 51 Patrick Ryan	0:44:40
12 201 Michelle Mernin	0:44:07	60 91 Michael Power	0:41:11
13 323 Edward Kelly	0:45:08	61 71 Martina Budds	0:53:20
14 29 Garret Byrne	0:36:13	62 70 Seamus Budds	0:43:51
15 49 Eilis Ni hAodha	0:39:44	63 9 Jim Flemming	0:35:52
16 90 Mark Vespa	0:39:45	64 44 Emmet Byrne	0:41:29
17 5 Brian Collins	0:36:17	65 54 Martin Houlihan	0:45:34
18 48 Breda Hayes	0:41:18	66 105 Moyra Curran	0:53:37
19 52 Ann Dunford	0:45:19	67 83 Tom Egan	0:37:17
20 37 Maurice Foley	0:38:50	68 98 Ray Dwyer	0:37:18
21 221 Colin Lyons	0:35:21	69 28 Padraig De Burca	0:43:22
22 102 Brendan Fitzgerald	0:35:21	70 64 Patrick Riordan	0:40:00
23 35 Tony Murray	0:38:52	71 56 Richie Power	0:37:42
24 38 Ray Kelly	0:35:22	72 74 John Clarke	0:42:47
25 42 Tony Shalloe	0:38:53	73 14 Tony Ryan	0:45:22
26 99 Kieran Cahill	0:45:24	74 47 Eddie Hayes	0:42:26
27 101 David Connors	0:40:55	75 58 Paul Casey	0:40:49
28 68 Brian Kirwan	0:41:28	76 118 Ann Power	0:46:02
29 57 Kevin Healy	0:38:59	77 11 Sheena Curran	0:53:36
30 25 Eamonn Phelan	0:37:30	78 63 Pat Bennett	0:50:39
31 3 Gerry O'Connor	0:41:01	79 62 Aine Kavanagh	0:51:40
32 12 Martin Sandford	0:36:32	80 65 Sean Bennett	0:51:41
33 61 Dermot Dwyer	0:36:33	81 7 Paul Keating	0:52:11
34 13 Liam Waters	0:38:34	82 40 James Ledingham	0:36:53
35 86 Conor Murray	0:35:36	83 21 Kevin Gough	0:51:40
36 20 Aidan Ahearne	0:39:37	84 22 Pat Curran	0:47:21
37 32 Martin Hayes	0:35:37	85 277 Laura Hogan	0:51:23
38 39 John Flynn	0:37:38		
39 30 George Tutty	0:40:08		
40 104 Tom Power	0:38:39		
41 41 Bonnie Mills	0:44:41		
42 69 Geraldine O'Connor	0:49:42		
43 4 Seamus O'Droma	0:45:14		
44 23 Don Sheil	0:45:15		
45 15 Geff Bullen	0:42:48		
46 76 Tom Hally	0:42:48		
47 18 Finbarr Kelly	0:35:19		
48 222 James Veale	0:34:20		

PHILIP HARTY SEVENTH IN CLONMEL

Well done to club member Philip Harty who was 7th in a top class 4 miles road race in Clonmel on St. Stephen's Day in a time of 20 mins 36 secs. The race was won by Irish Champion Seamus Power Clare in 18.55 and Philip's brother William was third in 19.20.

ALLROUNDER 3 MILE WINTER LEAGUE		RESULTS WEEK 7 19/12/01			
POS	NAME & RACE NO	TIME	POS	NAME & RACE NO	TIME
1	307 Conor Phelan	0:22:43	46	146 Rose Crotty	0:30:28
2	313 Eamonn Martin	0:25:31	47	236 Ger Hallinan	0:34:29
3	304 Patrick Doherty	0:30:26	48	137 Carol Elstead	0:29:30
4	306 Damien Kearns	0:30:33	49	213 Mossie Quinn	0:29:01
5	319 Johnny Cooney	0:28:01	50	127 Denise Nugent	0:29:33
6	322 Paul Condon	0:24:51	51	158 Kay O'Connell	0:36:04
7	279 Grace O'Donovan	0:32:58	52	286 Brian Curtin	0:25:05
8	312 Dennis O'Brien	0:22:31	53	130 Martina Murphy	0:27:06
9	295 Evie Sheehan	0:28:32	54	228 Michael Collins	0:22:37
10	107 Sharon Walsh	0:30:35	55	294 Jim Maher	0:23:09
11	242 Michael Roche	0:23:08	56	195 Mark Mason	0:36:11
12	298 Cathal O'HUallachain	0:22:19	57	126 Paula Nugent	0:28:43
13	147 Eoin Browne	0:22:01	58	119 Garvin Cummins	0:23:14
14	232 Pat Dalton	0:29:12	59	152 Emer Connery	0:21:46
15	227 Jim McGrath	0:26:03	60	161 Liam O'Droma	0:21:17
16	243 Michael Hennessey	0:24:12	61	165 Nicola Drummy	0:23:48
17	171 Jacinta Sheil	0:29:53	62	140 Michelle Power	0:25:21
18	122 Pauline Drohan	0:29:25	63	181 Helene Hayes	0:29:22
19	173 Jennifer Young	0:25:56	64	136 Paddy Power	0:23:24
20	133 Liam Sandford	0:25:58	65	156 Linda Bradfield	0:24:55
21	111 Sarah Hickey	0:29:30	66	185 Austin Hallahan	0:20:26
22	155 Tracey Kiely	0:27:01	67	115 Niamh Murphy	0:30:02
23	258 Mark Cliffe	0:23:32	68	189 Liam Moore	0:27:33
24	211 Martina Ryan	0:27:03	69	108 John Keane	0:28:11
25	112 Claire Ryan	0:29:34	70	154 Rachel Landers	0:26:44
26	285 Noel Hogan	0:26:05	71	266 Leonie Mulcahy	0:27:47
27	271 Oliver Crotty	0:30:07	72	149 Brian Byrne	0:22:18
28	248 Caroline Flynn	0:26:39	73	288 Wm O'Mahony	0:24:50
29	166 Lisa Mulcahy	0:23:40	74	167 Niall Collieran	0:20:51
30	200 Liam O'Lionain	0:19:11	75	225 Michael Dee (K)	0:22:53
31	172 Jackie Young	0:28:12	76	120 Mary White	0:33:54
32	292 Sarah Young	0:29:13	77	284 Pat Whyte	0:24:25
33	106 Owen Keane	0:25:14	78	151 Edmond Ledingham	0:23:50
34	121 Muriel Healy	0:28:45	79	125 Kevin Moroney	0:23:23
35	209 Mary Longan	0:27:15	80	183 Shane Power	0:21:16
36	214 Claire Murray	0:31:46	81	132 Thomas Duggan	0:26:52
37	220 Kevin Walsh	0:23:19	82	191 Michael Callaghan	0:26:53
38	217 Kieran Malher	0:23:20	83	272 Tommy Lynch	0:22:01
39	256 Stephen O'Connell	0:20:20	84	273 Ritchie Kiely	0:24:41
40	274 Austin Cooney	0:19:54	85	303 Tricia Ryan	0:31:11
41	270 Aisling McGrath	0:27:22	86	223 Jenny Kirwan	0:30:22
42	186 Aidan Dillon	0:21:23	87	289 Suzanne Walsh	0:46:22
43	187 Sean Walsh	0:21:55	88	141 Mary Ruordan	0:46:27
44	188 Brendan Mansfield	0:21:26	89	178 Anselm Hayes	0:29:17
45	150 Mary Shalloe	0:32:28			

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC NOTES

St. Stephen's Day Hospital Benefit A Huge Success

The local Christmas sporting calendar could well have a new permanent addition following the tremendous success of the inaugural four mile run and treasure hunt in aid of Dungarvan Hospital funds which was held on St. Stephen's Day.

Jointly organised by Dungarvan G.A.A. and West Waterford Athletic Club the event raised a sum of £2000 that is 2539.48 euros if you are reading this in the new year. Over 130 people participated on the day and the organisers would like to thank each and everyone of them as well as the stewards and the ladies who provided welcome refreshments afterwards. Though billed as a non competitive and participation orientated event this did not stop Martin Hayes from notching up the first win of his lengthy athletic career and he was full of running as he reached the G.A.A. grounds first at Clogherane. There was a real Christmas entry in the run as some of the stewards should have been runners and some of the runner should have stewards. There was a great response from the winter league runners while a large number of the G.A.A. clubs former greats also participated. A number of prizes were raffled among the participants in the run and the winners of the Waterford Crystal were Pat Dunford Colligan, Paul Keating Childers Estate and Nicola Dee Kilmacthomas. Other prizewinners were Thomas Duggan Comeragh

Crescent, Tommy Egan Springfield, Marty White Knockateemore, Adrian Armstrong Visitor, Michael Dee Kilmacthomas, Niamh O' Mahoney Sexton St, Tony Shalloe Ballintaylor and Martin McCarthy Springfield. Well done to the organisers Paddy Fitzgerald, Derek Lyons, Liam Dwyer and their helpers for a great days sport.

RUN AND WALK PARTICIPANTS

Seamus O Droma, Sandra Hanley, Ann Butler, Paul Keating, Michael Deegan, Jason Shaw, Mark Vespa, Pepe Ferncombe, Michael Roche, Martin Sandford, David Burke, Dermot Dwyer, Tracy Kiely, Michael Callaghan, Siobhan Power, Benny Flynn, Michael Dee, Tony Hamilton, Michael Burke Snr, Patrick Ryan, Tommy Egan, Caroline Flynn, Anthony Dwyer, Michael Burke Jun, Eddie Burke, Jamie Burke, Thomas Duggan, Pat Dalton, Tony Shalloe, Triona Shalloe, Eoin O' Riordan, Elizabeth Burke, Brian Shanahan, Michelle Clarke, Martin Hayes, Nicola Dee, Michael Dee K, Mary White, Adrian Armstrong, Pat White, Shay Young, Finbarr Kelly, John Joe Wright, Michelle Mernin, Lisa Mulc-

ahy, Aoife McGrath, Norma Wall, Martin McCarthy, Michelle McCarthy, Lorraine McCarthy, Brendan McCarthy, Kay McCarthy, Rachael Landers, Brendan Landers, Claire Fitzpatrick, Grainne Fitzgerald, Jacinta Sheil, Siobhan Mahoney, Moyra Curran, Pat Dunford, Dermot Dee, Brendan Donnelly, Jennifer Young, Eoin Cunningham, Paul Duggan, Sharon Duggan, Sean Duggan, Timmy Foley, Jackie Young, Conor Murphy, Sean Murphy, Sean Callaghan, Larry Murphy, Pat Curran, Tony Ryan, Breda Crotty, Mary Coleman, Catherine Lyons, Joanne Daly, Jackie Murphy, Martin Houlihan, Michael Dwyer, Liam Sandford, Liam Rossiter, Pat Sullivan, Tony O' Mahoney, Vinny O' Mahoney, Cormac O' Mahoney, Niamh O' Mahoney, Tony O' Mahoney Jun, Pat Terry and Aidan Ahearne.

TREASURE HUNT

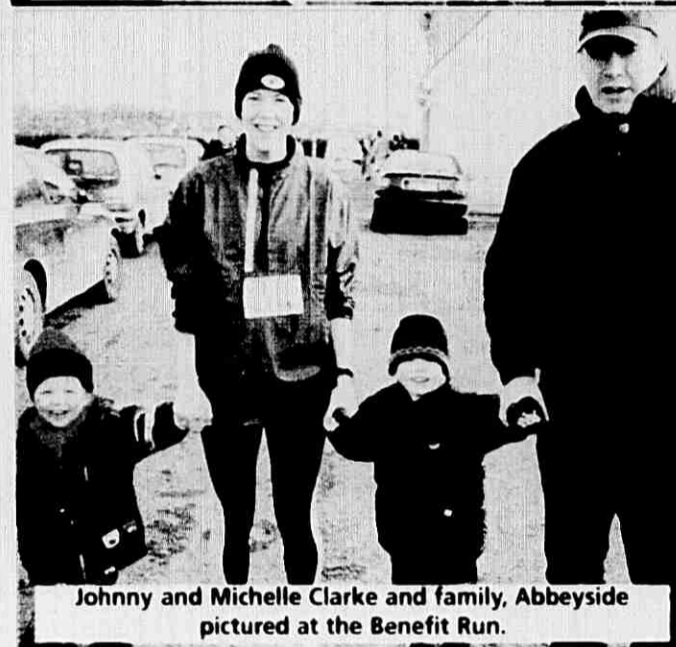
The seven teams in the treasure hunt really enjoyed themselves with mobile phones, fast walking, split teams, running, carrying and cars all being used to quickly collect the stickers at the ten landmarks around the town. In the end the childless, mobile phones and careless Pat Veale and Keith Radley were declared the winners in a time of 45 mins. The other teams were not in order of finishing 2. Pa. Teresa, Roisin and Maghriead Meehan 3. Louise Beresford, Pat and Ann Havard 4. Siobhan and Maeve Curran, Ann-Marie Norris and Paul Lenihan 5. Trish Veale, Susan Murphy and Orla Quinlan 6. Siobhan, Tony Sen and Jn. Cormac and Niamh O' Mahoney and team 7 Sharon and Sean Duggan and Deidre Murphy.

ANY CARDS OUT

All in all it was a very enjoyable morning allround with the Dungarvan hospital benefitting from the generosity of everyone. Anybody with cards not handed in are requested to do so as soon as possible so the final sum can be realised and presented to the fundraising committee at the hospital.



Pictured at the St. Stephen's Day Benefit Run were (l. to r.) Martin Hayes (Cloneey Villas), Tommy Egan (Springfield), Michael Dwyer (Ballinroad), Liam Sandford (Springfield) and Michael Deegan (Byrneville).



Johnny and Michelle Clarke and family, Abbeyside pictured at the Benefit Run.



OUT FOR A LOOK — Eamonn McCarthy (Springfield) and Donal O'Brien (Western Bay)

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to club member Derek Lyons and the Lyons family on the death of Mary Parker, South Terrace and to Connie Kelleher on the death of his aunt in Millstreet Co. Cork. Sincere sympathy is also extended to Eddie Moore McCarthyville on the recent death of his brother. May he rest in peace.

A.G.M. FRIDAY JAN. 11TH

The 9th annual general meeting of the West Waterford Athletic Club will be held on Friday January 11th in the Park Hotel starting at 8pm. 2001 was another busy and successful year and hopefully a large attendance will be present to review and discuss the past season.

FIRST 10 MILES IN 16 YEARS

The first 10 mile road race to be held in Dungarvan in sixteen years will take place on Sunday February 17th at 2 pm. When the Waterford Crystal ten mile will replace the usual Waterford Crystal 10 K. There is a great deal of interest in the build up to this race and a large number of runners will be attempting this distance for the first time. Race organiser is Finbarr Kelly and he can be contacted at 058-45860.

BALDY MAN 8K

The club was well represented in both the organisation and participation of the baldy man 8k fundraising event for the special Olympics which was held in Tramore last Friday in a huge entry of over 200 runners and walkers, Philip Harty was second to brother William in the senior event while Philis Flynn and Paul Stephenson won the ladies and junior categories respectively. Full report next issue.

MUNSTER EVENTS THIS SUNDAY

The club will have teams in action in the Munster intermediate and vets mens and ladies cross country championships in Ennis this Sunday. Notified runners are asked to contact the club about their availability on the day.

JOE GOUGH WINS MUNSTER TITLE

Well done to Joe Gough who won the Munster O-45 800 meters indoor title in Nenagh last Saturday in 2mins 10secs. Joe was also third in the 1500 meters final. Richie Power was third in both the scouts and 3000mts O-40 and Timmy Foley was second in the 3000 mts O-40. Well done to all three runners who made the effort to travel to Nenagh to represent the club a real indication of true club spirit.



Lady Participants — (l. to r.) Caroline Flynn (Dungarvan), Jackie Young (Abbeyside), Jacinta Sheil (Ballinroad) and Jennifer Young (Abbeyside).



Former Dungarvan Greats — Pictured at the Benefit Run were (l. to r.) Derek Lyons (Wolfe Tone Rd.), Martin Houlihan (Coolnagour), Pepe Ferncombe (Wolfe Tone Rd.), Tony Hamilton (Ring), Dermot Dee (St. Garvan's Tce.), Pat Sullivan (Dungarvan).

Touraneena News Ardmore G.A.A. Notes

LATE NED BURKE

On the morning of the 21st December 2001 the sad news that Ned Burke had passed away spread throughout the village of Touraneena and later to all parts of the county. The reaction was one of great sadness to have lost a great gentleman, a true sportsman and a great friend to the many people who knew him well.

Ned was born in 1913 and being the eldest of a large family had to learn fast how to make a living. He learned well from his father and mother who were most industrious people who reared their big family very well in tough times.

Ned worked his school leaving years with the Cullinane family in Touraneena and later joined the county council in their road making and maintenance section for the best part of forty years. He was a renowned worker. He met and married Alice Grant from Ballymacarbry more than fifty seven years ago and reared a wonderful family of five girls and two boys.

Ned was a most devoted husband and a loving and proud father and credit to his family they reciprocated that love to the highest degree.

Ned was well known in the area as one of the team who brought honour and glory to Sliabh gCua in 1936 by winning the county junior football championship wearing the No 9 jersey. Ned was chairman of the Touraneena GAA club during the eighties when they brought five county championships to the parish.

He was also the selector and close mentor to the teams during this golden era for Sliabh Gua. Ned with his wife Alice were very valued members of the Sliabh gCua set dancing team that brought clu agus cail to Touraneena by winning the All-Ireland set dancing championships for the first time in 1972.

Ned's involvement with the church in Touraneena will never be forgotten as he worked out so many roles over the years. He kept the church grounds in great condition all on his own when the work was really hard, briars and grass had to be cut with the bill hook. When the lawn mower came it was such a revolution.

Ned helped out his wife Alice who has been the sacristan for the past thirty seven years opening, closing, cleaning and decorating the church day after day, week after week for not too much reward.

Ned was the main collector in the church for years and was a familiar sight going about his business in that area of the church which to him and his friends was always seen to be as privileged place to hear Mass from. Ned took his roles in the church

always in a very serious vein none more than that of ringing the bell, half an hour before Mass a quarter of an hour before Mass for funerals, the angelus at twelve and again at six. When Ned was getting tired with the weight of years he trained and coached Larry Cliffe to take his place and by all accounts Larry has been an apt pupil.

Ned was very much an all round man and showed this by his participation in so much of the activity outside the church and the G.A.A. He was a member of the Darts club, the Gun Club, the former Athletic Club and helped to build the now defunct hand ball alley.

Ned is being missed naturally by his family but will be missed very much by the whole community and by all those who knew him.

Memories and very good memories of him will live on in the folklore of the parish of Touraneena. The removal of Ned from his residence and the funeral Mass for the repose of his soul will be remembered for many a year, a fitting tribute to a very good man.

The Touraneena choir were in full voice celebrating his life as indeed were all who took part in a very fitting tribute to one who was so dear to the community. As his coffin was being led down the church making its way to the burial plot where Ned was to join his beloved daughter Teresa.

Paddy O'Brien of international fame sang a beautiful refrain. The undertaker John Troy of Lismore a son-in-law of Ned's laid out the grave in a manner fit for a king, never was the likes of it seen before in Touraneena and then again seldom has the likes of Ned lived among us.

WLR LIONS CLUB CHRISTMAS HAMPER APPEAL

On the 15th December a fundraising night was held for the above appeal in Dunford's Bar. The theme of the night was Touraneena top 20 2001. A great night was had by all.

The organisers would like to thank all who helped out on the night: singers, money collectors etc. We would also like to thank members of the Dungarvan Lions Club present on the night Mike Brosnan, Tess Redmond and Paddy Kenny. A total of £340 was raised on the night.

CAPTAIN JACK O MARA TOURANEENA FIANNA FAIL CUMANN

The above Cumann would like to sympathise with the Burke family Touraneena on the recent death of our good friend Ned Burke.

Ned was a Cumann member for many years and at the time of his death he was honorary joint president. Ned was a great Cumann worker and when the meetings used to be held in the old hall, Ned would always have the hall ready and the fire lighting. It was from a proposal from Ned into the 80's that Captain Jack O Mara be included in the cumman name. Ned is our second joint president to die in 2001 as his good friend Danny Cotter died a few months earlier before the A.G.M. in March. May he rest in peace.

SLIABH gCUA LADIES GROUP

A reminder to all drama enthusiasts about the meeting to be held on Tuesday the 8th of January at 8.15 in the community centre. So anyone interested in starting a drama group ladies and gents please come along next Tuesday night.

A BRIDGE TOO FAR

Our gallant band of record breaking players left Walsh Park on Sunday bitterly disappointed following a comprehensive defeat at the hands of Mount Sion. We had expected the city team to be a better balanced outfit than ours and the absence of Billy and Niall O' really added to the imbalance.

For our part all the lads played their hearts out, but the months of hard slog had taken its toll and we just never got the breaks we so badly needed against a team of this calibre - and be warned, most of this Mount Sion team are under age again next year.

These lads have had a wonderful year and have given us all immense pleasure and pride. Patrick Conway, Seamus Prendergast and James O'Donnell have now graduated from the under 21 grade and what memories they'll have - under 21 B football medals from 1997 and under 21 A hurling and football last year and, of course, this year's football and Western hurling, as well as minor, under 16 and under 14, too numerous to list.

Added to that, Seamus captained the County under 21 footballers and James captained the Waterford under 21 hurlers and Patrick captained our own under 21's this year.

To all their mentors too we salute you and especially team trainers Tadhg Murphy and John Hennessy, your contribution has been huge. Thank you all for the thrills and enjoyment of a never to be forgotten 2001 for Ardmore.

THE AFTERMATH

Having commented on more than one occasion on

the lack of atmosphere after our various victories throughout the year, I got my answer on Sunday night. Outsiders might have expected an air of depression after our defeat, yet it turned out to be one of the most memorable nights ever in the parish.

It will be remembered long after the match is forgotten. Buoyed by a tremendous and pro-longed round of applause from our supporters during the after match speeches, the team and co. soon focussed on the end of a wonderful year. Straight to Kiely's Cross and the, by now, regular 'prawn cocktails et al' compliments of Ken and staff - thank you.

Unprecedented and impromptu speeches from the heart and a wonderful sing-song and it's not yet seven o'clock!! On to the Round Tower Hotel, first the early birds then the rest in dribs and drabs until the 'sweepers' arrived close to ten o'clock!! Again, Aidan and his staff served up a fabulous meal to the entire party - thank you too, followed by much more singing and even some dancing, until late.

What was really nice is that we were joined by players and supporters from a number of other clubs such as The Nire, Clashmore, Old Parish, Abbeyside just to mention a few. A fitting finale to a wonderful season. Roll on The Social.

THE SOCIAL

It's on Saturday week, January 12th at Lawlors Hotel. Tickets 16 Euro each. The decision to hold the social so early was made some time ago. Coming so soon after our season end will make it really special and it promises to be a super night. Don't miss it and please book your tickets early, from the usual sources, to make life easier for all.

With so much broad support at all our matches, we expect a huge crowd this year and remember, all are welcome. This will be a real Ardmore and Grange night out. See you there.

WELL DONE COLLIGAN

Nice to see Colligan - Kilgobnet pull off the Under 21 B title against Senior Club Ballygunner. Congratulations. This was a brilliant game of hurling and a great performance.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

We've hardly had time to say Happy Christmas, so on behalf of The Club and on my own behalf, I would like to extend seasons greetings to all our readers and especially to our supporters who are unable to be in their beloved Ardmore this Christmas. Let's hope 2K2 will be a prosperous and peaceful one for all and hopefully more silver ware for The Club.

The AGM.

Our Annual General Meeting has been postponed to Friday January 18th. With our last match running right into the festive period, we couldn't really get geared up for an AGM, so the sensible decision was to postpone it. Also, people did not have time to concentrate on nominations for the various officer positions and this will allow more space for this. At least I hope it will, because we desperately need more willing helpers to come forward and assist at this level. This is the most important aspect of the club and we should not expect the same few to 'carry the can' the whole time. We appeal especially to the parents of the young brigade to row in at this level, too. Nominations for various positions will now remain open until Sunday 13th - the day after The Social.

SCHOOL COACHING

The response has been wonderful and again we had a fine turn out for the course under the expert tuition of the maestro himself, Peter Power. He has given a lifetime of service to Waterford hurling and every youngster in West Waterford from 24 to 4 has great memories of his visits to the schools.

Now in addition to his school work, he is training us to train our own. And that enthusiasm and fun is still there, but make no mistake, he got the serious messages and the skills and safety measures across as well. A truly professional performance, under the watchful eye of Games Development Chairman, Pat Moore.

Of course Peter guided Ardmore to our last adult hurling success in 1989 and during that same year he began his school work in Ardmore and Grange, introducing those wonderful skills of the game to all of the stars of this years team. Didn't do a bad job, did he? So it's on to Football coaching next Thursday 3rd Jan, again in St. Declan's Hall. Track suits and runners at 7.00 p.m.

LOTTO

Sunday Dec 16th - numbers 6.10.19. No Jackpot winner Sabriena Fleming, Mossie Hallahan, Carol Morrissey, Sarah McGrath and Declan Hennessy were the £10 winners.

Sunday Dec 23rd 4.14.18. Aidan Quirke was the lucky and also a generous winner. Being Christmas, we also gave five £10 consolations to the following winners: Maura Hourigan, Seamus Cashman, Noel Conway, Declan Hennessy, Chrissie Whelan.

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy to the Irwin family on the sad death of Eddie Irwin. May he rest in peace.

Dungarvan Utd. Schoolboys Notes

U-15 LEAGUE DUNGARVAN V WATERFORD CRYSTAL

The last time both teams played Waterford Crystal ended up winning 3-1. So this time around the blues had to get out of the traps early in order to strengthen their league position and they did so in a determined fashion by attacking the visitors from the first whistle. John Byrne was the first to test their keeper with a fine 20 yard effort. In reply Crystal struck the home sides crossbar following a corner. J. O'Keefe and Andrew Murphy were a constant threat down the wings and it was O'Keefe who put the blues ahead when he coolly fired past the keeper. Dungarvan were always aware of the threat Crystal posed on the break. J. Cullinan was playing very well up front and as the centre of a lot of the blues attacks his reward was to put

Mark Flynn through with a great ball to finish with a fantastic effort. From here the blues work rate slackened and this allowed Crystal to pull a goal back. Time slowly ran out for the visitors and Dungarvan ran out worthy winners. Team was: J. Reynolds, B. Scanton, I. Duggan, T. Lynch, C.R. Power, S. Whelan, J. Byrne, J. O'Keefe, A. Murphy, M. O'Mahony, U. Cullinan. Subs: M. Flynn for Whelan, B. Foley for O'Mahony. Not used: K. Wall, A. Tobin, J. Regan.

U-11 LEAGUE DUNGARVAN V BOHS

On one of the coldest mornings this year ten of our U-11 panel took to the pitch to play Bohs in our last game this year. Despite being a player short and the bitter cold these boys went out and played their hearts out for the blue jersey that they are proud to wear. Despite going a goal

down to a blatantly offside goal the blues fought back to draw level with a superb goal from Neil Fitzgerald. Both sides played some good football and had good chances. Excellent goalkeeping from Colm Curran prevented Bohs from increasing the score line.

We were unlucky to concede two more goals before the end. Despite this loss it was great to see the spirit and commitment these young boys have and if they continue to play together, they will be a team to be reckoned with in the future. Team was: Colm Curran, Kealen Hayes (Capt.) Sean Browne, David Walsh, Kenneth Moore, Mickey Byrnes, Cormac Curran, Liam Sheehan, Peter Marriette, Neil Fitzgerald.

FIXTURES

Bohs V Dungarvan 5th January U-12 10/30. Seaview V Dungarvan 5th January 14 11/45.

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Dungarvan Sea Angling Club members present a cheque to the Wheelchair Association. Also included in photo are friends and members. On display are some of the trophies the Wheelchair Association have won in fishing competitions



LADY ANGLER (sponsored by Park House) — Left to right: Pat Buckley, Chairman Dungarvan Sea Angling Club, Eileen Fennell (Lady Angler winner) and Martin Ferncombe (sponsor).



JUVENILE ANGLER (sponsored by Damien Dillon, Architects) — Left to right: Sev Baumann (sponsor) and President Dungarvan Sea Angling Club, Sean Hackett (Juvenile Angler winner) and Damien Dillon (sponsor).



MASTER ANGLER (sponsored by Eden Garden Centre) — Left to right: Pat Buckley, Chairman Dungarvan Sea Angling Club, John Cronin (Master Angler winner) and Phyllis McGuinness (sponsor).



GREATEST VARIETY (sponsored by Waterford Fish Products) — Left to right: Pat Buckley, Chairman Dungarvan Sea Angling Club, David Leahy (Greatest Variety winner) and Seamus Corcoran (sponsor).



GREATEST NUMBER OF LING (sponsored by Bank of Ireland) — Left to right: Sev Baumann, President Dungarvan Sea Angling Club, David Rylands (Greatest number of Ling) and Pat Buckley, Chairman Dungarvan Sea Angling Club.



SKIPPER'S PRIZE (sponsored by Baumann's Jewellers) — Left to right: Sev Baumann (sponsor) and President Dungarvan Sea Angling Club, Johnny Lyons (skippers prize) and Pat Buckley, Chairman Dungarvan Sea Angling Club.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE ROUND-UP

HEAVY FROST HITS FIXTURES

Yes the Sunday prior to Christmas saw the heavy frost reduce the big fixture list to a handful of games. The Youths league games in Castlelyons and Kilworth did however go ahead.

RESULTS OF PREMIER LEAGUE

**Gortroe 1
Valley Rangers 4**

This was the only premier league game to take place and the result here will please the Valley Rangers club. Rangers led 1-0 at the break after a very close first half. Indeed the goal did not come until 5 mins before the break. The second half saw Rangers get on top and go into a 3-0 lead midway through the second half. Guy Malone did pull a goal back for the homeside after 73 mins but Rangers restored their three goal advantage 5 min later and so ran out convincing winners.

DIVISION ONE

Christmas Cracker In Ballymacoda

Indeed it was a real cracker when the local Ballybridge Utd defeated their visitors from Araglen by 4 goals to 3. Inch hit An Gaeltacht for six while the North Cork derby saw Kilworth run out winners.

RESULTS

**Accrington Celtic 0
Kilworth Celtic 3**

This local North Cork derby saw Kilworth come out on top. A first half goal from Tommy Seymore was enough to see Kilworth go in at the break leading 1-0. Seymore was again on target in the second half and Brian Gill also found the net for the visitors who clinched three very valuable league points.

Inch 6 An Gaeltacht 1

Inch went on a scoring spree at home the Sunday before Christmas. Two first half goals from Tommy Collins and Paul Ryan saw the homeside go in at the break leading 2-0. Ryan grabbed two more in the second half to secure his hat trick while William Joyce also scored twice to give the homeside a big victory.

**Ballybridge Utd 4
Araglen Celtic 3**

This was a highly entertaining game with both teams playing very attractive football and seven goals to keep the fans on their toe right down to the final whistle. Celtic opened the scoring after 6 min but the homeside drew level in the 16th min thanks to a John Flavin goal. Mark Hodnett put Utd in front in the 38th min but Celtic struck their second with just 2 min to go to the break. Celtic restored their one goal advantage after 46min. However, the homeside never gave up and goals from James Ryan 71st min and the winning goal from Ryan again in the 89th min saw Utd clinch the points after a real thrilling match.

FROST STRIKES AGAIN

For the second week running a heavy frost saw some of our games fall by the wayside. A real thriller took place in Ardmore while the premier league leaders were held to a scoreless draw in Lismore. An Gaeltacht had a big away win in Division one while in the same division the local East Cork derby finished level at 2-2 between Ballybridge Utd and Inch.

RESULTS

Gortroe 0 Ballyduff 4

The first half here saw both sides failing to take some good chances. The visitors did go in front just before the break. The second half however saw Ballyduff get on top and go on to dominate this half scoring three further goals to run out convincing winners.

**Ardmore 2
Valley Rangers 3**

Ardmore fielded their strongest team to date on Sunday last where one of the favourites for the league title Valley Rangers were the visitors. Ardmore were on top in the opening half. The homeside went in front thanks to a great goal from Cathal Hennessey. Shortly afterwards Rangers should have been back on level terms but with the keeper beaten Terence Rumley's piledriver rebounded off the post and was cleared. At the break Hennessey's goal still separated the sides. The second half saw both sides up the tempo of the game and the fans were treated to a real thriller. Rangers were back on level terms after 48th min and went in front ten minutes later. The homeside stormed back and Anthony Aherne brought the sides level once again. Rangers struck the winning goal with just 4 min remaining to clinch all three points after a very entertaining game.

Lismore 0 Cappoquin 0

League leaders Cappoquin travelled to neighbours Lismore on Sunday afternoon hoping to continue their winning ways. Lismore were also looking for the points as they too are hoping for a good league run. It was a day however when both defences were on top and the game itself failed to reach any great heights.

Both sides did create a few chances but neither side failed to convert them. Overall perhaps Cappoquin will be happy enough to go home with a point.

DIVISION ONE

Mogeely 2 An Gaeltacht 4

No shortage of goals here. An Gaeltacht led 2-0 at the break.

The visitors will be well pleased with this victory but the homeside are finding the going tough this season and must be now thinking about dropping down to Div. two unless their results change quickly.

Ballybridge Utd 2 Inch 2

This game was put back till one o'clock due to the frost and when the game did take place it

proved to be an entertaining one.

The opening half saw the homeside well on top but the visitors opened the scoring after just 5 minutes.

The homeside responded almost immediately and Keith O'Driscoll had them back on level terms a minute later. At the break the sides were level at 1-1.

The visitors regained their one goal lead 2 mins into the second half but O'Driscoll became Utd's hero when he scored his second and Utd's equaliser in the 71st minute. At the final whistle both sides had to settle for a share of the points.

U-18 LEAGUE ROUND-UP

Wins For Castlebridge & Kilworth

It was a case of two home wins in the U-18 league which is now at the half way stage.

RESULTS

**Castlebridge Celtic 4
Gortroe 1**

Celtic had a good home win over East Cork side Gortroe. This was Celtic's second victory in a row and they will be hoping to continue this run over the festive season.

**Kilworth Celtic 2
Araglen Celtic 1**

This local derby meeting of the two Celts saw Kilworth come out on top after a very close affair.

U-18 CUP DRAW

First Round - Araglen Celtic v Brideview Utd. semi-final winners of above v Kilworth Celtic. Castlebridge Celtic v Gortroe.

The first round game will take place on January 20th.

The two semi-finals will take place on January 27th. The final will take place on February 3rd.



Tom Kiely, Modeligo, is the winner of the car, (kindly supplied by Hornibrooks, Main Toyota Dealer, Lismore) in the 5th Co-op Draw of the Red House League. Pictured at the presentation of the car in Hornibrooks were (l to r) Stanley Hornibrook, Paddy Pollard, Chairman RHL, Tom Kiely, winner, Bridget Kiely, Roy Ware, Modeligo team manager, John Foley, Modeligo FC, Michael McBride, Secretary RHL, Bill Lee, Sales, Hornibrooks, Pat Casey, Treasurer RHL and John Hourigan, seller of the winning ticket.

(Photo: Sean Byrne)

MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP PREVIEW

Big Game In Conna

This coming Sunday should see a big number of fans turning up for what should be a real cracker of a game between local side Valley Rangers and champions of Clare Bunratty.

Rangers were tested in Ardmore on Sunday last and came true in real championship form. This was a great game for Rangers before their big game on Sunday.

It's hard to forecast this game as very little is known of Bunratty. However, if the likes of Shane Fitzgerald, Shane Kearney, Ter Rumley etc can produce their top form then Rangers could be celebrating on Sunday night. We wish them well on Sunday.

PREMIER LEAGUE PREVIEW

Cappoquin Looking For Home Win

Cappoquin will be hoping to get back to winning ways on Sunday next with a home win. We have a very attractive local derby in Lismore where Brideview Utd are the visitors. Gortroe are hosts to Ardmore where the visitors could collect the points.

DIVISION ONE

East Cork Derby In Mogeely

On Sunday next we have a very attractive East Cork derby where the homeside Mogeely face neighbours Inch. There are home games for Pinewood Rangers, Kilworth Celtic and Accrington Celtic.

DIVISION TWO

Affane To Collect The Points

There is just one game in Div. two on Sunday and this is a game that fell foul to the frost prior to Christmas. Brideview Utd are the visitors to Affane where the homeside should collect the points.

Fixtures

SUNDAY JANUARY 6TH

Munster Junior Cup — kick off 2 pm. Valley Rangers v Bunratty. Ref J. Griffen. Linesmen W. Collins and E. O'Shea.

Premier League — Lismore v Brideview Utd, kick off 11.30 am. Ref N. O'Donoghue. Cappoquin v Castlebridge Celtic, kick off 11.00 am. Ref. E. O'Shea. Gortroe v Ardmore, kick off 11.30 am. Ref. T. Sullivan.

Division One — All games kick off at 11.30 am. — Pinewood Rangers v Ballybridge Utd. Ref L. Fraser. Kilworth Celtic v Araglen Celtic. Ref. P. Marks. Accrington Celtic v An Gaeltacht. Ref. M. Hartnett. Mogeely v Inch. Ref. M. Condon.

Division Two — Affane v Brideview Utd, kick off 11.00 am. Ref. W. Collins.

Youths League — Brideview Utd v Araglen Celtic, kick off 2.30 pm. Ref. M. Condon. Gortroe v Castlebridge Celtic, kick off 1.30 pm. Ref. T. Sullivan.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE MEETING

This Monday night January 7th where the draw for the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup will take place. It's vital that all clubs attend this meeting as there is a big agenda down for discussion. The draw for the above Cup will be waited for with interest by all clubs. It's always a great competition where all clubs give their all and I'm sure this season will be no different. No doubt there will be one or two draws which will draw gasps from the floor. We wish everyone the best of luck.

Red House League Results

Sunday December 23rd

PREMIER DIV.

Gortroe 1 Valley Rangers 4

DIVISION ONE

Accrington Celtic 0 Kilworth Celtic 3
Ballybridge Utd 4 Araglen Celtic 3
Inch 6 An Gaeltacht 1.

U-18 LEAGUE

Castlebridge Celtic 4 Gortroe 1
Kilworth Celtic 2 Araglen Celtic 1
All other games off due to frost.

Red House League Results for Sunday December 30th

Many games off due to frost.

PREMIER LEAGUE

Ardmore 2 Valley Rangers 3
Lismore 0 Cappoquin 0
Gortroe 0 Ballyduff 4

DIVISION ONE

Mogeely 2 An Gaeltacht 4
Ballybridge Utd 2 Inch 2.

YOUTHS LEAGUE

Araglen Celtic 0 Castlebridge Celtic 3.

CAPPOQUIN UNDER 12 HURLERS



Cappoquin Under 12 Hurlers who defeated Roanmore in the final of the "Blackwater House Cup" in a thrilling final at the Sportsfield earlier in the year.

Cappoquin Notes

RAILWAY ATHLETIC F.C. NOTES

Under 16 League Portlaw 4 Railway 0

Played on the 22nd December in Portlaw our under 16 side suffered a very heavy defeat. Going into the game short Pat Quinn, Stephen Kett and Shane Bennett, the overall strength of the home-side proved too much.

The first half was even enough with both sides having a go. Shane Kelly was very unlucky with an effort in the 22nd minute when after a great run his effort came off the post and went wide. Ivan McLoughlin and Mossie Collins also came close with good attempts but the half time score was 0-0.

Straight from the kick off Portlaw scored and it was obvious from then on who were up for the game more. Portlaw made it 2-0 in the 55th minute following a defensive mix up. It was 3-0 in the 67th minute when their centre forward scored a good header from a corner and it was 4-0 two minutes later when their centre half scored after running with the ball from the half way line. Railway had half chances during this period and could have had a goal with 5 minutes to go, when after Shane Kelly was taken down in the box Keith Landers blitzed over from the spot kick, summing up Railway's day as a whole.

The lads will be disappointed with this result but in under-age football you need all your team there and especially the guys up on the age. Heads up lads, hopefully with a full team and a bit of luck, things might change the next day, which is at home to league leaders, Carrick on

Saturday January 5th.

Railway: Noel Buckley, Adrian Cliffe, Keith Landers, Shane Power, Jason Hodnett, Darren Hamilton, Derek Browne, Mossie Collins, Paul McGrath, Shane Kelly, Ivan McLoughlin (capt), Subs David Kett for Hamilton, Daniel Dransfield for Cliffe.

Club Lotto Reaches £2,300 (€2,920.40)

There was no winner in the club lotto which was held in the Tavern on Sunday 23rd December. The numbers drawn were 18-25-29. The 4 £10 consolation winners were Kevin Foley, Melleray Rd., Lorraine McCormack, Tallow, Daniel Dransfield, Tourin and P. Moloney, c/o The Tavern.

The next draw will be held in Fawly's on Monday 7th January where the lotto will be a massive £2,300, so get your tickets in while you have a chance. By the way the price of the lotto will be £1.50 for the new year.

Welcome Home

It was good to see two former great and loyal players, in Dermi Coughlan and Jason Fleming home on holidays for Christmas. Both went on the club day out to Ardmore and had a great time by all accounts. Both players are a savage loss to the club, but both always keep in touch with club affairs when home.

Previews

Guggs and Gary's Div. 2B side play their first league game in over 2 months when they play at home to league leaders Ferrybank on Saturday January 5th at 2.15 pm. The lads have 1 point from

two games, but will be hoping to get something out of a game against a very strong side. After playing such few games it's very hard for a team to get together, but hopefully the lads will be fresh and hungry for the game.

On Sunday January 6th Martin Reddy's Div. 1A side play away to last seasons champions Johnville. The lads have 4 points from 3 games and after their promising performance against Dungarvan a few weeks ago, the lads will be hoping for a win and hopefully a good performance, which will keep them in touch with early leaders.

Training

Training resumes for all players on Wednesday January 2nd and Friday Jan 4th. Wednesday: 7 - 8 under 15 and under 16's. 8 pm all juniors. Friday 8 pm all juniors.

It's very important that we get all players back training as there is plenty of football to be played in both junior leagues and also in school-boy football. It's vitally important that we get all juniors training, as its the same few faces every week, so c'mon lads, everyone get back training and anything is possible for the New Year.

Fixtures

Saturday January 5th under 16 home to Carrick at 2.30 pm. Players to be at pitch by 1.45 pm. Division 2B home to Ferrybank at 2.15 pm. Players to be at pitch by 1.30 pm.

Sunday January 6th Division 1A Away to Johnville at 11 am. Players to leave Square at 9.30 am.

Aistoiri an tSean Phobail present "Sive"

The first production of John B. Keane's play, "Sive", was in Listowel in 1959. I was fifteen at the time and a student at the College of Technology in Dublin, in a world different from Sive, filled with mathematics and science, the excitement of the space age, the wild evolving world of rock and roll, movies such as "Jazz on a Summers Day" and "Lolita".

But there was a connection. My friend and classmate was from Listowel. He would talk to me about John B. Keane, the Listowel Amateur Drama Group (which seemed to involve everyone in Listowel one way or another). Brian McMahon and Joan Denise Moriarty. I found it hard to understand his preoccupation, he talked like a whole new universe was being created in his small town.

A couple of years later, I was invited to his home for the Easter weekend and set off on my motorbike, a 110cc single cylinder Moto Guzzi, sold under the exotic name "Gigolo". It was a slow journey across Ireland and well dark before I got near my destination. The beam of the headlight confined my chilled world to a short strip of tarmac and an enclosing hedge each side of the narrow road. Somewhere at the limits of the headlamp beam, I saw an eerie, strange shape move in the road. I had thoughts of ghosts, banshees and God knows what as I slammed on the brakes. I came to halt a little way short of a black and white cow.

My visit to Listowel is still memorable. It was new to see, at one remove, the kind of tension that seems inevitably to exist between father and teenage son. Another tension seemed to run through the main street of the town past John B. Keane's pub and on to the square and the church. Then there was my friend's sister who was a few years younger. To paraphrase John B's great poem of exile, she "stole my heart away". But at seventeen, I was too old. Forty years later, I am in Old Parish and sitting around a blazing fire in Sheila and Paddy Joe Mahoney's house one winters evening. I'm there because Declan Terry has gone unusually mad and thinks I might be good in the part of Carthalawn in his production of Sive. The fact that I have never seen the play, never had anything to do with theatre (apart from enjoying it as one of the audience), that I never sing in public and also can't play the Bodhrain - all my protestations in other words, seems to leave him unworried. So the assembled group start to read through Sive and right away it is I who am impressed. Sheila, who is only reading the part for the night, has it off perfectly! By the second rehearsal, in the upper room of Kiely's Cross Pub, the acting is electrifying. The cast have their lines almost perfect and the tension in the play is ripping through the small room. Now I'm certain that I'm out of my depth. Declan seems to get the same idea, my repeated suggestions that he can surely find someone better for Carthalawn are at last graciously accepted!

So what is John B's play all these years later, does it stand up, this strange, emotionally violent and brutal play about what must surely be a long gone Ireland? When Declan gave me a copy, the things that struck me on first reading were largely negative and questioning ones. I thought the matchmaker, Thomasheen, might have done nicely as a prospective TD, probably making it to Government Minister. John B. shows him with all the qualifications which

seem most essential (for some at least) - he is single-minded, looking to the short term objective, knows how to manipulate people and keeps his eye on making the deal. A plausible character, drawn without sympathy.

I didn't like his portrayal of the old farmer, Sean Dota. This character is presented without any depth, understanding and certainly with no sympathy for his predicament. You could also accuse John B. of "Ageism" - I'm older now and very hot on this aspect of political correctness! Picasso was fathering children at about the same time as the play was written and in roughly the same age bracket as Sean Dota, but have you ever heard anyone express outright disgust about Picasso? Of course, unlike Sean Dota, Picasso had the advantage not just of money, but also genius, an education, lots of charm with women, lots of women. And John B's notion of love versus sexual desire, as put forward here through the character of the young lover, Liam Scuab, is also questionable.

John B. like all good story tellers, concentrates on the main protagonists in the drama, those who carry it forward. Both Sean Dota and Liam Scuab are almost peripheral to what is going on, but both are central to the story. The portrayal of the old man and the young man as being totally different is pushed to extremes by John B. in contrasting sexual desire without love and romantic love. Surely romantic love is based on sexual desire, they don't really separate.

So is the play simply about some notion of true love denied, that between Liam Scuab and Sive? Yet John B. uses the character Mike to suggest that even this may not be as uncomplicated as it first seems. Is the play about the desire for money, on the part of Thomasheen and Mena - an understandable enough idea as the play is set, brutal though it seems. Does the play have any meaning at all for us in this post-celtic-tiger, multi-cultural country of ours where the events portrayed seem so totally alien?

In essence, John B. Keane uses his shocking story to examine the whole problem of what love should be and to say how the young should not be traded for sex or money. And before you say this is banal and obvious, just look around you at the world we have constructed. Young people are sold on the lifestyle of sex without love. Where are the voices for romantic love?

We need to pay attention to this play, it gives us a message through an extremely brutal and shocking story which sits uncomfortably in the so-called liberal, enlightened world of today. No, you can't dismiss this as a play confined to a rural Ireland that is long dead and gone - it is here to haunt us as we look about us and see what we have done. It is surely one of the marks of a work of genius, that it can speak to us forty years after it was written. Take the opportunity to see this play, you will see an electrifying performance which will leave you breathless with its passion and astounded by its professional quality. Sive will be performed on Friday, January 11 and Sunday, January 13, 2002 at 8.00 pm sharp in Halla Naomh Colmain, Old Parish by Aistoiri an tSean Phobail. Tickets are available from Margaret by phoning (058) 46123. Don't miss it. — Val Rossiter, Old Parish.

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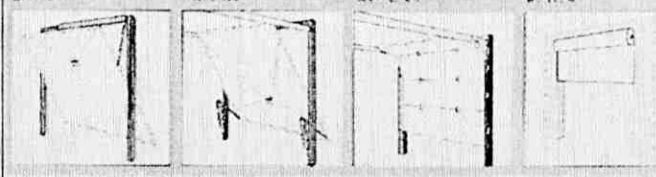


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