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Local Fireman Noel Moynihan, retires after 24yrs service with the Dungarvan Fire Brigrade. Picture taken with his colleagues at the Dungarvan Fire Station, prior to a special function in the Park Hotel. Seated (I. to r.) Tommy Wade, Paul Moynihan, Noel Moynihan and his wife Terry, Phillip Dunne and Donal Murphy. Standing (I. to r.) Georgie Hamilton, Ernie Keegan, Pat Flynn, Martin O'Sullivan, Johnny Clark, Brendan Morrissey and Pat Morrissey. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

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Feile na nDeise is making a welcome return to Dungarvan after a brief one year absence, with a large number of visitors predicted to pack the town over the May bank holiday weekend.

Organised by a team of upwards of 200 volunteers the popular festival is expected to attract thousands of visitors to the streets, pubs and hotels of Dungarvan over the course of the festival.

Believed to be worth at least 1.9m to the local economy each year, the 2001 Feile was cancelled due to the Foot and Mouth crisis. But, with no such problems, this year, the successful start



to the tourism season, which has already seen large numbers attracted to Dungarvan for the St. Patrick's Day parade, looks set to further improve.

Hotels and other tourism related industries have already said there has been a growing interest in the weeks leading up to this years Feile and predict an increased growth in the visitor numbers to the town.

Michael Burke, proprietor of Lawlors Hotel, welcomed the return of Feile na nDeise saying that its benefits are far reaching.

"There's a great buzz in the town and the streets are alive with music. There's no doubt it also brings a lot of extra people to the town and everyone gets a benefit", he said.

Mr. Burke added that each year the Feile has given the town an extra boost in the run-up to the summer season.

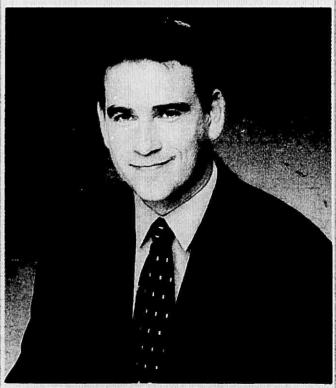
The event, which is widely hailed as the biggest and most popular of its kind in the country, will kick off on CONTINUED ON PAGE 9

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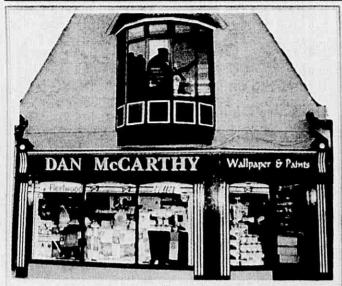
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Dungarvan Student Takes Top Texaco Art Award





Judith, daughter of Rose and Sean Whelan, Twomilebridge, Dungarvan, and Paul, son of Lily and John Joe Sheehan, Springmeadow, Dungarvan who were married recently in St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan. The celebrant was Fr. Michael Enright, assisted by Fr. O'Mahoney, P.P. The reception was held in The Park Hotel. —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

12 year old student Dean O'Brien, a pupil at St. John's Special School, Dungarvan is one of the top prize winners in this year's Texaco Children's Art Competition. His painting entitled 'The Black Water' won first prize in category G of the competition.

Three other students from St. John's Special School won special merit awards. They are 9 year old Catherine Murray, 17 year old Katrina O'Sullivan and 14 year old Sean Stillwell. In winning his award, Dean's painting was chosen from over 50,000 entries submitted by over 1,500 primary and second level schools throughout Ireland, north and south, involving students from as young as 4 up to 18 years.

Next month, Dean will join with all of the winners to be presented with their awards at a special ceremony in Dublin.

A Picture above shows 12 year old student Dean O'Brien (second right), a pupil at St. John's Special School, Dungarvan, shows his painting entitled 'The Black Water' which won first prize in category G of this year's Texaco Children's Art Competition. Pictured with Dean are his parents Cindy and John and sisters Lorna and Linda.

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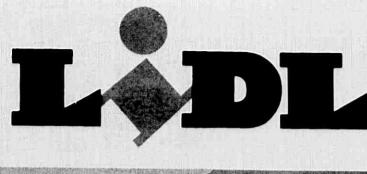
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Dungarvan Museum Among World's It is quite an achievement for a small local museum to be

able to compete with large museums on an international stage. At the sixth annual Museums and the Web conference (held in Boston), Dungarvan Museum's web site www.dungarvanmuseum.org was short-listed in the Best Research Site category. To make the final short list Dungarvan Museum displaced web sites from the Smithsonian Institution and Harvard among others.

Also short listed along with Dungarvan Museum's web site were: Tate Online (Tate Galleries, UK), Division of Paleontology at the American Museum of Natural History, Black Wings: African American Pioneer Aviators (American National Air And Space Museum), EH Strickland Entomological Museum (University Of Alberta)

The winner of the award in Dungarvan Museum's category was the American Museum of Natural History.

At the moment the site has over 1000 pages on local history. The site uses text, video, photographs, virtual tours and downloads to explore many topics of local historical interest (the Famine, the Moresby Disaster, King John's Castle, Waterford Men in the Great War, War Of Independence etc.). The web site allows Dungarvan Museum to function as a publishing house for local historians. Publishing on-line is a cost free method for local historians to distribute articles to a larger audience than would normally be available to them. New articles are added on a regular basis. Between 800 and 1500 different people a week consult our on-line archive on West Waterford history and over 500 people from all over the world are members of our free electronic mailing list.

The web site was constructed at no charge by Martin and William Whelan of local web site design company Deise

Design (www.deisedesign.com) as their contribution to preserving Waterford's past. The site has been constructed using a content management system called Deiseditor developed by the Deise Design web consultancy over a two-year period. This content management system allows Dungarvan Museum Staff to publish their information online quickly

According to the Museums And The Web organisation the sites short listed support research on museum collections and provide excellent resources for researchers from any discipline. They are primarily aimed at on-line databases and search engines that provide detailed information for individuals and or groups. Reviewed web sites were marked according to the following criterion:

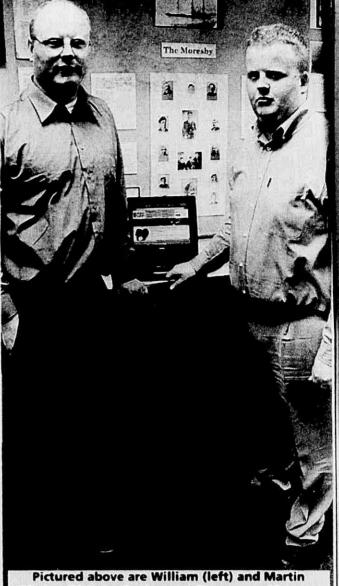
Ease of use for both experienced and novice researchers

Accuracy and depth of content Consistency of material

Currency of links and updates

Extent of links and references to other related resources

Dungarvan Museum Society, a voluntary non-profit organisation, was founded in 1982 to run museum. In 1999 the Museum moved to a new location at the old Town Hall in St. Augustine Street, Dungarvan, County Waterford. Dungarvan Museum is part funded by Waterford County Council.



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You can read further details about the Museums and the Web competition online at

http://www.archimuse.com/mw2002/

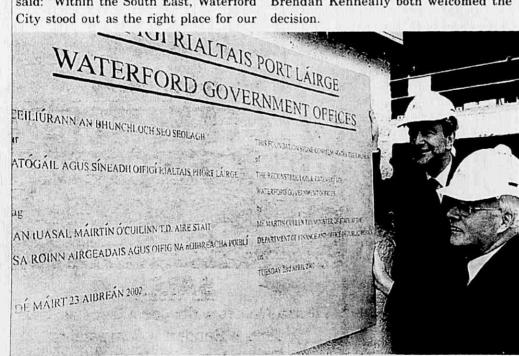
Revenue Commissioners To Locate South East Offices In Waterford

Chairman of the Revenue Commission- regional headquarters. ers, Frank Daly, announced that the com-Glen in Waterford City.

Mr. Daly, who is a native of Abbeyside said: "Within the South East, Waterford City stood out as the right place for our

It is the commercial and industrial cenmissioners' new South East Regional tre. The city sits at the heart of the great-Headquarters will be established in the est concentration of business activity within the region".

Minister Martin Cullen and Deputy Brendan Kenneally both welcomed the



Minister of State Martin Cullen T.D., together with Revenue Commissioners Chairman, Frank Daly (who is originally from Abbeyside, Dungarvan) at the commissioning of the Foundation Stone at Waterford Government Buildings, The Glen, where the Chairman of the Revenue Commissioners announced that their new South East Regional Headquarters will be established in Waterford and is to PHOTO: Gerry O'Carroll be located at The Glen.

Funding Set Aside For Development Of Dungarvan **District** Hospital

The South Eastern Health Board has set aside EUR 2.76m for the proposed development of St. Vincent's Hospital, Dungarvan from the indicative funding notified under the National Development Plan, Minister of State Dr. Moffat has announced.

Reply ing to a Dail question put down by Deputy Austin Deasy, Dr. Moffat added that a project

Austin Deasy

team has been established by the South Eastern Health Board for the proposed development at St. Vincent's Hospital which is in the process of drafting a planning brief.

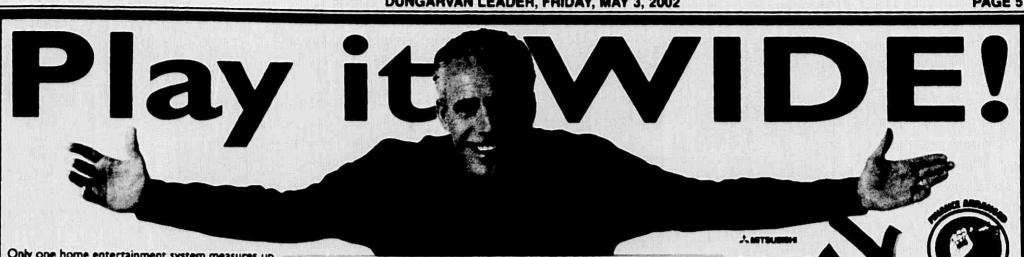
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- The job must be expected to last for at least 3
- You must be maintaining at least one child under 18 or up to 22 if in full-time education.
- If you are married or living with someone as husband and wife, hours worked by both of you must be combined.
- You must not be receiving Unemployment Benefit or Assistance or a qualified Adult Allowance.
- If you have a medical card it will not be affected.
- Your income must fall below certain limits in order to receive it. This ranges from 362 euros for a family with one child to 539 euros for a family of eight or more children.

To see if you qualify for FIS you must work out what your assessible income is i.e. gross pay minus tax. Employee PRSI, Health Contribution etc. If you have a partner you must do the same for him/her. If you fall below the income limits outlined above you will receive 60% of the difference between your income and the FIS limits. Take for example a family who have four children and a weekly income after deductions of 350 euros. Their FIS income limit is 438 euros. They will receive 60% of the difference between their income and the FIS limits i.e. difference is 88 euros x 60% = 53 euros per week FIS payment. Application forms are available from your local social welfare office, MABS or from the following: Family Income Supplement Section, Social Welfare Services Office, Ballinalee Road, Longford, Tel: 043-45211. Help in completing your FIS application form is also available at your local MABEL Office.

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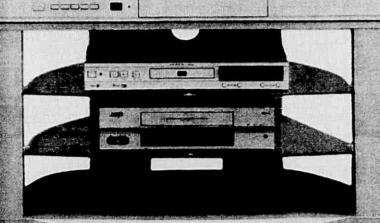


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Major Expenditure In Gaeltacht Area

Seamus O Domhnaill of Fianna Fail an tSean Phobail has been informed by Brendan Kenneally T.D. that a total of 43,290 Euro is to be spent on minor roads in the Gaeltacht area. The money has been allocated as follows 33,750 Euro ar Barra na Stuac, 6,748 Euro at Baile na Mona iochtarach and 2,892 Euro at Maoil 'a Choirne, An Rinn.

Matching Funds to the same amount will be provided by Waterford Co. Council.

When the Junior Minister for the Gaeltacht Mary Coughlan T.D. visited the area on November 9 the necessity for these improvements were pointed out to her and as a result the funding is now forthcoming.

Mr. Kenneally has also made application to Roinn na Gaeltachta regarding improvements to the roadway leading to Seaview from An Rinn. It is hoped to improve this roadway from the dangerous junction up to the old quarry at a projected cost of 1.5m Euro.



Deputy Kenneally is pleased to see that 70.000 Euro has been spent on the road leading to Loch Moin a

Also that the long awaited classroom at S.N. Baile Mhic Airt is almost ready for occupation.

All of these projects show the outgoing governments continued commitment to the Gaeltacht area.

Busy Weekend Ahead In The Old Market House Arts Centre

The Old Market House Arts Centre, Lower Main St., Dungarvan has put together a varied programme for this Féile na nDéise weekend. For families and people who want an alternative to the pub trail, the Arts Centre has worked with the committee of Féile to add this extra dimension to their festival.

Starting on this coming Friday 3rd May, Thomas McCarthy the award winning poet from Cappoquin will give a poetry reading at 8 pm, featuring work from 'The Turning Tide' - New Writing from Co. Waterford & his own work, also there will be a slot as Gaeilge from Aine Uí Fhoghlú as an Rinn - Adm. EUR 6

On Saturday the very successful exhibitions by Brid Ní Chionnfhaolaidh,

Frances Crowe & Scoil

Mhuire, Abbeyside are open from 10 am to 6 pm. Admis-

as always is free, as are the Spinning Wheel & Fly Tying demonstrations from

12 noon to 6 pm in the gallery. Neil de Burca will be holding sessions of

Storytelling Irish Style for Children at 12 noon, 2 pm & 3.30 pm - Admission is only EUR2. That evening there will be a lecture on our Viking Heritage at 7.30 pm -Admission is EUR 5.

On Sunday, before the Viking Invasion of Dungarvan, the Arts Centre will open from 12 noon to 2.30 pm for those who would like a look at the exhibitions. At 12 noon the visiting Welsh Choir will give a free performance in the Gallery.

For booking and further details you can contact the Arts Centre on 058/48944.

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The Lake of Stars

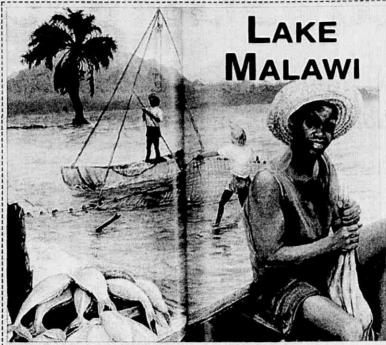
Tanzania that we have now reached is less developed than the northern and coastal areas. The people here are among the poorest in the world and live almost entirely on what they can farm from the land and trade with others.

It is in this area that the enormous Selous Game Reserve with its abundant wildlife and terrifying gorges, is found.

We cross one of these gorges as we pass through the reserve towards the Great Ruaha river to a close encounter with a crocodile.

We then leave the wilderness and head for the market in the town of Mbeya on our way to Malawi.

On the shores of Lake Malawi we visit a fishing community (Lake Malawi is so beautiful that the explorer Livingstone called it 'the lake of the stars').



Throughout Africa many people fish in the lakes and river for extra food. The people around Lake Malawi have also taken to fishing to add fish to their diet. All along the busy lake shores you will see men mending their nets and putting into crates ready for cleaning and gutting.

On the lake, boats prepare to cast their nets. Most of the fish is used for the families own needs but some is transported to town markets to sell.

There are over 200 species of fish in the lake and 9 out of 10 are only found in Lake Malawi. The cichlidae fish are the most common. They are called chambo and utaka by the local Nyanja people.

Stiegler's Gorge

The Selous Game Reserve is the biggest game reserve in the world. It is nearly three times the size of Wales! It is a wild place and has few visitors compared with other parks in the region.

It is well known for its large elephant population of around 100,000, but perhaps more famous for Stiegler's Gorge, where the Ruaha and Rufiji rivers meet.

There is a frightening cable car



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The Great Ruaha River

is managed by Tanzania National Parks (TANAPA) who are protecting this large patch of wilderness.

The great Ruaha river is the centre piece of the park and carves its way through the surrounding rocks, carving out the deep gorges

It is a good place to see the crocodiles that lurk in the river, waiting for their next meal to come along - make sure it's not you!



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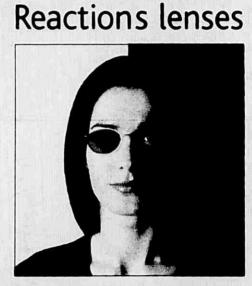


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Tasty Tuna Fishcakes

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This fish dish is quick and easy to make and it's a real winner with children and adults alike.

Ingredients:

(serves 4) 300g cooked potatoes 25g butter or margarine 300g tinned tuna, drained and flaked 2 x 15ml sp chopped fresh parsley Salt and pepper 2 beaten eggs 75g dry bread crumbs Oil for shallow frying Sprigs of parsley Lemon wedges.

Method:

Mash the potatoes with the butter or margarine and mix in the tuna, parsbeaten egg.

Chill the mixture in the



fridge for 20 minutes and then place on a floured surface and shape into a roll. Cut into eight slices and ley, salt and pepper to shape each into a flat round, taste together with half the measuring approximately 6 cm in diameter.

Dip the slices into the

remaining egg, then coat them with bread crumbs.

Heat the oil in a frying pan, add the fish cakes and fry for two or three minutes on each side or until they are golden brown and heated all the way through.

Garnish each fish cake with a parsley sprig and serve with lemon wedges.

TOP TIP: Serve with flavoured rice and your choice of vegetables for a really tasty treat for all the family.

Succulent Steak in a **Beer Sauce**

TASTY, succulent steak pieces, in a rich beer sauce served with rice.

Ingredients:

Serves 5-6 900g round steak Salt and pepper to taste

1 can beer 1/2 cup flour

3 x 15ml sp oil

3 x 15ml sp brown sugar

1 can beef bouillon 4 lemon slices

1 x 15ml sp parsley flakes

3 medium sliced onions 2 x 5ml sp thyme 2 clove minced garlic 2 cups cooked rice

FOR THE GARNISH: Green pepper slices Cherry tomatoes Fresh parsley

Cut the steak into serving size pieces. Brown on both sides in the 3 x 15ml spoons of oil to which you have added the lemon slices.

Remove the steak from the frying pan, and place in a large casserole dish.

Layer the onions and garlic over the meat. Sprinkle the flour over the top.

Now combine the bouillon, beer, sugar, parsley flakes, thyme, salt and pepper in a jug, and pour over the steak.

Bake uncovered in a 325°F/160°C oven for about three hours. Serve immediately over cooked rice. Use 225g of noodles if you prefer.

Garnish with the green pepper slices, fresh parsley and cherry tomatoes.

Delicious Giant Ginger Cookies

MELT-in-the-mouth giant ginger cookies, which taste delicious and won't pile on the pounds.

Ingredients:

Makes 25

41/2 cups flour

4 x 5ml sp ground ginger 2 x 5ml sp baking soda

11/2 x 5ml sp ground cinna-

1 x 5ml sp ground cloves 1/4 x 5ml sp salt

11/2 cups shortening 2 cups sugar

2 eggs 1/2 cup molasses 3/4 cup coarse sugar or

Method:

granulated sugar

In a medium sized mixing bowl stir together the flour, ginger, soda, cinnamon, cloves and salt, then set

In a large mixing bowl beat

the shortening until it's softened. Gradually add two cups of sugar, and beat until fluffy. Add the eggs and molasses, and beat well. Add half of flour mixture, then beat until combined. Stir in the remaining flour with a wooden spoon.

Using a quarter-cup ice cream scoop, shape the dough into 5cm balls. Roll the balls in the coarse sugar, then place on an ungreased cookie sheet about 6cm apart.

Bake at 350°F/175°C for 12-14 minutes or until cookies are light brown and puffed. Do not overbake or cookies will not be chewy. Let them stand for two minutes before transferring to a wire rack. Allow to cool.

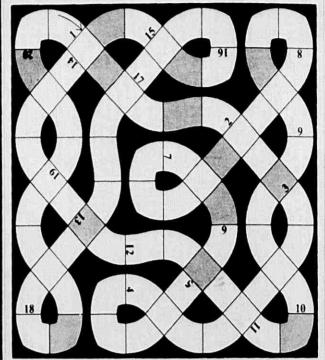
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The last letter of one answer is the first letter of the next. All letters are written upright; see example on the left. Once completed, write down the letters in the shaded cells each time you cross them, starting from No.1, to reveal the knotigram.



- 1 Malevolent (7)
- 2 Look inside visible error (4)
- 3 Firm decision (10)
- 4 Mexican goodies (6)
- 5 UK political organisation in opposition (1,1,1)
- 6 "A nightingale who sits in darkness and sings to cheer its own solitude with sweet sounds "P.B.S. (4)
- 7 One of the early pages of a book (5,5)
- 8 Preoccupy continually (6)
- 9 Nose rug confused the doctor
- 10 Indian leavened bread (3)
- 14 The beginning of something (4) 15 River which passes through

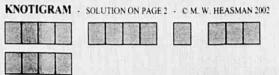
11 A pad placed under a saddle (6)

- Cairo (4)
- 16 Messaging system (5)

12 Colour (3)

13 Busy (7)

- 17 American blues/folk musician who served several prison terms for violent offences (9)
- 18 Grey nail twisted by racehorse
- 19 Intense sorrow (5)
- 20 Fourth note of a major scale (3)



Health Tips from "RemedieS"

Knotgrass

USES: Arthritis, Gout, Carpal Tunnel Syndrome.

Description: Knotgrass is one of the oldest traditional rem dies for arthritis and general joint inflammatory conditions. It appears as a weed in many countries and is difficult to era icate once established - like arthritis. That is because the plant has a strong root and runner system below soil level.

HOW IT WORKS: The active substance of Knotgrass has not yet been studied extensively. Knotgrass is known to contain silica, which can help to improve the elasticity and strength of connective tissues in the body, and particularly joints.

In addition, the plant appears to work as an anti-inflammatory agent by helping the body in the elimination of toxins.

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Kids Runners from €12.95 Mens Runners from €25.00 Mens Shoes from €14.95 all sizes Mens Safety Boots from €39.95 Kids Summer Sandles from €9.95 Ladies Canvas from €9.99 Ladies Slip on Mules from €17.99 Pool Sandles €8.95





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Power Plant Backers Win High Court Challenge

lenge taken against the Dun- of the Glanbis site has ruled

The long-awaited High garvan Energy backed Power out objections to the Integrat-Court judgement on the chal- Plant, to be situated on part ed Pollution Control Licence issued to the plant.

A spokesperson for the Environmental Protection Agency confirmed that a judgement was handed down in agreement with the agency on issuing the IPC license for the Power Plant.

The IPC licence was vital for the Power Plant's go- to Labour Deputy Brian ahead which had effectively been put on hold for the past 14 months.

Dungarvan Energy Ltd, a consortium of Irish businesses and Rolls Royce Power Ventures, has already spent €50m on the project, while another €35m has been set aside for the gas turbine and steam turbine/generators.

The Power Station also received planning permission from Dungarvan Town Council, along with the Integrated Pollution Control Licence, gas allocation and the "way leaves" for the electricity cables from the power station to the ESB sub-station near Radley's factory.

The company said the fund-

ing of €130m is in place for the completion of the project.

The decision should leave the path clear for the backers to begin work on the project which they say once underway, should take eighteen months to complete.

However, Dr. John O'Shea, Managing Director of the company, in correspondence O'Shea, stated problems also surround the pipeline to the plant. Bord Gais are seeking a contribution of €10m from Dungarvan Energy towards the proposed pipeline from Ardfinnan to Dungarvan.

However, he claims this is far above the industry norms and so far the energy company has made an unsuccessful offer of €4m.

Should the power plant get up and running, however, Dr. O'Shea claims it would generate an income for Bord Gais of €20m, while they could also net extra income from other businesses in Dungarvan and he is confident the remaining problems can be overcome.

St. Mary's **Primary School** Dungarvan

058-41346

ENROLMENT AFTERNOON FOR PARENTS

will take place on

Wednesday May 8th at 2 p.m. In School Assembly Area

ALL ARE WELCOME

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BUMPER FEILE

Friday May 3rd and run right through to Bank Holiday Mon-

Organisers of the events say that the Feile is an opportunity to promote Dungarvan to people from all over the country and beyond.

Along with bringing the best in traditional music to the area, the organisers say that showcasing Dungarvan and the surrounding areas to tourists was one of their main aims.

The main feature - a re-enactment of the Viking Invasion will take place in Dungarvan harbour, while a large spread of pubs and hotels will be hosting events as varied as puppetry and bucket singing to public nesses in Dungarvan.

music sessions and seanachai storytelling.

The Viking Invasion, meanwhile, will be brought to life by the well known "Irish History Live Group" who are based in Dublin, and will conclude in the Town Square, where organisers promise "the marauding warriors will turn the town into a Viking settlement, culminating in a fierce battle against the local braves".

Just seven years since the first Feile in 1995 the festival has continued to grow and remains one of the strongest and fastest growing festivals in the country and a significant boon to busi-

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Roar with the crowd with Gillette







OFFICIAL SPONSOR OF THE 2002 FIFA WORLD CUP Its that time again, when football fever grips the nation and fans watch with pride as our favourite boys in green prepare to head out to Japan for the 2002 FIFA World Cup. Celebrating 17 years of sponsorship, Gillette is offering you the chance to enter a world class competition

of your own.

Gillette has launched it's 'Roar with the Crowd' promotion in-store. Special light activated soundchips have been inserted into limited edition Gillette MACH3® razor and mini Arctic Ice™ Shave Gel promotional packs, which 'Roar' when winning packs are opened. Leaflets are also available for entry into the free prize draw (see in-store for details - terms and conditions apply). First prize is a JVC Home Entertainment System, enabling the lucky winner to enjoy the FIFA World Cup experience from the comfort of their own home, with 24" TVs and mini World Cup footballs for runners up

To celebrate the launch of this amazing in-store promotion, Gillette and the Dungarvan Leader would like to offer readers the chance to win one of three Gillette World Cup collector's packs which include the following FIFA World Cup branded items - a sports bag, t-shirt, mini football, baseball cap, key-ring and a premium Gillette World Cup Travel Bag. Three runners-up will each receive an exclusive World Cup branded Gillette Travel Bag containing a Gillette MACH3 razor and Gillette Series Arctic Ice Shave Gel and After Shave Gel all contained within a handy travel bag. To enter, all you have to do is answer the following question and complete the tiebreaker below in less than 15 words.

Question: Ireland had a close shave to qualify for the 2002 World Cup in the play-off matches against Iran when Ireland won 2-1 on aggregate. Which 2 players scored for Ireland in the Dublin leg?

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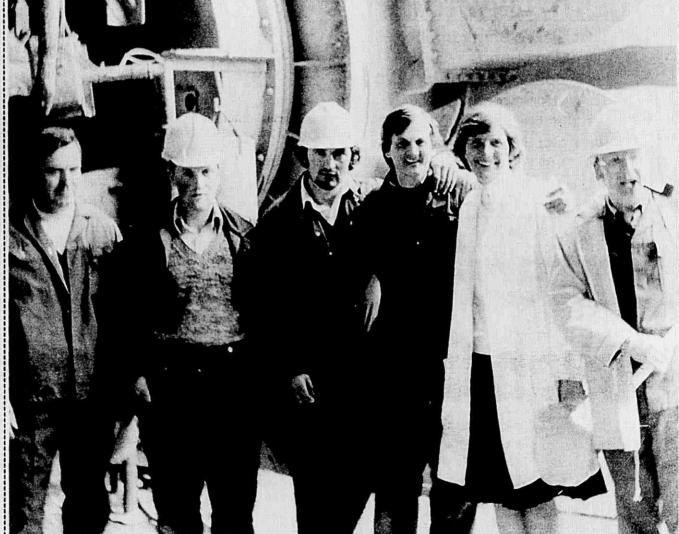
Flashback

Former workers at the Quigley Magnesite Plant in Ballinacourty which closed in 1982, after being in operation since 1970, are coming together for a 20th year reunion in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan on May 13, preceded by Mass in Abbeyside Church at 7.30 p.m. for deceased colleagues.

Picture shows former Plant Secretary Joan Coffey shutting down the plant watched by production supervisor

Below are former employees (l. to r.) — Danny Barry, Johnny Kiely (R.I.P.), James Conroy, Eddie Stack, Joan Coffey, Brendan Fitzsimmons (supervisor) pictured on the day of the shutdown.





Countdown Begins For 2002 Young **Entrepreneurs Final**

Three local schools will Colm Hickey, Siobhan O'take part in the National Final of this years Golden Vale Young Entrepreneurs Scheme which takes place at the National Basketball Arena, Tallaght on Tuesday 14th and Wednesday 15th May 2002.

Caroline Power, Lisa Daly,

Callaghan and Lia Casey whose business name is Deise Deals (a local monthly magazine), are taking part from Presentation Secondary School, Lismore.

Another entry for the national finals - Fone Tones - a booklet of mobile phone ring tones - is run by Joe Moynihan, Eoghan McCarthy, Thomas Kiely and Bryan Kirwan all from St.Augustine's College.

The third Waterford entry is "Get Slated Ltd". Run by Michael Flynn and Paul Flynn, of St. Declan's Community College, the business produces a range of slate products.

Rotunda Reunion

Dear Sir/Madam.

The next Rotunda Midwives Reunion will take place at the Rotunda Hospital on Saturday. June 15, 2002 commencing at p.m. tickets, which cost 30 euros, are available from any member of the committee or from the undersigned at the Rotunda Hospital.

Tickets should be purchased by June 7th. Phone bookings will not be accepted.

Yours sincerely. Catherine Mulhare, Hon. Secretary, Rotunda Midwives Reunion.

Rotunda Hospital. Parnell Square, Dublin 1.

Local Author's Eighth Book Launch This Thursday

2nd), "In Living Memory", Tom Keith's eighth book will be officially launched in the Central Library, Dungarvan by Dungarvan Songwriter and Poet, Mai O'Higgins.

Subtitled "People and Events from Dungarvan of the 1900's", the book recounts some of the memories and experiences of the fifteen people whose interviews are included in the 200 page volume.

The subjects range from a Nobel Prize winner to sporting achievement and from those who have served the town with distinction to people of the town and district

those who can remember life in the early part of the last century.

The book will be launched by Mai O'Higgins, perhaps Dungarvan's best known writer and composer of the town's anthem Dungarvan My Hometown. Mai's poetry is at least on a par with her popular hit songs and has been featured in publications and programmes all over the world.

Her own story has been recorded in another book by Tom Keith, 'Mai O'Higgins, All For A Song', which proved very popular with both the as well as nationwide.

"In Living Memory" is an extremely interesting book, with a wide variety of stories, reminiscences and recollections with photos to illustrate life in one of the most turbulent centuries in our history.

The Twentieth Century represented the era of greatest change worldwide. As the world celebrated 2000 years of Christianity, it reflected on the great advances and discoveries in science, education, technology and modes of travel.

During the 1900's, hu-

mankind went from mainly horse-drawn transport to space exploration and from blood-letting to brain surgery and organ transplant. It saw the splitting of the atom and the two greatest and most destructive wars ever.

This book attempts to record some of the less dramatic details of Dungarvan in the 1900's through the memories of people who made a significant or memorable contribution to our daily lives. The launch will take place at 8 pm and all will be welcome. Light refreshments will be served.

Easter Opera Gala a Resounding **Success in Lismore**

April was cold and wet but that did not deter the audience that attended the Easter Opera Gala in St. Carthage's Church in Lismore. They were amply rewarded for their determination and desire to be part of a very special experience in the cultural life of Lismore. As the beginning of the concert approached, an air of expectancy and excitement began to grow within the church and on cue, Lismore Choir ably rendered the opening chorus of the night, The Chorus of The Hebrew Slaves' from Verdi's Nabucco. The guest tenor, Breffni Horgan followed with a Donizetti selection. Then it

guest soprano, Cara O'Sullivan. The Master of Ceremonies, David McInerney set the scene and left the audience in no doubt as to what they could expect from this fine singer and she did not disappoint. Her 'O had I Jubal's Lyre' from Handel's Joshua was an inspired choice for her first offering, allowing more than a glimpse of her abilities and sensitivity to the demands of the music. The choir were privileged to join her in Mozart's Laudate Dominum and later in Mascagni's Easter Hymn, which brought the first half to a powerful close.

The content of the second half was deliberately lighter,

The evening of Sunday 21st was time to welcome the concentrating on favourites from Operettas like The Land of Smiles, Paganini, The Merry Widow and Martha. Breffni Horgan's 'Girls Were Made To Love and Kiss' was evidence that his roguish charm and beautiful voice are a devastating combination. Cara O'Sullivan treated the assembly to a selection of Irish pieces, including 'The Dream' from The Bohemian Girl and a poignant rendition of French's 'Gortnamona'. Her virtuosity was once more on display as she performed 'Vilia' and 'Hero Mine'. Inevitably, the audience showed their appreciation by giving her a standing ovation, very richly deserved. The night ended with Cara and Breffni

joining the choir in a spirited rendition of the 'Brindisi' from Verdi's La Traviata.

There can be little doubt from the faces of the audience and their applause that the concert was an unqualified success and a night to remember for a long time to come. For Lismore Choir, there was that great satisfaction of reaping the rewards of the hard work involved in organising the event and bringing another season to a happy conclusion.

The choir year is not over yet though - they travel to Belgium for the May Weekend and will give a concert in the Town Hall, Bruges on Saturday May 4th and will perform Haydn's Missa Brevis Sancti Joannis de Deo in St. Anthony's Church in Brussels on May 5th.

St. John's School April News



Andrew Hickey, Ardmore pictured with his teacher Finbarr Timmons. Andrew presented a candlestick with his FETAC portfolio in woodcraft.

F.E.T.A.C. SUCCESS

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On Friday April 12th 2002 there was a air of anticipation at St. John's School as the Further Education and Training Awards Council (FETAC) external examiner Ms Betty Hannon-Flavin worked her way through portfolios, audio tapes, videos etc. to examine the work presented by the

leavers classes. Fourteen candidates Michael Callaghan (Leamybrien), Caroline Cunningham (Modeligo), Brendan Glavin (Clashmore), Andrew Hickey (Ardmore), Dawn Lonergan (Cappo-quin), Mary Morrissey (Abbeyside), Fiona Mullins (Youghal), Katie Naisbett (Abbeyside), Eileen O'Don-

O'Regan (Youghal), Katrina O'Sullivan (Ballysaggart), Jason Stevens (Abbeyside), all deserve our congratulations. A total of 55 portfolios were successful. St. John's began to offer NCVA (National Council for Vocational Awards) accredited courses in 1998. The range and variety of courses offered in any given year depends on the interests and abilities of the students. This year a wide range of courses was on offer at both foundation and level 1. St. John's has FETAC accredited courses at foundation level in Communications, Mathematics, Personal Effectiveness, Computer Literacy, Caring for Children, Craft/Wood, Food and Nutrition, Office Procedures, Swimming and Water Safety. Level 1 Child Development and Play. Each year the range of courses increases.

VISITORS

We would like to thank Carmel Kelly who worked through a four week drug awareness programme with the leavers. These were very theirs. Well done to all.

nell (Old Parish), Bryan informative sessions which everyone enjoyed and learnt a great deal. We would also like to thank Eddie Fitzpatrick who joined in on the final session

SPORTS

The whole school is busy preparing for the I.S.S.S.C. sports day in Cork on May 1st. There will be running, throwing and plenty of fun in the sack races!

PUPILS OF THE MONTH

On Friday the 26th of April the pupil of the month from each class was announced. Junior 1 Paul Mulcahy, Junior 2 Michael Moylan, Secondary Sean Stilwell, Levers

Katrina O'Sullivan, Leavers 2 Bryan O'Regan -Congratulations!

TEXACO COMPETITION

St. John's had even more success in art competitions recently, when out of 4,500 entries Dean O'Brien won a first prize, also awarded prizes were Catherine Murray, Katrina O'Sullivan, Sean Stilwell. Dean has been up to Dublin to collect his prize and the others are going up in May to receive

WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL

2002 REVISION OF VALUATION -2ND QUARTERLY ISSUE

I have today received the revised Valuation List for the above area from the Commissioners of Valuation. The lists may be inspected at the address given below during office hours 9.00am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday until 22nd May 2002.

The owner or occupier of a property included in the lists of revised hereditaments may appeal the result of the revision by given notice in writing to the:

Commissioner of Valuation, Valuation Office, Block 2, Irish Life Centre, Abbey Street Lower, Dublin 1.

Such Notice in writing duly signed by the aggrieved person or by his/her known agent shall be delivered together with the appropriate fee and a statement of the grounds of such appeal to the Commissioner of Valuation on or before 9th June 2002.

The appeal fees which are payable to the Commissioner of Valuation, are as follows:

Rateable Valuation Not Exceeding €50 Exceeding €50.00 but not exceeding €150.00 €125.00 Exceeding €150.00 but not exceeding €650.00 €250.00 Exceeding €650.00 €375.00

Notification to occupiers and owners

Please note that it is a requirements of section 3 (4) (b) of the Valuation Act 1988 that the occupiers and owners (where known) of property (ies) revised shall be notified of the result of such revision and of their right to appeal to the Commissioner of Valuation. Such notification should issue as soon as possible and should contain in addition to the result of the revision the statutory requirements for appeals to the Commissioner of Valuation as set out in paragraphs 2,3 and 4 above.

Martin Walsh, County Secretary Waterford County Council

Brian White, Town Clerk **Dungarvan Town Council**

Civic Offices Dungarvan Co. Waterford



WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL (Comhairle Chonndae Phortlairge) Planning & Development Act 2000 (Section 13) Proposed Variation of the Waterford

County Development Plan 1999 Ardmore Zoning Map



Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 13 (2) of the Planning & Development Act 2000 that Waterford County Council, being the Planning Authority for the County of Waterford propose to make a variation in the Waterford County Development Plan 1999 for the purpose of varying the Ardmore Zoning Map 3.3.3 of County Development Plan 1999 by the addition of an area adjoining the Cliff Hotel as indicated in Map 3.3.3.A to R Zoning for development purposes (Primarily Residential and to Protect and Enhance the Special Physical and Social Character of Town and Village Centres and Improve Infrastructure).

Details of the proposed variation including Map 3.3.3.A may be inspected each day from Monday to Friday exclusive of Bank Holidays between the hours of 10a.m. to 1p.m. & 2p.m to 4p.m. during the period from 1st May. 2002 to the 31st May, 2002 at the Planning Department, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

Written submissions or observations with respect to the proposed variation received by the Planning Authority before 5.00p.m on Friday, 31st May, 2002 will be taken into consideration before the making of the variation. Such submissions should be addressed to: The Director of Services, Planning Department, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

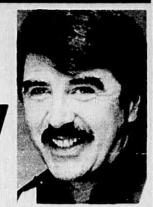
D. McCarthy, Director of Services Planning, Environment & Emergency Services 1st May, 2002

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FRIDAY 3rd MAY -

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Saturday 4th May -

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Friday —POOL TOURNAMENT
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Saturday-

CAROL, GEORDIE & FRIENDS
Sunday — DAVID KEANE

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THURSDAY NIGHT LIVE

Thursday May 2th —

THE GOBSHITES

Friday May 3rd -

FEILE NA nDÉISE WEEKEND
Trad Session with Aodh MacCraith & Co.
Saturday May 4th —

3.00 p.m. Celtic v. Rangers Chelsea v. Arsenal Followed by

TRAD SESSION with Matty Fahey & Co.
Saturday Night — TRAD SESSION with
M. Gavin, T. Conniffe, M. Glynn, D. Gibson
Sunday May 5th — 4 p.m. TRAD SESSION with

Sunday May 5th — 4 p.m. TRAD SESSION with D. & M. McMahon and E. O'Leary 9.00 p.m. — TRAD SESSION with

J. Morrisson, J. J. Donovan and K. Theasby Monday May 6th —

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Doors open 9 p.m.

Saturday May 4th —

Dancing to TWILIGHT

Sunday May 5th — CRYSTAL SOUND Monday May 6th —

Jazz Session with JAZZTRAIN
Doors open @ 10 p.m.

May 17th - MICK FLAVIN

Every Monday Night —

SINGLES DARTS COMPETITION at 9 p.m. Every Tuesday Night at 8.30 p.m. — SINGLES POOL COMPETITION

(All competitions are knockout)
Congratulations to Paddy Joe Casey and David Tutty, darts

and pool competition winners

Saturday Afternoon — FA Cup Final in Lounge

Celtic v. Rangers in the Bar

Passport, Black Gards ID or Driving Licence essential

ASSISTANT MANAGER REQUIRED For information Ring 051-291977 after 5 p.m.

West Waterford Hospice

On behalf of West Waterford Hospice Home Care Association we wish to thank most sincerely all those who made donations recently. A special thanks to those who helped with the Church Gate Collections and to those who organised and sponsored events, your support is greatly appreciated.

Our Annual Golf Classic will take place at Lismore Golf Club from Thursday 16th to Saturday 18th May. Format will be 3 ball scramble and cost 60 Euro per team. Time Sheet is available at 058 54026 or 058 54047.

KIELYS BAR

O'CONNELL STREET, DUNGARVAN

MAY BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND ENTERTAINMENT

Friday Nite 3rd May -

Dance the night away with DJ Paul Saturday Evening (4-7) IRISH MUSIC SESSIONS Saturday Night —

DJ plus Bar Extension until 1.30 a.m.
Sunday Evening (4-7) IRISH MUSIC SESSION
Sunday Night — The Best Chart Hits
with resident DJ + Bar Extension

Monday 6th May —Bar Extension until 1.30 a.m. Finish the Bank Holiday weekend with the best 60's, 70's & 80's Hits

ANCHOR

@ THE QUAY DUNGARVAN

Thursday —

DJ SHAY will be mixing it up till late Friday & Saturday Night —

Resident DJ Jeff Harris from WLR

Plays essential hits and memories
Bank Holiday Sunday — New edition to our team

Oliver Carroll from WLR

Bank Holiday Monday —

Easing the weekend down with DJ SHAY

LIVE BANDS PLAYING ALL OVER THE WEEK-END

Best of luck to Féile na nDéise and we hope everyone has an enjoyable week-end

LIVE SPORT

Wednesday 1st May-

REAL MADRID V. BARCELONA Saturday 4th May—

SCOTTISH F.A. CUP FINAL @ 3 p.m.

ENGLISH F.A. CUP FINAL @ 3 p.m.

All Premiership Matches shown on big screen



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Your Festival Week-End Menu!

Wednesday 1st May-

REAL MADRID V. BARCELONA TRADITIONAL MUSIC

Thursday 2nd May-

ENJOY A RELAXING DRINK BEFORE THE MAD WEEKEND

Friday 3rd May-

After Work Complimentary Finger Food @ 6 p.m. HAPPY HOUR 8-9 p.m. All Pints €2.50 LIVE TRAD SESSION 10 - late

Saturday 4th May-

LIVE TRAD SESSION 12 - 2 p.m.
SCOTTISH F.A. CUP FINAL @ 12 noon
ENGLISH F.A. CUP FINAL @ 3 p.m.
LIVE IRISH SESSION 8 - 10 p.m.
BRIGADOON live 10 till late

Sunday 5th May — Live Trad Session 12 - 2 p.m.
BRIGADOON 3 - 4.30 p.m.
LIVE TRAD SESSION 8 - 10 p.m.
BRIGADOON 10 till late

Mon. 6th May — LIVE TRAD SESSION 2 - 4 p.m.

The Abbey Bar

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KARAOKE on Thursday Nights
DISCO BAR on Friday & Saturday Nights
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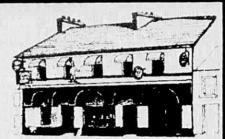
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BAR EXTENSIONS ALL WEEKEND Good luck to Féile na nDéise

SPORTSMAN BAR CAPPOQUIN

Saturday 4th May -

VINCE LYNCH

Sunday 5th May -

Live in Bar AOC

RACE NIGHT

Dungarvan GAA Club's Race Night



takes place tomorrow night

Thursday 2nd May at The Parrish Bar, Dungarvan at 9.00 p.m.

GREAT NIGHT'S RACING ASSURED

The Parrish

MARY STREET, DUNGARVAN

Thursday 2nd May —

RACE NIGHT in aid of Dungarvan GAA
Friday May 3rd — Traditional Session 7-9 Waxies
Saturday 4th May — TRADITIONAL SESSION

DJ COCO
Sunday May 5th — TRADITIONAL SESSION
DJ TIMMY RAZ

All live matches shown on our Big Screen

SHANDON ARMS

DUNGARVAN

Saturday May 4th —

THE COMETS

Pius O'Shea Memorial Open Doubles Darts Tournament - 9.30 sharp Sunday May 5th—

SONIC SOUND

ALL MAJOR SPORTING FIXTURES SHOWN LIVE ON BIG SCREEN

LISMORE HOTEL



Saturday May 4th— SEAN AHEARNE Sunday May 5th— MICHAEL HUMPHRIES

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Saturday — **DISCO** 12.00 - 2.30 a.m.

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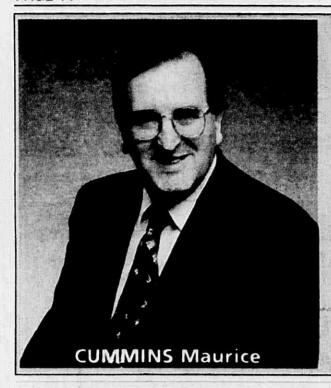
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MARRIAGE

Congratulations to Noel Power, Robertstown and Colette Cunney, Mayo who were married last Saturday in Mayo. May ye both have many years

BIRTHDAY

of wedded bliss together.

Congratulations to Pierce Whyte, Cutteen who celebrated his 40th birthday last Friday. A surprise party was held for him in Crotty's Inn.

COMMUNION

Best wishes to all the boys and girls who are receiving their 1st Holy Communion this Saturday in Kilrossanty

HALL

Hall meeting this Thursday night at 9 pm. Ml. Dee on Waterford Partnership will attend and give a brief report on progress of grant application.

Meeting in Fews on Friday 3rd May at 7.30 pm.

MASS Mass in Old Cemetery this

Friday night at 8 pm. Weather permitting.

DANCE

Benefit night in Crotty's Inn on Saturday 11th May. For Aidan O'Sullivan, a young boy who is paralysed as a result of an injury from sport. Music by "Cupla" also Sean O'Shea.
REPAIRS

Fews Church is presently under repairs by O'Brien Bros., Dungarvan and new toilets will soon be in operation in Kil-

rossanty graveyard. KILROSSANTY GAA NOTES

Clotto - Numbers drawn in clotto as follows; 2 -12- 21 and 22. We had no winner.

€20 to Sinead Kiely and Barry Gill, Ballingown. €20 to Susan Kiely, Fox's Castle. €10 to Jay Kirwan, Kealfoun. Sellers prize went to Michael Ryan, Comeragh €10. Next weeks

jackpot is €1,700 in Micilins. U-11 Hurling — Kilrossanty have played three matches in under 11 hurling recently. They were beaten by Brickey's 2-0 to 1-2. They beat St. Oliver's 3-4 to 3-0. Fourmilewater beat them 3-7 to 3-5. They play Clashmore this Friday night in Leamybrien at 7.00 pm.

U-16 — Kilrossanty under 16 team were beaten in the western final of their division last Sunday by Ballinacourty.

Senior Football - Kilrossanty played their their first match of the championship last Thursday night against Rathgormack in Fraher Field, Dungarvan. The first thirty minutes both teams played well. In the first quarter of the second half Kilrossanty were being led by four points 0-8 to 0-4. The introduction of Jacko Kiely turned things round for Kilrossanty with a goal and point coming within minutes of his introduction. At the end of sixty minutes Kilrossanty came out on top by 1-8 to 0-8.

Team; Alfie Kirwan, Jay Kirwan, Ml. Fitzgerald, Paul Hayes, Brian Lennon, Matty Kiely, Seamus Veale, Roger Power, Barry Prendergast, Kevin Doyle, Ciaran Keating, Colin Dee, Brian Kirwan, Dermot Kiely, Tommy Kiely. Subs Jacko Kiely for Kevin Doyle. Kevin Lonergan for Brian Kirwan.

Junior Hurling — Kilrossanty played Tallow in the league last Sunday in Leamybrien.

They were beaten by one point on the score of Tallow 5-6 to Kilrossanty 4-7.

Team; Kenny Houlihan, Cia-1-0, Brian Kirwan 0-1 P.J. ran Keating, Garrett Burns, Houlihan 0-2. U-21 Football- Kilrossanty Mark Prendergast. Richard Cotter, Eamon Flynn, Jay Kirwan, play Dungarvan in under 21 Sean Crotty, Colin Dee, Brian Western Semi Final in Stradbal-

Kirwan, Michael Fitzgerald,

P.J. Houlihan, Dale Power,

Scorers; Ross Houlihan 2-1,

Dale Power 1-3, Dermot Kiely

Dermot Kiely, Ross Houlihan.

Div. 3 Football (League) Kilrossanty play Modeligo this Sunday night in Lemybrien

ly next Monday at 2.30 pm.



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Married recently in Newtown Church, Kilmacthomas were John Bowdren, Kilmacthomas and Aileen Donovan, Kilmacthomas. Also included are Olivia Ryan, bridesmaid and Kieran Curran, bestman. Fr. Brendan Crowley officiated and the reception was held in the Carraigh Hotel, Carrick-on-Suir. (Pat Crowley)

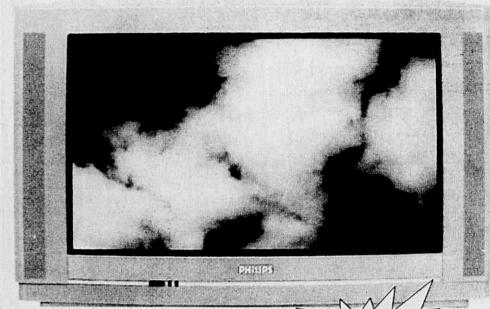


Siobhan Barron, Woodlands, Glenribben, Lismore, daugther of Liam and Kathleen Barron, who recently graduated at Nottingham University with a Diploma in Adult Nursing.

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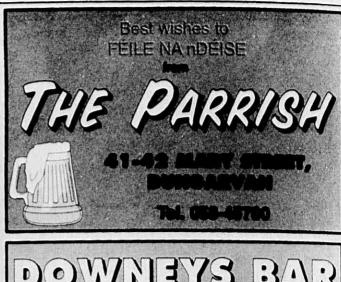
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Pictured at the Drive In on a wet Sunday last were Mary Murphy, Lady Captain and Paddy Ahem, Captain.

-(Photo: Sean Byrne).



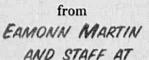
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The years eagerly awaited are to be added to Pub Music Vikings. The pageantry starts Feile na nDeise looks likely to be one of the best ever. with the four day festival once again attracting a top line-up of musicians and providing a host of new features.

Last year, the May Bank Holiday festivities were sorely missed after Foot and Mouth claimed it as one of its many casualties. But, the Guinness Feile na nDeise has bounced back, confirming its status once again as being among the strongest and fastest growing festivals on the circuit.

This year's programme of events is by far the most ambitious taken on by the local organising committee. The original aim of the organisers was to produce a festival with a strong emphasis on traditional music, song and dance. While that is still very much the case, the festival has evolved over the years and now includes other art forms, such as street theatre, which is now one of the main attractions of feile.

Children's puppetry, storytelling and historical lectures PADITIONAL MUSIC WEEKEND

Sessions, Street Busking, Open air concerts, Ceili dancing to Shaskeen, Bucket singing, Sean Keane in concert, Sean-Nos dancing competitions, Set-dancing competitions, set dancing workshops, seanachai storytelling, Welsh Male Choir and Brush dancing.

The festival officially kicks off on Friday May 3rd at Lawlors Hotel where patron of the festival, Micheal O Muircheartaigh, will perform the official opening ceremo-

The pub music session trail also starts that night with live traditional music at each of the listed pubs around the

On Saturday the emphasis is on family entertainment with an open-air stage in Grattan Square from 12 noon while busking and street entertainment will add to the outdoor atmosphere.

The main highlight on Sunday is the re-enactment of the Viking Invasion, which aims to bring you back 1000 years in time to the coming of the

DUNGARVAN

when Viking ships enter the harbour manned by Viking warriors in full battle dress.

A large crowd of natives will gather on the quayside and, as the ships prepare to dock, the crowd becomes increasingly hostile and all the ingredients of a major battle looms. To find out what happens, be at Davitts Quay at 2pm on Sunday May 5th.

Bringing the four-day festival to a close on Monday May 6th set dancing competitions, an open-air stage and a bucket singing competition are included on the programme of events.

For further information on this years Feile contact the Feile na nDeise Office 058-45273, the Tourist Office 058-41741 or check out their website at www.feilenandeise.com



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FRIDAY MAY 3rd

6.00 pm Official Opening - Buttery Bar, Ostan Lalor 8.00 pm Take the Floor - Pearse Room, Ostan Lalor

8.00 pm Poetry Readings - Old Market House Arts Centre with Thomas McCarthy

(€6 including light refreshments). 10.00 pm Ceili Mór - Ballroom, Ostan Lalor

with Shaskeen (8 euro). 10.00 pm Pub Music Session Trail

SATURDAY MAY 4th

10.30 am Set Dancing Workshops - Ostan Lalor 12-2 pm Open Air Stage - Grattan Square. Noon, 2 pm and 3.30 pm - Story Telling -

Old Market House Arts Centre (2 euro).

Noon - 6 pm Spinning Wheel Demonstration -The Gallery and Fishing

2 pm Historic Walk (4 euro)

2-3 pm Busking Competition

3-5 pm Music & Dance-Open Air Stage, Grattan Square

4 pm Puppetry - Lawlor's Hotel (2 euro all ages).

4 pm Pub Music Session Trail

10-6 pm Exhibitions Open - Old Market House Arts

Centre, admission free.

7.30 pm Lecture - Old Market House (5 euro).

8 pm Singers Gathering - Sailing Club, Davitt's Quay 8.30 pm Free Concert - Grattan Square

8.30 pm In My Fathers Time - Lawlor's Hotel.

10 pm Ceili Mor with Shaskeen (8 euro).

10 pm Pub Music Session Trail

11 pm Late Night Concert - O.B.'s Nightclub with Murphy's Marbles (9 euro). Late Night Festival Club - Ostan Lalor

SUNDAY MAY 5th

11.00 am Traditional Mass - Friary Church Noon - 2.30 pm Exhibitions Open - The Old

Market House Arts Centre

12.30 pm Pub Music Session Trail 2 pm Open Air Stage - Grattan Square

2.30 pm Pageant - The Viking Invasion

4 pm Open Air Concert - Grattan Square 6 pm Singers Concert - Park Hotel

9 pm Sean Keane in Concert - Park Hotel

10 pm Pub Music Session Trail

Late Night Festival Club - Ostan Lalor

MONDAY MAY 6th

11 am Set Dancing Competitions - Lawlor's Hotel

Noon Pub Music Session Trail 2-4 pm Open Air Stage - Grattan Square

4 pm Bucket Singing Competition

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ARIES Mar 21 to April 20

A busy work load could take all your time. Make time for love or risk losing a romantic opportunity. A chance meeting could provide you with the perfect partner for some summer time fun. May is a month to get to grips with personal issues. Finances improve and you can afford to invest in your future. Telephone 1550-920-257 for a detailed update. ☎ 1550-920-257

LEO July 23 to Aug 22

Someone's inability to settle down and take things seriously is frustrating you. All you can do is wait and be patient. We all have to grow up sometimes. Get in touch with an old friend. May brings a sense of nostalgia and memories of times past. Family issues are to the fore and personal happiness must be made a priority. Telephone 1550-920-261 for further news. **=** 1550-920-261

SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 to Dec 20

You have a need to be needed and must avoid a tendency to "mother". If you continue this trend, remember, "baby" must ultimately grow up and leave home! A financial issue comes to the fore and must be addressed. Throughout May avoid ignoring the obvious. Confront issues. For more information on love and luck call 1550-920-265. **# 1550-920-265**

TAURUS April 21 to May 21

Your perfect partner must give you lots of praise, constant support and never expect you to settle into routine. At the moment you crave a crowd. This is a time to party and you get the opportunity to do just that. In May business mixes with pleasure and proves to be a knockout combination. You have itchy feet. Telephone 1550-920-258 for more on love and

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VIRGO Aug 22 to Sept 22

May could provide a romantic breakstick to the tried and tested. Curious to know more? Telephone 1550-920-

CAPRICORN Dec 21 to Jan 20

need to know where you stand. May brings romantic developments and happy memories. Just be sure to keep up with professional obligations and important deadlines. Finances improve Telephone 1550-920-266 for more **☎** 1550-920-266

GEMINI May 22 to Jun 21

Your nesting instinct is at a high and you have a strong urge to create your dream home. Good things happen as you enter a period of prosperity. Go with the flow and see where it takes you. During May you are the talk of the town. For further astrological news and views on work and money telephone 1550-920-259 **1550-920-259**

LIBRA Sep 23 to Oct 23

Someone tries to play on your sym-

pathies but you are not in the mood

for sob stories. A connection with

Pisces proves particularly positive

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CANCER Jun 22 to July 22

At the moment you are becoming less serious and fun loving. You are sure to share happy times with a partner and you make a perfect travelling compan-Romantic holidays may be your key to lasting love so why not plan a May trip away. The beginning of the month provides professional openings. Telephone 1550-920-260 to find out

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through - especially if you are prepared to take the initiative. In love, communicate your needs. It is a time to pull the plug on out dated plans and a packed social agenda promises to reassess what you need and desire. a new lease on love. May certainly Formulate a new strategy rather than provides a few surprises and gives you a hint of whats to come.

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AQUARIUS Jan 21 to Feb 19

In love, as in all aspects of life, you At all costs avoid critics and nit pickers don't like pussyfooting around. You or sparks may fly. You are super sensitive and not in the mood to deal with other negativity. Explore professional options carefully. You may soon have an important choice to make. During May travel opportunities come out of the blue - enjoy a new setting. Telephone 1550-920-267 for more astrological **☎** 1550-920-267 insights.

SCORPIO Sep 23 to Oct 23

Your magic mate must roll with your ever changing moods and have an unending supply of energy. Recognise that others may find it difficult to reach your expectations. May finds you in the company of someone special but why are you so slow to make a move? You must arrive at some obvious conclusions soon! To know more, telephone 1550-920-

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PISCES Feb 20 to March 20

This is the perfect time to start a new relationship or to inject romance into a current connection. Luck is with you and love should now be smooth sailing. Count cash carefully and watch out for money manipulation. In May enjoy a new social scene. You goze confidence and can charm the birds from the trees. Telephone 1550-920-268 for more news and views. **☎ 1550-920-268**

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However, without plants, a pond is just a bowl of water - plain and uninteresting.

In nature, there are four groups of plants which can be found in or near water. They are submerged plants, floating plants, shallow water plants and marginals.

Submerged plants oxygenate the water of the pond, which enables fish thrive.

The best-known variety of submerged plant is pond weed, commonly used in fish tanks.

Plants with floating leaves such as water lilies are called floating plants for obvious reasons. Shallow water plants hold their

leaves and flowers above the water, but actually grow in shallow areas of ponds and pools. Sedges, yellow-flag, bur-reed and water for-

The last group consists of plants which like moist soil, but are not happy actually growing in the water. Examples of marginal plants are primulas, forget-me-not, mimulus, marsh marigolds and other waterside plants.

Aquatic plant diseases are very few, mostly affecting water lilies. Some marginals are prone to mildew, but this has little effect and can usually be ignored.

Two forms of leaf spot affect water lilies. Another disease affects the stems and rots the crown, which will eventually kill the plant.

If your plants become affected with either of these diseases, lift them from the pond or pool immediately and place them in an isolated tank. Remove and destroy the diseased leaves and treat with a fungicide. Before you return the plant to the pond, ensure the plant is rinsed thoroughly.

Fungal diseases in water lilies years.



Plenty of choice: It's best to be bold when stocking up with aquatic plants and adding a new dimension to your garden

can be prevented by making sure they are not planted too deep in is the ideal time to divide the the soil, placed under too much water before established or placed in an overcrowded envi-

Too few flowers and too much es. growth are signs of overcrowding. With most water lilies this occurs after three or four

Late spring or early summer plants. Lift them from the water and wash them off. Water lilles consist of a main root and several side branch-

Discard the central root and keep the side branches. Each side growth is potentially a new plant.

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GARDEN

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FEED, DISBUD AND POLLINATE TOMATOES Tomatoes will be in various stages of growth by now. The earliest will have set some fruits, while later batches are just coming into flower and others from your March sowings will be ready for potting into 13cm pots. With all stages you must remove side shoots regularly. It is advisable to pollinate flowers by hand, tapping the plants or scattering pollen from flower to flower with a paintbrush. The most effective time is about midday when the sun is shining.

MULCH FRUIT TREES

Spread a fairly thick layer of well rotten manure around fruit trees and bushes of all types. This is known as a mulch and is very valuable for three reasons:

- It provides the trees with much needed nou while in growth
- 2. It helps to retain moisture in the soil
- 3. It keeps down weed growth

VINE TREATMENT

Outdoor vines will be growing freely by now and you need to regulate their growth. Reduce the number of laterals to one per spur, retaining those that are showing flower trusses. Stop them beyond the truss but before they have grown so far as to interfere with neighbouring vines or laterals from other rods.

PLANT DAHLIA TUBERS OUTDOORS

Cover the tubers with 8cm of soil and they will be quite secure against any late frost. It will be some weeks before you see shoots appear above the ground.

SOW CINERARIAS

Sow a few seeds if you want plants in flower by December. The seeds will want a little warmth to encourage germination so early, ordinary greenhouse temperature will be ample. Sow thinly using John Innes or a soil-less seed compost. Cover lightly with fine soil and sand and put in the shade until germination.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Birthday Remembrance



Remembrance of Maureen Hallahan, 2, Emmet Street Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on May 1. Happy Birthday, Mam.

A mother's love is a blessing, A gift beyond compare, You only know its meaning,

When you find she's no longer there. So hold her in Your arms,

dear Lord. Treasure her with care.

For You have in Your posses-A mother beyond compare.

(From her son Gerald and grandchildren Emma and Shaun).

HALLAHAN Birthday Remembrance of Maureen Hallahan, late of 2, Emmet Street, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on May 1.

A shadow walks beside me, Forever by my side, Always there to guide me, Ever since you died.

No words can tell, nor fears

The love, the loss, the emptiness.

You're not just a memory or part of the past,

You're mine to remember, as long as life lasts.

(Never forgotten by her daughter Jacinta, grandchildren Sonia, Donna, Richard and greatgrandchildren Jack and Aaron).

HALLAHAN Remembrance of Maureen Hallahan, 2, Emmet Street, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on May 1. Happy Birthday, Nan.

If roses grow in heaven Lord.

Pick a bunch for us, Place them in our grandmother's arms.

And tell her they're sent with love.

(From her granddaughters Tracy and Lorraine and greatgrandchildren)

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Thanks to all the kind neighbours, relatives and friends for all their help, it was greatly appreciated. A special word of thanks to the doctors, nurses and staff of the Cork University Hospital for the wonderful care and attention they gave John during his illness. In particular Sr. Una Boland who was a great source of comfort to him. Thanks to the public health nurses, hospice care and doctors who cared for John at home during the weeks prior to his death. A special thank-you to Colette Beresford who gave so much of her time to John throughout his illness. Many thanks also to all those who visited John both in hospital and at home since he became ill. Thanks to Fr. Maurice O'Gorman who visited John regularly and who said the funeral Mass; to Fr. William Dee, Fr. John Treacy. Dean St. John Thornhill, Fr. Billy Meehan and Fr. Gerard O'Connor who also attended. Thanks to Thomas Beresford, Ann Fitzgerald, Mary Dee and the choir who sang at the Mass. Also the readers, the altar servers and those who brought up the gift. Special thanks to the teachers and pupils of Coláiste Eoin who attended and formed a guard of honour. Thanks to the sacristan, the grave-diggers and Egan Undertakers, Youghal for all

their assistance. As a token of our appreciation and gratitude the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

EILEEN KEATING (née Morrissey) 52. Childers Estate Dungarvan

The husband, family, broth-

ers, sisters and many other relatives of the late Eileen Keating wish to convey their heartfelt gratitude to all who shared their recent loss. For your Mass cards, letters, phone calls, cards of sympathy and floral tributes our sincerest thanks. Your presence at Eileen's funeral obsequies was of great comfort to us all. A thank you to the clergy, to Dr. Mahony, to matron and staff of Waterford Regional Hospital. We particularly wish to express our appreciation to the staff of Med. 4 Day Ward who cared for Eileen for four years; to the staff at the Gynaecological Ward our thanks (both staffs are attached to Waterford Regional Hospital). The kindness of our wonderful neighbours and friends will not be forgotten. To West Waterford Athletic Club and Dungarvan Credit union Cycling Club our thanks for their guards of honour. To our own relatives, many of whom had travelled to share our burden. To the altar servers, gravediggers and especially David Kiely, Funeral Director, our thanks.

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

Month's Mind Mass for Eileen will be celebrated on Sunday next, May 5, at 12 noon in St. Mary's Parish Church.

MICHAEL LEAHY Woodhouse **Ballinamult**

The wife, sons, daughter,

brother and relatives of the late Michael Leahy wish to thank most sincerely all those who shared their recent sad loss. We thank you for your Mass cards, letters, floral tributes, phone calls and your presence at the funeral obsequies. We are indebted to Fr. Kelleher, P.P., for his lovely service and Mass. Our grateful thanks to Dr. O'Donovan, Ballymacarbry; matron and staff of Waterford Regional Hospital. To our wonderful neighbours and friends, especially Tom and Nuala Dunne, Mossie and Larry Cliffe. To the sacristan. altar servers, beliringer and gravediggers our thanks. A special and deserved thank you to David Kiely, Funeral Director for his professional services.

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

INTO Issue Hard Hitting Message On Primary School Problems

looming, the Waterford INTO branch have delivered a hard-hitting message to the main political parties on the problems that remain in primary schools across the

The message, which has now been circulated to all Primary School parents, teachers and Board of Management members in the county, arose out of discussions over the past few weeks between the INTO in Waterford and the main managerial body at Primary level for the Waterford/Lismore Diocese.

Among the list of concerns the INTO are calling for more money to be set aside for the Primary Schools Building Programme to provide learning support rooms, resource rooms, principal offices, secretarial offices and General purposes rooms for all schools in the area.

'At the moment", District Representative of the INTO, Declan Kelleher, said, "many schools in Waterford are working in overcrowded conditions with learning support and resource teachers often working in corridors or cloakrooms",

Another priority, he said, was the "huge shortfall of qualified primary school teachers in Waterford".

'Schools also find it impossible to find qualified substitute teachers. Although the numbers in teacher training colleges have been increased, more still needs to be done. Some of the smaller colleges of education would be able to train more teachers if they were funded by

the government," he added.

The long running concern of class sizes also features high in the Primary Schoolteachers organisations list of concerns. While acknowledging that improvements have been made. Mr. Kelleher stated that school class sizes remain high in comparison to other EU coun-

He said that this issue can only be dealt with by having more qualified teachers available, adding that a commitment must be given by the incoming government on this issue.

Special concern remains around Fews NS, Cappoquin Boys National School and Convent and Curraglass NS. who he stated are all on the INTO substandard list, but he said there are many other primary schools in the county where urgent building and refurbishment work must be carried out.

Meanwhile, he warned that there maybe dangers with some of the school bus fleet, saying that many of the buses in use are extremely old and need replacement. He went on to say that recent reports and surveys have pointed to a lack of seat belt usage with 3 pupils seated per 2 pupil space.

Mr. Kelleher said children stay in primary school education for a longer period than in either second or third level education, but still receives a lower level of investment.

He said the INTO are calling on parents and teachers to contact the general election candidates in the area about the issue.

Melleray Notes

SCOR NA BPAISTI

The first round of Scor na bPaisti was held in St. Mary's Hall, Melleray on Friday night last. A record fourteen clubs participated ensuring a very exciting and long nights entertainment. Melleray participated in seven sections and qualified in all. Competitors are as follows - Figure Dancing: Sandra Prendergast, Grace Duggan, Caitriona McGlone, Laura Duggan, Gemma Burke, Shauna Kearns, Clare O'Brien and Kate McConnell. Solo Singing: Grace Dug gan, Recitation: Seamus Fitzgerald, Ballad Group: Raymond McGlone, Mary Byrne, Laura Duggan, Caitriona McGlone, Grace Duggan, Quiz: Seamus Fitzgerald, Sandra Prendergast, Raymond McGlone, Novelty Act: Laura Duggan, Pat Fitzgerald, Diarmuid Nugent, Raymond Hallissev. Mark Power, Garry Kett, Rebecca Hennebry, Raymond McGlone, Set Dancing: Grace Duggan, Raymond Mc-Glone, Laura Duggan, Caitriona McGlone, Stacey Burke, Sandra Prendergast, Clare O'Brien, Jemma Burke. Well done to all our competitors. We look forward to the Western final. Date and venue yet to be decided. Thank you to all who helped out on Friday night.

G.A.A. Melleray will play Ballysaggart in the first round of the league in football next Saturday evening. This match is fixed for Melleray. Training as usual on Tuesday and Thursday evening.

NEW ARRIVAL

Congratulations to Jim and Mary Coffey on the birth of their baby daughter.





Remembrance of Maureen

Hallahan, late of 2, Emmet

Street, Dungarvan, whose

Masses offered on Sunday,

May the winds of love blow

And whisper for you to hear,

That we your family miss

And wish that you were here.

Lots of things have hap-

Things you could have

(From daughter Claire, son-in-

In

Memoriam

Since you went away,

If God had let you stay.

law Tony and son John).

shared with us,

birthday occurs on May 1.

May 26 in Friary Church.

you,

pened,

CROTTY — Ninth Anniversary Cherished memories of Crotty, late of Kilrossanty, who died on May 7, 1993

Service will be held in the family home on Sunday, May

(Sadly missed every day by her parents, sister and brother).

NOVENAS

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. - N.M.

GRATEFUL THANKS to Sacred Heart and His Blessed Mother for favours received. Publication promised. - K.H.

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LATE MICHAEL LEAHY



We pen this tribute on the passing at Waterford Regional Hospital, of Michael Leahy, Woodhouse, Ballinamult on Thursday 4th April. Michael who was a native of Coolagh Road, Abbeyside was born on 16th January 1922. A member of one of the towns best known families, Michael was an accomplished hurler in his day and was also noted for his hard work. One day while logging, his beloved horse Dolly died, which left him heartbroken and downcast, a watershed in his life that resulted in his movement to England where he took up employment. A man who relished a hard day's work. Michael to his eternal credit was a man of his word and always gave of his best to his employers who were fortunate to secure his services.

In 1948 he married May (nee Ashley). A devoted husband and loving father to Michael, David, John and Anne, he held a special place

in his heart for his grandchildren Claire, Caitlin, Laurence, Frances and Louis. Michael will be sorely missed.

We extend to all including brother Sean and his other relatives our deepest sympathy at this time.

Although a quiet man. Michael loved a chat and spoke against injustices and indeed was a champion of the underdog. A man of great courage and bravery, he rescued son John from drowning although he was a non swimmer. His son-in-law Phil Kelly was also special. Father-in-law and son-in-law had many a discussion about a variety of topics.

Ireland and purchased a property at Woodhouse, Ballinamult. The happiest twenty years of his life was spent among the people of Ballinamult. He enjoyed their company, cards and their music. Michael was held in high esteem and became an adopted son of the parish. Sadly the cross of ill health was trust upon his shoulders but as was his nature he bore it with fortitude and dignity

Predeceased by his brothers Frankie, Tommy, Gusty, Joe. sisters Maureen, Rita and Kitty, Michael lay in repose at the Kiely Funeral Home where Fr. Kelleher P.P. led all in the rosary and prayers. On Tuesday April 9th the removal took place to St. Mary's Church, Touraneena. where on Wednesday morning Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his soul. The lessons were read by Michael (son) and Mary Butler (niece). Fr. Kelleher P.P.

spoke in glowing terms of Michael in his homily. He added "Michael loved his friends, their company and the game of cards, a pursuit that saw him win many a Christmas Turkey and Ham" Everybody in the concourse were deeply appreciative of Danny Thompson who sang so beautifully The Old Refrain and If I Can Help Somebody'. We gathered in the adjoining cemetery for final prayers and blessing as Michael was laid to rest.

Chief mourners were wife May, sons Michael, David and John, daughter Anne, son-in-law Phil Kelly, daughters-in-law Sue, Lorraine and Marie, grandchildren Claire, Eventually May and Caitlin, Laurence, Frances, Michael decided to return to Louis, brother Sean (St. Thomas Tee) and a wide circle of other relatives including sisters-in-law. brother-in-law, nephews and

micces. (Funeral arrangements by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungaryan

LATE EDWARD (EDDIE) FLYNN



It is with feelings of deep regret we record the death of Edward (Eddie) Flynn Lacken. Affane, on Friday 19th April 2002.

Eddie was a kind and gentle man, whose needs were few. A special person, with his family, farm and animals his pride and joy. He had a great love of The GAA and won county honours with the

Blackwater Rovers in 1934. He was born in Lacken where he farmed until he retired and was most often found checking the animals in his fields or busily working on the many tasks around much regretted. May he rest in peace.

The removal of Eddie's remains took place from Walsh's Funeral Home on Saturday evening to Affane church where they were received and blessed by Fr. Larry Walsh and Fr. John Kiely.

Following requiem Mass on Sunday afternoon, celebrated by Fr. Barron PP interment took place in the van and formerly Toor North. adjoining cemetery in the presence of a large gathering. The lessons were read by Tara (Flynn) Shine, and Funeral Home on Tuesday prayers of the faithful by Tri- evening to Mount Stuart

ona Flynn, Eric Reddy, Edward Flynn, Aidan Shine and Nora Flynn. Offertory gifts were brought by Jackie, Tracey, Erica and Tulm Reddy. Sean Duggan served the Mass and the Communion reflection was given by Danny Coughlan. Elaine Scanlon played keyboard while Noel Mason, Mary Coughlan and Rena O'-Donoghue sang.

We have not lost Eddie. He will live in our hearts for the rest of our lives.

Oh! Could I travel down life's path to the time I was born.

And see once more the fairy rath, and the golden fields of corn.

And hear the drowsy hum of bees to my tired soul bringing balm,

As they drift among the scented trees that grow round old Affane.

LATE FRANK HURLEY

We record with deep regret and sadness the passing of Frank Hurley, 9, Emmet St., Dungarvan at Drumhills Nursing Home on Saturday last. We offer our sympathies to his relatives on their loss.

Removal took place on Sunday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church. Folowing funeral Mass on Monday the interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

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

LATE BRIDIE TOBIN (NEE COFFEY)

With great sadness we record the passing at Our Lady's Hospital, Cashel on Saturday 27th April last of Bridie Tobin, anadampaun, Ballinamult. Predeceased by her husband Dick, son Richard, sister Maureen we sympathise with his daughter Mary Carmel, sister Josie, brother-in-law John Coffey, her nieces and other relatives.

Removal took place on Monday evening last from the Kiely Funeral Home to Touraneena Church. Funeral Mass was celebrated on Tuesday at 11 o'clock with the farm. His passing is the interment following in the adjoining cemetery.

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

LATE CATHERINE O'BRIEN (NEE DUNNE)

With sadness we record the passing of Catherine O'Brien, Ballyguiry Upper, Dungar-Aglish which sad event occurred on Sunday April 28th. Removal was from Drohan's

Church. Following funeral Mass on Wednesday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery

To her daughters Mary Jones and Ann Whelan, son Sean and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

(Full obituary next issue). (Funeral arrangements by

Tom Drohan, Funeral Directors. Dungarvan).

LATE MICHAEL LALOR

It is with great sadness and deep regret we record the passing of Michael Lalor, Gorey and formerly of Cappoquin which sad event occurred on 23rd April. On Wednesday evening removal took place from Murphy's Funeral Home, Gorey to St. Michael's Church, Gorey.

On Thursday morning following funeral Mass removal took place to Cappoquin where burial took place in St. Declan's Cemetery, Cappo-quin, Rev. Fr. Kiely P.P. officiated at the graveside where Michael was laid to rest in the presence of a large gathering.

We extend our deepest sympathy to wife Josie, relatives and friends. May he rest in peace.

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

St. Marys Parish Notes

SUNDAY 5th MAY: SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Readings Acts 8: 5-8, 14-17; 1 Peter 3. 15-18. John 14:15-21.

The first reading describes the continuing successes in the early church and the giving of the Spirit to new believers. Peter writes that Christians should be able to give a reason for the hope that is in them. In the gospel, Jesus repeats His commandments of love, promises and the gift of the

WATERFORD AND LISMORE

The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock takes on Sunday 5 th May. Train leaving Clonmel at 7.24a.m. Tickets available at the Parish Office Adult 18 Euro, Children 12 Euro. PARISH MARRIAGE JUBILEE CELEBRATION

(25/40/50th) This annual event will be celebrated on Saturday 25th May beginning with 7.30pm Mass. Celebrating couples are asked to use sign up forms, which are available in the church or Parish office.

PARISH FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS Will be celebrated on Saturday 11th,18th and 25th May at 11a.m.Mass.

Please remember the children in your prayers.

PARISH NEWSLETTER

The May issue is now available in the church SACRAMENT OF THE SICK This will be celebrated in the Hospital Chapel on Tuesday 28th May at lla.m. Mass.

THE DUNGARVAN GOSPEL CHOIR Will sing at 10.00a.m. Mass on Sunday 5th May. A YOUTH MASS

Will be celebrated in St. Mary's on Saturday 11th May at 7.30p.m. Vigil Mass) all welcome

THE FAITH DEVELOPMENT GROUP

Will meet on Friday 10th May FRIENDS OF LOUGH DERG

Are holding their Annual Mass at Clonea Strand Hotel on Thursday 9th May at 7.45p.m. Celebrant: Rev. J. Shanahan CM. (All Hallows College) followed by Buffet Dinner, Music & Raffle. All Proceeds in aid of Radiotherapy Unit at Waterford Regional Hospital and Lough Derg Building Fund Tickets 20 Euro. For tickets please contact Keoghan's Cleaners - 058-42149 or any committee member.
FRIENDS OF ST. MARTIN

Will have a Social Evening to Ardmore on Wednesday night, 15th May 2002. Bus leaves Square at 7.30p.m - usual pick-up points BAPTISM

Takes place on the 2nd & 4th Sunday of every month after 12 noon Mass. Parents must take part in the preparation meeting - enrol at the Parish Office please.

PLEASE NOTE

Booking of Masses for St. Mary's Church can only be booked up to three (3) months in advance at the Parish Office. **PARISH OFFICE**

Is located in St. Mary's Church and is open Monday - Friday I0am. - 12 noon, and 2.00p.m. - 4.00p.m. If you want to book Masses or Baptisms call during these times.

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STRADBALLY **COMMUNITY MARKET**

It's Stradbally market time again. As usual there will be an excellent range of produce on sale from fresh home baking, jams, pickles, dips, free range eggs, fresh vegetables, apple juice, smoked produce and from Michael Buck's farm, strawberries and organic potatoes. For the keen gardener there'll be window boxes, bird tables, a wide selection of bedding plants. hanging baskets and perennial plants. For further details contact Miriam Matthews on (087) 2885851. The market is on this Saturday 4th May in the Barron Hall (next door to the Holy Cross Church) from 10.30 am to 12.00 noon SPONSORED TRESTLE

TABLES With the Stradbally market going from strength to strength, it has become essential to get proper trestle display tables. Stradbally Tourism & Enterprise Group have agreed to sponsor the cost of eight trestle tables, which will be used by the

developing countries.

the 15th March - 15th April.

their quality of life."

India, Uganda, and Estonia.

visually impaired people."

DUNGARVAN

HELPS 250 PEOPLE

IN SPECSAVERS

CAMPAIGN

Specsavers Opticians Ireland collect 6,630 unwanted

spectacles from people in Ireland for third world and

Specsavers Opticians Ireland have announced that their

month long campaign to collect unwanted spectacles from

people in Ireland for use in developing and third world

countries has resulted in a massive 6,630 pairs of glass-

es being collected. This is more than double the 2,500

pairs that Specsavers had expected to collect in the cam-

paign, which was run with the charity Vision Aid Overseas.

The Dungarvan store collected more than 250 unwanted

spectacles - 100 more than the 150 that Specsavers had

set as a target for each store to collect in the campaign,

which was run with the charity Vision Aid Overseas from

Commenting on the success of the campaign, Noeleen

O'Connor, owner of the Dungarvan store, said, "We are

absolutely delighted at the success of this campaign -

people have been flocking to the stores to give up their

glasses for such a worthy cause. By participating in this

difference to more than 250 people's lives, helping to

improve their eyesight and, at the same time, improve

The glasses will now be sent to Vision Aid Overseas

where they will be distributed to countries as diverse as

Vision Aid Overseas is a charity dedicated to helping peo-

ple in developing countries whose lives are blighted by

bad eyesight, particularly in those cases of refractive error

where spectacles can help. Commenting on the

Specsavers Opticians Ireland campaign, Tym Marsh,

director of Vision Aid Overseas, said, "The success of the campaign with Specsavers Opticians Ireland will have a

huge impact on our stock of spectacles. In addition to pro-

viding much-needed spectacles, we also recruit and fund

more than 70 volunteers each year, including Specsavers

Opticians employees, to go and work in developing coun-

tries. Their work, combined with the distribution of the old

spectacles, will really mean a whole new lease of life for

ampaign, the people of Dungarvan will have made a real

nual Christmas Craft fair. The tables have now been orbefore next month's market.

MUSIC AT WHELAN'S

Whelan's Pub would like to announce that Christy Power will be playing this Saturday night May 4th.

WELCOME TO GERMAN DIPLOMAT

This weekend German diplomat Anja Schmidt and friend Gomi from India will be visiting Stradbally. The notes would like to extend a warm welcome to both and hope they enjoy their stay

WHAT IS THE ENTENTE FLORALE?

With Stradbally village being given the honour of taking part this year, once again, in the Entente Florale competition there may be those who are not familiar with it's origins. Ireland first participated in this Annual European competition in 1981. It is organized by the European Association for Flowers and Landscaping

Community market and An- (AEFP), a non-profit organi- Joe Flynn Foxe's Castle, 25 zation, based in Brussels, whose members operate dered and will be delivered under the aegis of the Government Departments of Tourism and/or Environment and the Horticulture Organisations in their various countries. The Irish nominations to the competition are made by the Department of the Environment and Local Government based on the results of the Annual Tidy Towns competition and the achievements of particular towns

and villages. Every Summer 10 adjudicators, one from each of the participating countries, visits all of the towns and villages in the competition.

STRADBALLY. **BALLYLANEEN &** FAHA NON-STOP **DRAW RESULTS**

April 8th; 100 Euro John Lenihan Ballinabanogue, 25 Euro Gerard Barry, Garrahlish, 25 Euro Ger Cusack Fahafeela, 25 Euro M.J. Mc Grath, Ballyogarty, 25 Euro

Euro Rose Power, Carrigbarahane, Promoter Marian Morrissey.

April 15th; 100 Euro Genevieve Crotty Ballyvoile, 25 Euro Helen Mulcahy, Kilmacthomas, 25 Euro Dick Mc Keon Chapel Rd., 25 Euro Jamie Weldon, Rockville, 25 Euro John Power Ballyvaden, 25 Euro Michelle Coffey, Lisard, Promoter; Helen Power.

April 22nd; 100 Euro Orla Lennon Seafield, 25 Euro Michael Organ, Carrigcastle, 25 Euro Maureen Reynolds Ballyvoile, 25 Euro Helen Curran, Cove Bar Stradbally, 25 Euro Percy Flynn Faha. 25 Euro Michael O' Meara, Ballinarrid, Promoter; Mary Quinlan.

WHIST

Whist will be held this Thursday be held in the Stradbally G.A.A. club at 8:15 pm. Another gala night with many prizes to be won. All are welcome especially beginners. See you there!

News of Town & Roundabout

ANNUAL AUGUSTINIAN DAY AT KNOCK, JULY 2002

The Annual Augustinian Day at Knock will take place this year on Saturday, 20th July. A bus will leave Grattan Square for Knock at 7 a.m. The price per ticket is 32 euro for adults and 16 euro for children. This will include the bus fare and a fourcourse dinner in Gort on the return journey.

If you are interested in making the pilgrimage please make your booking at the Friary office as soon as possible. We will be having just one bus so first come first served.

DUNGARVAN G.A.A. LOTTO

Numbers for last week: 18-5-15-12. No winner. Two winners of 35 euro each: Deirdre Duggan, 2, Wolfe Congress Villas, Dungarvan.

This week's numbers: 12each: Robyn Cullinan, 19, Wolfe Tone Road; Gráinne Fitzgerald, Castlemartyr. Doreen Keane. Next draw at the Shandon

Results of Dungarvan GAA 30 euro each: Luke O'- John Man Callaghan, 10, Lisfennel McCarthy. Court; Breda Power, 49A Springfield; Ryan Donnelly, 2 Marquis Drive. 30 euro Promoter's Prize: Maura Curran, 19, Western Bay.

Results of Dungarvan GAA with Deise Development Joan Behan and Noel Power.

Draw for month of April -30 euro each: Tommy Egan, 19 Springfield; Rosario Donovan, The Beeches; Kevin Foley, Melleray Road, Cappoquin. 30 euro Promoter's Prize: Paddy Fitzgerald, Emmet Terrace.

CUNNIGAR BRIDGE CLUB

Results, 24th April — 1, John Phelan and Anne Veale; 2, Margaret Clancy and Brid Culloo; 3, Kay Shanley and Una Dwyer; jt. 4, Sheila Lane and Mel O'Connor, Chris Morrissey and Maureen Morrissey.

ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB

Results: 1, Carmel O'Sullivan and Bridie McHugh; 2, Patsy Faye and Pat Murphy; 3, Gabriel Mullins and Margaret Foley; 4, Avice Cusack and Eithne Keevers.

DEISE BRIDGE CLUB

Results end of season party Tone Road; Gerald Crotty, held on 29th April - Section A - 1, Walter Murphy and Aida O'Neill; 2, Kath-19-18-14. No winner. Next leen Deasy and Sadie Uí week's jackpot: 5,090 euro. Mhiacháin: 3, Maeve O'Ri-Two winners of 35 euro ordan and Maeve Carthy; 4, Seán and Nuala de Paor; 5, Pauline Dempsey and

Section B — 1, Justin Spratt and Ollie O'Neill; 2, Tom and Marianne Mulcahy; Club Draw in conjunction 3, Moira Ormond and Ina H. with Deise Development Considine; 4, Kathleen Phe-Draw for month of March: lan and Paddy Lannen; 5, John Mansfield and Paddy

> HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB

Results, 23rd April - 1, Patsy Faye and Gabriel Mullins; 2, Nuala Condon and Ann Casey; 3, June Club Draw in conjunction James and Aida O'Neill; 4,

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CAPPOQUIN F.C. NOTES

VALLEY RANGERS 0 CAPPOQUIN 3

Our search for the holy grail ended in spectacular fashion on Sunday last, with an outstanding display from everyone involved.

The players and management knew that going to Valley's ground was going to be a battle but my God were they up for it. Not too much had to be said as each and everyone of them were determined to land that coveted league title.

From the outset we started at an electrifying pace with Lou and Charlie winning tackle after tackle down that right hand side as if their lives depended on it. We faced into a strong wind in the first half but that didn't deter our boys. Oh no, they just set about their tasks working tirelessly for each other and not giving the opposition a second in possession. With the engine room of the team of Ma and Sully dominating the middle we started to create several openings with Darragh and Magic going close. But we hadn't to wait long for the opener to arrive when a trade mark corner from Charlie found the head of Magic and he rifled it to the corner of the net. With the bit now firmly between the teeth we kept piling on the pressure but failed to add to our tally before the

We started into the second half as we finished the first with an even greater desire, as we knew that only 45 mins separated us from what we set out to achieve at the start of the season, and nobody was going to distract us from that. Everything that was thrown at us was dealt with superbly by our back four of Lou, Match, Micheál and Tosh. As our confidence grew so did the passing with Tosh and Darragh combining well down the left. It was from one of those moves that we went two up with Darragh executing brilliantly from just outside the box. Nearly there, we could nearly taste victory so we kept pushing for more. Magic had an effort with a chip from 40 yards that just clipped the post, that had it gone in would have been the goal of the season. Then with 5 mins remaining Darragh won a free kick on the edge of the area, decided to have a crack himself and curled an unstoppable shot in to the top corner. That cued wild celebrations on the line and when the final whistle went there was even more joyous scenes on the pitch.

A lot of hard work and effort has gone into the winning of this league, starting back as far as last July with a players meeting being held, setting out the task ahead of us. The

from players and management ished with you. was wonderful throughout. With us training every Wed. and Friday nights and no alcohol taken on board the night before any game we got what we richly deserved.

A special thanks has to go to the three wise men of John, Gossie and Wattle. The work that they put in either with the team or behind the scenes deserves great credit and this league was won for as much as them as for the players. Another special thanks has to go to John Maher who as groundsman, has our pitch in expert condition week after week, sometimes when other pitches aren't playable. Week in week out when these notes have gone to press different players often ask why didn't you say this or that about me, so here is a quick assessment of the squad that landed the club our first title in ten years.

Morro: The "Man Mountain" as he's known. Must be the best proverbial house on fire. As Motch says when Morro calls for a cross just turn and run for the kick out!

Liamy Lou: As tough a defender your likely ever to come across. The tougher the game the better he likes it. Another man of the match display on Sunday last.

Motch: Another member of what must be one of the meanest defences ever to win a league. Six goals conceded all season in the league. In the air there is no one to match him and on the ground he's like Baresi strolling out of de-

Michael: Talks of retirement must surely be put on hold as there's life in the old dog yet. Brilliant performance again on Sunday. No one better at reading the game.

Tosh: First of the 3 signings made at the start of the season. Plays as an attacking full back. Also equally as comfortable at centre-half when "Motchov" is on international duty. Huge addition.

Darragh: Up front lethal. Midfield lethal. Will score from anywhere. What more can I say.

Ma: Must be player of the league if there is such a thing. Not enough phrases there to describe this player's ability. Only one of two every present this season (Michael being the other)

Charlie: Probably only uses his right foot to stand on but more than makes up for it with his left. Best passer of the ball in the team. Proved a lot of people wrong with his disciplinary record this sea-

Sully: The young Wattle! What work rate this man does. Does the work of two men, up and down the pitch. You'll know you've been in a commitment and dedication match when this fella is fin-

Magic: Our supreme goal scoring machine. What a signing. Must be a definite for the Red House League team next season. The perfect example of a goal getter and a goal

Cathal: His best game ever for us on Sunday. Compliments Magic up front with his tireless work. Chips in with his share of goals as well. Great habit of being in the right place at the right time.

Paul: Midfield or up front, our little dynamo is one of our most gifted players. Like Darragh, will score from anywhere.

Banger: Another one of "that defence". Loving getting forward and can score as well. The dedication that was spoken of earlier, was shown by this man, when coming back

on to the team six weeks after a hernia operation. Super player.

Lassie: Our "Mr. Versatile" can play left back, midfield or up front. Another one who has the club running through his veins. Tough competitor who will get you goals.

Paudie: In the same mould as Liamy Lou. The tougher the better. One for the future. Has tremendous ability.

Colin: Our youngest squad member. Never misses a training session or any games. When he'll make the break through, definitely one to

All in all not a bad bunch of fellas!

Bishop: One of our most accomplished defenders. Equally comfortable on either foot. Solid throughout. Another member of "that defence"

CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE UNDERAGE NOTES

DEISE DRAW SCHOOL WIN

There was great delight in the locality last weekend with the news that the Boys National School had won top prize in the April Deise Draw. The winning ticket had been sold by our club and everyone was thrilled that our first big winner was such a worthy establishment. The question now, of course is whether lightening can strike twice - can we have a second top prize winning this year? Why not. If you're not in you can't win, can you.

COFFEE MORNING

In aid of the Alzheimer Society of Ireland at Alice Murray's, Kilbree, Cappoquin, (back road from Lismore to Cappoquin), on Thursday 2nd May at 10.30 am to 12.30 pm. All are most welcome.

CAPPOQUIN SNOOKER CLUB

Cappoquin snooker club will hold a meeting on Thursday 2nd May at 8:30pm in the snooker hall. New members always welcome.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Frank McLoughlin, Green St. and Annette Cahill, Moonamon who announced their engagement at the weekend. The happy couple are currently living in Sydney, Australia.



CAPPOQUIN PRIMARY SCHOOLS SEND GOAT TO AFRICA. Pupils from the Mercy and Cappoquin Boys NS presenting a cheque to Peter Ireton, General Secretary, Bothar. to fund the sending of a goat to Africa. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

CAPPOQUIN BOYS' SCHOOL NEWS

THEATRE VISIT

Little Red Kettle provided a most enjoyable drama production for our pupils on Monday 29th April 2002. Thanks to Margaret Organ, Arts officer for her ongoing commitment to the development of the arts in our school - also the Mercy Primary School for allowing us use of Our Lady's Hall.

FIRST PENANCE

The Sacrament of First Penance was celebrated in St. Mary's Parish Church on Tuesday 23rd April 2002, All pupils preparing for First Holy

Communion in May 25th attended with their families. **SPORTING NEWS**

Tosach maith leath na hoibre is definitely something the Boy's School have taken to heart in this year's inter schools Hurling League. With wins over Ballinameela and Knockanore we have given ourselves a great chance of making this year's final. Well done also to Daithi Wilkinson who has made it on to the Primary Game Panel. This team will represent Waterford in the Primary Schools' game v

Cork on the day of the Waterford v Cork Senior Hurling Championship clash. We are glad to report that Ivan Cliffe is making a good recovery from the injury he received in a recent school game. We hope Ivan is back in action very soon. We also look forward to the Primary School Sports this term.

DEISE DRAW WIN

Congratulations to Cappoquin Boys' School on their recent win in the April Deise Draw. The monies will be used to benefit all pupils well done to all!.

ART AWARD

Congratulations to all pupils who participated in Community Games Art. Well done to Ivan Cliffe who took third place in the county finals in Dungarvan.

BOTHAR PRESENTATION

In conjunction with Mercy Primary School, monies were raised during Lent to fund a goat for Africa. Presentation of cheque was made on Thursday 25th April to Peter Ireton, General Secretary of Bothar. Well done to all concerned.

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CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE GAA NOTES

Cappoquin Clinch Red House Premier League Title

Congratulations are extended to "Gossie Mason's Red Barmy" on clinching the Red House Premier League title for 2002 with a superb 3-0 win away to Valley Rangers. Many of our club players are involved with this outfit who now are going for a double with the Liam Fitzgerald Cup semi final coming up. Best of luck lads and well done again.

Deise Development Draw First prize of 12,000 euro goes to Cappoquin Boys National School.

Congratulations are extended to everyone involved with Cappoquin Boys National School on winning this months Deise Development Draw. First prize of 12,000 euros in Cody's Pub in pm. Sunday 18th May Affane

Knockanore on Friday last. **County Hurling League Fixtures**

Friday 10th May De La Salle v Cappoquin in Cleaboy at 7.30 pm. Wednesday 29th May St. Mary's v Cappoquin in Touraneena at 7.30 pm. Sunday June 2nd Cappoquin v Colligan in the Sportsfield at 7.30 pm. Sunday June 9th Clonea v Cappoquin in Clonea at 7.30 pm. Cappoquin v Ring to be refixed.

West Waterford Junior Hurling League Fixtures

Sunday 12th May Cappoquin v St. Mary's in Touraneena at 7.30 pm. Friday 31st May Cappoquin v Dungarvan in Clogherane at 7.30 pm.

Junior Football League **Fixtures**

Saturday 4th May Affane v Kilgobnet in Bohadoon at 7.15 at 11.30 am. Friday 25th May Affane v Stradbally in the Sportsfield at 7.30 pm.

Minor Hurling Fixtures

Wednesday 8th May Cappoquin v Brickey's in Clashmore at 7.30 pm. Wednesday 15th May Cappoquin v Colligan in Dungarvan on 7.30 pm Cappoquin v Stradbally to be refixed.

U-14 Hurling County Feile Na Gael Final De La Salle 2-2 Cappoquin 0-4

Cappoquin took on raging hot favourites De La Salle in the County Feile Final at the Fraher Field on Friday last. Cappoquin won the toss and decided to play with the wind. Try as the lads did nothing seemed to go right in the first half and we trailed at half time 2-1 to 0-2 with points from D. J. and Paul Murray.

Facing into a strong wind in the second half it looked a real up hill task for the lads, but this is where our lads showed their true "nettle" as the saying goes "when the going gets tough, the tough get going". In general play in the second half, Cappoquin dominated the exchanges and De La Salle could only score one point from a free. Our problem was we could not breach the De La Salle defence for a goal. We had to be happy with two points from Paul Murray who gave an exhibition at centre back in the second half. Those to shine for Cappoquin were Ian Mason who was superb in goal, Joe Kett tremendous at left half back, Mark Landers when moved into full back put the shackles on the talented De La Salle full forward. Killian Denn was teak tough at left corner back and Shane O'Rourke was solid in the other corner. Olan Murray carried an injury into the game and never gave up. In midfield J. J. dominated in the second half and Shane Power hurled well throughout the game and tried very hard. Our forwards, who are very young played their hearts out and on another day could have had a goal or two. Each one of the seven forwards, Seamus and Pat Fitz, Daithi, Olan, Steven, Darragh and Finan that played all have a few seasons left playing. U-14 hurling, all in the Cappoquin/Affane Club would like to wish De La Salle the best of luck in Antrim for the All Ireland

Feile na nGael. Cappoquin panel; Ian Mason, Shane O'Rourke, Olan Murray, Killian Denn, Mark Landers, Shane Fives, Joey Kett, J. J. Devine, Shane Power, Steven Power, Paul Murray, Seamus Fitz, Finan Murray, Daithi Wilkinson, Darragh Fives, Pat Fitz, Kieran Flynn, David Cahill, Darren Curran, Colm Looby, Ivan Cliffe.

Juvenile Fixtures for the Month of May

West U-14 Hurling League Dublin All Star hurlers.

v Old Parish in the Sportsfield Thursday 2nd May Cappoquin v Cois Bhride in Tallow at 7.00 pm. Thursday 8th May Cappoquin v Abbeyside in the Sportsfield at 7.00 pm. Lismore match to be refixed.

U-11 Hurling Town and **Country League**

Division 1 Tuesday April 30th Cappoquin v Cois Bhride in Sportsfield at 7.00 pm. Wednesday May 1st Cappoquin v Lismore in Lismore at 7.00 pm. Saturday May 4th Ber Ryan U-11 Tournament in Lismore. Thursday May 9th Cappoquin v Abbeyside in Abbeyside at 7.00 pm.

West Waterford U-12 **Hurling Fixtures**

Friday May 10th Cappoquin v Brickey's in the Sportsfield at 7.00 pm. Friday May 17th Cappoquin v Abbeyside in the Sportsfield at 7.00 pm. Friday 24th May Cappoquin v Stradbally in Stradbally at 7.00 pm. Friday 21st May Cappoquin v Naomh Brid in Modeligo at 7.00 pm.

U-14 County Hurling

Division 1 Round 2 Monday 29th April Cappoquin v Mt. Sion in Mt. Sion at 7.30 pm. Round 3 Monday 6th May Cappoquin v Roanmore in the Sportsfield at 7.30 pm. Round 4 13th May Cappoquin v Ballygunner in Ballygunner at 7.30 pm. Round 5 20th May Cappoquin v De La Salle in Cappoquin at 7.30 pm. Round 6 27th May Cappoquin v Lismore in Lismore at 7.30 pm. Round 7 3rd June Cappoquin v Abbeyside in Abbeyside at

Mayfield U-14 Hurling **Tournament Whit** Weekend. **Primary Game**

Our congratulations go to Daithi (DJ) Wilkinson who was elected to represent his school Cappoquin Boys National School in the forthcoming Primary Game. The game will take place against Cork Schools representatives prior to Waterford's Munster Championship game against Cork in Thurles on Sunday 26th May, so we can all keep an eye out on the day for the man from Killahala.

Three To Answer

1 What counties played in ing Final?

2 Who captained Waterford when they won the Minor Hurling All Ireland Finals in 1929 and 1948.

3 How many All Ireland minor hurling titles have Cork?

Answers will appear in this section next week. Answers to Last Weeks

1 Mike Sheehy, the Kerry forward of the 70's and 80's

played his club football with Austin Stacks (Tralee). 2 O'Moore Park is the GAA ground in Portlaois.

3 Mick Bermingham and Brian McMahon are the two

CAPPOQUIN PLAYGROUND UPDATE

The Cappoquin Playground Committee (CPC) would like to thank everyone who has supported our efforts thus far by coming out to our events, purchasing tickets and offering donations to raise funds for this worthwhile project. Everyone agrees that a playground in the town would have a positive impact on the children and parents of the parish and would be an asset to the town.

To date we have raised approx. 4,500 euros and have received commitments from various companies and individuals for further donations. This is a great accomplishment considering the CPC was only set up in February!

Many people have inquired however as to where the playground will be going. The CPC feel that Twig Bog, part of the Chanat La Mouteyere Garden, is by far the most suitable site for the following reasons:

• There is ample car parking facilities and lighting

• It is adjacent to the proposed site for the new Community Hall, making Twig Bog a one-stop shop for parents

• Twig-Bog is a neutral venue in that is is not part of any housing estate and is accessible to people of a wide area.

• The site is over-looked by the rear of many houses on Church Street and Lower Main Street thereby reducing risks of vandalism.

 encing around the playground will not infringe on any view that these houses may have

 A playground would enhance the area of the Chanat La Mouteyere Garden in that more people will use and enjoy this beautiful area of the town. Also, seating would be placed with the playground for parents etc.

• Visitors to the town would feel free to use the playground for their children, whereas if it were in a housing estate they may feel that it was available only to its residents. This is equally true for people of surrounding areas.

The County Council has been encouraging the CPC to choose the Barrack Street site, where the new houses are being developed, as a preferred site. We feel however that is is not suitable for the following reasons:

• Parents may be inclined to drop children off or send them on their own instead of supervising thereby jeopardising the safety of the children.

 Due to minimal parental supervision there will be an increase in the possibility of traffic/children accidents.

There are no car parking facilities

It would be an invasion of the resident privacy

• It will become known as the Barrack Street Playground not a general playground for the children of the area.

• Higher risk of vandalism due to the inability to put up high fencing.

• There were three other sites that were looked at as well but again they are not suitable. • The old playground site in upper Shanbally would have

no car parking facilities and the access road to too narrow. • The Soccer pitch site at Danes Field would be complicat-

ed as they have expressed plans for an all-weather pitch. • A site near the proposed new school would be too small as there will be new road developments to accommodate the school traffic.

Our children deserve the best! Young children are our future citizens. The Cappoquin Playground Committee have found through our recent fundraising events that we have tremendous support from the entire community and surrounding areas. We hope that this support will continue and that this project will come to fruition in the very near future.

Watch this space for further details on our upcoming events! And thanks again to all who have supported our ef-

Sherry Visser-Coffey Public Relations Co-Ordinator Cappoquin Playground Committee.

CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE LOTTO RESULTS

At the Tavern Bar on Monday 22nd April the numbers drawn were 2-8-17-27. No winner. Consolation prizes Michael Tobin, Ballynoe East; Shirley Landers, Melleray Rd; James Crotty, Affane; John Kelleher, Dungarvan; Mike Buckley, c/o Fawlty's. Congratulations to all.

At the Sportsman's Bar on Saturday 27th April the numbers drawn were 3-9-18-27. NO winner. Consolations prizes Michael Casey, c/o Central Bar; Brendan Hennebry, Affane; Cillian O'Connor; Barrack Street, John Joe and Mary C, c/o Central Bar; John Cahill, c/o Market House. Congratulations to everyone.

This weeks jackpot will be 8,500 euros and the draw will be held in the Toby Jug on Saturday night.

RAILWAY ATH. F.C. NOTES Under 16 League -Southend 2 Railway 3

Our under 16 team collected all three points last Saturday in their last away game of the season.

Played in Southend's new pitch in what can only be described as atrocious weather conditions. Railway were the better team over the 90 mins and deserved the hard earned points. Shane Kelly had an effort on goal on 40 secs but the keeper did well to parry his efforts away. For the first 5 minutes we forced about 6 or 7 corners but with no end result.

We made 1-0 in the 7th minute when a good cross from Kelly was headed home by the inrushing Pat Quinn. Noel Buckley made an excellent save in the 20th minute when he was one on one with the centre forward. Southend made it 1-1 in the 28th minute when after our defence having about 5 chances to clear, Southend's winger poked home.

Railway made it 2-1 in the 35th minute when Stephen Kett (back after his efforts with the County Minor team) struck home a shot from outside the box. The half finished soon af-

terwards with Railway leading 2-1.

The first 10 minutes of the second half was quiet with both defences holding firm but Southend made it 2-2 in the 62nd minute when their centre forward finished neatly from close range. McGrath put Kelly through on the 65th minute but his effort from an acute angle hammered back off the cross bar with the keeper beating all ends up, but Railway made it 3-2 in the 68th minute when the hardworking McLoughlin put Kelly through and he did well to knock it past the keeper. Southend had a few efforts before the end, but the defence Buckley, Cliffe, Brown, Power and Kett held firm to keep the city side out. The game fizzled out with Railway taking an excellent 3 points.

This was a very solid team performance from the lads and with a bit of luck at the start of the season could be in for honours now. This squad has good potential and with a few more players and some training next year, this team have a

good chance in the under 17 league. Railway; Noel Buckley, Adrian Cliffe, David Kett, Stephen Power, Derek Brown, Stephen Kett, Ivan McLoughlin, Pat Quinn (capt), Paul McGrath, Jason Hodnett, Stephen Kelly subs Darren Hamilton and Daniel Dransfield (both used).

World Cup Soccer Pools Fancy yourself as a football pundit? Now you have a chance to prove your worth. From this weekend the club will have "World Cup Soccer Pools" on sale from any club member. All you have to do is predict the correct results of every match in the World Cup. You get 3 points for a correct result and 5 points for a correct scoreline and result. The person who has the most points at the end of the tournament will get the top prize. Tie entry fee is a mere 5 euro and the top 3 will

This will be a badly needed fundraising effort for the club and we hope all players and members will take a special effort to sell. Why not keep a special interest in the World Cup

and have a chance of winning! Best of Luck — Best wishes to local man Mick McCarthy, who marries Joan Coleman this weekend. Best of luck to you both and we hope you both have years of wedding bliss.

Fixtures - Saturday 4th May Div. 1A home to Tramore at

2.15 pm. Div. 2B away to Tycor at 2.15 pm. Well Done - Well done to Cappoquin F.C. on taking the

Tallow Notes

BRIDEVIEW UTD A.F.C. NOTES

Lotto Jackpot Almost 7,000 Euros

Yes, our lotto jackpot is now almost 7,000 euros. We had no winner last week and there was only one match 3. The numbers drawn were 4-18-20-23. Match 3 winner: Mary Milward. Well done Mary. Our draw this Sunday night takes place in Luke McCarthy's at 7.30 sharp. Please get your ticket early.

At the moment we are a club without a home. We are however busy behind the scenes with plenty of work to be done.

For the first time in many seasons our junior teams have failed to win a trophy and it was left to our youth team to win a league title. The club is going through a rebuilding programme so hopefully the trophies will begin to come back to the club in the near future.

Well Done

We congratulate two of our Youth winning team namely Paul and Aidan Kearney on winning All Ireland College medals when St. Colman's. Fermoy defeated St. Kieran's. Well done lads. Two for the future no doubt.

U-12 League

Fermoy 3 Brideview Utd 1 Our U-12 side played their final league game in Fermoy on Thursday night last. Utd could force a three way play off if they won here but despite giving a marvellous display we lost out.

We went a goal down after 5 mins but after this our lads took the game to the homeside and pounded the Fermoy goal. We created plenty of chances and Owens and Ryan both went close.

pounced on everything. Our defence of Keith Hallahan, Barry Moroney, Aimee Power and Philip Cunningham kept a tight reign on Fermoy's front men.

Tireless work was done in midfield by Brian Collins, Kieran Geary, Sean Long and Donnacha Mulcahy. Up front Thomas Ryan and John Owens kept Fermoy's defence on their toes. At the break we were still a goal down after being well on

The second half was fast and furious with Owens and Ryan tasting the homesides keeper. However after 10 mins, of the second half we were back on level terms. Owens set up Ryan and the latters shot went in under the diving keeper.

As the game came near the end our lads began to tire and two late strikes from Fermov sealed the league title for them. We congratulate them. We now look forward to a good Cup run and the lads will fear no one after this display.

Utd; Shane Aherne, Keith Hallahan, Barry Moroney, Philip Cunningham, Aimee Power, Brian Collins, Kieran Geary, Sean Long, Donnacha Mulcahy, John Owens, Thomas Ryan. Res all used Sean Sullivan, Kevin Curley, Dean Pratt and Joey Power.

Congratulations

To our club Chairman Michael Sheehan and wife Denise on the happy occasion - the birth of a bouncing baby boy. No doubt this will keep Jack in Fermoy happy.

In goal Shane Aherne A striker Jack no doubt. Best wishes folks from all in Brideview Utd.

Engagement

Love was in the air again at the weekend when Ann Doyle and Robert Sullivan announced their engagement. Best wishes to you both.

Married

We send best wishes to Kieran Tobin and Deirdre Martin who got married on Saturday last. Best of luck to both in the years ahead.

Tallow Welcome Home Week

Details of this years festival are now almost complete. An added attraction this year will be the Tallow 10k Road Race. Another new one this year will be the festival queen. This was very popular some years ago and the committee hope that it will prove to be again this year.

We are still open for new ideas so if anyone has any then contact any committee member.

On the music front we have Gina, Zero Zero, Pete Rivers, Cheers, Fatal Attraction and Bit In Japan. Again keep the ideas coming in. Also this year we have childrens races on the street and a first for Tallow, a baby competition.

League Champions

Yes, Cappoquin are the new league champions when they easily defeated Valley Rangers by 3-0. They last won the league in the season 91/92. Well done.

Field Developments

Thanks to the fine weather over the last number of weeks our ground developments are going well. By the end of May much of the work should be done. The ground will not reopen however until next year as the club are anxious to have everything right before we play on the new pitches.

Festival Meeting

This Thursday night at 9.00 pm in the Gym. Everyone to attend

Birthday Corner

Yes to Leslie Adams who celebrated her birthday on Saturday last. We hope she enjoyed the meal. Not forgetting Thomas Sutherland who was 11 years on Tues-

News To Hand

The girl in the mini skirt got a great reception in town on Friday last. The manufacturers of the skirt must have run short of material. The lads in the job could not keep their eyes to themselves or so I am told. One of the boys gave a great exhibition of dancing on Saturday night last.

Well Done

To William Curley on his success last weekend. More on this down the road as it were.

U-18 League Champions

Yes, lads we are not forgetting you. We should have the trophies next week and we will then organise a "small" night for you. Right boys.

Schoolboys Fixtures

Check with managers as Cup games could be on this week. Players will be noti-

C.L.G Tulach an Iarainn SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP TALLOW FACE MUNSTER CHAMPIONS

Make no mistake about it Tallow Senior Hurlers face a mammoth task in their 1st round championship game against county and Munster champions Ballygunner in the Fraher Field this Saturday evening. While the Gunners were hugely disappointing in the All -Ireland semifinal against Clarinbridge, they are still one of the best club sides in Ireland. laden with experience and bursting with talent.

Tallows form to date has been erratic mainly due to the fact that at no stage throughout their preparations have the selectors been able to field their strongest team. Most clubs oper ate under the same constraints and are in the same predicament as ourselves but it impacts most when you are operating a small panel to begin with. We have had glimpses of the quality of hurling this Tallow team are well capable of. Nothing short of their best form will be good enough on Saturday to take down the county champions. Maybe it's asking a lot but it's not asking too much. It's a big challenge for our lads and a good yardstick by which to judge our teams players. I don't think they will be found wanting. Your support on Saturday evening would be greatly appreciated. Our game is on at 6:15pm as far as I know but check elsewhere for confirmation.

KEARNEY TWINS WIN SECOND ALL IRELAND MEDAL

On Sunday Aidan & Paul helped St. Colman's regain the All-Ireland Colleges title, tonight (Wednesday), they line out with our County minors in the replay against Cork in Pairc Ui Caoimh and on Saturday they don the club jersey in the 1st round of the senior championship against Ballygunner. Serious demands on young players requiring special dedication. Well done lads. A word of recognition too for parents Loretta and Tom for their support of the lads and indeed their club. They are always available when asked to help out with transport, fundraising etc. Tom finds himself in a bit of a dilemma this evening however with 2 sons lining out against his beloved 'Rebel County'. There's only one County Tom - the one with the blue and white.

JUNIOR HURLING LEAGUE

While some of the young pretenders may 'talk the talk' the 'Legend" still 'walks the walk', as he proved on Sunday with a vintage performance against Kilrossanty in the Junior Hurling League. Vintage performances as well from veterans Timmy Sheehan and Johnny Geary who along with the Legend have a combined age of 120+. A dramatic late goal in the dying minutes secured the points for Tallow in Leamybrien. Unfortunately I missed the game and didn't witness this heroic comeback. I've had trouble determining who got the Tallow scores, particularly the goals. First reports to reach Tallow on Sunday evening said the Legend got 4 goals. This was later disputed. James Beecher says his free went direct to the Kilrossanty net without Murph touching it. Johnny Geary says the "Legends" goals were 'dubious', like the ones he scored against Ger Cunningham in '89. Timmy says he doesn't know about the rest but he definitely got one. I think Deirdre had a claim on one of the goals. Also, I've a feeling we haven't heard the last about this. I've contacted T.G. 4, Sky and R.T.E. to see if they had cameras at the game - this will run for a while.

Team: M. Murphy, C. Cunningham, J. Geary, D. Martin, J. Cunningham, M. McGrath, J.Henley, J. Beecher, T. Sheehan. D. Henley, W. Henley, S. Pratt, P. Murphy, T. Cunningham.

Selectors: T. Doyle, J. Curley, D. Cunningham.

"DUIRT SIAD"

'I'm 40 years of age and I'm the first man at the square' Legend is "up for it" before junior game on Sunday 'Bitten, burned but not beaten'

Munster banner at the Castres game

'Take us to the Empire State building'

Finn and the lads hire a cab on the 34th street to go to the Empire State Building (also on 34th Street by the way)

TALLOW GAA LOTTO RESULTS

Numbers drawn 1-7-18-20. No winner. Consolation prizes: Johnny Curley, Eamonn Donnelly, Mary Feeney (Glencairn). James Cashman. Promoter Prize: Brian Henley.

DEISE DRAW The club had 5 winners in the April draw. 200 Euro

Ronan Cronin, 100 Euro: Mary Beecher, Shanballa. Promoters prize: 50 Euro: James Murray, 50 Euro: Mary Buckley. Congratulations to all.

Modeligo Notes

Winning Numbers Drawn: 2, 12, 23. No jackpot winner, so Saturday nights draw will be for 900 euro. Remember, if you're not in, you haven't a chance! Get marking those tickets straight away.

15 euro winners: Genevieve O'Donnell, Chapel Road: Richie Kiely, Scart; Aaron Feehan, Knockaun; Vera Nugent, Glenview; Noreen O'Brien, Graigue Beg;

DEVOTIONS

Saturday next is the First Saturday of the month and as usual a special day in honour of Our Lady Of Lourdes. Devotions begin at 3.00 pm and continue to 7.30 pm Mass. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament are also observed. Try and make an effort to attend for just a few minutes.

Next Sunday is also the diocesan pilgrimage to Knock. Thanks to everyone who travelled to Knock last Saturday for the special day of prayer in honour of Mary, The Lady of All Nations. It was a wonderful event in spite of the inclement weather.

GET WELL

Wishing a good health to all our friends in the parish who are feeling a bit under the weather at present. Hope to see you all out and about again soon.

TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE RESULTS

Mrs. Hartnett, Ballynoe; Mrs. Roche, Kilworth; Pat Scanlon, Lismore; Pat Scanlon, Lismore; M.B. Bumbley, Conna; William Ahern, Conna; Lisa Hennessey, Ballynoe; Joan Walsh, Inch; Mrs. Griffin, Youghal; Nora McCarthy, The Square; Francis Prendergast, Lispinny; Brian Lynch, Knock, Fermoy; Pauline Power, Tallow; Fiona Henley, Tallow; Mrs. Foley, Lismore; Mrs. Crowley, Killeagh; Frankie Prendergast, Lisfinny; Kathleen Manahan, Cappoquin; Mrs. Margaret Geary, Moorehill; Susan Burke, Mitchelstown; Margaret Power, Killenagh.

Next Sunday jackpot 1,770 Euro on 48 calls or less.

PLAYGROUP AFTERNOON **SESSIONS**

Starting date; Tuesday May 7th 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm. Contact Louise at 058 56445.

ST. PATRICKS PARISH HALL PROGRESSIVE '45' RESULTS

24/04/02 1st: Maura Lyons & Josie Curley, 2nd: Noel Pratt & Eoin Mangan, 3rd: Divided by; Bertie Neville & Kitty McCarthy, Jack Fraser & Peter Kelly.

Table prize: Jack Cotter & Linda McCormack. Raffle Winners: Nan Kelly & Liam O'Brien

Cards this Wednesday at 8:30pm.



FARMING LEADER

IFA Says Pig Supplies Scarce And Producers **Should Resist Any** Pull On Pig Prices

Waterford IFA National Pigs Committee representathis week said that "producers should strongly resist any negative pressure on prices from the factories." Naughton said "the reality is the number of slaughtered pigs available in the South of Ireland have been scarce and will remain so over the next

"the ongoing buoyancy in the 60,000 pigs per week and UK pig price which is now €1.61/kg compared with the Irish price of €1.31 indicates that Irelands principal market for pigmeat, is strong". The same is true for Northern Ireland with prices of €1.38 to €1.40 available.

IFA **WELCOME** 13 MILLION **EURO INCOME BOOST TO MOUNTAIN AREAS**

The Chairman of the Waterford IFA Hill Farming Committee James O' Grady has welcomed the agreement by the EU Commission Star Committee to increase the disadvantaged areas payments in mountain areas.

The increase in payments will be boost to farm incomes in these fragile areas with up to 26,000 farmers benefiting by an average of 500 euro per farm.

Mr O' Grady said that it was now vitally important that payments are made immediately as farmers in these areas have awaited this payment increase since last year.

The disadvantaged areas scheme is now worth 228m euro under the new area based system.

IFA will be making further proposals to ensure that farmers who are significant beneficiaries under the old headage system do not loose out when the compensation fund tapers out over the next couple of years.

said producers in Ireland have tive Joseph Naughton has had to survive on a first quarter average of €1.27 which is 6cent/kg below break-even. Compared with an average of €1.53 in the UK and €1.39 in Denmark. In reality Mr. Naughton said producers couldn't stay in production at these price levels.

In addition, Mr. Naughton said pig supplies in the South Mr. Naughton continued, remain tight at approximately

Easter holiday period. He said that while the sow market has weakened due to a weakened German market at present, to use their current pig price of €1.31/kg as a barometer for Irish prices now would be disingenuous, given their year to date average is 16.5cent/kg or €11.55 per pig ahead of Irish prices.

Mr. Naughton said producprice rise for the past six concluded Mr. Naughton.

The Waterford IFA pig leader this is despite the recent weeks as a means of achieving the €1.40 per kg for 2002, promised by the processors post-Christmas. "The re-opening of the Japanese market for Irish pigmeat is imminent with the first shipments expected to be possible from the end of May and this should provide the confidence now needed to maintain prices in the short-term and lift prices ers have been anticipating a over the coming months",

Macra Na Feirme Co. Drama Finals



Individual award winners in the recent Macra Na Feirme Co. Drama Finals (trophies kindly sponsored by Dalton Jewellers). Seated (left to right): Catriona Kiely (Best Supporting Actress), Ray Bradfield, Theresa Byrne (Best Actress). Standing: Michael Stack (Best Producer) John Stack (Best Actor), Vincent O'Brien, Co. Chairman, Gavin Hallahan (Best Supporting Actor), David O'Donnell (Best Set). Anita Meagher, Competition Secretary. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

EU Milk Management Committee Decision Criticised

Mr. Jackie Cahill, Chairperson of the ICMSA Dairy Committee has criticised the decision of the EU Milk Management Committee to take no action on export retheir meeting today.

"Given the current state of dairy markets, ICMSA be-

lieves that there is room for improved internal processing aids as they are now 10% per lower than in 2001. Additionally, increased export refunds would also help our funds and internal supports at competitiveness on Third Country markets. "This is an opportunity lost," said Mr. ation must be reversed".

In conclusion Mr. Cahill said: "ICMSA will be seeking to have these issues addressed at EU level as dairy farmer margins have been hit by up to 30 per cent in comparison to last year. This cannot continue and the situ-

ICMSA SECURE COMMITMENTS ON SLURRY CONTRACTING

ICMSA have secured a number of commitments regarding permit regulations for slurry contractors", said Mr. John O'Connor, Chairperson of ICMSA's Farm Services & Environment Committee following a meeting with senior officials of the Department of the Environment & Local Government.

Following to-day's meeting, the following will be exempt from requiring a permit:

- 1. Farmers spreading their own slurry on their own land. This was reaffirmed by the Department today.
- 2. Slurry contractors spreading slurry for a farmer on land used by the farmer, and
- 3. Contractors spreading slurry for farmers under the control of an IPC licence will not require a permit.

"This will mean that no permit will be required for the majority of a slurry contractors work. Therefore there should be no additional costs on farmers", concluded Mr. O'Connor.

Half Million Turnover At Cavan International Sale

Prices were the order of the day at the April International Performance at Cavan Horse Marketing Centre on the 17th and 18th April. In total 150 lots were sold and there was an average price increase of over 800 per animal sold. These excellent prices contributed to a sale turnover of half a million Euro.

New clients from at home and abroad as well as strong purchases from existing clients ensured that many of the lots will find new homes in Ireland, UK, mainland Europe and ultimately even further a field.

Three mares achieved a price of 9,000, one a 5 year old bay mare, another a four year chestnut gelding - sire Flagmount Diamond, sire of dam First Counsul. The third was a seven year old grey gelding who also made a cash sale of EUR 9,000.

The next International Performance Sale at Cavan Horse Marketing Centre is on the 12th and 13th of June. As usual this sale is for Irish horses and ponies, 3 years old and upwards suitable for show jumping, eventing, dressage, hunting and pleasure riding. Entry forms are available by contacting 049-4332017 and must be submitted before the 10th of May.



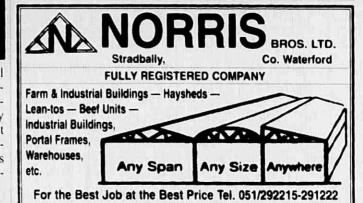


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Entries close 10th May 2002 ENTER NOW 049-4332017



Lismore Notes

C.L.G LIOS MOR -LISMORE GAA

COMMITTEE MEETING

A committee meeting was held in the Community Centre on Thursday night last. Votes of sympathy were extended to the Ahearne Family, Parks Road, the Flynn family, Cappoquin and to the McCarthy family, West End on their recent bereavements

SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

On Sunday night last in Fraher Field our Senior Hurlers took on Stradbally in the first round of the Senior Championship. This proved to be a very hotly contested game and the first half was marred by a few unsavoury incidents. Lismore got off to a very good start with a brace of goals from Dave Bennett and John Heneghan and at half time the score read 2-5 to 0-8 in favour of Lismore. In the second half we had the introduction of Shane Kearney for Kieran O' Gorman and the ever reliable Barney Prendergast for William Cunningham. In the last quarter of the game, Lismore proved to be the more dominant side and with some excellent scoring from Dave Bennett, Sean Daly, Barney Prendergast, Dan Shanahan and David Howard, we ran out the deserving winners on a final scoreline of 3-13 to 1-10.

Team: Brendan Landers, Mike O' Sullivan, James O' Connor, Paul Fennessy, Eoin Bennett, Seamus Prendergast, Peter Howard, David Howard (0-1), William Cunningham, Kieran O' Gorman, Dave Bennett (1-5), Paul Prendergast, Dan Shanahan (0-2), Sean Daly (1-0) and John Heneghan

Subs used: Shane Kearney for Kieran O' Gorman and Barney Prendergast (0-2) for

William Cunningham. CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations and best wishes for the future are extended to Robbie O'Sullivan and Ann Doyle who announced their engagement at the week-

BEST WISHES

The club would like to say best of luck to John Heneghan who will be playing with the Waterford Minors in the replay against Cork this coming Wednesday evening in Páirc ui

LISMORE GAA WEEKLY LOTTO

The numbers drawn in Monday nights lotto were 6, 16, 29. There was no winner of the 1,050 Euro jackpot. Next week's jackpot will be 1,200 Euro. The 15 Euro winners were as follows: Sean Willoughby, South Mall; James Shanahan, Parks Road; T. Morrissey, Bankfield; William Cunningham, Parks Road.

C.L.G na nOg Lios Mor/Baile na Saggart **Ber Ryan Tournament**

The Ber Ryan Tournament will take place this coming Saturday 4th May. There are eight teams participating: Craobh Chiarain (Dublin), Na Piarsaigh (Cork), Doon (Limerick), Cois Bride, Roanmore, Cappoquin, Brickey Rangers and Lis-

The teams are divided into 2 groups with games taking place in both the Primary School field and in the GAA field. The first games are scheduled to take place at 11:15am. The format for the day is as follows:

Group 1 Primary School field 11:15am - Lismore v Na Piarsaigh, 11:35am - Doon v Brickey Rangers, 12:00 - Doon v Na Piarsaigh, 12:25pm - Brickeys v Lismore, 12:50pm - Lismore v Doon, 1:15pm - Brickeys v Na Piarsaigh.

Group 2 Lismore GAA field 11:15am - Cappoquin v Craobh Chiarain, 11:35am -Cois Bride v Roanmore, 12:00 - Cois Bride v Roanmore. 12:25pm - Roanmore v Cappoquin, 12:50pm - Cappoquin v Cois Bride, 1:15pm - Craobh Chiarain v Roanmore.

2:15pm - Winners of Group 1 v Runners up of Group 2 in the GAA field. Runners up of Group 1 v Winners of Group 2 in the School Field.

All games are 10 minutes a side with teams of 15 a side and a panel of 21 players. All players are asked to bring a packed

LISMORE TIDY **TOWNS**

With just a few short weeks to our first judging, we appeal to the community to come along and participate in this years effort. Everyone's help - young and old - will be greatly appreciated. Weekly work nights will commence on Thursday May 2nd at 7pm at the Pound, Ferry Lane. Looking forward to seeing as many of you as possible on the night. Don't forget your gardening tools

BALLINVELLA COMMUNITY CENTRE Card Results 23-04-02

1st: Mary & Nan Kelly, 2nd : Tony McGrath & Joe Roche, 3rd: Paddy Mangan & Siobhan Leahy. Tickets: Michael Ormonde, Siobhan Fogarty, Mike Mangan. Lucky Table: Sean Kelly, Peter Kelly.

Next card night, Tuesday May

ST. **CARTHAGES** HOUSE **PROGRESSIVE**

Results 22nd April Winners: Jackie Houlihan, Jack Cotter, Kitty McCarthy, Josie Curlery, Mary Power, Liam Power, Mossie O' Brien, Mary Hyland, Cassie Hyland, Lena Jeffers. Raffle: Mick Pratt, Jean Byrne.

Results 29th April Winners: Helen Cunningham, Kitty Crowley, Nellie Corbett, Jo Lineen, Mary Fitzgerald, Peg Murray, Jackie Houlihan, Kathleen Coleman, Liam Power. Mary Power. Raffle: Jenny Fraher, Jack Cotter, Mary Whelan. Lucky Table: James & Maura Coughlan, Mary Whelan, Esther Veale.

LISMORE CAMOGIE NOTES

U-16 COUNTY TEAM

REACH MUNSTER FINAL On Saturday last in Dungarvan GAA field, Waterford U-16 team took on Clare in the Munster Semi final. Conditions on the day were bad with heavy rain throughout the match. Waterford got off to a good start scoring a goal in the opening minutes. Waterford had the pressure on for most of the first half but failed to capitalise on this dominance only adding two points to their early goal. The score at half time was 1-2 to 1-0 in Waterfords favour. Clare opened the second half scoring with an early point between the teams but Waterford again pulled away scoring two points in succession. Clare who were battling hard got their reward when they scored a goal to level the match with just 10 minutes to go. Both teams were fighting hard for this victory they exchanged points. Waterford missed two goal chances before they got a point in the dying minutes to clinch victory and a place in the Munster Final. This was a great victory for the girls and the first for Waterford at underage level for queit a while. The Munster Final will be played this Satur-day against Limerick in a Cork venue to be decided. We would ask everyone to support these girls on the day. Lismores representatives on the team were Tanya Morrissey, Nicola Morrissey, Niamh Ryan, Laura Buckley, Ashling O' Brien, Lorraine Geoghegan and Deirdre Walsh. We congratulate the girls on their great win they will do us proud.

Also playing at the weekend are the Waterford Junior Team. They take the field against Tipperary on Monday. We wish them the best of luck. Closer to home, our Senior team were in action at home to St. Anne's on Friday night last. This was the third game in the league and after one loss and win Lismore needed to win this one to stay in contention for the title. Unfortunately this was not to be and after a close hard fought game in which scores were hard to come by Lismore lost on a score line of 1-1 to 0-2. This teams next match was due to be played this Friday but has been cancelled due to the girls involvement in intercounty games. Our U-14 team was due to be in action in the Feile na nGael blitz last weekend but this was postponed, as players were involved in the U-16 County squad. The U-14's took to the field against Ardkeen on Monday night last hoping to get their third win of their championship campaign. This game was played in Ardkeen and was a very hard fought game but Lismore capitalised on their scoring chances and ran out winners on a scoreline of 6-2 to 2-0. This puts Lismore in a strong position for a place in the final. This teams next match is against Butlerstown on Mon-

Our U-12's are also training on Mondays and Thursdays at 6:15pm. A committee meeting will be held on this Wednesday night 1st May in Lismore Community Centre at 9:00pm, all committee members are requested to attend.

LISMORE CRICKET

ulating the Munster Rugby Union team on their magnificent win against French side Castres. l am sure our rugby loving tered), J'ai perdu un plombage (friend at the sports centre in Dungarvan (for the life of me I cant think of his name - sorry about that) is over the moon. Now that we have decided to move our practice out doors I would like to thank Pat and all the staff at the sports centre for imperative that the club was all their assistance. We hope to be back in the autumn

and wish them the best of luck

for this weekend, we are sure

Gloucestershire) county cricket that no division three player match ended in honours shared would be 'starred' out of playdraw. Both teams reached 379 in ing for their club no matter how their first innings, in this rain in- good he was. This really was terrupted game. Mark Alleyne music to our ears as we are (Glous) 149 no, Darren Robin- pulling out all the stops to win son (Ess) 131, with Kim Barnett scoring 100 for Glous in his second innings, were the main highlights.

"Oh dear, I hope its not like the time we went to Dublin". Michael Hickeys comment after hearing about the plans for a preseason match in France next year. Talking of which here are a few phrases which might help. Work them out for yourselves! Le temps est affreux, Il pluet a verse, Sante!, Pouvez-parlez plus lentamene, s'il vous plait (To the umpire), Oui/Non (Going for the riskey single)

ting run out) or Je me suis and drive us all mad!

We will start off with congrat- perdu, Bourre (A few hours after the game), Merde (On gettng out for a duck), J'ai mal ici (Batsman after getting clat-Michael after forgetting to wear helmet).

Dennis Mackintosh travelled to the Mardyke last Thursday night in place of David Champion who was unavoidably detained elsewhere, it was represented as it was the night for 'starring'. Dennis breathed a The Dennis (Essex) v Dave (sigh of relief when it emerged division three this year and get into a better grade of cricket.

The club has strengthened its panel of players with the registration of two quality players, Michael Lynch and Mark Taylor. Michael a friend of Pádraig Pollard is a big hitter as the lads in the gallery at Dungarvan sports centre will testify, the ball ricocheting around the rafters like an angry wasp. He is also a very good bowler. Mark is a pace bowler and also a very correct batsman. Mark spent time with Middlesex as a youth player, so himself and the other ex-Middlesex player Skipper Bon sang de merde (On get- John can talk about old times

PRESENTATION SECONDARY SCHOOL, LISMORE

School News Deise Deals

The final edition of Deise Deals was on sale on Thursday, Many of the magazines were sold in Dungarvan, Tallow, Lismore and Cappoquin. This issue has a profile of Ned Power, the famous Waterford hurler. We thank all who advertised in the Buy and Sell magazine and hope you benefited from the publicity. We wish success to the Transition Year group and their teacher Mrs. Heneghan in the final of the Y.E.S. competition with the Deise Deals venture.

Study Skills

On Friday the 28th of April the first and second years attended a study skills seminar in the school. This was organised by the career guidance teacher Mrs. King and was given by Mr. Tommy Casserly. The pupils learned how to take notes. The importance of revision setting targets and of making out study plans was em-

LISMORE/ BALLYSAGGART COMMUNITY GAMES

Soccer

Our Indoor soccer match for third place medals in the county finals was held on Saturday 20th of April against Stradbally. A great game of soccer was had by all the players from both sides with Lismore / Ballysaggart coming out eventual winners on a scoreline of 5 to 2.

Panel: Liam Ryan, Stephen Mangan, Ray McGlone, P.J. Beer, Ronan Walsh, Niall Aherne, Maurice Shanahan, Kevin Mangan. Well done lads.

Samba Soccer

It is with great disappointment that we have had to withdraw all teams from this competition as it is to clash with a championship hurling match for the boys and the Feile for the girls. This is very disappointing as these boys & girls had put in a lot of training over the past weeks. Hopefully we will be able to arrange a tournament in the near future to compensate for all these young boys & girls efforts.

Swimming

Well done to all those who turned up for our area finals in the Dungarvan Park Hotel on Wednesday 24th April. A good evening was had by all competitors.

The results are as follows: Girls U-8; Clodagh Buckley, Emma Houlihan. Girls U-10; Becky McCloskey, Boys U-10; Michael O' Hanrahan, Chris Coughlan. Girls U-12; Ester Varley, Erin Beer. Boys U-12; Jonathan Varley, Dean Coleman. Girls U-12 (Backstroke); Niamh Coughlan, Lucy O'Hanrahan. Girls U-12 (Breaststroke); Mairead O' Grady, Aoife Buckley. Boys U-12 (Breaststroke); Mark Power. Girls U-14; Nancy O' Hanrahan, Niamh Coleman, Girls U-14 (Breaststroke); Tracey Barry, Sharon Moloney, Girls U-14 (Backstroke); Stephanie Kelleher, Boys U-14 (Freestyle); P.J. Beer, Boys U-14 (Backstroke); Ray McGlone. Girls U-16; Karen O' Connell, Boys U-16; Damien Pollard.

Again, Well done and good luck in the next stages.

Athletics

Our area final for Lismore/ Ballysaggart athletics will take place in the G.A.A. pitch on Monday the 6th May at 2pm. Parents are asked to attend and help out on the day.

Sympathy

The committee would like to express our deepest sympathy to our Vice Chairman Dick Aherne & family on the death of his mother - in- law whose burial took place in Mayo during the past

LATE BRIDGET FEENEY. **CHAPEL ST., LISMORE**

The death took place on April 24th at Hillview House Nursing Home, Clonmel, after a long illness of Bridget Feeny, Chapel St. & late of Castlefarm, Lismore. A kind and gentle lady, Bridget came from an old esteemed family steeped in tradition all of whom have a life time of service to the Duke & Duchess of Devonshire. She will be greatly missed by all who had the privilidge of knowing her. Her remains were removed on Thursday evening from Lyons Funeral home to St. Carthges church and the burial took place on Friday after 11am Mass to St. Carthages cemetery. Sincere sympathy is extended to here loving family, relatives and

LATE FLORENCE MCCARTHY, THE LISMORE WINE VAULTS

Sincere sympathy is extended to Ann McCarthy and family on the sudden death of Florence, which occurred on April 25th at his residence. Full obituary next week.

LISMORE BRIDGE CLUB

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Results 17th April — 1st :Chris O' Sullivan, Stephen Hales; 2nd: Mary Hanrahan, Martha Keniry: 3rd: Jenny Allen, Andrew McGrath; 4th: Mary Radford, Tom Roche.

West Waterford Notes

COFFEE MORNING -ALZHEIMER'S SOCIETY

Kinsalebeg ladies group will host morning tea in aid 11:30am. Please come along Curran, Clashmore. and support this worthy cause

WEST WATERFORD DARTS

Last Friday saw the season thanks to Sandra and Paddy friends in Clashmore. Mac for looking after us during the evening and not for-getting Ann McCarthy and ing and marking

PILTOWN AMBUSH COMMEMORATION COMMITTEE MEETING

A meeting of the Piltown Ambush Commemoration Committee will take place on following are our winners: this Friday May 5th at Beres-80th and 81st parades includ- Promoter: Beanne Roche. ing lots of new footage not comprehensive list of all your help and support. those who took part in what **DEATH OF JOHN** those who took part in what was known as the Piltown Ambush. A recording of last more will also be available.

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CLASHMORE 45 DRIVE

and Liam Curran, Michael extend deepest sympathy. and Mairead Fahy. Best of BEST WISHES the last five were Margaret Dower and Jack Douris.

THE LOTTO

The lotto draw results this weather is kind to you. from week Clashmore/Kinsalebeg GAA. jackpot so we now have a and Bill Fleming, Creggs, match four prize of 4,200 Euro for next week. The re-Numbers 9,14,21,23.

Consolation prizes to each all your family and friends. of the following: John Veale, Clashmore; Pat Collins, Youghal Bridge; Andrew Hickey, Piltown; Clare Cashman, Ballinamultina; Ger Ryan, Clashmore.

The next draw took place Clashmore and Dungarvan. on Monday April 29th and Hope you have a lovely holithe results are as follows:

Numbers out were 6,7,11,24. Each of the following won consolation prizes:

John Flynn, Modeligo; Ber of the Alzheimer's society of Lynch, Ardsallagh; John Con-Ireland in Kinsalebeg Hall on nery, Clashmore; Ronnie Cor-Thursday May 2nd at coran, Ballycurrane; Aine

> Well done all and thanks for your continued support.

DAUGHTER FOR

JOHNNY AND FINNULA This week we extend our draw to a close with the final congratulations to former of the seven singles between Clashmore Man Johnny Long the Ole Mill and Lindsey's. and his wife Finnula, Dublin, Both teams treated us to a on the birth of their first child, thrilling game with Lindsey's a little baby girl. Congrats. the eventual victor. The en- Also to the proud grandpartertainment was provided by ents Margaret and Michael the leagues own pop idols Long, Ballyheeney, also Mark Nugent and Nigel Uncle Keith. Best wishes Kirby. A special word of from all your family and

LINES FROM PILTOWN SCHOOL

The Kinsalebeg Parents As-Owen O' Neill for the scor- sociation monthly draw continues to enjoy excellent support from parents, pupils and friends of the school and this is very much appreciated. The April draw was held at the school last week and the

1st prize: Tyler Glenn, Proford's, The Rising Sun, moter: Tyler Glenn; 2nd prize: Clashmore at 9pm. All are Tom Power, Promoter: Lisa requested to attend. On the O' Brien; 3rd prize: Bridget night a new edition for our Seward, Promoter: Donna Sevideo will be available of the ward; 4th prize: Ena O' Shea,

Congratulations to all the seen before. It also includes a winners and thank you for

McAULEY

The death occurred recently years Easter Parade at Ard- of Mr. John McAuley of Coolagh, Clashmore. Having purchased a house, John made The man of the moment Clashmore his home in recent and his partner continued on years. He loved the area and their winning ways on Mon- over the years made many day night the unstoppable good friends, all of whom Bernard Moloney and Billy were deeply saddened to learn Allen did not quite have it all of his death. Reposing at their way though as they had Egan's Funeral Home, to share the spoils with the Youghal, John's removal took Son Tomas Allen and Ed- place at Clashmore Church. mond Ledingham both on Following the celebration of seven games. Next on six Mass, John's remains were games each were the taken for Private cremation. strangers!. Paddy Kelleher To his family and friends we

BRIDGET AND PATRICK

Lucky game winners John Our very good wishes to Connery and Maura Mc- Bridget Kenneally, Ballycu-Grath, Mary Dower and Bri-ranne and Patrick Foley, die Cunningham. Well done Clashmore Village as they marry this Saturday. All the best to you both and hope the

BON VOYAGE

Best of luck to Nurse Judy We had no winner of the Fleming, Daughter of Mary Clashmore, who has taken leave of us to take up a one sults of the draw on Tuesday year contract in Saudi Arabia. April 25th were as follows: A safe and enjoyable trip to you Judy. Best wishes from

> U.S. VISITOR Welcome to West Waterford to Johnny Durkan from Worcester, Mass., USA. A native of Mayo, Johnny is visiting his wife's family in

BACK IN CLASHMORE

Welcome home to Brian Clashmore from Australia for a family wedding next weekend. Hope you have a very enjoyable reunion with your family Brian. (Glad to see you have not forgotten how to play 45 and the odd sign!).

YOUGHAL CHERNOBYL AID IRELAND RAISES 5,000 EURO

Youghal Chernobyl Aid Ireland are delighted to be able to announce that we raised almost 5000 euros from our recent Easter Chick Appeal. At our meeting last Thursday night we presented Mr. Tony Quirke with two cheques. The first was for 2000 euro towards Tony's expenses as he is heading out to Belarus on Wed. May 1st. He is driving one of 19 vehicles which will carry supplies including building materials, food, paint, clothing and medical supplies to the Grozova Orphanage in Belarus. The second cheque which we presented to Tony was for 4,500 Euro which he will pass on to Mr. Liam Grant our Chernobyl Aid Ireland Chairperson. Liam has been trying to get a Solar Heating System up and running at the Grozova Orphanage for some time and we are now happy to be able to contribute towards this important project. The supplies for this heating system are being sent out with Tony and the lads who will be working hard over the next few weeks to try and get the system in place.

I would like to say a special word of thanks to our wonderful army of chick knitters put your feet up and rest your fingers til next Spring! Thanks also to all of you who sold chicks on our behalf, who made monetary contributions and to all who bought them for this worthy

> CLASHMORE/ KINSALEBEG GAA NOTES

Lotto - No winner of lotto draw held on Tuesday 23rd. Numbers drawn were 9-14-21-23. 15 euros to each of the following John Veale, Clashmore; Pat Collins, Youghal Bridge; Andrew Hickey, Piltown; Clare Cashman, Ballinamult and Ger Ryan, Clashmore. Results of draw held on Monday 29th for a jackpot of 4,070 euros will be in next weeks notes.

Best Wishes — To Hurling selector Pat Dalton for a speedy recovery. Pat is currently a patient in Cork University Hospital.

Fixtures For This Weekend - U-21 A Football Championship Semi Final Clashmore v Ballinacourty in Fraher Field on Friday at 7.00 pm.

Junior Football League, please check local papers for fixture list.

Deise Draw — We had two Caoimhe Hynes 200 euro Friday night.

and Greg Glenn, Ferrypoint 100 euros. Next months draw Foley, back to his native takes place on Friday hosted by Mt. Sion GAA Club.
CLASHMORE JUVENILE

NOTES

U-14 Hurling — Our U-14 hurlers have made a great start to the season with victories over Kilrossanty and Ardmore in the Western championship. Also, we defeated St. Mary's in the county championship on Monday evening last on a scoreline of Clashmore 4-8 to St. Mary's

Fixtures for this week are at home to Sacred Heart in the county championship on Monday 29th April and away to Naomh Brid on Thursday 2nd May in the western championship. This team is improving with every game and a tremendous effort is being made by all concerned. Well done to the team trainers Brian O' Neill, Seamus Budds and Alan Curran.

U-11 Hurling — We continue to do well in the Town & Country League with a hard earned victory over Brickeys on a scoreline of Clashmore 2-2 Brickeys 1-2. Our next game is away to Kilrossanty on Wednesday evening next. Also note that the U-12 championship commences as this Friday evening in Leamybrien at 7pm in which our opponents are also Kilrossanty.

U-16 Football — The western final was played on Sunday morning in Abbeyside under atrocious weather conditions. The match ended all square, Clashmore 2-5 The Nire 2-5. It was a very even contest throughout and it took a great goal from Shane Dalton to level the match in the final minutes. Many of our players did not perform on the day and an improved display is expected for the replay which is fixed for this weekend. Best players on the day were: Colin Kelly, Patrick Kelleher, Jason Seward, Kevin Murphy and scorer in chief Shane Dalton who finishes with a tally of 1-2 from

CLASHMORE LADIES FOOTBALL NOTES

Senior Championship The first two games of the Senior Championship are being played on Sunday 5th May in Colligan. We will be playing against Tramore in our first Senior match. Ballymacarbry and St. Anne's will also be playing on Sunday. Times for these matches are yet to be

The Mary Walsh Tournament - The Mary Walsh tournament is being held in Modeligo on Bank Holiday Monday, the 6th May. This is always a very enjoyable and successful event.

Training — Training will be held on Friday evening at 6.45 sharp. All players are asked to make a big effort to attend, as this is our last training session before our championship match on Sunday. winners in last Friday's draw Details of matches at the held in Knockanore, weekend will be finalised by

LISMORE SOCCER NOTES

On Monday evening last we entertained Gortroe in a very important league fixture which would decide the fate of both clubs to the divisions in which they would play next season. Fifteen minutes into the game and we were 1-0 up thanks to an excellent drive from Kieran O' Gorman from 18 yards out. If we thought that effort was special Ed Pollard surpassed it with probably the goal of the season beating three opponents before smashing home a cracker from 25 yards. 2-0 at half time. Early into the second half it was 3-0, 'Corney' Howard nodding home from a corner, the game died a death from there on in and further strikes from Sean Ormonde, Aidan Roche, Patrick Walsh sealed a comfortable victory for Lismore and unfortunately relegated our opponents to the first division next season. Final Score: Lismore 6 Gortroe 0.

All players, committee members and Red House League clubs who are still in possession of tickets and monies for the players benefit night in Lismore Hotel are asked to please send them back before the night to Brian Shanahan, 47 Liosanoir, Lismore, Co. Waterford. Thanking everyone for their effort for a worthy cause. Get well wishes to Keith Hornibrook and Alan Landers on their recent injuries. Hope to have you both back for Cup Final action on the 12th May. Finally sympathy to the McCarthy family on the death of Florence McCarthy, who was one of the founder members of Lismore F.C. May he rest in peace.

Could all the players and members of the club meet at the Red House bar on Friday evening next before the Benefit Night to collect tickets and money raised and also about the

LETTER RE: LISMORE A.F.C.

Dear Mr. Editor,

I would appreciate very much if you would include this letter in your much read paper.

It regards Lismore A.F.C. It is the oldest A.F.C. in West Waterford. It was formed in the early fifties, the nearest West Waterford clubs at the time were Kilmacthomas F.C. Portlaw F.C. and Kilmeaden F.C.

The club was formed at the local tennis pavilion. A committee of seven was elected. F.L. McCarthy, Chairman, M. Feeney, Hon. Treasurer, J. Champion Hon. Secretary and four other committee members. Late T. Bolger and M. Madden became active members. The present Chairman of the Red House League P. Pollard was also an active member.

Why I write this is I would like at this time to express my sympathy and that of the club to the relatives and friends of those pioneers, players and club members that have passed on to a new playing pitch.

"Ar dheis de agus slan" Yours in sport,

Eamonn De Barra, Hon Secretary.

Attention PRO's and Advertisers Bank Holiday Arrangements

The offices of "Dungarvan Leader" will be open from 11 a.m. on Monday next, May 6th. All PRO's and those with items for next week's issue should get them in on Monday

Advertisers should get their copy to us as early as possible.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR CO-OPERATION

ABBEYSIDE TOPICS

Abbeyside Scout Notes

TROOP MEETING

With our Scout leader away in the sunshine in America we had a most unusual meeting last Saturday night. He will be glad to know, yes the rain was coming down strongly when we met at 7 pm. Half of us went to Deise Design where the experts were on hand to put us through our computer paces. The other half went to the Reference Archive where the questions came thick and fast. Then at 8 pm we swapped around. We had a most enjoyable night and would like to thank William, Martin and Fintan for giving of their time.

PS We hope to win the 50 euro in the 20 questions we filled out! If not please bring back the dollars!

GLENSHELANE

Last Saturday 70 scouts from the North Cloyne Region arrived to camp overnight at the Glen. With Brendan Lynch and Tom Holland in charge of operations they survived a very wet evening. Sunday morning saw a weather improvement and as usual this region camped to a very high standard.

ALZHEIMERS TEA MORNING

This Thursday morning, 2nd May the Annual Alzheimer's Tea morning takes place at 10.30 am at the Scouts Den, Abbeyside. We ask for your usual support for this very worthy cause, when all monies raised will go to the local Alzheimers Unit. Scribe.

HONOUR FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE ORGANISERS

A Civic Reception will be held by the Urban District Council to acclaim three people who were involved in the organisation of the St. Patrick's Day Parade for 25 years.

The dedication of Oliver O' Donnell, formerly of Murphy Place, Abbeyside and now living in Caseyville; Jim Veale who lives in Mc-Carthyville Abbeyside since 1968; and Johnny Morrissey, Keating Street to making the feast day of our National Apostle a special one locally will be recognised officially by the U.D.C.

The idea of having a civic reception was proposed at a recent meeting of the council by Cllr. Michael O'Riordan and seconded by Cllr. Paddy Power, former piper with the Pipe Band. It will be timely recognition for all the hard work they put in over the years and will be well received by the community.

The date for the Civic Reception is still to be arranged.

ABBEYSIDE PATTERN NEWS



Lynne Deegan does Abbeyside proud. Everybody in the village can feel justifiably proud of our entrant in this year's Waterford section of the Rose of Tralee. She looked absolutely stunning in a specially designed dress for the occasion. The designer of the dress was also from Abbeyside in the person of Charlotte Clancy. Lynn's dress stood out among all the contestants and it just goes to show what wonderful talent we have here in Charlotte. Well done to all concerned. Lynne was accompanied by her parents and members of the pattern committee to the ball in Waterford.

ABBEYSIDE/ BALLINACOURTY G.A.A. CLUB

GOLF SOCIETY

Arrangements are well in hand by the committee for the 8th Annual Outing which will take place on Saturday next the 4th May at the Gold Coast Golf Club.

The course has been booked from 1.55 pm. to 2.58 p.m. All those participating are advised to attend at the old Coast at 1.30 p.m. There will be prizes for first, second, third, fourth, best front nine and best back nine.

Many former club people living now in cities and towns throughout Ireland have indicated their intentions of playing and sharing time with former team mates and officials in an atmosphere of fun and friendship.

Every golfer intending to play must have a current handicap with a recognised

LOCAL T.D. RETIRES

It is a well known fact that Austin Deasy our local representative to Dail Eireann has retired from politics. Austin lived in Abbeyside for many years and was a teacher in St. Augustine's College up to the time he was elected to the Dail.

Austin spoke about his career in politics on W.L.R. on Saturday last. The highlight of his career was of course his term as Minister for Agriculture in the Fine Gael/Labour Coalition led by Garret Fitzgerald.

We wish Austin every happiness in his retirement. Golf Club. He or she must have played with the G.A.A. Club at some grade or must have been an administrator with the club. Current members are eligible to play.

Hopefully it will be an enjoyable day.

Abbeyside Reference Archive

Last week was an unusual one at the Archive - aren't they all you may say. We sent a bill to people and instead of sending us on the cheque they wrote back looking for Another bill for the same amount. I was shopping in a local supermarket when a man told me he wanted to give me 60 euro for the Archive. This he did, he then told me it was from a man of over 90 years of age who is living in South Africa. This Sunday evening Ann Allridge will be at the Archive minding the "treasures". Visitors will be most welcome along. With regard to our shipwrecks question last week. Not alone did we get the title of the book we were looking for, we got the actual book. For the record it was Waterford and Thereabouts by Bernard Colclough and Walter O'Neill published 1993. This week we are looking for any information or photographs re Clonea Castle. If you can help we would like to hear from you any Sunday evening at The Parish Office.

ABBEYSIDE SOCIAL COMMITTEE NOTES Survey 2002

Issue 5 on sale this weekend. Included in the questions are 'Should GAA players be paid? and should the pubs be allowed open for all World Cup matches. There will be a meeting of all the committees involved in Minnies on Friday 4th May. At this meeting the first cheques will be handed over to the respective committees.

ABBEYSIDE COMMUNITY CENTRE NOTES

The results for this week are not yet available as we included the Monday nights match between Bolton and Arsenal. I can tell you that if Arsenal win there will be a three way tie for first place and if Bolton win there will be an outright winner. Tommy Reynolds will hold on to the overall but his lead has been cut to a single point. All the results will be available in Minnies on Tuesday.

ABBEYSIDE PIGEON CLUB

Tommy O'Donnell, 2 Kyne Park, Abbeyside continues a tradition of sixty years of pigeon fanciers in the locality. Committee meetings were held in the old Social Club adjacent to Scoil Mhuire, Abbeyside but since its demolition meetings are held in the Sports Centre, Dungarvan. At present the Committee is as follows PRESIDENT: Jimmy Fraher. CHAIR-MAN: John Woods. SEC-RETARY: Paddy Power. TREASURER: Tommy O'Donnell.

Tommy informed me that the average pigeon fancier would keep up to 100 pigeons in a wooden loft measuring approximately 35 feet by 10 feet. The pigeons have to be fed and watered twice a day. Another daily job and a caring one is the cleaning of the loft.



Tommy O'Donnell, 2 Kyne Park, Abbeyside holding one of his pigeons outside the wooden pigeon loft

Racing Season

The racing season commences on the last week - end in April and finishes in the third week in September . The first race would be approximately one of 100 miles and then the races lengthen to 150 and 180 miles and work up to 220 miles which would be a race from Ballycastle in the North of Ireland. Owners would then take the pigeons to Scotland and race them from there. On average the pigeon fancier would take part in 20 races in a season . First prize in a race in Northern Ireland would be a car and between £25,000 - £30,000 sterling in prize money.

Breeding

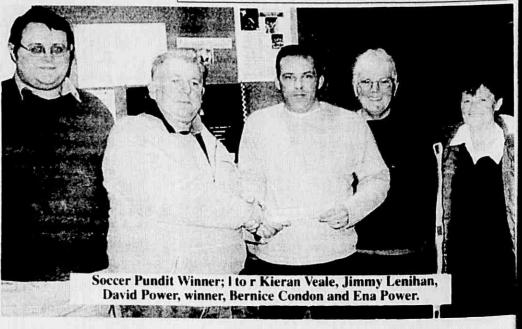
This starts in January and continues until May. The young birds would be raced a distance of approximately 230 miles in their first year. The life - span of a bird is about 20 years but they stop racing after 5 years. Older birds are kept for stock (Breeders) or they are sold. Owners come looking for winning birds. The birds one sees in Trafalgar Square are wild birds but Tommy's birds are thoroughbreds.

Start-Up

Building a loft would cost E 600 and members would help in the construction. Also members would breed birds to help the new person start and the birds in this instance would be free. It costs E 12 per week to feed the pigeons. The birds have to be trained and must be 100% fit before they can be raced. In the early stages the new fancier would have to make time for an into - car start of 20 - 30 miles say 4 times a week. Also the birds would need I hour every day flying around the house.

New Premises

The lorries to take the boxes of pigeons to their racing destinations park in the open space at Quanns and there could be three lorries there at the same time. The U.D.C. have agreed to provide premises at the Sports Centre which is adjacent to Quann's so that the pigeon fanciers can store the empty boxes. A section of the Sports Centre will be altered to provide the space. This work will be done immediately after the Boxing Club extension is completed.



Renowned Irish Violinist To Give Recital At Lismore Castle

Catherine Leonard, one of premier of 'Messenger', a Menuhin' wrote Neville and chamber music appear- monic. tle on Friday May 17th. Pi- sioned by RTE. Tchaikovsky, and Braham's.

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accompany her. The pro- Australia where she took ner, for President McAleese Birmingham. gramme will include music by part in the Perth Internation- and the Finnish President in Prokofiev, al Chamber Music Festival, Finlandia Hall, Helsinki, Catherine has performed sicians from around the September last at the Water- sic FM, his travels have taken extensively in Europe, the world. 'The glorious warm- front Hall, Belfast, partnered him to many of the world's USA and Australia. In January toned ribbon of sound by Charles Owen. last year she performed with Leonard drew from her in- Charles' concert activities Carnegie Hall, the Vienna

Irelands finest musicians will concerto written for her by Cohn, music critic of the ances. He has performed at The concert is being organgive a recital at Lismore Cas- Ian Wilson, and commis- 'West Australian'. Catherine many leading halls including ised as part of the 10th Anperformed last spring with the Barbican, Queen Eliza- niversary celebrations of anist Charles Owen will In February she travelled to Hugh Tinney, her duo part- beth and Symphony Hall, Lismore's designation as a

Charles frequently plays at London's Wigmore Hall and performing with leading mu- Her BCC Radio debut was in broadcasts for Radio 3 & Clasmajor concert venues the National Symphony Or- strument brought to mind are diverse and extensive, en- Musikverein, Paris Louvre

Heritage Town.

Tickets are €15.00 and include a wine reception. **Bookings** including credit card from Lismore Heritage Centre (058) 54975, The Arts Centre, Dungarvan and Matt Connolly, Pharmacy,



CATHERINE LEONARD



Pupils from Aglish N.S. who received Confirmation in Aglish Church recently pictured with the Bishop of Waterford & Lismore, Most Rev Dr. William Lee. Back Row (I. to r.) Gavin Kenefick, Lorna O'Brien, Linda O'Brien, Eamon Stack, School Principle, Fr. Pat Butler, Laura Glavin, Niamh Hally, Luaren Walsh and Declan O'Brien. Front Row (I. to r.) Seán Meskill, Emma O'Keeffe, Bishop William Lee, Shuana Hurley, Owen O'Connell and David O'Connell. (Photo: Sean Byrne) Absent: Donna Colbert and Paula Hanngan.

Dungarvan Museum Notes

BOOK SALE

The Museum is hosting it's book sale this coming Friday (3 May) between 7-10 pm, and also on Saturday (4 May) between 10 am and 7.30 pm. Proceeds will go towards the ongoing running costs of the Museum. We hope to see a large crowd at the sale. All are welcome.

SUMMERTIME OPENING HOURS

As and from Saturday 18 May, the Museum will be open six days per week. Monday to Saturday inclusive. Opening times will be 10 am to 1 pm, and 2 pm to 5 pm daily.

DONATIONS

If anyone has information

on the old railway line, we After five years he went to would be happy to hear from you. We are also looking for old photographs or we can make a copy of an old photo and return original to owner. For example we would be interested in any photo of the square or town streets. Please contact us at the mu-

FRANCIS BARKER (1773-1859)

Barker was born in Waterford in 1773. He attended Trinity College Dublin and then Edinburgh medical school where he qualified as a physician. On qualification he returned to Waterford. Barker opened the first fever hospital in Waterford.

Dublin and settled there. In 1804 he was appointed senior physician at Cork Street hospital. By 1808 he had become professor of chemistry at the University of Dublin. Barker established the first medical journal and edited the Dublin Pharmacopia, in 1826.

He was Secretary to the Irish Board of Health between 1820 to 1852. Barker died in Dublin in 1859.

Dungarvan Museum, Old Town Hall, St. Augustine Street.

Phone: 058-45960 Web site: www.dungarvanmuseum.org

Letter To The Editor

Dangerous Junction

I am writing to you about the traffic situation on the Dungarvan bypass and in partic- with barely enough room for them to get ular the junction at Shandon, which leads through. In this situation even a small misto the industrial estates. I believe that this take by a driver could have catastrophic is a very dangerous junction, there have consequences. been a number of minor accidents there al-

station and two industrial estates, with a earnestly hope that they will not wait for a large number of retail outlets. A third in- serious accident, with possible fatalities, to dustrial estate is now under construction in carry out remedial action. the area. All this has led to a massive increase in the amount of traffic using this

Traffic coming from the Waterford direc-

tion has to stop in the middle of the bypass road waiting to enter the Shandon road, there is no relief lane at the junction. At the same time traffic leaving the Shandon road and turning right have to pull out almost onto the bypass road to get a clear view of oncoming traffic. Cars using the bypass road now speed past in both directions

It is patently obvious that Waterford County Council needs to immediately con-The Shandon road serves Dungarvan fire struct a roundabout at this junction and I

Yours sincerely

Michelle Fennell, 3(3) St. Augustine's College

















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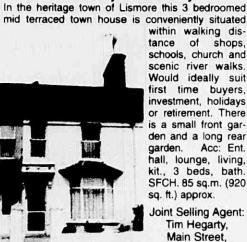
17 FITZGERALD'S TCE., DUNGARVAN For Sale by Private Treaty This attractive 3 bedroomed town house has more

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2 FERNVILLE, LISMORE, CO WATERFORD For Sale by Private Treaty



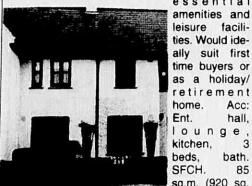
tance of shops, schools, church and scenic river walks. Would ideally suit first time buyers, nvestment, holidays retirement. There s a small front gar den and a long rea garden. Acc: Ent hall, lounge, living, kit., 3 beds, bath. SFCH. 85 sq.m. (920

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as a holiday retirement home. Acc: hall, Ent. lounge, kitchen, beds, SFCH. 85 sq.m. (920 sq.

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For Sale by Private Treaty

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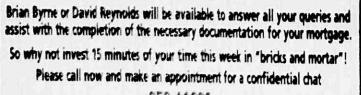
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iews from the site it would ideally suit first time buyers



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> Viewing strictly by appointment Price Region €260,000 (£205,000 approx.)



approx. plus workshop 33 sq.m. (350 sq.ft.) approx.

Price Region €292,000 (£230,000 approx.)



CROUGH LODGE, MAHON BRIDGE For Sale by Private Treaty



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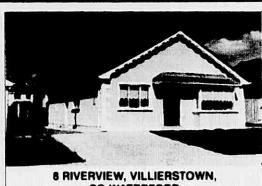
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CO WATERFORD For Sale by Private Treaty

Ideal for starting out or those about to sit back and enjoy life, this spacious completely decorated 3 bedroomed bungalow is located in the River View development close to the picturesque village of Villierstown. Only a short stroll to beautiful countryside and river walks. OFCH. Acc: Ent. hall, lounge, kit./dining, utility, 3 beds (1 ens.), bath. 98 sq.m. (1,060 sq. ft.) approx.

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SALLYMABARBRY

PISEOGS AND THE MAGICAL **MONTH OF MAY**

young that one thing they should never do was to take the whitethorn blossom into the house in the month of May, they claimed that the house where it was taken into would neither have luck or grace. It is hard to believe that the magical month of May held such sway in the lives of the Irish people.

The age old garland of

piseogery ran thro the centuries like a stream of indelible old fashioned ink. In those days you had to be doggy wide about your May time activities. Marry in May rue the day, runs one popular old adage, whilst on your peril, don't limewash neither house or byre as great misfortune is inevitable. The older people wouldn't lift a brush or do a stroke of work on Mayday. Magical forces are supposed to have special powers in the night between sunset on May eve and sunrise on May day. The interesting link between all classes of dairy produce and the occult is borne out in a legacy of folk tales which would fill several books. Begrudgers who dabbled in the Black arts to bale out the water of their neighbours well in the direction of their own habitations, such symbolism caused both their neighbours butter and good fortune to run in their direction, while they chanted the charm. come butter, come butter, come every lump as big as the cows rump, come butter, come butter come. A hair from a cows tail or clay from her hoof were equally dangerous in the hands of churn setters, while May morning smoke from a cottage chimney could be like wise ill used by the butter happy night.

Hags, evidently the begrudgers walked backwards into their own home never taking their eyes off their neighbours smoke while they chanted. Im an deataigh sin ar

The old people warned the mo chuidbainne se. If the translation fails you I'm going to let you wallow in your ignorance for surely the charm and grace of Erin's Isle is wasted on the likes of you. The little people are much more likely to cross your path at this time of year. You should be on your guard for headless coaches, pucas and mermaids who wouldn't harm a hair in your head if your intentions were honourable. In old Gods time May blossom used to adorn the brides coaches and horses, and the May bush and the May pole have been used in Ancient fertility rites in these islands this long time past. My grandfathers philosophy on those matters were piseogs he used to say, don't break 'em and don't make 'em

ANYONE FOR TEA OF COFFEE

Thursday 2nd May is Alzheimers National Tee/Coffee Day. This year people will be joining in the fun by having a cuppa in an effort to raise much needed funds for the Alzheimers Society of Ireland. The money raised will enable the society to continue to extend services offered to Alzheimers sufferers and their carers. The money raised will go directly to providing and improving services and support for Alzheimers sufferers and carers in the country. St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry is the venue for the cuppa from 10 am to 1 pm on Thursday 2nd

ROSARY AT OUR LADY'S GROTTO

Each Tuesday evening for the month of May the rosary will be recited at Our Lady's Grotto at Knockatreelaun on the Clonmel/Dungarvan road at 7.30 pm. Please come along and take a friend or two with you.

THOUSANDS SIGN PETITION TO SAVE RADIO STATION

To ensure the survival of one of County Tipperary's Radio Stations, some 18,000 people have signed a petition calling on the BCI not to take away one of the existing commercial radio licences. While the campaign to save the radio has gained the support of politicians at both local and national level, BCI states that they intend to go ahead and have one commercial licence in County Tipperary from the start of 2004. It is felt that this policy will result in the closure of Tipp Mid West Radio. If there is to be one commercial licence in County Tipperary it will most likely be granted to the larger Clonmel based station Tipp FM. People in the Ballymacarbry area who are unable to receive the Clonmel based stations signal, can receive the Tipp Mid West station loud and crystal clear, the district will be the poorer if that station goes. It is difficult to understand the removal of this commercial licence, as the station is not in debt and it's listenership is up. This station provides a service that caters for older people in rural areas that no other broad-casting service offers. The BCI are an independent and impartial body, and their decision making process cannot be influenced by either ministers or politicians. This controversy blew up after the BCI announced earlier this year that they want to make a number of changes to broadcasting areas as they readvertise radio services throughout the country, most of the current licences expire in 2003/04. BCI claim that reducing the number of commercial licences from two to one in County Tipperary is the best way forward and in the best interests of listeners.

PRESENTATION TO RETIRED NURSE

A pleasant function took place on Sunday evening, 14th April at the Community Hall, Newcastle to mark the retirement of Public Health Nurse Eva Pyne who has retired from her post after twenty three years with Newcastle/Ardfinnan community, and other areas including Ballymac' and the Nire. Councillor Mattie McGrath welcomed all present which included Rev. Fr. Thomas Morrissey, Mollough, retired Parish Priest, Burncourt, Clogheen and Nurse Pyne's husband Michael and daughter Helen and many nursing colleagues of hers. During her many years as Public Health Nurse, she was noted for being dutiful and caring and her courtesy, loyalty and dedication to her duties and to those in her care gained for her the highest respect of all in her care. Following a beautiful meal Cllr. Mattie McGrath on behalf of the community presented her with a piece of Tipperary Crystal, a pen set, a clock and a letter opener. A scroll inscribed by P. J. Cullinan and enclosed in a Silver frame was another acceptable token of appreciation. A presentation was also made to Eva on behalf of Ballybacon Community Alert by Eddie Mason, she was also the recipient of flowers, cards and tokens. In a short address Nurse Pyne thanked everyone associated with the presentative saying it was one of the most appreciated gestures she had received during her time as Nurse. She also remarked that she now will have more time with her family and her writing of poetry some of which she read to the audience. The committee wish her many happy years in her retirement.

I.C.A.

Ballymacarbry Guild of the I.C.A. will hold its Annual General Meeting on Monday the 6th May at Saint Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry. All members are requested to attend this important meeting. Preparations are being made to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Guild, it will take place in Saint Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry on Thursday 27th June. Guest of honour on the occasion will be the National President Breda Raggett. All past members are invited to attend the celebrations. At our next meeting the Guild will discuss the summer outing. Congratulations are extended to Master John O'Brien who took first prize in the Ready-Brek Competition in the 3rd and 4th Category. John is grandson of Mary Desmond. Ten members play Pitch and Putt twice a week. Art classes have ended until September.

LOTTO

Fourmilewater Hurling Club lotto numbers drawn 8-12-19 There were four winners, Tom Wall, Albert St., Clonmel; Eileen McGrath, Knockaunbrandaun; Ann Joy, Knockanaffrin; Joe Keating, c/o Bridge Bar, Fourmilewater. Jackpot this week 300 euros.

RECENT DEATHS

LATE MR. JOHN WALL

learned of the unexpected death of Mr. John Wall, Toureen West, Ballymacarbry and of London where he was domiciled for some thirty eight years. His death occurred on Tuesday 16th April in a London hospital. Deceased in his sixtieth year was a member of a well loved and respected Nire Valley family, the Mickey L. Walls of Toureen West. Deceased in his young days worked in different jobs around the district, in the early sixties he joined the local unit of C/coy 13th Batt F.C.A. It was after returning from a summer camp that he decided to go to England. In England he took up a good job with an English firm. Each year he would make the annual trip to the home land where his heart was and it was only two weeks ago he made his final trip, he even visited the local for the game of 45, a game he loved. In the fifties he was an outstanding Gaelic footballer and on Nire minor teams he was an outstanding centre half back. He was an excited Nire man when the Nire captured their first senior title in the early nineties.

John was of a family of eight, four boys and four girls. In the late sixties he married a Clonmel girl and he became a kind and loving husband. He was a kind and loving person, his integrity, courtesy and outgoing sincere nature commended him to young and old alike. He was a true gentleman in every sense of the word, he was always welcome in what ever company he found himself, and his presence amongst us will be very much missed and his memory long cherished by a host of friends. Many tributes have been paid to this fine man. but perhaps the finest was paid to him on Monday evening when all walks of life were represented in the large concourse of mourners who were present when his remains draped with the Blue and Gold of the Nire were removed from Condon's Funeral Parlour, Clonmel after the rosary was recited by Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher P.P., Nire/Touraneena to Saint Helena's Parish Church, Nire where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher P.P.

On Tuesday morning the feast of Saint George (martyr) requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his eternal soul, the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher P.P., assisted by Rev. Fr. Fergus O.F.M., Clonmel. After Mass as a gentle breeze blew along the Nire Valley from the West and the sun beamed down from a clear sky, one of the Nire Valley's best loved was laid to rest at the rear of the little school house where he received his education. Fr. Kelleher P.P. with Fr. Fergus O.F.M. officiated at the graveside in the presence of another large concourse of mourners who were present to pay their final respects to a kind person whose memory they will long treasure.

To his brother Tom, sisters Mary, Nellie, Bridgid and Margaret and his many relatives we extend our sympathy.

Ni fhicimid a leithead in ar measc aris. (Undertakers Condon's, Clonmel).

LATE MRS. NELL McGONIGLE

It is with deep and sincere regret we pen the tend our sympathy. death of Mrs. Nell McGonigle (nee Bourke), Caherconlish, Co. Limerick which sad event took place on Sunday 21st April. Deceased in her fifty second year was daughter of Mary Alice and the late Paddy Bourke, Ballinacurra, Knocklong, Co. Limerick. Her mother (nee Finn) hails from Knockmeal, Ballinamult. She was a very estimable lady of many charming traits of character. Her gentle, good humoured and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition commended her to all fortunate enough to have known her. She was a kind and loving wife and mother, her husband Frank and her son Enda were her pride and joy and to them we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

On Monday evening her remains were reto Knocklong Parish Church where they were blessed and received. On Tuesday morning, the cemetery feast of Saint George (Martyr) requiem Mass

was celebrated for the happy repose of her gen-It is with deep and sincere regret the district the soul. After Mass she was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. To her husband Frank, son Enda, mother Mary Alice, sister Rita, Connors family, Ballinamult, Walsh family, Croughateskin and Ballymacarbry, Kiely family, Cappoquin and her many other relatives we extend our sympathy.

Leaba i measc na Naomh go raibh aici. (Undertakers Frazer's, Galbally).

LATE MISS HELENA **BUTLER S.R.N.**

Profound and sincere feelings of regret were widely expressed at the news of the death of Miss Helena (Lena) Butler S.R.N., Mount Anglesby, Clogheen and formerly Deerpark, Ballymacarbry which sad event took place at Saint Theresa's Hospital, Clogheen on Tuesday 23rd April. Deceased in her early seventies was a member of a well loved and respected family, the Butler's of Deerpark. Lena was a lady of outstanding qualities who possessed and made lasting friends with ease. A charitable person who was ever so kind to knights of the road, so kind she was that she erected a gravestone at Saint Patrick's Cemetery to one such person, the late Maurice Fitzgerald, a native of Dublin. She was a person abounding in Christian charity who made an immediate and lasting impression by virtue of her courteous and easy going nature which endeared her to all. In her nursing career she spent many years nursing at Saint Joseph's Hospital where she was a favourite with the patients. Over the years she was a regular attender at the Easter commemorations as she came from a strong Republican background, her mother and her aunts were members of Cumman-Na-Ban. Two of her grand uncles were Parish Priests in the Dioceses, they were the late Rev. Fr. William Ormonde P.P., Carrickbeg/Windgap and the late Rev. Fr. Laurence Ormonde P.P., Affane/Modeligo. That her memory will be cherished was truly indicated on Wednesday evening when all walks of life were represented in the large concourse of mourners who were present when her remains after the rosary was recited were removed from the mortuary at Saint Theresa's Hospital, Clogheen to the Parish church of Saint Laurence at Fourmilewater where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle.

On Thursday morning, the feast of Saint Mark (Evangelist) requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of her gentle soul, the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Sean Nugent P.P., Burncourt/Clogheen, assisted by Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P. After Mass on a beautiful April day she was taken to her resting place in the family plot with her parents and her grandfather and there she was laid to rest.

Fr. Sean Nugent P.P. officiated at the graveside and Fr. Ed Tobin P.P. recited a decade of the rosary in the presence of another large concourse of mourners paying their last respects to a dear Christian friend whose memory they will long treasure.

To her brother Jimmy, sisters Hannah, Mary, Julia and Nora and her many relatives we ex-

Go maith suaimhneas siorai aici i measc na Naomh.

(Undertakers O'Donoghue's, Clonmel).

LATE MRS. BRIDIE TOBIN

It is with regret we pen the unexpected death of Mrs. Bridie Tobin (nee Coffey), Renadampaun-Commons, Ballymacarbry, which sad event took place at Our Lady's Hospital, Cashel on Saturday 27th April. On Monday evening her remains were removed from her residence to the Kiely Funeral Home, Dungarvan, then at 7.30 pm her remains were removed after prayers were recited to Saint Mary's Parish Church, Touraneena.

On Tuesday morning the feast of Saint moved from Frazer's Funeral Home, Galbally Catherine of Siena requiem Mass was celebrated and interment took place in the adjoining

(Full obituary next issue).

DUNGARVAN

Fifth Year Soccer Marathon

The annual Fifth Year Soccer Marathon took place on Friday, 26th April. The purpose of this event is to raise funds to send two Fifth Year students as helpers on the annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. This year's event was again a great success, raising in excess of the 1,000 Euro target. We would like to extend our thanks to the people of West Waterford for the tremendous support which they give us every year. We would also like to commend our Fifth Year and Transition Year students for the great effort they put into seeking sponsorship. The two students who will be going to Lourdes this year are Owen Keane from Silversprings and Mark Dalton from Lismore Avenue. As always, the marathon itself was a real test of stamina, and the winning team displayed admirable staying-power. The league section was very even, producing contests that were both competitive and entertaining. Shane Kelly's team, Kelly's Heroes, emerged as the winners of group 1, with David Hickey's Celtic in second place. In Group 2 Jason Rio's aptly named Papa Rio came first, ahead of Mark Cahill's Railway Pathetic. The two group winners subsequently triumphed in the semi-finals. In the final the skill, pace and, most of all, stamina of Shane Kelly and Mark Flynn proved too much for Papa. The two new sets of goals proved to be a great success. While the blustery conditions were unwelcome, a great day was had by all. Shane Kelly was named Player of the Tournament, while the far more prestigious Best Dressed Player award was won by Jason Rio. Well done to everyone involved, and a special word of thanks to Mr. Hughes.

Hurling Report

Well done to our U- 14 hurlers on their recent Rice Cup win. In a hard-earned victory over Youghal C.B.S. the Dungarvan team displayed commendable skill, teamwork and commitment. While this was a marvellous team performance, mention must be made of J.J. Coffey's extraordinary scoring exploits. This very promising young player contributed a remarkable 4-4 to Dungarvan's winning 4-8

Well done to everyone involved and to team coach, Mr.

Team: E. Brackett (Abbeyside), C. Kearney (Brickeys) G. Dunphy, K.O'Keeffe (Dungarvan), M. O'Connor (Cois Brid / Tallow), P. Horkan (Fourmilewater), K. McCarthy (Naomh Brid), S. O'Hare (Abbeyside), Capt, J. Harrington (St. Oliver's), E. Walsh (St. Oliver's), J. J. Coffey (Naomh Brid), Conor McGrath (Brickey's), Subs Colin McGrath (Brickey's) for E. Walsh, J. O'Driscoll (Abbeyside), K. Gee (Brickey's), C. Nugent (Brickeys), J. Power (Naomh Brid), D. Curran (Brickey's), S. Flavin (St. Oliver's).

Debating News

competition Waterford County Council. Debating against Kilmacthomas Co. Council team of Ronan Dennehy, David Hughes, Donnacha Culloo and Shane Power proposed the motion that "Incineration must be part of the solution to Ireland's waste crisis". Chaired by Cllr. Ollie Wilkinson, this debate proved to be both informative and entertaining. While Kilmacthomas won the debate, all of the young speakers performed very creditably. Cllr. Wilkinson declared that the thoroughly researched, well delivered speeches were as good as had been heard in the council chambers.

From the Principal's Desk The Late Mrs. Eileen Keating R.I.P.

We were all very much saddened on our return after the Easter holidays to learn of the untimely passing of Mrs. Eileen Keating, mother of our 6th year student, John Paul Keating. She was, until her illness a great supporter of the

school and all its activities, while John Paul has been one of our most popular, pleasant and gentle students for the past five years. We know how close he was to his mother and can only imagine how deeply bereaved he is by her death. I had known for the past couple of years that Eileen was fighting an illness, but her courage and bravery in adversity were a wonderful example to us all. We had hoped against hope that her great spirit would help her to overcome her affliction, but sadly, it wasn't to be.

She died while some of us from the school were in Dublin at the Edmund Rice Bicentenary celebrations. I am happy at least that our 6th Year fellow students of John Paul and a number of our teachers were able to attend her funeral ceremonies, to offer sympathy to her husband, Paul, John Paul and his brothers and sister and her relatives and to her extended family. I have no doubt that Eileen's deep religious faith which sustained her so well throughout her life, was a great consolation to her right to the end. We hoped against hope that she would overcome her illness. She fought against it to the end and her all too short but full and rich life had ended. All of us in the school remember her as a woman of the highest calibre and as a great friend.

We extend our deepest sympathies to all who are bereaved by her death. May she have peaceful rest.

Fr. Pat Moran - A Celebration

I was delighted to be invited by the indefatigable Greg Fives and his diligent fellow organisers to a celebration of the 25 years that Fr. Pat has spent as Principal of St. Augustine's College. It was a joyous occasion as relatives, friends, past-pupils, members of the wider Augustinian Community, luminaries from the world of the GAA and others came to pay tribute to a man who has left an indelible mark for the good on the town of Dungarvan over more than a quarter of a century. Nobody, I feel, could be more deserving of the extensive tributes that were paid to him by guests who had come from far and near. Suffice for me to say that in the education world, Fr. Pat's reputation is that of a wonderful educator and administrator, who has given his all to work with others to bring about the wonderful educational establishment in Duckspool that caters so well for the well-being of the students under his care, academically, spiritually and in their personal formation. Fr. Pat ensures that his school prepares his students for the journey through life. Furthermore, as his Deputy Principal, Mr. Oliver Broderick and others said on the night, twenty-five years as Principal of a secondary school is a rarely-emulated achievement - as somebody who has done about half that time in the position of Principal, I can certainly vouch for that.

On the night I also remembered something that the 20th Century dancer, Isadora Duncan, said eighty years ago: -"The pity is they never bring the flowers till you're dead". Our Transition Years participated in the recent T.Y. debating So, I was delighted that Fr. Pat was receiving this tribute while he is still fit, healthy and still in the neighbourhood of the prime of his life. I have known him now since the early 1970's, both as teacher and as Principal, and have always been delighted to meet him whether in our professional capacities or socially - he invariably radiates affability and good humour. And often, especially in my early years as Principal he was always only too willing to be of help to me and to give his advice and wise counsel in educational and administrative matters. For his family, his mother, his brother Jim (whom I have known since the days of our Fourmilewater and Ballybacon/Grange hurling encounters) and John (well-known to most of us as a friendly official at the local branch of the AIB) and his sisters, Nora and Mary, it was also a proud and happy occasion. Kieran O'Connor did his usual competent and enthusiastic job as presenter. All in all, a night to remember celebrating a wonderful life, with, we hope, many years of health, happiness and success to come for Fr. Pat. -(J. Ryan).

TOURANEENA NOTES

CHARITY WALK

Alice Burke and committee would sincerely like to thank everyone for their tremendous support before and during the 11 mile charity walk that was held last Saturday. The weather held out for the first half of the walk but unfortunately it started raining with about 6 miles to go. However, all walkers and helpers were in great form and the rain didn't dampen any spirits. When we got to O' Connell Street, Helen Carey with her bagpipes, led the walkers through the town where they then gathered in Lawlor's Hotel for refreshments. We would like to thank Patricia and Gabriel Foley, who kindly offered the use of their premises when the walkers stopped for their first lot of refreshments and Tom Flynn, The Pike Service Station, who supplied tea on the second break.

Also many, many thanks to the 30 individuals who came far and near and either walked or ran the course. Also to the people who sent in donations and to the following:

Mossie Cliffe, Alice Burke, John Carroll, Kitty Cullinan, Mary O' Driscoll, Rose Lonergan and Anna Thompson (who wasn't able to participate on the day but certainly helped behind the scenes). We ask all those who took part, if they could please hand in their cards and money as soon as possible to either Alice Burke, Fr. C. Kelleher P.P., Anna Thompson or any committee member, so that the draw for sponsors and the total amount collected can be announced. Other committee members are Teresa Cliffe, Betty Condon, Kitty Cullinan, Toni Queally and Rose Lonergan. A special note of congratulations to Michael Kiely who is just 8 years old and completed the walk. Well done Michael. Michael is a son of Declan and Helen, Eagle Hill, Ballina-

Once again, our thanks to

SLIABH gCUA LADIES GROUP

The A.G.M. of the ladies group will take place on Tuesday night May 7th at 9pm. All members asked to

MEETING

Parish council meeting on Tuesday evening May 7th at 8:30pm in The Community

All members to attend.

Naomh Brid G.A.A. Notes U-14'S HURLING

COUNTY Our under 14's played Dunhill / Fenor last Monday night in Modeligo and recorded a great victory to

U-14'S WESTERN

start off this championship.

On Wednesday evening in Modeligo they played Abbeyside B in Modeligo again recording a big victory on both nights.

Panel of players were: Sean Fitzpatrick, Jamie Troy, David Power, Tommy Buckley, Donal O' Donnell, Kieran McCarthy, Patrick O' Donovan, Colin Walsh, Diarmaid Walsh, Tom Cashman, J.J. Coffey, James Power, Dermot Tobin, John Power Touraneena, John Power Modeligo, Stevie Bumster, Eanna Power, Nicky Dalton, Johnny Kiely, Jason Kerkum, Patrick Walsh, Frankie Condon, Robbie Buckley.

Scorers in the county game were: J.J. Coffey, John Power Touraneena, John Power Modeligo, Eanna Power.

Scorers in the western game: Patrick O' Donovan, John Power Touraneena, Eoin Walsh, Johnny Kiely, John Power Modeligo, Stevie Bumster, Kieran McCarthy, Sean Fitzpatrick.

NEXT COUNTY GAME

They will play on Monday in Tramore, Away.

NEXT WESTERN GAME

Will be against Thursday evening in Modeligo at 7pm against Clashmore.

SLIABH gCUA G.A.A. AND COMMUNITY CENTRE WEEKLY **LOTTO APRIL 28 2002**

Numbers drawn: 19, 21, 24, No winners. 3 winners of 20 Euro were Pat Dalton (Clohegegale), Eoin Kearns, Christy Hallinan.

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Waterford County Council — I am applying to the above authority for planning permission for change of use of a living room to a retail outlet and elevational changes to the shop front for my premises at Stradbally. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (€20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application. Signed: Anne Cunningham.

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Waterford County Council — I, Thomas Hearne, wish to apply to the above authority for permission to construct sun room to front of existing bungalow at Graigueshoneen, Kilmacthomas, Co. Waterford. The application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee ($\ensuremath{\epsilon}$ 20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

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Waterford County Council — I, Richard Hanlon, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for permission to costruct dwelling, garage, treatment plant and entrance at Ballysallagh, Whiting Bay, Ardmore, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — I, Roger Power, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for permission consequent on the grant of outline planning permission (PD 02/24) to construct dwelling, garage, treatment plant and entrance at Shanacoole, Kinsalebeg, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m., and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — We, Sharon O'Brien and Kevin Hickey intend to apply to Waterford County Council for permission to construct dwelling, garage, septic tank and entrance at Bawnard, Ardmore, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

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Waterford County Council — I, Michael Flynn intend to apply to Waterford County Council for permission to construct industrial shed to house motor bikes at Mweeling, Grange, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — I, James Noel Leahy intend to apply to Waterford County Council for permission to construct dwelling, garage, septoc tank and entrance at Monatray Middle, Kinsalebeg. Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m., and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — We, Martina and John Doris intend to apply to Waterford County Council for permission for roof alteration at Knockanearis, Clashmore, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — I intend to apply to the above authority for outline planning permission to construct dormer dwelling, garage, entrance, septic tank, percolation area, borehole and associated site works at Tooradoo, Ballyduff Upper, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m., and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20. Signed: Ronan E. King.

Waterford County Council — I Intend to apply to the above authority for full planning permission to remove the two existing "A" gable roofs and to replace with a single "A" gable roof. Also to construct a steel structure shed, at Churchquarter, Modeligo, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

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IN MEMORIAMS



BOURKE — First Anniversary - In loving memory of James (Jim) Bourke, Knockmeal, Ballinamult, whose anniversary occurs on May 1, 2002.

You always had a smile to share.

A laugh, a joke and time to care,

Each of us in our own way,

Have special thoughts of you today.

Your name is often spoken, We talk about you still, You haven't been forgotten,

You know you never will. (Sadly missed by your loving wife Bridget and family).

James.



CLANCY Second Anniversary - In loving memory of my husband Oliver, late of Gortnalaught, London and Clare, who died on May 3, 2000.

I often lie awake at night, When the world is fast asleep,

And think of the husband I have lost,

And tears run down my

I can't get over losing you, No matter how I try,

I will always keep you in my heart,

Until the day I die.

Two lonely years without you, Are the saddest I have known.

I treasure every thought of you,

As I go on in life alone. (Love and miss you every day Margaret).

Another year has come and gone,

And time just slips away, But you are always with us.

To guide us day by day. (Loved and missed by your sons Paul and Martin).

You were the centre of my world.

And I miss you more each

day, Life has never been the

same, Since the day you passed

away. (Love you always - your mother Mary).



CUMMINS - Third Anniversary - In loving memory of Johnny Cummins, late of Coolnagour, Dungarvan, who died on May 3, 1999. R.I.P.

You always had a smile to share.

A laugh and joke, and time to

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

Your name is often spoken, We talk about you still,

You haven't been forgotten, Johnny,

You know you never will. (Always remembered by David and Margaret X X X).



CUMMINS - Third Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear father, John Cummins, late of Coolnagour, Dungarvan, who died on May 3, 1999.

Quietly today your memory is kept.

No need for words, we will never forget,

When thoughts go back as they often do,

We treasure the memories we have of you.

(Always remembered by your daughter Ursula, son Thomas. grandchildren John, Louise, Christopher and Aaron).

CUMMINS — Third Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear father, John (Johnny) Cummins. late of Coolnagour, Dungarvan, who died on May 3, 1999. R.I.P. Masses offered in Lourdes.

"DAD" Forgive me, Lord, if I still cry, I never wanted my Dad to die, With a broken heat I whispered low,

I love you Dad and will miss you so.

Death leaves a heartache no

one can heal, Love leaves a memory no one

can steal. You always had a smile to

A wonderful nature, warm and

true A laugh, a joke, a pint or two, That's the way we remember

you. Time passes, memories stay, Never forgotten Dad, espe-

cially today. (Always remembered, never forgotten by your daughter Noreen, son-in-law Andy and grandson Craig X X X).

FENNELL — Eleventh Anniversary - In loving memory of the late Walter Fennell, late of Bohadoon, Dungarvan, who died on May 6, 1991.

Anniversary Mass in Kilgobinet Church on Sunday, May 5, at 11 o'clock.

We lost a father with a heart of gold,

How much we miss him can never be told.

He shared our troubles and helped us along, If we follow his footsteps, we

will never go wrong. He was a father so very

Content in his home and always there,

On earth he toiled, in heaven he rests. God bless you father, you

were one of the best. We miss you from your fire-

side chair, Your loving smile and gentle

Your vacant place no one can fill, We miss you father and

always will. Each time we look at your picture.

You seem to smile and say, Don't be sad but courage take.

And love each other for my sake.

(Always remembered, never forgotten by your loving wife Bridget, sons Billy, John Joe, Jim, Tom and daughter Eileen and all grandchildren at home and away).

GRACE — Fourth Anniversary - In loving memory of my friend, Patricia Grace, Baile na nGall, Ring, who died on May 1st, 1998.

A lot in life has altered, A lot in life is new,

But the things that never alter.

Are memories of you.

It isn't what we write, it isn't what we say,

It's how we feel inside, when we think of you today

(Always remembered — Angela, Tonya and Bryan).

HAYES — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Patrick Hayes, 6, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died May 3,

Patrick, love, I say a prayer for you each day,

That God will help you on your way,

To be at ease and rest in

As your journey was short and

troubled. Your life was taken from our

midst. A part of our family, one broken link.

Lonely are the hearts without

you, Memories are all we have to

remember, You're still the baby, the son, the brother,

Be near to us to comfort each other.

To be born is the greatest of miracles. But to die is the saddest of

sorrows. (God bless, dear brother, love always, your sister Lisa, brotherin-law Vincent, nephew David and niece Victoria).



HAYES - First Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear son, Patrick, late of 6, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died May 3, 2001. R.I.P. Mass offered.

Just a prayer from a family who loved you.

Just a memory fond and true,

In my heart you live for-

Because I thought the world of you.

I taught you many things in life,

That you would have to do. But you never taught me how

With the hurt of losing you. (Always remembered by your loving Dad).



HAYES — First Anniversary – In loving memory of my dear brother, Patrick (Pa) Hayes, 6, Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on May

As we sit and think of you, One by one the memories

come And when we close our eyes

you're there. Not for us to feel and touch, to see, or hear,

But to bring a smile to our faces, a tear to our eye, To pull on all our heartstrings

and make us cry. But through our tears we recall the years we had

together, And the memories we shared.

They are all that we have got left now to treasure and hold dear.

That, and the warmth of love we feel, whenever your presence is near,

To brighten up our darkest day and help us on our

In our hearts you shall remain, to walk with us throughout our lives, And wait until we meet again.

(Sadly missed and fondly remembered, lots of love always from your sister Mary Bridget, brother-in-law Bradley, your nieces, Genna, Kirsty and Georgie and your nephew Aaron X X X X).



HAYES — First Anniversary - In loving memory of Patrick (Pa) Hayes, of 6, St, Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on May 3, 2001.

A day that's filled with sadness.

Returns to us today, To mark the day you left us, In such a sudden way.

No matter how life changes, No matter what we do, There's a special place with-

in our hearts. That's always there for you. To where you rest we go, Is where we feel most near,

To place our arms around And whisper "Daddy, we're

here." The only thing that we know is true.

Each day we think of you, God knows you've earned a

We think of you always, especially today, In heaven you rest, no wor-

ries, no pain, In God's own time we will

meet again. (Tosh, Calvin, Dean, Deni Ra X X X X).

HAYES - First Anniversary -In loving memory of my brother, Patrick Hayes, late of 6, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan,

who died May 3, 2001. One year ago you left us, It broke our hearts to lose

We didn't get a chance to say goodbye,

But we know you are watching over us. As each day goes by.

We cannot bring the old days back,

When we were all together, But silent tears and loving thoughts,

Remain with us forever, But you did not go alone,

For part of me went with you. (Always remembered by your loving brother Martin, sister-inaw Iricia, nieces Jade X and Katie X and nephew Conor X).

HAYES — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my brother. Patrick Hayes, 6, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died May 3, 2001.

I lost my brother I loved so dear. Every day and night I wish you

were here, The memories I have will

never fade, Locked in my heart they will

always stay.

Pa, I have no doubt that you are now safe,

And forever in our hearts you will always stay.

(Love always, your brother Seán, sister-in-law Jackie and Katie).



HAYES — First Anniversary – In loving memory of Pa Hayes, late of 6, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on May 3, 2001.

When nights are long and days are few,

I close my eyes and think of

A lonely wish, the silent tear, I pray to God that you were

here. (Your loving friend Catherine and Freya).

KEATING — In loving memory of my dear father, Tom Keating, Coolisheal, whose anniversary occurred on April 27.

You were always there when we needed you, No task too great or small,

With loving hands and a loving heart.

For us you did it all. Your needs were simple, your wants were few,

If your family was happy, so were you, A loving father with a heart of gold.

These are the memories I will always hold. (Always remembered by your son Tom, daughter-in-law Betty

and family). KILLIGREW — Twenty-fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Margaret Killigrew, Cappagh and Cappoquin, whose anniver-

sary occurs. Will those who think of her

today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by her

family). NORRIS — Eighth Anniversary - In loving memory of Tommy Norris, late of Englishtown, Stradbally, who died on April 28,

1994. R.I.P. Will those who think of him

today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Inserted by all your loving

O'DONNELL- First Anniversary - In loving memory of our Dad, Tom O'Donnell, Longueville, Ballynoe, Co. Cork, whose anniversary occurs on April 26,

A year ago we had to part. With the Dad we loved with all our heart.

We shared some laughter and some tears,

But the years we had, were great years. We keep in our hearts the love

of the past. There it is planted forever to last.

As time passes by, you are still by our sides. Ours was a love death can

never divide. (Always remembered by your daughter Marie O'Rourke, sons James and Thomas and Martin, son-in-law Joseph, daughtersin-law Nuala, Antoinette and Mary).

IN MEMORIAMS



EARY - Eleventh and ity-eighth Anniversaries loving memory of our dear hers, Thomas O'Leary who on April 24, 1991 and Larry eary who died on May 16, 4, both late of Murphy Place, eyside, Dungarvan. R.I.P. ses offered.

en't it strange that those we need.

Are those we love the best; And just the ones that God needs too.

And takes them home to rest. We miss you because we loved you,

To us you were dearer than gold, No treasure can ever replace

Your memory will never grow

old

(Never forgotten by their loving family.)



POWER (Tommy) (Fourth Anniversary)

In loving memory of Thomas (Tommy) Power, late of 19, Fitzgerald's Terrace, Dungarvan. R.I.P., who died May 3, 1998. Anniversary Mass offered.

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Remembered by his loving sister Bridie, nieces, nephews, relatives, neighbours and friends.



In loving memory of my dear wife, Alice Power, Georgestown, Kill, who died on May 3, 2001. R.I.P. God called you home so gen-

That only you could hear, And no one heard the footsteps.

Of the angels drawing near. A heart of gold stopped beat-

Two loving eyes at rest, God broke my heart to prove, He only takes the best.

never thought of losing you, And maybe that was wrong, You always seemed a part of

And that will carry on, I cannot bring the old days back.

When you and I were togeth-

But memories last forever. (From your loving husband Thomas).

POWER - First Anniversary - In loving memory of our dear mother, Alice Power, Georgestown, Kill, who died on May 3, 2001. R.I.P.

We are thinking of you today, Mam.

But that is nothing new, We thought about you yester-

And the day before that

They say that hearts don't really break, Oh Mam, that is not true,

The night we lost you, Mam, Our hearts just broke in two.

Your resting place we visit, Flowers we place with care, But no one knows the heartache,

As we turn and leave you

(From your sons John, Tom and Paddy).

I sat beside your bedside, My heart was crushed and

I did my best to the end, Until I could do no more. I'd give the world if I could

say, I'm going to see my mother today,

To hear her voice, to see her smile,

To sit and talk with her awhile.

I often lie awake at night, When the world has gone to

sleep. And take a walk down memo-

ry lane, With tears upon my cheek. Look around your garden,

Lord. Mam won't be hard to find, She's the one who was so special,

So loving and so kind. I hide the tears when I speak vour name.

But the ache in my heart is still the same, Though I smile and seem

carefree, No one misses you more

(From your loving daughter Bernadette, son-in-law Ivan and grandchildren).

In the silence of the morning, You had a gentle call, Taking the hand of Jesus, You quietly left us all. So when we are walking

down the street, And have you on our minds, We are walking in your foot-

steps, Just half a step behind. (From your loving daughter Ann, Moira and Deirdre).

If roses grow in heaven, Lord.

Pick a bunch for us, Place them in our Nanny's

And tell her they're from us. (From your loving grandchildren).

O'RIORDAN - In loving memory of Ann, late of King Street, Abbeyside, whose anniversary is at this time.

It's only small, but means a lot.

To tell you Ann that you are not forgot. (Always remembered by a

PRATT — Fourth Anniversary – In loving memory of my dear husband, James Pratt, late of 10, New Street, Tallow, who died on May 4, 1998. R.I.P.

Some say as time goes by the heartache will subside.

But the feelings in my heart today, are the same as the day you died,

To all the world I'm coping, I'm fine when people ask, But if they looked inside my

heart, They'd know it was just a mask.

My heart still aches with sadness.

My secret tears still flow, For what it meant to lose you, Jim,

No one will ever know.

You often used to say to me, You'll miss me when I'm gone, Dear God, it's hard to realise, That heartache lasts so long. (Loved and remembered always by your loving wife Frances).

PRATT - Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of my dear Dad, James Pratt, late of 10, New Street, Tallow, who died on May 4, 1998. R.I.P.

Gone from our home that smiling face,

The happy, cheerful ways, The heart that won so many friends

In happy bygone days. (Always remembered - your loving son John).

PRATT - Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of my dear father, James Pratt, 10, New Street, Tallow, who died on May

4, 1998. R.I.P. The day I lost you Dad, Is the day I can't forget, Although life goes on,

My heart is breaking yet. The pain I try to live with, The tears I rarely show, The emptiness I live with,

No one will ever know. (Always remembered by your son Noel, daughter-in-law Mary, grandchildren and greatgrandchildren).

PRATT - Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of my dear father, James Pratt, 10, New Street, Tallow, who died on May 4, 1998. R.I.P.

A sudden call from God on high.

You had no chance to say goodbye,

Without farewell you fell asleep,

But memories of you I'll always keep. (Loved and remembered - your

daughter Amanda, son-in-law Dave and grandchildren Kevin and Ross). PRATT - Fourth Anniversary -

In loving memory of my dear father, James Pratt, 10, New Street, Tallow, who died on May 4, 1998. R.I.P.

You were always there when I needed you,

No task too great or small, With loving hands and a loving heart,

For us you did it all. Your needs were simple, your wants were few,

If your family was happy, so were you. A loving father with a heart of

gold, These are the memories I will always hold.

(Always loved and remembered your daughter Christine, sonin-law Thomas and grandchildren Shauna and Shannen).

PRATT — Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of my dear father, James Pratt, 10, New Street, Tallow, who died on May 4, 1998

A golden heart stopped beat-

Hard working hands at rest, God broke our hearts to prove,

He only takes the best.

They say that memories are golden,

Well maybe that is true, But we never wanted memories, Dad,

We only wanted you. (Always remembered, your loving daughter Linda, son-in-law Michael and grandchildren Lorraine, Karen, Michelle and

PRATT — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, James Pratt, 10, New Street, Tallow, who died on May

4, 1998. A thousand words won't bring

you back, I know because I have tried, And neither will a million

tears, I know because I have cried. The precious years will not

come back, That we both shared together, But the love and joy you gave to us.

Will stay with us forever. (Sadly missed by your daughter Rosemarie, son-in-law Pascal, grandchildren Jason Damien).

PRESCOD — In loving memory of Mary and Harry Prescod, Fermoy, whose anniversaries occur at this time. Death leaves a heartache no

one can heal, Love leaves a memory no one

can steal, No words we write will ever

How much we miss you day by day. (Sadly missed by their son daughter-in-law Pascal,

Rosemarie and grandchildren Jason and Damien). TERRY Twenty-first Anniversary - In loving memory of Josephine Terry, late of 58,

Brugha Place. Cathal Dungarvan, who died on May 3, Will those who think of her

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by Maura, Ann, Josephine and Francis).

Twenty-first TERRY Anniversary - In ever-loving memory of my dear mother, Josephine Terry, who died May 3, 1981, late of Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan. Our Lady of Lourdes pray for her.

Candles are burning for you today, As I enter the church for you to

pray, And as I light them, I thank God above,

For giving me a mother who gave me so much love. Please call her name out soft-

Iv. Lord. And when she looks your way.

Tell her how much I miss her, On this her special day. (Forever loved and missed by your loving daughter Mary, sonin-law Eddie, grandson Eamonn

and family).



GALLAGHER Ninth Anniversary - In loving memory of Michael (Jessie) Gallagher, late of Barrack Street, Cappoquin, who died on May 1, 1993. Masses offered.

Time slips by, life goes on,

But from our hearts you are never gone, Every day in some small

way, Thoughts of you come our

(Always remembered by the Hickey family and Peggy Corbett).



GRACE — Fourth Anniversary - In loving memory of Patricia Grace, late of Ballinagoul, Ring, who died on May 1,

Anniversary Mass on Sunday, May 5, at 11 a.m. in Ring Church).

Will those who think of her today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Sadly missed by her loving husband Tommy, mother Helen Foley and family).



SHIELDS - Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of our dear mother, Kathleen, late of 69, Murphy Place, Abbeyside, who died on May 5, 1996.

A mother's love is a blessing, A gift beyond compare, You only know its meaning, When you find she's no longer there.

So hold her in your arms, dear Lord,

Treasure her with care, For you have in your possession.

A mother beyond compare. (Always remembered by your loving family and friends.)



CROTTY — Fifth Anniversary In loving memory of a dear husband, dad and granddad, Gerald, late of 23, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died

May 3, 1997. . Mass will be offered for Gerald on Sunday, May 5 in St. Joseph's Hospital at 10

Although we sadly miss you,

We know we're not alone, For you are watching over

US. From a place you now call

home So always stay beside us, Gerald.

It helps to know you're there, And thank you for the memo-

And the times we loved and

shared. (Sadly missed always, your wife Bridie, sons, daughters and families)

Although some of us didn't know you, Grandad,

Because you are in heaven above. Please be our guardian

angel. And watch over us with love. If roses grow in heaven,

Lord. Please pick a bunch for us, Place them in Grandad Crotty's arms,

And tell him they're from us.

(With love always, your grand-



COYNE Anniversary - In loving memory of our dear son and brother, John, late of 9, Parklane Drive. Abbeyside, who died May 6, 1987, aged 18 years. R.I.P. Masses offered.

cially today. (Always remembered by your loving Mam and Dad, sister Deirdre, brother Tony and sister-in-law Margaret).

Time passes, memories stay,

Always remembered, espe-

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Cois Bhride G.A.A. Notes

U-16 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Our U-16 footballers played the western final last Sunday in Ardmore v An Gaeltacht. In conditions that weren't conducive to playing any kind of good flowing football both teams must be complimented on the way they took the adverse weather conditions in their stride. With a mear gale force wind to our backs, Cois Bhride got off to a great start with a well taken goal by Eamon Forbes after a couple of minutes. An Gaeltacht responded with a point but points from Eamon & Paul Forbes pushed Cois Bhride in front and the lads were playing some good open football. An Gaeltacht came back at us however and scored 3 good points against the wind and were it not for some great saves by goal keeper Kevin Walshe & full back Brian Harnedy we might have been in some trouble.

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U14 & U12 LADIES FOOTBALL TRAINING

Remember Ladies training continues every Tuesday at 6.00 pm in the Burgery.

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SONG OF THE WEEK

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Club Membership cards are available from Seamus Fitzgerald.

All bookings for the use of the Field should be made through Bernard Shields the Club Secretary on 05841467.

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Anything anyone wants included in the notes please free to drop us a line. E-mail is dunballin@hotmail.com.

4th Rice Cup Win For Dungaryan C.B.S.

DUNGARVAN CBS 7-10 CASHEL COMMUNITY SCHOOL 2-4

Dungarvan completed their section of the Rice Cup with full points, ahead of Cashel, Youghal, Midleton and Lismore, with a sparkling performance against Cashel Community School at Dungarvan club grounds last Friday. Dungarvan won the toss and played with the gale and took full advantage of the elements to lead by 6-10 to 0-0 at half time. Dungarvan took a firm grip of the game at midfield where the Abbeyside pair of Sean O'Hare and Eoin Brackett were in outstanding form and gave great supply of the ball to the forwards, who took full advantage to put the game beyond Cashel's reach by the break.

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Shamrocks GAA Notes

LOTTO RESULTS

There was no winner in the lotto, held on Sunday night at Lombard's Pub. The numbers drawn were 2-5-10-19. The 15 euro winners were Frank Mills, Edmond Murphy, Noel Casey, Michael Collins and James Dalton. Next weeks lotto will be 1250 euro.

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On Sunday next the 5th May, the U-21's will play against Ring in Ardmore, kick off time is 12.00.

SHAMROCKS POC FADA

On Monday the 6th of May - we will host our annual Poc Fada. We will start at 7 o'clock - teams of three. It promises to be a great night out - so please come along and support it. All proceeds to go

to St. Carthages House Lismore and Knockanore National School.

CONGRATULATIONS

We would like to extend our congratulations to John G. Kelly on winning an All-Ireland Senior Colleges Medal with St. Colman's Fermoy on Sunday the 28th. Also to Paul and Aidan Kearney Tallow, members of the winning team as well.

DEISE DRAW

The Deise Draw was hosted by our club on Friday night last and we had one local winner - 'The Murphy family', Walter Raleigh Youghal.

SYMPATHY

We would like to sympathise with the Fitzgerald family Inch and the Half Way on the recent death of John Fitzgerald.

St. Olivers G.A.A. News

STUDENTS SUMMER JOB SCHEME

This scheme, which is funded by the Dept. of Social, Community and Family Affairs, is open to third level students who may wish to take up work useful to their community and receive payment for their work.

Dungarvan **Juvenile** G.A.A. Notes U8/U9

Our U8/U9's played challenge games against Roanmore last Saturday morning and they enjoyed wearing the club colours despite the inclement weather conditions.

U11 TOWN AND COUNTRY LEAGUE

Our U11 hurlers recorded their third successive victory in the Town and Country League with day evening for the replay. A a 2-3 to 1-3 win over Lismore last Friday evening. We play Abbeyside in our final game in this team. We wish them all the league which is due to be played this coming week in Clogherane. The panel was as follows: Shaun Crotty, Michael Daly, Tomas Cleary, Jimmy Harty, Eric Duggan, Luke Egan, Brendan McCarthy, Kenneth Moore, Colm Curran, Craig Flynn, Daniel Sheridan, Adam Kelly, David Houlihan, Brian Donovan, Darren Duggan, Mick OKeeffe, Sean Ryan, Ian Sheehan and Shane Hickey.

U12

Our U12 hurlers start their championship campaign next Friday evening May 3rd against Lismore. The game will be played in Dungarvan G.A.A. field with a 5:45pm throw in. PRIMARY SCHOOLS

MINI SEVENS

St. Josephs Dungarvan won the West Waterford Primary Schools Mini Sevens Hurling Title last week with a victory over Tallow in an exciting final. The boys won a thrilling game with the final score 4-2 to 4-1. The panel was as follows; David Moore, Neil Fitzgerald, Tony Walsh, Karl Duggan, Kenneth Moore, Cormac Curran, David Brophy, Luke Egan, Daniel Sheridan and Sean Duggan. Best wishes to them in the County Final

U14 HURLING

The first game of the western championship was played last Friday evening in Clogherane against An Rinn and we ran out winners on a scoreline of 4-5 to 3-5. The panel was; Derek Barry, Killian O' Dwyer, Killian O' Keeffe, Neil Fitzgerald, Karl Duggan, Sean Nesbett, Michael O' Shea, Wayne Flynn, Darren Sheehan, Michael Walsh, Shane Tobin, Gavin Crotty, Cormac Curran, Barry Hamilton, David Moore, Trevor Crotty, Michael Ryan, David Brophy and Tony O'Donoghue.

Next match will be the 6th May against St. Olivers in the County Championship and on Wednesday May 8th against Fourmilewater in Ballymacar-

Next Committee meeting is next Tuesday night at 8pm.

We would like to wish Shane Hayes and the Minor Hurling team good luck as they face Cork in the replay of the minor championship game tonight in Pairc Ui Caoimh.

The scheme will operate from 1st. June, 2002 to 30th. Sept. 2002. Students are allowed to work 200 hours over a 6-17 week period at the rate of 3.85 per hour.

The maximum hours worked per week cannot exceed 35. St. Olivers club hopes to act as sponsors for a number of students who would work in various club activities. If you are interested please contact P. J. Connery immediately as application forms must be returned by 30th. of April.

COUNTY MINOR HURLING

Congratulations to our Waterford Minor Hurling team who drew with Cork in their first round match last week. This game was a thrilling affair, with the outcome in doubt to the very end. Waterford now travel to Pairc Ui Caoimh on Wedneswin here is essential and certainly well within the reach of the very best of luck

CLUB MINOR HURLING

The fixtures for the Minor B Hurling are as follows Wednesday, May 1st. St. Olivers v Dungarvan, in Bushy Park at 7pm. - Wednesday 8th. May, Kilrossanty v St. Olivers — Wednesday, 15th. May, St. Olivers v Naomh Brid. The first mentioned game must be confirmed as both Dungarvan and St. Olivers have players on the Waterford Minor team which takes on Cork that evening. No doubt many club members will want to support the county team on that occasion, so it may be difficult for us to field a team. Vinny will confirm the fixture with players during the week

UNDER 14 HURLING

This team takes on The Brickeys in Bushy Park on Thursday evening, May 2nd. Their next fixture in on Thursday May 9th. against Stradbal-

UNDER 12 HURLING

Friday May 3rd. Fourmilewater v St. Olivers at 7 pm. nFriday May 17th. St. Olivers v Dungarvan at 7 pm.



Waterford senior ladies football panel who defeated Meath 6-8 to 1-9 in the National League last Sunday.

LADIES FOOTBALL NEWS

Waterford Continue Winning Sequence

WATERFORD 5-8 MEATH 1-9

Waterford continued their winning sequence against Meath at Fraher Field. In under age and adult grade the Leinster side have never beaten Waterford and they never looked like winning this league encounter.

Considering the weather the Fraher Field was in very good condition and Waterford were a much improved side from the previous week. They won the toss and the line out showed 6 changes from the side that went under to Dublin. In came Natalie O'Connor Ciara Prendergast, Elaine Power in defence and Deirdre Nagle, Cleona O'-Keeffe and Aoife Murphy in attack.

Perhaps the most significant switch of all was Mary O'Donnell moving to midfield where she controlled the game. Waterford enjoyed the use of a strong breeze in the opening half and started slowly looking as if they lacked a bit of confidence. Mary O'Rourke landed a 32nd minute point and then Deirdre Nagle's drive was tipped over the bar by Meath keeper Lisa Donnelly.

Waterford were enjoying plenty of possession but weren't putting it on the scoreboard and Deirdre Nagle's second point left them 0-3 to 0-0 ahead after 15 minutes, a poor return from the possession they enjoyed.

Suddenly they clicked into gear and Cleona O'Keeffe put Mary O'Rourke in for goal. Within 2 minutes they added a second goal, another O'Keeffe pass saw Aoife Murphy's drive parried by keeper Donnelly but she couldn't prevent it crossing the line. Waterford's wing back Elaine Power was having a fine game and although Meath's dangerous forward Jackie Shield moved to centre forward she didn't get any change out of Annelisa Crotty.

Mary O'Rourke put Waterford 10 points in front before wing forward Eimear Carroll opened Meath's account with a 22nd minute pointed free. Rebecca Hallahan kicked a great long range point and three minutes later she got on the end of a great Mary O'Donnell pass and hammered home a third goal. O'Donnell added a point before Meath's Jackie Shield's cancelled this out and Waterford led 3-6 to 0-2 at the interval.

Meath needed a good start to the second half but it was Waterford who got it, Geraldine O'Ryan and Aoife Murphy linked up to find Rebecca Hallahan who duly crashed home the second

Meath to their credit fought back and hit a good patch scoring 1-6 without reply, the goal a deflected effort from a lobbing free, Jackie Shields pointed 3 frees, Eimear Carroll and Grainne Nulty also added points.

Marie Hogan came on for Waterford and Julie Torpey broke upfield to shoot a point. By then Waterford had regained the initiative and it was no surprise when Mary O'Donnell got inside the Meath defence and placed her shot into the bottom left corner of the net. Keeper Nuala Hearne pulled off 2 great saves and Waterford ran out comfortable winners.

In fairness this was a big plenty of commitment, they played a decent brand of football and the strength of the panel was underlined. Next up is a quarter final in 2 weeks, possibly away to Clare. Waterford, Tipp division 1B, Dublin, Laois and Tyrone also qualify from 1A.

Waterford; N. Hearn, N. O'Connor, C. Prendergast, O. Butler, J. Torpey 0-1, A. Crotty, E. Power, M. O'Donnell 1-1, D. Breathnach, R. Hallahan 2-2, C. O'Keeffe, A. Murphy 1-0, D. Nagle 0-2, G. O'Ryan, M. O'Rourke 1-2, Sub Marie Hogan.

All of Waterford's scores came from play.

BALLYGUNNER G.A.A. NOTES

DEISE DEVELOPMENT

Last Friday night the April Draw was held at Knockanore and the main prize of 12000 Euro went to the Boys N.S. in Cappoquin. We congratulate them on their fine win. We had two modest winners of 100Euro each with Dave Cotter and Michael Hutchinson being the lucky ones. The next draw for the excellent prizes with another 12000 Euro on offer will be at the Mount Sion Centre on May 31st. For those who are not yet in the Draw, tickets can be got from any Club member or from our Co-ordinator, Maurice Phelan.

postponed to next Sat. 4th May at 6.00 pm. in Fraher Field, Dungarvan. Our lads have been training hard for the past few weeks and are looking forward to the defence of our County Title. We expect to be in a position to field a full side on Sat. next and hope to see our loyal supporters out in strength at the Dungarvan venue.

INTERMEDIATE HURLING

Last Sat evening at Jas.McGinn Park we played hosts to Abbeyside in the County League. However, we did not acquit ourselves

Our Senior Championship lowed our opponents a lot of postponed. We had three of improvement, there was game against Tallow was freedom throughout the our Minor team involved pitch. This is our first defeat in this League and we need to show more commitment if we hope to progress further. In the Championship, we meet Ferrybank next Sun. with a 7.00pm. start in Walsh Park. Hopefully, all of this Intermediate panel will be at the training sessions during the present week. Again, we look forward to seeing plenty of support at Walsh Park on Sun. evening.

MINOR HURLING

With the County Minor team playing Cork in a Munster Championship replay in Cork on this Wed. 1st.May the local Minor Champi-

as well as we can and al- onship games have been with the County panel in the drawn game last week and we wish them well in the replay. Our representatives are Damien Clifford, Tommy Power and Shane O'Sullivan. A win in this grade of hurling would give the County a good boost in advance of the Senior Championship game on 25th May.

MEMBERSHIP FEES

Once again we take this opportunity to remind Club members that Michael Carroll is keen to receive membership fees from all those members who may have forgotten to pay him up to now.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Refixed Senior Hurling Championships At Fraher Field The two deferred senior hurling championship matches involving Ballyduff (west) versus Ballyduff (east) and the Tallow/Ballygunner first round games will be played during the coming weeks at Fraher Field.

Also, over the coming weekend we have the under 21 football semi-finals in both grades. These have been rearranged since their publication last week, at the request of the county GAC. This was to facilitate the county senior selectors who are preparing their side to play Clare in the Munster championships at Fraher Field on May 12th.

WEDNESDAY REPLAY AT CORK

On Wednesday all roads will lead to Cork for the replay of the minor hurling championship first round at Pairc Ui Caoimh.

A full round of the club minor hurling championships in the "B" grade in the West was fixed for this Wednesday evening, but because of the replay in Cork, they have been deferred and will go back to the end of the schedule.

UNDER-21 GAMES

Ballinacourty v. Clashmore — This will be played at Fraher Field on Friday evening and should be a close contest if each team plays to form. Clashmore had the advantage of a first round match which they won convincingly while Ballinacourty, who received a bye, have not been in action since last year.

Ballinacourty are minor county champions and may use a couple of the players, but minors rarely make an impact in the under 21 grade.

It will be a close tie, with Ballinacourty probably getting the better of things near the finish.

Nire v. Ardmore At Colligan — These clubs are certainly getting to know each other with so many meetings over the past year or so.

How the sides will fare against each other in this grade is anyone's guess, but my feeling is that having fared so very well at underage level in recent years, Ardmore might have what it takes to win through here.

UNDER-21 "B" CHAMPIONSHIP

An Gaeltacht v. Shamrocks — This tie has been brought forward to Sunday and it will be played at THE Ardmore venue. The Gaeltacht team had a good first round victory but they may find the going a bit tough here against the stronger Shamrocks/Tallow combination.

Dungarvan v. Kilrossanty At Stradbally — Both clubs have won their first rounds senior championship ties and whether this indicates a change in their luck or an improvement in form in the higher grade is something we will have to wait and see.

This can be a splendid contest and may attract a crowd to the Stradbally venue as it will be the only match here on the Monday bank holiday. It is a tie that can go either way.

WATERFORD 0-12

CORK 0-12

A splendid display of skill

and courage enabled this

rather unfancied Waterford minor team to fight back and win a draw with Cork in the first round of the Munster minor hurling championship at Waksh Park on Wednesday evening last. Cork are the reigning All Ireland minor champions, but had an almost new team on the field. Nevertheless, they were hotly tipped to win here and to maintain their winning record against Waterford.

It went to the last few seconds before we drew, but in truth Waterford were a bit unlucky not to have won with the final point going over when it might just as well have gone under the crossbar.

A crowd of approximately 2000, with Waterford supporters in the majority, enjoyed the excitement to the full and as a result it is now expected that a big number

will travel in support to Pairc Ui Caoimh tonight (Wednesday) for the replay.

Waterford Minor

Hurlers in Exciting

Draw With Cork

It was disappointing that WLR. did not give intermittent reports of the progress of the game. Hopefully this will be rectified tonight.

PLAY

From the way in which the match developed, it was obvious that the Waterford plan was to take the game to Cork from the word go and the early success of the plan yielded four early scores that saw the home team lead by 0-4 to 0-1 after only 11 minutes. Cork recovered from the early shock and held Waterford scoreless for the next 20 minutes. The solidarity of the Waterford defence during the many Cork sorties was a major factor in keeping us in touch up to halftime when we trailed by 0-6 to 0-4.

SECOND HALF

With both sides improving their game, the match developed into a rip-roaring contest which brought them level on no less than five occasions. Right half back Kenny Stafford, who was magnificent by any standards, shot three great points from play and from frees and Cork's corner forward Richard Butler performed a like feat to the delight of the Cork contingent. The game was still level and in the balance with just a couple of minutes remaining when full forward Brendan Barry pointed for Cork from a free. It looked all up for Waterford then until substitute Bobby Landers pointed the score referred to above to 'square' the game and win a replay.

Eamon Walsh at full back was found to be in splendid form as were the three halfbacks, Kenny Stafford, Shane Hayes and Aidan Kearney. Stephen Kavanagh and Liam Lawlor did well at centre field while Paul Kearney who scored 4 good points and John Heneghan were prominent in attack.

Overall it was a very good result for Waterford and while we realise the magnitude of the task facing them when the go into the lion's den tonight, this young team must give us hope for the future.

Scorers — Waterford: K. Stafford 0-4, P. Kearney 0-4, B. Landers 0-2, S. Kavanagh and J. Quirke 0-1 each; Cork: M. Naughton 0-3, B. Barry 0-3, R. Butler 0-3, B. Ring, S. O'Sullivan and G. O'Loughlin 0-1 each.

Waterford — S. Kelly, M. Whelan, E. Walsh, M. Doherty, K. Stafford, S. Hayes, A. Kearney, S. Kavanagh, L. Lawlor, P. Kearney, T. Kearney S. Molumphy, D. Clifford, J. Quirke, J. Heneghan. Subs. T. Power, M. Barden, B. Landers, I. Flynn.

Cork - S. Bowen, D. Murphy, P. J. Copse, D. Mc-Sweeney, R. Relihan, K. Harnett, B. Clifford, S. Stack, M. Naughton, G. Loughlin, S. O'Sullivan, P. Fitzgerald, R. Butler, B. Barry, B. Ring. Subs played. S. Dineen, M. O'Sullivan B. Smiddy.

Referee: J. McDonnell, Tipperary.

Great Display By Mt. Sion **MOUNT SION 4-21, PASSAGE 2-6**

A lot of people with hurling interests seem convinced that Mount Sion will end up county champions when the championship ends in September. After this display on Friday, that opinion was well strengthened and even at this early stage they look to be on course to achieve their 2002 ambition. They led by 2-9 to 1-3 at halftime and when top scorer Sean Ryan scored his third goal on the turn-over, the game as a contest was all over.

The game was featured by a tremendous performance of skilled hurling by Ken McGrath who was seen to be in top form.

Brian Green, playing very well at centre back in his first championship game for Mount Sion since his return from exile in the U.S.A., was carried off injured early in the second half and his colleague on the county panel, Michael White, also retired injured.

Retired county full back, Sean Cullinane made a mighty effort to stem the Mount Sion onslaught, but all to no

The Waterford Minor Football team, winners of the Munster Round Robin 2001 title who were presented with their medals at a special function in Bridie Dee's, Mary Street, Dungarvan. Included are Paddy Joe Ryan, Chairman County Board, who presented the medals, Tony Morrissey, Treasurer County Board, Pat Nugent, Team Manager, selectors John Hennessy, Eddie O'Shea, Michael Monaghan and Nuala Murphy, Team Physio. —(Photo: Rory Wyley).

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

No Shocks In Senior Hurling Championship First Rounds

in the four matches played over the weekend. For all four the weather was unsuitable and in some cases it was terrible.

As the scores indicate, we had close and onesided games, Mount Sion having a run-away match with rank outsiders, Passage.

Roanmore edged their way home in a photo finish at Walsh Park, De La Salle came from far behind to catch Fourmilewater on the line for a dead heat and the last match of the four saw Lismore emerge winners against Stradbally in a contest with several unfriendly exchanges

LISMORE 3-13 STRADBALLY 1-10

It was tenacious hurling and there were quite a few stoppages while tempers were cooled and yellow cards waved, as the hot favourites Lismore had to make a mighty effort to shake off the challenge of their very determined opponents, Stradbally.

A very strong wind made good hurling difficult and that explains why there was not a lot of good hurling in the game. But just the same it was enjoyable, chiefly because the result was in doubt until going into the final ten minutes when only 3 points separated the teams. Facing the strong wind in the second half, Stradbally seemed to run out of steam in the final seven or eight minutes. Lismore, regarded as being one of the top three contenders, are now over the first hurdle, but this was not a perform-

And there were no surprises ance that will enhance their prospects of being number one when it is all over. They can, and I am sure that they will improve.

As championship contenders, Stradbally can be rated among the top six but they must examine the folly or the wisdom of keeping up a battle to win both senior championships. The odds against them achieving something that happens only about once or twice in a century, are very long.

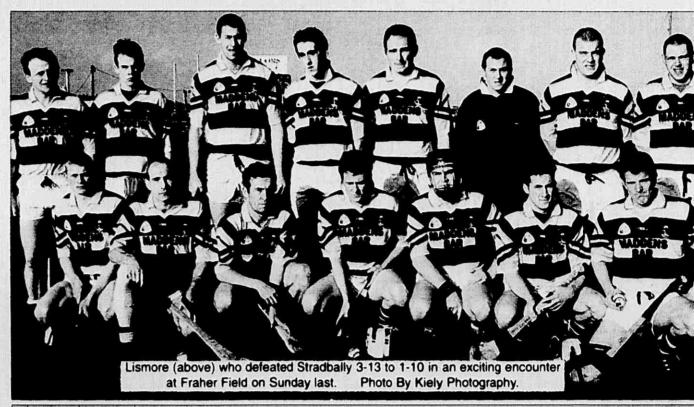
PLAY

Lismore had a 'whirlwind' start against the wind and after Dave Bennett pointed a free in the first minute, John Heneghan and Dan Shanahan added farther minors before Dave shot home the first goal of the match in the 6th minute. Six points up in six minutes against the wind should have knocked the will to fight out of the challengers, but it didn't.

Nial Curran pointed a Stradbally free in the 8th minute. John Heneghan had Lismore's second goal in the 11th minute to make it 2-4 to 0-1. Three points on the trot by Trevor Curran made it 2-4 to 0-4 with Stradbally beginning to get a grip on the game. Trevor Curran and John Heneghan exchanged points before Curran rifled over a further three points to leave the halftime score at 2-5 to 0-8 in favour of Lis-

SECOND HALF

John Heneghan pointed in the 32st minute for Lismore but was followed by an immediate Stradbally attack which yielded a splendid





goal by Denis Doyle to bring the challengers within a single point of the favourites.

Dan Shanahan shot over a point and Stephen Cunningham brought one back for Stradbally. Following this the score that seemed to kill off the challenge came in the form of a goal by Sean Daly who was now beginning to make his presence felt in the game.

With 12 minutes remaining, Trevor Curran shot Stradbally's final point. They continued to press but to no avail as Lismore added on scores per Barney Prendergast (2), Dave Howard and Dave Bennett (2) to give the favourites a hard earned but deserved victory.

Scorers — Lismore: D. Bennett 1-5, J. Heneghan 1-3, S. Daly 1-0, S. Prendergast 0-2, D. Shanahan 0-2, D.Howard 0-1; Stradbally: T. Curran 0-8, D. Doyle 1-0, N. Curran and S. Cunningham 0-1 each.

Lismore — B. Landers, M. O'Sullivan, J. O'Connor, P. Hennessy, E. Bennett, S.

Prendergast, P. Howard, D. Howard, W. Cunningham, K. O'Gorman, D. Bennett, P. Prendergast, D. Shanahan, S. Daly, J. Heneghan. Subs. B. Prendergast for W. Cunningham, S. Kearney for K. O'-Gorman.

Stradbally — L. O'Brien, K. Coffey, J. Halpin, O. Costello, T. Costello, J. Coffey, T. Walsh, J. Hearne, M. Walsh, N. Curran, G. Walsh, D. Doyle, S. Cunningham, T. Curran, P. Doyle, Sub. A. Darcy for P. Doyle.

Referee: Pat Walsh, Fourmilewater.

Note: The use of offensive language on the stand was complained about to the Press Box. The complaint will be passed on to the proper quarter.

Fourmilewater 0-10 De La Salle 0-10

Played in atrocious conditions at Fraher Field on Saturday evening when a rain storm made underfoot conditions almost impossible to play on, De La Salle came from 0-1 to 0-8 behind to win a lucky draw with the outsiders, Fourmilewater, in round one of the S.H.C.

It was a game in which the influence of the weather was reflected in the scoring pattern. In the first half, Fourmilewater (last year's intermediate champions) scored 0-8 as against 0-1 for De La Salle. The second half saw the trend of play change round for the city side to score 0-9 as against 0-2 for Fourmilewater.

John Mullane for De La Salle with a late equalising point, brought his total for the game to 4 points and share top spot with team mate Brian Phelan, also on the county panel, and Fourmilewater's Shane Walsh.

The general consensus was that it would have been a pity to see either side lose on the night that was in it. They must now replay at the same venue.

Realistically it is a contest to find who proceeds through the winners section and who becomes a fellow traveller with the losers group. It is long odds against either club winning the title.

Scorers — Fourmilewater: S. Walsh 0-4, D. Spelman 0-3, L. Walsh, P. Walsh and T. Flynn 0-1 each; De La Salle: J. Mullane 0-2, B. Phelan 0-4, A. Kelly, D. McGrath 0-1 each.

Fourmilewater — E. Wall, R. Rice, A. Rvan, J. Walsh J. Moore, I. Walsh, L. Walsh, P. Walsh, S. Cuddy, M. Walsh, G.Walsh, T. Flynn, S.Walsh, D. Spelman, E. O'Sullivan.

De La Salle — S. Brennar, S. O'Donovan, E. Dunphy, L. Casey, R. Farrell, D. Walsh, J. Walsh, A. Kelly, M. Moore, T. Partridge, F. O'Brien, B. Phelan, J. Mullane, L. Lawlor, L. Hayes. Substitute. D. McGrath, E. Power, K. Cushen;

Ref. J.M. Kelly, Shamrocks.

Note: The use of offensive language on the stand was complained about to the Press Box. The complaint will be passed on to the proper quarter.



G.A.A. NOTES

The 'Evening Echo" on Thursday devoted almost two full pages to the drawn match at Walsh Park on the previous evening and the two writers did not seem one bit happy about the Cork teams performance. There were suggestions as to what should be done about improving minor hurling standards in Cork city, etc. There was genuine admiration for Waterford's display and particularly their defence, but the message which came across to the Cork minors was that they just must not lose the replay.

To beat Cork in Cork after a replay on our home territory is not going to be easy, but the confidence gained by our lads can mean a measure of improvement in our game up in the lion's den tonight. It is going to be difficult but not impossible.

Stephen Kelly (D.L.S.)

Martin Whelan (Clonea)

Eamon Walsh Michael Doherty (St. Olivers) (D.L.S.)

Kenny Stafford (Mount Sion)

Shane Hayes Aidan Kearney (Dungarvan) (Cois Bride)

Stephen Kavanagh (Clonea)

Liam Lawlor (Fourmilewater)

(Lismore)

Paul Kearney Thomas Kearney Stephen Molumphy (Cois Bride) (D.L.S.)

(Ballyduff West) Damien Clifford James Quirke John Heneghan (D.L.S.) (Ballygunner)

Subs. — T. Power, Ballygunner; B. Landers, St. Mollerans; B. Cunningham, Dunhill/Fenor; I. Flynn, D.L.S.; C. Meyers, Clonea; N. O Murchu, An Gaeltacht; S. O'Sullivan, Ballygunner; P. Nevin, D.L.S.; M. Borden, D.L.S.

Western Club Leagues

The weatherman gave an ugly welcome to the start of the Western Board leagues and despite all the planning, most of the fixtures scheduled for last weekend were washed out. A very well prepared schedule of matches in all three divisions have been circulated to all clubs and the football and hurling is organised on an alternating basis on weekends.

Next the football league commences and every club who entered will be engaged. Clubs will be required to release players who are needed for intercounty duty.

Division 1 Football, all on Saturdays 7.15 p.m. The first named team has home venue advantage - Stradbally v. Seana Phobal and Kilgobnet v. Affane.

Division 2 — Kilrossanty v. Modeligo and Ardmore v. Kilgobnet "B".

Division 2. "B" — (Saturday), 7.15 p.m.; Emmetts v. Brickeys and Ballinacourty v. Nire.

Division 3 — Sliabh gCua v. Nire "B" and Melleray v. Ballysaggart.

Minor hurling replay v. Cork In Pairc Ui Caoimh tonight (Wednesday)

Senior Hurling Championship

Ballyduff West v.

This game is scheduled for Fraher Field on this Thursday evening. It will be a contest in which the more experienced western team will be hoping to survive against their more youthful opponents who were the county intermediate champions two years ago and who seem to be making satisfactory progress with improving their standards.

I give the eastern club a big chance here.

ALL-IRELAND ODDS

Paddy Power Bookmakers have published the betting odds for the All Ireland as follows: 2/1 Kilkenny, 4/1 Cork, 11/2 Tipperary, 8/1 Limerick, 11/1 Clare, 11/2 Galway, 20/1 Waterford, 20/1 Offaly, 25/1 Wexford and you can name your own odds for the others.

BY "COMMENTATOR"

SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Kilrossanty Beat Favourites Rathgormack

KILROSSANTY 1-8 RATHGORMACK 0-8

prove to be a boost for the Comeragh club, who have not fared all that well over the past few years. Having fallen into arrears by double scores, 0-8 to 0-4 after 13 minutes of the second half, they showed character and great resilience in fighting back to take the lead and win.

A sideline ball kicked in from about 40 metres by Roger Power in the 51st minute was fisted to the Rathgormack net by Dermot Kiely for the only goal of the game and a score which turned out to be the decider in the end. It was unusual to see Rathgormack being held scoreless for the last 18 minutes of the game.

The game was a surprise fixture and was not listed on the Western papers

SCORING

Rathgormack played with the strong breeze and had three early points from play before Kilrossanty settled. Vinny Murray opened in the 3rd. minute and this score was followed by two points kicked over by Frannie Halpin in the 9th. and 12th. minutes.

Corner forward Tom Kiely kicked over frees for Kilrossanty in the 14th and 18th. minutes and followed up with a splendid point from play in the 20th, minute to bring the scores level. The challengers were now defending splendidly with county full back Michael Fitzgerald in top form.

Roger Power kicked over a high point to give Kilrossanty the lead in the 22nd minute, but Rathgormack hit back for a 30th minute point by Joe Murray and in time added on, Eoin Clifford converted a '45' metre free to give them a narrow lead at the break 0-5 to 0-4 for Kilrossanty

SECOND HALF

Facing into the strong breeze, Rathgormack repeated their early first half performance and again had three early points to leave them four points clear: 0-8 to 0-4 by the 13th minute. But amazingly they were not to score again during the game despite several attacking movements and a few near misses.

The last quarter saw Kil-

This deserved victory will rossanty stage the fight back Hogan 0-2, V. Murray, V. from double scores down to run the favourites into the losers group at this early stage of the championship.

Ed. Hogan had their first two and Victor O'Shea their third and final point before Kilrossanty took over.

Colin Dee, playing one of his best matches for Kilrossanty had their opening score which was a nice one from play in the 47th minute. Dermot and Tom Kiely added two more and brought Kilrossanty within a point of the leaders. Then came the Roger Power/Dermot Kiely goal in the 51st minute (1-7 to 0-8) and Colin Dee's second point in the 24th minute ended the scoring and Rathgormack's chance of victory.

Scorers: Kilrossanty - D. Kiely 1-3, T. Kiely 0-4, C. Dee 0-2, R. Power 0-1; Rathgormack — F. Halpin 0-2, E. O'Shea, J. Murray, E. Clif-

ford 0-1 each.

Kilrossanty — A. Kirwan, J. Kirwan, M. Fitzgerald, P. Hayes, B. Lannon, M. Kiely, J. Veale, R. Power, B. Prendergast, K. Doyle, K. Keating, C. Dee, B. Kirwan, D. Kiely, T. Kiely, Sub. Jacko

Kiely.

Rathgormack — P. Fahy, M. Crotty, G. Power, D. Crotty, Dan Crotty, N. Murray, D. Hassett, R. Power, V. O'Shea, E. Hogan, V. Murray, J. Murray, F. Halpin, E. Clifford, P. Crotty. Sub. P. Power.

Referee: Pat "Tyler" Walsh,

Senior Hurling Championship

This tie has a 6 p.m. start at Fraher Field on Saturday. It will be the first outing for the county champions since they went out of the All Ireland club championships at the semi-final stage.

Tallow have a young team with a lot of potential and lots of skill but Ballygunner, being aware of this, will take no chances and go all out from the start.

The champions should survive after a stern test.



St. Josephs Dungarvan, who beat Scoil Mhuire, Tallow in the Western Primary Schools INTO boys Mini 7's Hurling final. Back Row left to right: Kenneth Moore, Karl Duggan, (captain), Pat Curran, Cormac Curran and Sean Duggan; front row: David Brophy, Neil Fitzgerald, David Moore, Luke Egan and Tony Walsh. Photo; Sean Byrne.

Dungarvan © United © A.F.C. Notes

RESULTS Division 2A League

Dungarvan United v Ballyduff

The Division 2A team received a walkover from Ballyduff who were unable to field a team on Sunday morning.

Division 2B League

Railway Athletic 1; Dungarvan United 4

A fantastic 4-1 away win over near neighbours Railway Athletic kept the Division 2B team on course for league honours. A hat-trick by Nicky Donnelly and an O.G. by a Railway player saw us run out convincing winners. On Tuesday night this side entertained Kilmacthomas (result next week).

Youth 'B' League Bolton v Dungarvan United

This game did not go ahead despite both teams being on the pitch and ready to play as the appointed referee failed to turn up. This is not good enough from the referees society as we went to the trouble and expense of travelling to Waterford only to have to turn around and return home and will now have to travel at a future date.

F.A.I. JUNIOR CUP

St. Michael's advanced to the F.A.I. Junior Cup final last Sunday with a 2-1 win over Ballynanty (Limerick). This is their second appearance in the final in the past three years and given that Peakevilla also reached the semi-final stage it shows the quality of clubs and standards in our F.A.I. Junior Cup region, of Waterford / Tipperary.

FIXTURES

Premier (Ardagh) Cup Bohemians v Dungarvan United

This game has already fallen victim to the weather twice so hopefully it will go ahead this weekend. At the moment the game

is scheduled for Sunday but may be changed to Saturday. Division 2 (Infirmary) Cup

Crusaders v Dungarvan United (Sunday at 2.15 p.m.) Dungarvan United v Ballinroad (Tuesday at 6.30 p.m.)

The Division 2B team face a vital eight days that could make or break their season. Last Tuesday, 30th April they played Kilmacthomas in a league game and this Sunday they travel to Whitfield for a cup game against Crusaders where both teams will be looking for a place in the quarter finals. Then on Tuesday, 7th May they entertain league leaders Ballinroad at Kilrush Park in a game that could have a huge bearing on the destination of the league title.

Youth 'B' League

Our youth team remain well in contention for league honours and their next game is at home to Bolton on Friday, 10th May at 6.30 p.m.

VANDALISM RAISES ITS UGLY HEAD

After months of hard work by Dungarvan United Soccer Club to install their state of the art astro pitches its only taken a few weeks for some mindless morans to vandalise part of the project.

On Wednesday night last approximately 50 meters of steel cable was cut and stolen. This cable was a vital part of the dividing net that gave it stability on the ground. The astro pitches have been used for the last month by all sections of the community boys and girls from 5 years to more mature. So whoever did this crime will almost certainly know someone who used the facility. In an effort to prevent any other such occurrence the club will install security cameras, which is an added expense that the club could do without. They are also offering a reward of 500 to anyone who can provide information to the Gardai that would result in a conviction for this crime.

JOHN O'KEEFFE

Congratulations to John O'Keeffe and the Waterford under 15 team that won the under 15 Inter-County Munster title in Cork recently. John is a very dedicated player who has made great progress under the guidance of Edwin Egan and our other coaches. With the proper attitude and commitment he can go on to win many more honours. We wish John and Waterford the best of luck when they go on to contest the All-Ireland series.

TABLE QUIZ

A most successful table quiz was held in the clubhouse last Thursday night. There was 18 tables and everyone in attendance had a very enjoyable evening.



Giles Cheevers pictured presenting St. Declan's captain Alice Moore with the Munster Colleges Cup Under-13 following their victory over Colaiste Ennis in the Final at Ozier Par. (Photo by: Kiely Photography)



UNDER 14 LEAGUE Abbeyside v Dungarvan Saturday, April 27th

Blues Unlucky In Local Derby

Once again in the space of a couple of weeks we travelled to the home of Abbeyside to take on a solid under 14 unit. Of recent games at this level the home side had much the better of results, running up comfortable victories on a few occasions. It was felt by the players that it was about time that they try and break the spell that hung over them. And indeed they started in a very determined fashion, with Andrew Murphy putting the Blues ahead after 12 minutes with a fine finish following a great ball winning tackle from Finbarr Sexton. From here Dungarvan dictated the play only to let the home side back in after 20 minutes when the referee awarded them a very, very harsh penalty which was slotted away. From here the home side briefly raised their tails to add a second when their striker headed home from 6 yards. This failed to stop the Blues from having a go time after time. And they clearly relished it, when they went forward to put pressure on a creaky home defence. Alas time was not on the Blues side to grab an equaliser in a game where they clearly dominated for long periods.

Team: J. Corcoran, F. Sexton, K. Wall, R. Barton, C.R. Power, S. O'Hare, A. Murphy, S. Whelan, A. Norris, B. Foley, M. Murphy. Reserves: W. Flynn for A. Norris, B. O'Shea for K. Wall.

UNDER 15 LEAGUE

Villa (B) v Dungarvan -Monday, 22nd April

For our last league game of the season we travelled the N25 to take on one of our bogey teams in the under 15 league. In reality we needed a win to finish as runners-up and things started brightly as the Blues created four clear chances in the opening attacks. The home side settled down to catch Dungarvan with a classic sucker punch when they scored on the break. From here the Blues became very scrappy, and Villa added a second to totally stun the Blues. Five minutes before the interval Villa added a third when some slack defending allowed them to slot away an easy chance. What was to happen in the second half was fairytale stuff. Within minutes of being introduced Ian Duggan, he cooly scored with a low drive from 12 yards. Soon after J. O'Keeffe converted a penalty after he was felled in the area. Andrew Murphy got in on the act to put us level, when he scored his first after 55 minutes. Villa took their turn to be stunned, as they completely lost their shape. J. Shaw added number 4 soon after, which was followed by Andrew Murphy's second and our fifth. Almost on full time Brian Foley added our sixth with a fine finish from 10 yards. Normally it is the team that gets the praise but on

this occasion an individual gets

the vote. John O'Keeffe single handily dragged us back into this game in the second half with his dogged persistence and skill down the left.

The team was: J. Reynolds, B. Scanlon, R. Barton, C. R. Power, J. P. Tutty, A. Murphy, J. Shaw, S. Whelan, J. O'Keeffe, M. O'Mahony, J. Cullinan, J. Regan, I. Duggan, B. Foley, K. Wall, M. Flynn.

MUNSTER MEDAL

Congratulations to John O'Keeffe on winning a medal with the Waterford under 15 development squad in the Munster final. He played a big part in their semi-final win over Limerick, but he saved his best for the final, when he scored Waterford's second goal in a two nil win over the hot favourites Cork. From here they advance to an All-Ireland semi-final tie. Also well done to Keith Landers of Railway, who along with John did his bit for the County.

KENNEDY CUP UNDER 12

On Thursday last the under 12 squad paid a visit to Kilrush to take part in a training stint on our new astro-turf. Under the guidance of Eoin Turbitt they all enjoyed a good workout. Karl Duggan, Corey Wall, Gavin Crotty, Michael Walsh, Barry Hamilton, from our club were part of the training session.

SATURDAY TRAINING

Again last Saturday the academy training had to be cancelled due to the weather taking a turn for the worst. Although a few hardy souls turned up to train, they had to be sent away. Training will take place again next week on Saturday at 2.00 p.m. until 3.30 p.m. It will cost €1 and it is open to both boys

and girls from 6-10 years old. So come along and enjoy our wonderful facilities. Also any parent that wishes to help out with training can do so on the day. The following can provide any information as regards the Saturday Academy: Francis O'Brien 087-7769125, Edwin Egan 086-8736428, Thomas Sexton 087-6204954.

LADIES UNDER 16

Currently we are looking for both female/male coaches for the ladies team. Any one that is interested can contact J. O'Shea 086-8255748. The training times for this team is every Wednesday from 6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. on the area.

FIXTURES

Saturday, 11th May - Villa (A) v Dungarvan Under 14 at 11.45 p.m.

they advance to an All-Ireland Saturday, 18th May - semi-final tie. Also well done to Keith Landers of Railway, 14 at 11.45 p.m.

Saturday, 25th May -Dungarvan v Ferrybank Under 14 at 11.45 p.m.

Dungarvan Youth Notes

It was very disappointing to travel to Bolton on Friday night last to find Bolton ready for action and no referee present. The only good thing to come out of the trip was a trip to McDonalds which was right up Rio's street. We won't tell Abrakebabra!

Training on tonight Wednesday at 7 pm sharp so let's keep making the effort.

Waterford Ladies Football

MUNSTER SCHOOL BLITZ

The Munster school blitz will take place in the Friary grounds next Thursday the 2nd May for 1st and 2nd years. Teams of twelve students. For further information contact the Munster secretary Marie Halvey on 087-2520550 or George Young on 087-4158417.

FOUNDATION COURSE

The foundation course will take place within the next two weeks. Also the first aid course will go ahead shortly. We still have three vacancies, anyone wishing to attend please contact George. A level 1 course will take place before the end of May. This course is specifically for ladies football only. Anyone entering this course must have a foundation cert. Vacancies are still available.

UNDER-16'S

On Saturday next the 4th May the U-16's are out against Kerry in the Munster semi-final. Just to wish Brendan, his mentors and the girls the best of luck. Please try and support them. The venue for the game will possibly be Ballyhooly. Please check this with Brendan before travelling. He can be contacted on 086-2641547.

SENIORS

Congratulations to the seniors who were victorious over Meath in the National league last week. A major turn around for the girls following their defeat against Dublin in Leamybrien two weeks ago. Noticeable changes were made by the management and this proved to be successful. Well done Michael, Bridget, Cathriona and the girls.

FR. MORAN'S BIG NIGHT

Ladies football would like to add and express great thanks to Fr. Moran on his 25 years over the Friary college. Fr. Moran has always been most helpful to our association and we wish them many, many more years as head of the Friary School. Without his interest in Ladies football we would have terrible difficulties with playing facilities and training ground. Thank you Fr. Moran from all in Ladies football and we wish you well in the future.

NEXT COUNTY BOARD MEETING

Will take place in Lawlors Hotel on Monday the 20th of May at 9pm. All clubs are requested to attend.

MARY WALSH MEMORIAL

Just a reminder to all clubs that the Mary Walsh memorial will take place on Monday the 6th May. All teams should have their 30 euro fee paid to Eleanor.

OUT AGAIN

Great news as we see Waterford Ladies Number 1 supporter Mr. Jimmy Kirwan return home last week fit and well again. Jimmy had been a patient at the WRH and St. Joseph's Dungarvan. He is now gearing himself up for this years championships.

County Bord na nOg Notes

FEILE NA nGAEL FINAL

De La Salle earned the right to be Waterford's representatives in this years Feile Na Gael under 14 Hurling Festival, which will take place in Antrim in June.

At Fraher Field on Friday evening last they defeated Cappoquin on a scoreline of 2-2 to 0-3. Cappoquin enjoyed a fair measure of the play in this keenly contested final but their failure to pick off their scores from some good chances was to cost them victory. De La Salle started brightly, Justin English opened their account after 3 minutes with a point. Cappoquin's Daithi Wilkinson had the sides level 12 minutes later. Despite playing against a strong breeze De La Salle piled on the pressure. Jamie Coll got their first goal in the 17th minute when he finished to the net after a goalmouth scramble. One minute later De La Salle's team captain Kevin Deegan got his sides second goal. Paul Murray got the final score of the opening half with a long range point to leave the half time score 2-1 to 0-2 in favour of the winners. Strong Cappoquin pressure contained their opponents to one single point in the second half which was scored by full forward Craig Moloney. Stephen Power got Cappoquin's last and only score, when he directed his sides 35 metre free over the bar. Final score De La

Salle 2-2 Cappoquin 0-3. Cappoquin team; Ian Mason, Shane O'Rourke. Olan Murray, Joe Kett, Killian Denn, Paul Murray capt, Mark Landers, Seamus Fitzgerald, Shane Power, J. J. Devine, Stephen Power, Daithi Wilkinson, Darragh Fives, Finan Murray, Colm Looby, Pat Fitzgerald, Ivan Cliff, Darren Curran, Kieran Flynn, Paudie Moore. Manager Michael Murray.

De La Salle team; Alan O'Neill, Tony Kelly, Dean Twomey, Patrick Kennedy, Eoin Casey, Christopher Sheehan, Seamus Richardson, Conor O'Toole, Colm Clancy, Eddie Barrett, Mitchell Casey, Kevin Deegan (capt), Jamie Coll, Craig Moloney, Justin English, Kevin Gahan, Thomas Moore, David Kennedy, Oran Keevers, Niall Walsh, Stephen Daniels. Manager Jack Duggan. Referee Pat Prendergast.

SUPERMAC'S UNDER 14 HURLING

Fixtures for Monday evening next De La Salle v Abbeyside. Mount Sion v Lismore. Cappoquin v Roanmore. Portlaw/Mollerans v Ballygunner.

Division Two Clonea v Cois Brid, St. Oliver's v Dungarvan, Ferrybank v Passage. Division 3 Brickey's v Dunhill/Fenor, Stradbally v Naomh Brid. Tramore v Ballyduff/Butlerstown.

RESULTS — A reminder to all winning clubs, on the day please ring your results to (087) 2154519.

Ardmore GAA Notes

Scor

Commiserations to the Ardmore novelty act who were pipped at the post at the all-Ireland stage of Scor in Killarney recently. They can take heart that it is a great achievement to get to an all-Ireland in any competition and who knows but they might be back better than ever next year.

Senior football

The first round postponed senior football match against the Nire has been fixed for 2nd of June in Fraher Field.

Meeting

The monthly club meeting is to be held on next Thursday night at 8.30 pm in the clubhouse.

Sympathy

Ardmore GAA club extends its deepest sympathy to the Troy family on the recent death of Martin. Ar Dheis lamh de go raibh se.

Kill GAA Notes

INTERMEDIATE HURLING

There was a sense of disapointment in the dressing room in Fenor on Saturday evening when our Hurling Championship game with St. Saviours was called off at the last minute. However, referee Tim O'Byrne explained that there was no alternative as there was surface water on the pitch, after the very heavy rain. The game will probably be played in a few weeks. We play Colligan in the league in Kill on Friday week 10th

CONGRATULATIONS

Well done to Kill hurler Andrew Power, Ballyvadden who won fourth prize of a thousand euro in last Friday nights Deise Draw. Here's hoping for further good fortune for our members in the future and perhaps the first prize of twelve thousand euro will come our way.

Western Board Fixture

List

FRIDAY 3RD MAY AT 7.00 PM

Bridie Dee's U-21 Football Semi Finals

Ballinacourty v Clashmore at Fraher Field Nire v Ardmore at Colligan.

SATURDAY 4TH MAY AT 7.00 PM

Lawlor's Hotel Football League Div. 1

Stradbally v Old Parish Kilgobnet v Affane Ballyduff v Dungarvan.

Division 2

Emmett's v Brickey Rangers.

Division 3

Sliabh gCua v Nire "B" Melleray v Ballysaggart.

SUNDAY 5TH MAY

Albert McGrath U-21 Football A Final

An Gaeltacht v Shamrock's at Ardmore at 12 noon.

Lawlor's Hotel Football League Div. 2.

Ardmore v Kilgobnet "B" at 2.30 pm. Ballinacourty v Nire at 11.30 am.

MONDAY 6TH MAY

Albert McGrath U-21 Football "B" Semi final

Dungarvan v Kilrossanty at Stradbally at 2.30 pm

TUESDAY 7TH MAY

Lawlor's Hotel Football League Div. 2

Kilrossanty v Modeligo, at 7.00 pm

Lawlor's Hotel Football League Division One

Clashmore v Tallow, at 7.00 pm

WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY

Pike Service Station Minor Hurling Championship "B" at 7.00 pm

Kilrossanty v St. Oliver's at Abbeyside
Fourmilewater v Naomh Brid at Colligan
Dungarvan v Ballyduff at Cappoquin
Colligan v Stradbally at Dungarvan Club grounds
Clashmore v An Gaeltacht at Bushy Park
Cappoquin v Brickey Rangers at Clashmore.

WATERFORD CAMOGIE NOTES

WATERFORD 1-6 CLARE 2-2

Waterford minor camogic players created their own piece of history on Saturday last when qualifying for the county's first Munster underage final defeating a fancied Clare outfit on a 1-6 to 2-2 scoreline. Played in driving wind and rain both teams served up a first class match giving the sparse crowd plenty to shout about.

With the wind advantage in the first half, Waterford took the game to their opponents and having gone close on a number of occasions finally took the lead after 6 minutes when Ciara Phelan took ad-

vantage of a goal mouth melee to drive the ball to the Clare net. This was followed shortly afterwards by points from Roisin Heylin and again Ciara Phelan. With Ciara coming more into the game and Waterford having to defend stoutly the home forwards were guilty of a number of easy misses when going for goal when points were there for the taking. They were made to pay in the 29th minute of the half when a rare mix-up in the Waterford defence allowed Clare through to score a goal leaving the half time Waterford score 1-2 Clare 1-0.

With the elements in their favour Clare started the sec-

ond half period in whirlwind fashion putting the Waterford defence under constant pressure and were rewarded after seven minutes when pointing from 30 yards. Waterford gradually regained the initiative and were rewarded with Aine Lyng pointing twice with classic scores on the run from 40 yards. Waterford were guilty of missed chances and were made to pay after 20 minutes when Clare again scored a scramble goal to leave the sides level. Moments later Ciara Phelan restored the home sides lead only for Clare to strike back immediately with a similar

score. With time running out and extra time seeming likely Ciara Phelan gained possession 25 yards out making no mistake to restore Waterfords one point lead. While the scorers will undoubtedly gain the headlines this was a resolute team performance with every girl a star and contributing to this memorable victory. Waterford must now face Limerick on Saturday next in Charleville, Cork in the Munster decider.

Waterfords junior's are busy finalising their preparations for their Munster semifinal clash with All Ireland Champions Tipperary on Monday next.

CLG Na Rinne

AN GHAELTACHT ABÚ!

Comhgháirdeas do pheileadóirí Fé 16 na Gaeltachta a bhain Craobh an Iarthair leo Dé Domhnaigh seo caite ins an Ard Mhór. Bhí an lámh in uachtar acu ar Cois Bríde i gcónaí agus taispeánann an scór deiridh, 0-12 go 1-3, go raibh an bua tuillte acu.

D'imir na himreoirí go léir go han-maith ar fad ach bhí Aaron, Tomás Ó Droma agus Micheál Seán thar bharr ar fad. Comhgháirdeas do Sheáin freisin, as ucht an sár-oibre atá déanta aige. Foireann na Gaeltachta: Michael Lally, Aaron, Ciarán, Liam, Tomás Ó Droma, Tomás de Grás, Micheál Tóibín, Micheál Seán, Brian, Darragh O hIarlaithe, , Seán, Pádraig Ó Murchú, Brendan. Ionadaithe: Tadhg, Bilí, Pádraig Ó Faoláin

NOEL ÓG

Chríochnaigh an cluiche idir Phort Láirge agus Curaidhe na hÉireann, Corcaigh ar chomhscór an tseachtain seo caite agus tá an athimirt ar siúl an Céadaoin seo i bPáirc Uí Chaoimh. Léiríonn sé sin chomh láidir 's atá painéal na Déise agus mar a dúirt mé cheana, is sár-éacht é do Noel Og O Murchadha a áit a bhaint amach ann agus bliain eile aige mar mhíonúir

IDIRMHEÁNACH

Tá an cluiche sraithe iomána in aghaidh Ceapach Choinn eagratha don Luan, 5ú Bealtaine, ag 2.30in - ag fágaint Mollys at 1.30in. Siad Cluain Fhiadha ár gcéad dúshlán eile ina dhiaidh san, thuas sa pháirc ag 10ú lá de Bhealtaine ag a 7.30 i.n.

Beidh ár gcéad gcluiche peile eile i gcoinne Cill Rosanta ar an 25ú Bealtaine, agus tosnóidh Comórtas Peile na Gaeltachta dúinn ar an 1ú Meitheamh, in aghaidh Piarsaigh an Dromada i Litir Mhór

FÉ 21/MÍONÚIR

Tá an cluiche peile Fé 21 i gcoinne Cois Bríde socraithe don Domhnach, 5ú lá de mhí Bealtaine. Bhí cluiche iomána Míonúir le bheith ar siúl an Céadaoin seo i gcoinne Rodaithe na Brice ach tá sé sin curth ar athló anois de bharr an cluiche idir chontae. Beidh cluiche acu in aghaidh an Chlais Mhór, Dé Céadaoin, 8ú lá de Bhealtaine.

MARATHON

Tá sé ar an 19ú Bealtaine. Tuilleadh eolas ag teacht.

BALLRAÍOCHT/ÁRACHAS

Smaonaigh laids, nach bhfuil sibh clúdaith ó thaobh árachais de muna bhfuil an ballraíochta díolta agaibh. Dos na himreoirí agus éinne eile a bhfuil suim acu, tá sé á ghlacadh ag Domhnal O Murchadha.

Einne a bhfuil uatha an árachas breise a fháil, téigh i dteangmháil le Daragh Ó Conchúir. €25 daoine fásta, €12.50 Fé 18

LOTTO

Bhíomar i dTigh Mhuirithe an Domhnach seo Uimhreacha 2, 6, 8, 18, Ní raibh aon bhuaiteoir. €15 an duine ag Kieran Rossiter, f/ch Risteard Breathnach; Kay Murphy, f/ch Frank Mulcahy; Bríd Nic Craith, f/ch Nora Tóibín; Saoirse Ní Chuirrín, Baile na nGall; Tomás Ó Cadhla, Gort na Daibhçe; Seán Ó Cadhla, f/ch Tom O Cadhla.

Beidh an tarraingt an Domhnach seo chugainn 06/05/02 i very enjoyable evening.

dTigh Mooneys ag 10:30in. Pota Óir €3,950. Ticéidí €1.50.

EOLAS BREISE

Beidh Cruinniú Coiste Dé Céadaoin, 8ú lá de Bhealtaine. RIOMHPHOST

Má tá ó éinne rud éigean a chur sna nótaí - nuacht faoi na fóirneacha difriúla, tuaraiscí faoi cluichí srl. - nó dul i dteangmháil leis an gcumann, seol ríomhphost chuig anrinn@eircom.net. Bheimis fior bhuíoch. Ní féidir eolas a bheith sna nótaí muna bhfuil sé againn agus má tá sé againn, ní gá d'éinne a bheith ag gearán.

Stradbally **GAA Notes**

SENIOR HURLING

Last Sun. evening we played Lismore in the first round of the Championship. We played with a strong breeze in the first half, and despite a poor start, we improved immensely to be just three points behind at the break.Score Stradbally 0-8 Lismore 2-5. On the turnover we played much better and at one stage we came within one point of Lismore. However Lismores experience told in the end and they ran our fairly comprehensive winners on a scoreline of Stradbally 1-10 Lismore 3-13.

Team: L. O'Brien, K Coffey, J Halpin, O. Costelloe, T. Walsh, J. Coffey, T. Costelloe, J. Hearne, M. Walsh, N. Curran, G. Walsh, D. Doyle, P. Doyle, T. Curran, S. Cunningham. Subs. E. Cummins for K. Coffey, A. Darcy for P.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

Next Saturday the 4th we take on Old Parish in Stradbally at

SCOR NA BPAISTI

Last Friday night in Melleray we had a marathon session. The following people took part: Rince Foirne:- Linda Bruskine, Aoife Cunningham, Orla Whelan, Ailish Pollack, Claire Connors, Wendy O Morchu, they are now through to the Western final. Recitation Ailish Pollack. Singing: Christoper Fennell. Quiz:- Linda Bruskine, Aoife Cunningham and Claire Connors.

On Saturday night in Ballinroad our second teams also took part: Rince Foirne:- Emily Connors, Marian Clancy, Claire O'Brien, Sarah Heffernan, Megan Whelan and Gillan Ahearne. Solo singing Marian Clancy. Instrumental Music:- Bobby and Marian Clancy who got through to the next round as did the Quiz team of Pat Morrissey Bobby Clancy and Shane Ahearne.

Our two Quiz teams sailed through on full marks. Well done to all concerned and Best of Luck in the Western final

OPENING OF NEW

DRESSING ROOMS On behalf of Stradbally I would like to cordially invite you to a cheese and wine reception, which will be held at the Centre on next Sun. night the 5th at 9 pm. This reception is in recognition and thanks for the generous contributions made by the sponsors and supporters of our club. These contributions have been pivotal both for the continued development of our Club and to the success of capturing the County Senior Football title in 2001. The new dressing room facility which has recently been completed, will be open and available for view-

Music on the night will be by Billy Kirwan from Carlow. We look forward to having your company for what promises to be a

HORSE RAC

JOCKEY'S IN THE WAR

juries last week. Champion Hurdle Thirsk, Uttoxeter. winning jockey Dean Gallagher was shifted to Leeds Hospital after suffer- 2.30 ing a neck injury following a chase fall at Wetherby. Norman Williamson opening day of the Punchestown Festival when the normally safe jumper Gold Cup at Sandown. Camden West gave the Co Cork born rider a crashing fall.

WICKED CRACK RETIRES

into a nice brood mare.

PUNCHESTOWN FESTIVAL

for his length and a half victory over

up to three miles and he displayed his on top class on day two running away with the Heineken Gold Cup.

easy success over Thari.

year old ran a pleasing race to finish last Sunday and if saddled once again to John Joe O'Neill at Jackdaws Castle. third of seventeen to Supreme Devel- by trainer Francie Flood could well oper. The Biker is going the right prove the banker of the meeting with The feature race at Sedgefield last prospect to look forward to when the mount once again. sent over hurdles..

old will now enjoy a well earned re- Euro. tirement. If staying sound Moscow Flyer looks the one to beat in next years two mile Grade 1 races on both sides of the Irish sea as he produced an impressive performance in the Grade One novice chase.Winning his 2pm thirteeth race Limestone Lad under Paul Carberry looked as good as ever leading all the way in the three miles 2pm stayers hurdle. Young Abbeyside rider lan Power was on the mark guiding Lights And Music to victory in a Novice chase.

THIS WEEKS FIXTURES

Thursday — Redcar, Southwell, 10.45pm.

field, Newmarket.

LAST RACE OUTING

was unlucky to break a leg on the his last ever race when finshing un- the final four winners on the card. placed in last Saturday's Attheraces

TON UP PAUL

herself for her Punchestown outing Meath jockey looks nailed on to cap-based guvnor Jim O Gorman. close next month.

NO LUCK FOR MICK

Ballyhampshire Boy ran an excellent Friday to overturn the seven day rid-ries off his current handicap mark. race on the opening day of the festi- ing ban issued by the Newmarket for Novice Hurdle and Fairyhouse winner Newmarket. For his trouble Kinane Mark Grant obliging at odds of 12/1. Scottish Memories had to work hard also lost his £400 Sterling appeal fee.

GUINEAS MEETING

WEXFORD ON FRIDAY

GOWRAN PARK ON SUNDAY

on Thursday and this thirteen year pot is boosted by a carryover of 2,825 law.

POINT TO POINT FIXTURES

hounds, Dromohane, Mallow, Co Cork. ranks last Saturday at Sedgefield.

Monday May 6th - Muskerry Fox-

KENTUCKY DERBY ON RTE 2

RTE Network Two intend screening the Kentucky Derby live on next Saturday night with the half hour pro-

FOUR FOR DAVY

Semi Final involving Munster com- Moore yard.

Saturday - Limerick 2.30, Haydock, bined with the final day of the Pun-A number of riders picked up in- Hereford, Hexham, Newmarket, chestown racing Festival did little to boost the attendance at last Saturday's Sunday — Gowran Pk, 2.15, Navan re arranged Waterford Point to Point fixture at Knockeen, Butlerstown. Davy Russell the East Cork rider was in fine The thirteen year old Go Ballistic ran form though at this fixture partnering

CHERON STREET DOWNSHIP WITH SHIP

CLONMEL LAST SUNDAY

Heavy showers made for soft ground at Clonmel Races last Sunday where When Paul Carberry partnered his County Waterford apprentices Gordon hundredth winner at Punchestown Power and Tom Queally were among Liam Queallys Wicked Crack is off to during the week he joined Charlie the winners. Gordon rode a long stud after finishing a remote fifth in Swan as being the only other Irish priced double in the opening two races the Heineken Cup at Punchestown. jump jockey to ride one hundred win- on Biddy Blackhurst and Shoeless Joe The daughter of Kings Ride was not ners in any one season. The County both winners trained by his Curragh

and is better judged on some of her ture his first leading rider title in this Cappagh youngster Tom Queally had winter efforts. She should make up country when the season draws to a the mount on the well fancied The Culdee in the two mile flat race and this 7/4 favourite won as he liked and The Waterford owned and trained Mick Kinane failed in his appeal last could well run up a sequence of victo-

Ballyduff Upper trainer PC O'Connor val. Producing a brilliant display of his ride on Sahara Desert and so he was on the mark in the Hunter Chase jumping Ballyhampshire Boy made a must sit out next weeks Kentucky as his Pretty Young Thing caused a mild lot of the running in the Champion Derby and will miss out on riding at upset with a runaway victory under

TOM RUDD RETIRES

National Hunt jockey Tom Rudd has "Ballyhampshire". If jumping fences — Its Sagitta Guineas time this coming decided to call it a day. Tom rode over with the same fluency as he jumps his week-end where the Channel Four one hundred and fifty winners in his hurdles Ballyhampshire Boy is certain- cameras cover racing on Friday, Satur- career including Irish National and Gally an exciting novice chase prospect day and Sunday. The 2000 Guineas is way Plate victories. It appears retirewho appears to act on any type of on Saturday and expect a great battle ment was on his mind over the past here between Hawkwing and King Of couple of months probably after losing Florida Pearl on good ground and Happiness with hopefully the Aidan the ride on Knife Edge at Cheltenham on a flat course is almost unbeatable. O'Brien trained Hawkwing coming out, when the horses trainer Michael O'Brien criticized the jockey for the ride he gave the gelding when the Wexford stage their first evening horse won at Naas. I would hate to Like A Butterfly was a market meeting of the year on Friday. There is ride a loser for the same Mr O'Brien. drifter in the Champion Novice Hur- a mixed card for patrons to enjoy Knife Edge fell at Punchestown last dle and the mare after having every while there is also a jackpot rollover of week when behind the leaders. Owner chance faded in the straight as Dav- just under 11,000 Euro. The first race is JP McManus paid big money for this enport Millennium appreciating the set to go off at 5.15 and please leave horse and must surely be losing pagood ground powered clear for an in plenty of time as race goers can ex-tience with his investment at this pect traffic delays in Waterford City stage. Perhaps a change of scenery Dungarvan trainer John Kiely ran and New Ross. The Culdee was a very might do the trick for Knife Edge and The Biker in the Bumper and this five easy winner at Clonmel over two miles JP could do worse then send him over

VINNIES WINNER

away and is certainly an exciting young Tom Queally expected to take Saturday was the Fosters Durham Handicap Chase with victory going to the Brian Ellison trained Fatehalkhair Risk Of Thunder rattled off his sev- Gowran Park also stage a mixed card the top weight being given a very polenth La Touche victory over the banks on Sunday afternoon where the jack- ished ride by Vinnie Keane from Port-

PAUL TURNS PRO

Young jump jockey Paul Robson Saturday May 4th - Kilmoganny turned professional at Perth in the Foxhounds, Clonmel Racecourse, 2pm West of Scotland during the week and Sunday May 5th - Muskerry Fox- duly rode his first winner in the paid

BOUNCE BACK FOR TONY

Tony McCoy rounded off the season hounds, (Dawstown) Blarney, Co Cork. in fine style at Sandown last Saturday when he produced 14/1 shot Bounce Back with a well timed run to outgun stable mate Dark Stranger in the closing stages of the Attheraces Gold Cup formerly known as the Whitbread. The first two home were trained by Martin gramme getting under way at Pipe and the runner up the enigmatic Dark Stranger who definitely has his own thoughts on racing was ridden by Friday — Wexford 5.15, Mussel- The televising of Racing from visiting Irish conditional jockey Danny burgh, Bangor, Folkestone, Sedge- Sandown Park and the Heineken Cup Howard who is attached to the Arthur

RED HOUSE LEAGUE NEWS

Cappoquin Are Crowned Premier Champions

VALLEY RANGERS 0 CAPPOQUIN 3

Cappoquin bridged a ten year gap on Sunday last when they took the Premier League title. They needed a point away to their only remaining challengers Valley Rangers, to annex their second championship.

Their sense of purpose was evident early on as we viewed their intense warm up fifteen minutes before kick off. The game itself mirrored their season as they were out of the starting blocks quickly playing football as it should be played. With some lovely passing movements and intense tackling. Early pressure was rewarded when Cathal Gleeson won a corner in the 15th minute. Charlie Barry floated in a left corner and Tony O'Donnell rose majestically to head Cappoquin into the lead.

Valley were not about to give up without a fight and turned the heat up after this, but were unable to break down the Cappoquin defence which was marshalled by the experienced Micheál Walsh, Cappoquin continued to string the passes together and held possession sive championship win was for long periods and the remainder of the half played out without any further goals.

The second half was more of the same as the visitors piled on the pressure and grew in confidence.

On the 65th minute Cappoquin's centre back Martin Power broke out of defence and squared a beautiful ball to Darragh Wilkinson who volleyed to the net for a magnificent goal. The remainder of the game was played at a hectic pace with Valley coming close on a few occasions but Cappoquin had one more act to play and with two minutes remaining Wilkinson was felled 25 metres out. Opting to take it himself he struck a marvellous shot straight to the top corner, and the champagne came out. The day and the season belonged to Cappoquin. The final whistle was greeted with great scenes of excitement of joy as the champagne Cork's

Chairman Paddy Pollard was generous in his praise of Cappoquin not just today but all season. "This comprehenwon with a dedication and a professional approach that more of our clubs could do well to emulate", he said.

"If our league is to progress we need more clubs willing to make the sacrifice to social life etc. that was evident from Cappoquin all season". Today they played marvellous football and it was a great advert for our league" he continued.

Referee Maurice Condon joined in the fun after as he went about trying to track down the player that un-

corked the champagne bottle. Apparently the cork hit the referee. "I'm going to red card this", he was heard to say. The Cappoquin camp denied all knowledge of the incident as they closed ranks.

On a more serious note Cappoquin will be presented with the league trophy next Sunday after their home game against Ardmore. This will be a humdinger of a game as Ardmore attempt to avoid relegation. Cappoquin will want to party in style with a victory.

Red House League Tables PREMIER LEAGUE

	PI	w	D		Pts
CAPPOQUIN	13	11	2	1	32
BALLYDUFF	14	6	2	6	20
LISMORE	13	5	4	4	19
BRIDEVIEW	14	6	1	7	19
VALLEY RANGERS	10	4	3	3	15
ARDMORE	13	5	0	8	15
CASTLEBRIDGE	12	4	2	6	14
GORTROE	13	4	0	9	12

Lismore Crush

LISMORE 6 GORTROE 0

Lismore had their first win in four games when they easily defeated an understrength Gortroe side in Lismore on Monday night last. This defeat will have Gortroe looking for a miracle to stay in the Premier League next season.

Goals by K. O'Gorman and Edward Pollard had Lismore leading 2-0 at the break. In the second half goals from Dave Howard, Aidan Roche, Sean Ormonde and Patrick Walsh lifts Lismore to 3rd place in the league table.

PREVIEWS Big Game

LIAM FITZGERALD CUP SEMI FINALS (SPONSORED BY DUNGARVAN INSURANCE LTD)

Cappoquin v Gortroe

Unless they have been celebrating too much (which is a real possibility). Cappoquin should win here. They have had little difficulty beating Gortroe three times already this season. They are keen to add to their league victory by retaining this trophy. Cappoquin to win.

Clashmore v Valley Rangers

Valley will find it difficult to rally the troops after their disappointment last week but they now have an opportunity to salvage something from the season. Clashmore will be up for this one and are no bad side. I predict an upset here, Clashmore to win.

PREMIER LEAGUE

Cappoquin v Ardmore

Cappoquin will be in a party mood here as they are being presented with the trophy after this game. The game is vital for Ardmore as they simply must win to avoid relegation. Their meeting in the Cup went to penalties a few weeks back so there is nothing between the sides. Cappoquin will not want to spoil the party and they will not relax now. However Ardmore under pressure can beat anyone. Ardmore to win.

Valley v Castlebridge

Unbelievable as it may be Valley need points to be mathematically safe from relegation and Castlebridge are fighting for their lives. I think Castlebridge can upset the odds. Away win.

East Cork West Waterford Schoolboy **League News**

Under-12 League

Fermoy United 3 Bride View United 1

Under-14 Cup

Ballybridge United 2 Castlebridge Celtic 1

FIXTURES THURSDAY, MAY 2

Under-12 Cup

Valley Rangers v. Fermoy United, 7 p.m., M. Hartnett **Under-15 Cup**

Cappoquin/Affane v. Ardmore, 7 p.m., M. Condon

SATURDAY, MAY 4

Under-12 Cup

Cappoquin/Affane v. Bride View United, 6.30 p.m., P. Marks

Under-13 League

Castlebridge Celtic v. Ballybridge United, 5.30 p.m.,

M. Hartnett

Under-16 Cup

Valley Rangers v. Bride View United, 6.30 p.m. W. Collins Under-15 League

An Gaeltacht v. Blackstone Rangers, 6 p.m. M. Condon MONDAY, MAY 6

Under-13 Cup

Cappoquin/Affane v. Blackstone Rangers, 6.30 p.m.,

M. Hartnett

Under-15 League

An Gaeltacht v. Blackwater Rangers, 5.30 p.m., M. Condon

TUESDAY, MAY 7

Under-14 Cup

Valley Rangers v. Bride View United, 7 p.m., M. Hartnett

Red House League **Fixtures**

LIAM FITZGERALD CUP SEMI FINALS

(sponsored by Dungarvan Insurance Ltd)

Cappoquin v Gortroe at 6.30 pm

Ref. M. Condon. Asst. L. Fraser and M. Hartnett. Clashmore v Valley at 7.45 pm

Ref. T. O'Sullivan. Asst. Noel O'Donoghue, E. O'Shea.

PREMIER LEAGUE

Cappoquin v Ardmore at 2.30 pm. W. Collins. Valley v Castlebridge at 11.30 am. N. O'Donoghue.



Waterford Branch Manchester United Supporters Club

So we drew with the Germans of Leverkeusen, defended poorly at times but hopefully by the time people read these notes we will be in the final. Everyone enjoyed the game not least the lucky few who had tickets and travelled. The atmosphere in the ground was nothing short of electric. Joe, Damien and Fintan tried a new hotel and by all accounts it was more like Fawlty Towers with Julian Clary as the night porter.

Kevin and John played safe and booked with the phone and somewhere recommended, not by the internet unlucky Damien.

There will be a general meeting on this Friday to return Hotel money from the Villa trip so if you travelled please be in attendance at 8 pm sharp in Lawlor's Hotel. This will be followed by a committee meeting.

Any member interested in joining the committee must apply in writing to Kevin Moore, 92 Childers Estate, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford before the end of the current season. To do so you must be in the club for the last three consecutive seasons. Anyone who wants to find out more about the club just phone the secretary at 086 3925677 and he will be happy to oblige.

WATERFORD HANDBALL NEWS

Waterford U-21 Handballers To Contest All-Ireland Title

On Saturday next at O'Loughlin's Handball Complex, Waterford will play Wicklow in one of four All-Ireland's being played. Starting at 4.30. p.m. with Paul Hayes of Conna & Cork will start the ball rolling when the players in the Golden Masters A. Final.

Barry McAndrew & Kenny Keane are Waterford's under 21 doubles players, they play Wicklow's Michael Grehan & Sammy Willoughby. Kenny & Barry have both won under 17 titles and brought St. Augustine's College it's first ever All-Ireland

College Title. Having won the Munster 21 Title for Waterford after a long hard Battle Barry and Kenny are hoping to bring Waterford's first under 21 All-Ireland Title. We wish Barry & Kenny all the best of luck. We hope that Barry & Kenny will have good support on Saturday next.

Fixtures, O'Loughlin's Complex, 4.30 p.m. - G.M.A Paul Hayes, Cork V V. Farrelly, Dublin M.A.S. John Herlihy, Cork V M. Maher, Dublin. Under 21 D. Barry McAndrew & Kenny Keane, Waterford v Michael Grehan & Sammy Willoughby

Inter D Gavin Buggy & Paul Carthy, Wexford v Des Keegan & Pádraig Gaffney,

Waterford Branch Touraneena Racquets Column

DECLAN KIELY PAINTING AND DECORATING TOURANEENA 5 K ROAD RACE

The 7th annual Touraneena 5k Road Race is being held on Bank Holiday Monday 3rd June. The race is the fourth of the Ger Wyley/Nike Summer Road Racing Series and is being sponsored for the second consecutive year by Declan Kiely Painting and Decorating Contractor. The race will cater for athletes and walkers of all standards. The walkers will get under way at 7:15 pm from the Sliabh gCua Community Centre while the athletes will commence from the back entrance to the grave yard at 7:30 pm.

The event is organised by the West Waterford Athletic club and the Touraneena Racquetball club. Every effort is being made to make this the biggest and best event in the race's life span. The entry fee is 5 euro for adults and 3 euro for under 16's. All participants will be treated to strawberries and ice cream at the post race presentations. Last year there was a special hot-spot prize for the 70th athlete over the 1.2 mile line and this year a guaranteed 50 euro hot-spot prize will also be on offer but it may not be for the 70th to cross the line.

The overall prizes are 100 euro, 50 euro, 25 euro for the first 3 men and women respectively. There will also be a crystal prize for the first finisher in each of the following groups: under 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60. There is also a crystal prize for the first local to finish and the first local Junior racquetball player (male and female). For the walkers there will be a special draw for sports vouchers. We encourage and welcome everyone to participate.

This year we will have an Inter-Firm's league which is been organised by the Racquetball club. The response to this has been amazing so far and it promises to be a massive event. To sponsor a team costs 20 euro and already the support from the business people and individuals from the locality and surrounding areas has been brilliant. The racquetball club will organise the athletes and walkers for the teams if the sponsor so wishes. For your 20 euro, you will sponsor a team, get your name printed on the list in the Dungarvan Leader every week leading up to the race and you will also get an advertisement in the race programme. If you want to sponsor a team just contact any of the following; Pat Dalton 058 47244, Eleanor Hickey 058 47313, Niamh Coffey 058 47211, Laurence McCarthy 058 47374 or Pat Keane at 087 6380649.

The sponsors of teams so far as follows; Glanbia, Seamus and Breda Skehan, Classic Gents-Mitchell St., Michael Power Book Shop, Sean O'Brien Building Contractor, Costin & Dunford Plumbing and Heating, Tony Cordon Alpha Laval Milking Machine Services, O'Grady Brothers

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KEVIN SHEEHAN STRIKES GOLD

Kevin Sheehan came up trumps in the division 8 final of the local racquetball leagues. In the final he faced Emma Condon who had earlier defeated Kevin's younger brother, Jason in the semi final. Kevin won in straight games and he now adds his name to the list of champions in the current league. Eimear O'Connell defeated Kieran Power in the semi final of the division 5 grade and she now plays Garvan Dunford in the final encounter. Tristan Hickey is to play Pat Keane in the Open Final. Niamh Coffey will play either Aidan McGrath or Quentin Hickey in the division 1 final, Helen Shanahan and Mairead Hickey will contest the division 2 final. Mossie Cliffe and Maurice Keane will meet in the division 3 final while the 2 James', Cliffe and Power will contest the division 4 encounter. All the prizes will be given out on the one night when all the finals are completed.



Declan Kiely (race sponsor) and Tristan Hickey, first local racquetball finisher 2002 in the Touraneena 5k road race



Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's G.A.A.

We played a challenge match against Dungarvan on last Friday night 26th April. It was a good workout for the players as they have been training very well so far, challenge matches are important from now on. Our junior game had to be cancelled on Saturday night because of weather conditions.

DEISE DEVELOPMENT

We would like to thank all our supporters for contributing to the draw, for as you know it is a great source of income to the club. So it is with great pleasure that we congratulate Bob Keane, Cahernaleague on winning 3rd prize of 1,500 euros in the draw. Also Dermot Halley who won 100 euros. It is great to see some winners at last, so hopefully more of the same in the May draw.

ST. MARY'S/SLIABH GCUA/COMMUNITY CENTRE LOTTO

Sunday night 28th April in Dunford's Bar. The numbers drawn were 19-21-24. There was no jackpot winner. Next weeks jackpot is 700 euros. Next weeks draw is in Dunne's on Sunday night 5th May. 20 euro winners were Pat Dalton, Clonegegale, Eoin Kearns and Christy Hallinan. The promoters prize of 15 euro went to

Bernie Gleeson.

SYMPATHY

We would like to extend a sincere vote of sympathy to Mary Tobin, Raenadaumpaun on the death of her mother Mrs. Bridie Tobin, which occurred at the weekend.

APOLOGY

The P.R.O. would like to apologise for putting on the wrong notes last week on the papers. This job should be getting easier - not more complicated!

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West Waterford Athletics News

Michael Roche Carpets Spring Series

The eighth annual Michael very keen in all of the divi-Roche Carpets Spring Series came to a conclusion with the forth and final race in this years series the Dungarvan 10k recently. The other three races in the series were the Colligan Cup, the Dungarvan Crystal 10k and the Tipperary Crystal Ballyduff 5 miles. Competition was

sions with a total of 32 athletes receiving prizes at the presentation, which took place at the Parrish Bar recently. Beginning with the mens the following were the category winners:

Under 30: Trevor Mason, James McGuire, Benny Flynn and Eamonn Crotty.

Belfast

Maratho

On this coming Monday the 6th of May the Belfast City

Marathon takes place, West Waterford will be well repre-

sented at this years race with six of our athletes making

the trip north, The National Marathon for this year is

being held in conjunction with this race and also the Mun-

ster Marathon Championship, this race last year will bring

Michael Cooney, Michael O'Brien, Pat Early and Martin Curran. Under 40 went to Vincent Tutty, Bernard Feery, Jim Maher and Gerry O'Connor. Under 45 James Veale, Gerry Cantwell., Under 50 -Dixie Deegan, Neelis Ahearne, Seamus 0 Droma, and Liam Sandford. In the over 50 men Con Kelleher. Paddy Lannon and Michael Hennessy.

Jackie Murphy, Olivere Crotty. Under 40 went to Ann Cronin, Siobhain O'Mahony and Ann Dunford. Under 45 - E. NI Haodha, and Bernie Foley. Over 50 — Hillary Collins.

Congratulations to all of the winners and those who participated in this series. which again saw record entries this year.

SERIES SPONSOR

The club sincerely wishes to thank Michael Roche proprietor of Michael Roche Carpets for his very kind sponsorship of this series again this year. This is the eighth-year of Michael's involvement and this series helps in no small way to get the running year off to a

Pictured above are the various prize winners in the Michael Roche Carpet Spring Series. Also included is Michael Roche (sponsor).

The ladies divisional winners were as follows: Under 30 — Norma Wall and Triona Wall. Under 35 were **Nike Summer Series**

Paddy Flanagan Memorial **Road Race**

The Waterford Crystal sponsored Paddy Flanagan road race takes place this coming Saturday evening. This race is race number two in the Ger Wyley/Nike Summer Series and always proves to be one of the more popular of the ten race programme over the summer

changes being made to this years race, the entries will be taken at the Waterford Regional Sports Centre on the Cork road from 6.30 p.m. with the race getting under way at 7.30. There are also some changes to the usual course with the on going road works on the Tramore road, preventing the race taking the traditional route, The race will start instead start at the Superquin supermarket on the bypass and will take a right at the roundabout heading for Tramore, when the race reaches then Tramore Roundabout on the outskirts

of the town we will be taking a left hand turn and coming up along the prom to the finish, the race distance will be about six miles making it shorter than the usual seven. Prizes will be awarded to the usual categories with the Paddy Flanagan Cup going to the overall winner. The presentation of prizes will take place in the Tramore G.A.A. Centre where there will be shower and changing facilities with tea and sandwiches for all. Please take note of the new signon at the

P.S. — Contact Albert if you are going on the bus.

back fond memories for most when the event was held here in Dungarvan and hosted by West Waterford, on that occasion our club took silver medals in the senior team event and gold at Munster level with our vets team winning silver and bronze respectively, every one at the club sends best wishes to our teams of Trevor Mason, Eoin Fitzgerald, Brian Collins, Johnny Clark, George Tutty and James Veale. great start. Roll on 2003!



Modern **Homes Show**

indebted to Tom Murphy of was a very successful ven-'Modern Homes' for allow- ture both from the point of ing us to have a 'stall' at the

Sunday **Morning Run**

Our Sunday morning run from St. Augustine's College saw a big turn out last Sunday with 11 athletes completing the eleven mile run. They were Norma Wall, Corrina Walsh, Dixie Deegan, Michael Callaghan, Liam Rossiter, Seamus O Droma, Liam Sandford, Jerry O'Connor and "Skerries" who didn't run due to injury. All are welcome any Sunday 9.30 a.m.

The club is again this year recent show in Waterford. It view of publicising the club and raising funds through the raffle.

> The bicycle was won by Seamas Kelly of Buncormack Co. Wexford and we are very grateful to Tony at O'Mahony Cycles, Abbeyside who generously sponsored the prize.

> The second prize, a hamper was won by Chris Hughes of Grange Manor, Waterford and a big thank you is due to Joe Gough who sponsored this prize.

> The third prize was won by Maudie Cusack of Waterford.

> Thanks to all the club members who sold tickets on the three days.

Seniors and Juveniles at St. Augustine's College starting this week.

On Monday nights Brother Patrick Lennon will be coaching Sprints, Hurdles and Jumps.

On Tuesday evenings he will be coaching throws.

Wednesday evening will be our main Juvenile training night but seniors are welcome to train with the older juveniles.

Likewise on Friday nights there will be training for middle and long distance runners where all are wel-

West Waterford **Athletics** Juvenile News

We had another great turnout for the last night of our track and field 'tryouts' on Wednesday with about 100 athletes involved. Tonight May 1st will be the first of our coaching nights where help will be on hand for advice, tips and training for the various events. Wednesday night will continue to be our main training night but there will be other nights for specific training sessions with various coaches. All are welcome to attend on Wednesday nights.

The overall winners for the three nights will be announced tonight and prizes presented. The results last week were as follows.

Girls U9 60m 1.C. Scanlon 2.K. Veale

Boys U9 60m T. Hennessey

Girls U10 60m 1. L. Houlihan 2. Z. Scanlon 3. A. Duff

Boys U10 60m 1. D. O'Riordain 2. L. O'Mahony 3. D. Cliffe

Girls U11 80m 1. S. Flavin 2. D. Hayes 3. A. Hourigan

Boys U11 80m 1. J. Morrissey 2. D. Kiely 3. D. Mulcahy

Girls U12 100m 1. M. McCarthy 2. K. Fraher 3. C. Hyslop Boys U12 100m 1. A. Landy 2. S. O'Donovan 3. P. Hickey

Girls U13 100m 1. E. Scanlon 2. M. Duff 3. S.O'Brien

Boys U13 100m 1. S. Duggan 2. S. Power 3. J.de Fusco

Girls U14 100m 1. S. Brackett 2. C. Hayes 3. S. Keoghan Girls O14 100m 1. D. Duff 2. A. Fennell

Boys O14 100m 1. J. Cummins 2. E. Brackett 3. T. Hen-

Girls U9 200m 1. C. Scanlon 2. K. Veale

Boys U9 200m 1. T. Hennessey

Girls U10 200m 1. Z. Scanlon 2. L. Houlihan 3. C. Cleary

Boys U10 200m 1. D. O'Riordain 2. L.O'Mahony 3. J. O'Ri-

Girls U11 600m 1. D. Hayes 2. A. Fehilly 3. A. Hourigan

Boys U11 600m 1. D. Mulcahy 2. D. Kiely 3. J. Geoghan

Girls U12 600m 1. M. McCarthy 2. C. Hyslop 3. G. Hayes

Boys U12 600m 1. S. O'Donovan 2. P. Walsh 3. A. Landy

Girls U13 1000m 1. C. Hayes 2. S. Keohan 3. S. Beckett 3. L. Murphy

Boys U13 1000m 1. S. Duggan 2. M. Early 3. C.Reynolds

Girls U14 1000m 1. E.Scanlon 2. S. O'Brien 3. J. Burke Boys U14 1000m 1. T. Hennessey 2. P.Healy 3. J. Cummins

Girls O14 1000m 1. D. Duff 2. E. Ashe 3. A. Fennell

Girls U9 Long Jump 1. C. Scanlon (2.88m) 2. K. Veale (1.90m)

Boys U9 Long Jump 1. T. Hennessey (2.52m)

Girls U10 Ball Throw 1. Z. Scanlon (24.60m) 2. R. Preston (16.40m) 3. K. Buckley (13.30m)

Boys U10 Ball Throw 1. D. Cliffe (22.05m) 2. D. O'Riordain

(21.40m) 3. P. Flynn (20.10m) Girls U11 Shot (1kg) 1. A. Reynolds (6.60m) 2. A. Reynolds

(6.24m) 3. S. Flavin (6.20m)

Boys U11 Shot (2kg) 1. J. Morrissey (5.95m) 2. R. Sheehan (5.76m) 3. C. Kindregen (5.74m)

Girls U12 Shot (1kg) 1. J. Preston (10.00m) 2. N. Cummins (8.90m) 3. M.McCarthy (7.10m)

Boys U12 Shot (2kg) 1. P. Houlihan (7.20m) 2. P. Walsh

(6.80m) 3. S. O'Donovan (6.50m) Girls U13 Javelin 1. N. Tobin (12.00m) 2. S. O'Brien

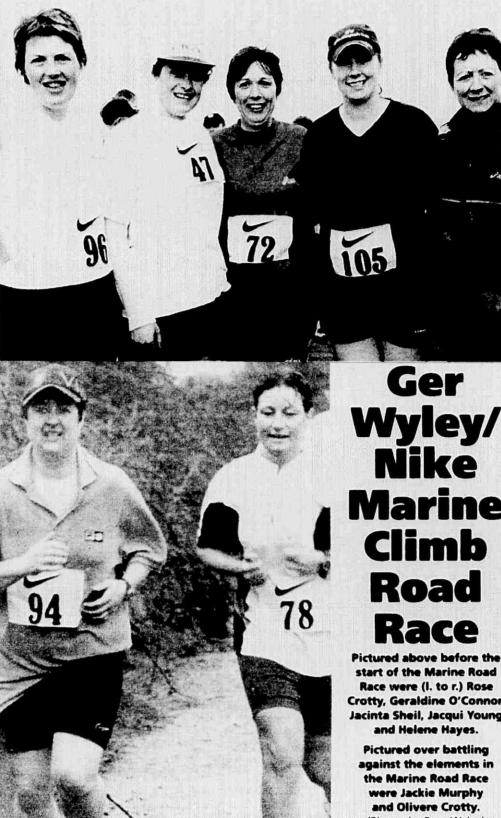
(11.70m) 3. E. Scanlon (11.10m) Boys U13 Javelin 1. S. Duggan (18.40m) 2. M. O'Mahony

(17.30m) 3. M. Early (15.40m) Girls U14 Javelin 1. S. Brackett (13.00m) 2. S. Keohan

(13.00m) 3. C. Hayes (12.90m) Girls O14 Shot (2kg) 1. L. Hennessey (7.80m) 2. S. Lawless

(7.70m) 3. D. Duff (7.30m)

Boys U14 Shot 1. E. Brackett (8.80m) 2. T. Hennessey (8.50m) 3. J. Cummins (7.70m)



Wyley/ Marine

start of the Marine Road Race were (I. to r.) Rose Crotty, Geraldine O'Connor, Jacinta Sheil, Jacqui Young

against the elements in (Photos by Rory Wyley)

Waterford Colleges Under-14 Hurling Championship

DUNGARVAN CBS 1-3

Dungarvan CBS turned in a very disappointing performance against a strong De La Salle side in the Waterford Colleges semi final played at Dungarvan Club grounds last Wednesday. De La Salle scored 3 goals in the first ten minutes and led by 3-1 to 0-0 at half time. Dungarvan played better in the 2nd half and fought back into the game to trail 3-2 to 1-3 after 45 minutes. De La Salle finished deserving winners by 6-5 to 1-3.

Best for Dungarvan were Colin McGrath, Conor Mc-Grath who played the final 50 minutes of the match in goal, Ger Dunphy, Sean O'Hare and Evan Morrissey.

Scorers; Colin McGrath 1-0, Sean O'Hare 0-2, Edward Walsh 0-1.

Dungarvan CBS; E. Brackett (Abbeyside), C. Kearney (Brickey's), G. Dunphy (St. Mary's, Newtown), K. O'Keeffe (Dungarvan), M. O'Connor (Cois Brid, Tallow), P. Horkan (Fourmilewater), K. McGrath (Naomh Brid), J. Maher (St. Oliver's), S. O'Hare (Abbeyside), J. Harrington (St. Oliver's), Eoin Walsh (Naomh Brid), J. Ryan (Fourmilewater), Evan Morrissey (Fourmilewater), J. J. Coffey (Naomh Brid), Conor McGrath (Brickey's). Subs Colm McGrath for E. Brackett (10 mins), Edward Walsh for J. J. Coffey (20 mins), J. O'Driscoll for M. O'Connor.

Sligo 5K Road Race

THE third annual 'Streets of Sligo' 5k road race, in association with Sligo Weekender, takes place in Sligo Town on Saturday, May 11th.

Winner of the senior men's category in 2001 was wellknown runner Greg Luke, a member of the Dublin Civil Service Club, while Mayo AC's established athlete, Ann Lennon, won the senior women's section. Indeed, Luke and Lennon retained the titles they had taken in 2000.

The swiftest participants in this year's 'Streets of Sligo 5k' may seek to break the winning times set last year, as race-winner Luke clocked a time of 16:02; Lennon completed the distance in 17:14.

This event also incorporates a walk along the same route, which begins at 7 p.m.

Commencing at 7.15 p.m. from Institute of Technology, Sligo, registration begins at 5.30 p.m. onwards in IT Sligo's Aula Maxima. Entry fee is 7 euro for adults and 5 euro for walkers.

Light refreshments will be available at the finish line, with prizes for the top finishers in the 5k road race. Categories include senior men, senior women and veterans (male and female). Junior athletes are also encouraged to take part

Four vouchers - each worth 50 euro - will be raffled amongst all the runners who don't win a prize. Everyone who completes the walk could win one of three food hampers in a special raffle.

Next month's popular event is being promoted by Sligo Weekender, the Sligo County Board of the Athletics Association of Ireland, Sligo Sport & Recreation Partnership, Sligo VEC, North Western Health Board and the Diabetes Federation of Ireland.

The Diabetes Federation of Ireland are involved for the first time, and will use the event to raise much needed

Youghal A.C. Best Club In East Cork

Youghal Athletic Club took the overall honours after Day 2 of the CMP sponsored East Cork Track & Field Championships at the CBS Grounds in Midleton on Sunday last. On a day of high winds and heavy hail showers Carrignvar Athletic Club, the holders of the Willie Harte Perpetual Trophy, had to settle for second place in the competition with Carrigtwohill Athletic Club taking third place.

For Youghal it was the culmination of a great year, having already won the Overall Trophy as the best Cross Country Club and the committee and athletes in Youghal can take great pride in their magnificent achievements. It was the second time in three years that they were winners having finished runners-up to Carrignavar by a single point last

A special word of thanks to CMP Dairy for their continued support of athletics in East Cork and especially to Barry Hill. Sponsorship is so important in sport today and I would ask all our athletes to support our sponsorrs CMP Dairy whenever possible.

I would like to thank the hard-working officers of the East Cork Board Chairman, Dan McCarthy, Secretary Maureen O'Connell and Treasurer William O'Mahoney for the dedication they have given over the last thirty years. We look forward to our next championship event which will be East Cork Cross Country in September.

West Waterford Golf & Country Club Notes

CLASHMORE RAMBLERS SOCCER GOLF CLASSIC

Timesheets are filling up quite nicely for the Clashmore Ramblers Soccer Golf Classic which takes place from Thursday 2nd to Sunday 5th May. The format is, as in previous years, a three person Scramble and teams may be all gents, ladies or mixed and the entry fees 75 euro per team of 3 players. Prizes to the value of 2,000 euro are up for grabs. To book a tee time simply telephone West Waterford on 058 43216 or 058 41475

MUNSTER SENIORS AMATEUR OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP 2002

West Waterford Golf and Country Club are delighted and proud to be playing host to the Munster Seniors Open Championship of 2002 on Tuesday and Wednesday 7th and 8th May. This prestigious Golfing Union of Ireland event which is kindly sponsored by the Portuguese Tourist Board will see 300 of our finest Amateurs Seniors to battle over two days at West Waterford and our near neighbours Dungarvan. Play is due to commence at 7.15 am on both courses and the event will provide an important showcase for golf in the area.

RED LIBBETTS GOLF CLUB ANNUAL VISIT TO WEST WATERFORD

On Saturday we were delighted to welcome again 20 golfers from Red Libbetts Golf Club, Kent, England. This annual match provides for great sport, banter and apres golf! Our own Joe Kelly together with Kieran Cullinan from Gold Coast Golf Club and John Cullinan from Red Libbetts are deserving of great credit for their help in organising proceedings and although the weather was not conductive to great golf the match was played in a friendly and sporting manner and we look forward to a return visit from Red Libbetts again next year.

RESULTS PHIL TAKES HONOURS

Phil Kinsella playing in wintry conditions over the weekend wins the competition and qualifies for the Cork Am-Am which takes place in Newcastle West Golf Club. Also Jimmy Murphy and Michael Purcell represent West Waterford in Newcastle West. Percy Walsh who won Cat A on Tuesday night last keeps up the form for 2nd place in competition with 35 pts. Hard working club man Jimmy Murphy wins gross with six over par. 1st Phil Kinsella (18) 36 pts, 2nd Percy Walsh (19) 35 pts, Gross Jimmy Murphy (5) 30 pts. 3rd Jim Meaney (14) 34 pts.

Cork Am-Am Team Qualifiers 0-7 Jimmy Murphy. 8-13 Michael Purcell. 14-18 Phil Kinsella.

FIXTURES

Tuesday 30th April - High Handicap at 6 pm (Back 9 holes). Wednesday 1st May - Failte House Open 18 Hole Singles Qualifier. Thursday 2nd, Friday 3rd, Saturday 4th and Sunday 5th May -Clashmore Ramblers Soccer Golf Classic.

Friday 3rd, Saturday 4th and Sunday 5th May - Club Competition, 18 Hole Stableford. Tuesday 7th May -High Handicap at 6 pm.

HIGH HANDICAP RESULTS

High Handicap Tuesday 23rd kindly sponsored by Patrick J. Reardon, Ardmore Consulting Ltd.

High Handicap (A) 1st Percy Walsh (19) 19 pts. 2nd Gerry O'Brien (18) 18 pts. 3rd Pat A. Power (20) 17 pts. High Handicap (B) 1st James Murphy (18) 16 pts. 2nd Kevin Drummy (18) 14 pts. 3rd John Walsh (22) 14 pts. Guest Noel Conway (15) 18 pts. Next high handicap Tuesday 30th April kindly sponsored by White Horses Restaurant, Ardmore.

INTER CLUB HIGH HANDICAP COMPETITION

The draw for the first round of the inter club high handicap competition has taken place and has thrown up a local clash between West Waterford who have home advantage and Dungarvan. The tie is scheduled for Tuesday evening, 7th May at 5 pm sharp and promises to be a closely fought and friendly clash.

FÄILTE HOUSÉ OPEN QUALIFIER

The timesheet for our first Wednesday Open which takes place on Wednesday 1st May is now posted. This weekly competition generates huge interest year on year, with this years event promising to be the most successful to date. The Open Qualifier is a keystone of the golfing calendar at West Waterford Golf and Country Club, and had been sponsored since its inception by Barclay Chemicals. This year we have a new sponsor in the form of Failte House who are delighted to be associated with the event. For each and every Wednesday throughout the summer, there will be a timesheet in operation for the Open Singles and to reserve your tee time, simply telephone the Clubhouse on 058 43216 or 058 41475. For those lucky enough to qualify, the final play off will take place this

year on Sunday 20th October, a week in advance of the Bank Holiday weekend, as this was found to be unsuitable for many qualifiers in previous years. Many thanks to the sponsors Failte House (www.failtehouse.com).

CLUB MIXED FOURSOMES

The draw for the Club Mixed Foursomes has taken place and a list of matches to be played is now posted. First round matches have to be played by 1st May and second round matches have to be completed by the 20th May.

SCRAMBLE, PRESENTATION OF PRIZES AND CLUB FOURBALL DRAW

Our second Scramble of the season will take place on Friday evening, 10th May. Following the success of the first Scramble it is intended to have a Scramble on the second Friday of each month for the summer months and all members are urged to try their utmost to play. A presentation of all outstanding prizes will take place also, as will be the norm after the monthly Scrambles in the future. Any prizewinner who is unable to attend is requested to have somebody collect his prize on his behalf, as the Committee are no longer responsible for prizes not collected. The draw for the Club Fourball will also take place on the 10th May and anybody wishing to participate is asked to place their name on the list currently posted on the main hallway notice board.

CLUB FOURBALL

Anyone interested in playing in the Club Fourball this year is requested to place their name on the list currently posted on the main hallway notice board. The draw will take place on Friday 10th May following the monthly Scramble and presentation of prizes.

JUNIOR NOTES

Result of Junior Competition on Sunday 28th April. Ist Stephen McCarthy, Raymond McCarthy, Ciaran Lane, Philip Spratt 29 1/2. 2nd Philip Walsh, Shane Flavin, Conor Nugent, Mark Shalloe 29 1/2. Gross David Curran, Gavin Flynn, Shane Kearney 40.

SMURFIT FOURSOMES

The Area Final of the Smurfit Foursomes in which West Waterford will face a Cahir Park Golf Club selection will take place at Carrick-On-Suir Golf Club at 11 am on Sunday 12th May.

COMPUTER

Pin numbers are now available from the office. All members are reminded to use the computer when entering 18 Hole Competitions.

TIMESHEETS

Remember players with their names on the timesheet have priority on the 1st tee.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Subscriptions for the 2002 season are now well overdue, and all members who haven't paid are requested to please submit the appropriate amount to the office, by post or in person as soon as possible.

LOCKERS

The annual locker fee is also now due and any member in possession of a locker is requested to submit the annual fee of 10 euro to the office as soon as possible.

Club Notes

Numbers drawn 1-11-15-17. No winner, with the following winning 20 euro each; Dick Ahearne, Breda Walsh and Olga McCarthy. Next week's jackpot 1,300

LADIES

This weeks winners in the ladies competition were Mary Morrissey in the Nett and Patricia O'Regan in the Gross. As usual this Wednesday's tee off will be at 10.30

am

Cunnigar Pitch & Putt

JUVENILE RESULTS

Congratulations to Leonard Duggan on his first ever win in the Juvenile section last Saturday. Barry Hamilton won also with 4 under. This Saturday play continues at 10.45 am.

NATIONAL MATCHPLAY

Next Tuesday, May the 7th sees the qualifying rounds of the National Matchplay competition take place at the Cunnigar and will continue on for the rest of that week with many of the local players taking part. Don't forget to have your money in by May 8th for the National Strokeplay qualifying round which will be held in Ashgrove.

COUNTY TRIALS

The County trials are continuing to go well for Jason Hackett who hit 13 gross and Mark McCarthy who scored 11 with Mike Daly also doing well on 8 under. All of this means we could have good representation on the County team for the first time.

BAUMANN'S TOURNAMENT

Gale force winds and squally showers greeted the good number of players who took part in last Sunday's 36 hole single Strokeplay competition which was kindly sponsored by Baumann's Jewellers. The unseasonal weather took its toll on a lot of the players, some of whom opted out after one round. Those who braved the elements and played on were rewarded with first Nett going to Tommy Lenihan on 98 who seems to be hitting a bit of form lately. Adrian O'Shea who is playing regularly again got 2nd nett on 99. Mike Daly won the Gross on 107 which was a good score in the conditions with Thomas Maher doing well to get second on 110. The club would like to thank Baumann's for their continued sponsorship.

BRIDIE DEE'S TOURNAMENT

We are asking for an upsurge in numbers for next Sunday's Fourball Stable-ford competition kindly sponsored by Bridie Dee's. The course at the moment is quite superb and with good competitions nearly every weekend there is no excuse for the recent fall off in numbers. Next Sunday's tee off will be between 9.45 am to 10.30 am. Names for the draw to be in the Clubhouse by 2 pm next Saturday.

- Shout Fore.

West Waterford Ladies Golf Notes

GARVEY'S SUPERVALU LADIES OPEN DAY

The first of our ladies open days for the season is scheduled to take place on Thursday 9th May next. This 18 Hole Open Fourball is kindly sponsored by Garvey's Supervalu, Dungarvan and a timesheet is in operation in the Clubhouse. To reserve your tee time please ring 43216 or 41475. The beautiful array of prizes is guaranteed to encourage both the home and visiting ladies.

LADIES FIXTURES

May 9 Hole sponsored by Bridget Spratt-Stroke. 18 Hole Stableford on-going. Thursday 2nd or Sunday 5th May - 18 Hole Stableford. Thursday 9th May - Ladies Open Fourball sponsored by Garvey's Supervalu. Sunday 12th May - 18 Hole Singles.

RESULTS

Thursday 25th or Sunday 28th 18 Hole Singles. 1st Katie Kiely (17) 74 nett. Silver 0-20 Katie Kiely (17) 74 nett. 2nd Bernie Twomey (16) 78 nett. Bronze 21-40 Mary Spratt (31) 78 nett.

LADIES SCRAMBLE

On Monday the 13th May there will be a 9 Hole Scramble for ladies. I would like to encourage ladies of all handicaps to turn up for what is guaranteed to be a very enjoyable and social evening. Tee off time will be at 7.00 pm.

LADY CAPTAINS PRIZE

The ladies Captain's prize this year will be held on the weekend of the 6th and 7th of July. This is a reminder to all ladies wishing to participate that you must have played in and returned your cards in three 18 Hole Singles Competitions in the current golfing year Jan 1st. There is still over two months to the prize so still should leave you all with plenty of time to get your cards in.

SCRAMBLE

Our second Scramble of the season will take place on Friday evening 10th May. Following the success of the first Scramble it is intended to have a Scramble on the second Friday of each month for the summer months and all members Ladies and Gents are urged to try their utmost to play.

Gold Coast Golf Club Notes

JOHN WHITE WINS MONTHLY MEDAL

with another win in the Quinnair sponsored Monthly Medal. Played in storm force south-westerly winds John returned an incredible nett 72 to win from Thomas Larkin Mixed Foursomes should put their names on (76) and Willy Flavin (76), with the in form the list in the kiosk. John McGrath taking the Gross prize (91).

John had a very steady 38 on the front bogey 5 on the tenth. Then John hit a pur- 30th June, should put their name on the list ple patch with pars on the 11th, 12th and in the kiosk. See notice board for details. 13th, a further par on the 16th was sufficient to complete the back nine in a very respectable 43.

This win continues the Whites envious record in major competitions and repre- (18+) competition. sents John's third monthly medal in two years, John having also won last years April and September's monthly medal and father Mick winning last years May monthly

CAPTAINS DRIVE-IN

Club Captain, Billy Power and Lady Captain Deirdre Hannigan hosted the 2002 Captains Drive-In on Friday last in the company of a large number of club members and friends. The Drive-In was followed by the first Mixed Scramble of the season. In what turned out to be a very enjoyable and competitive outing the winners on a count back of sorts were Paddy Murphy, Brian Keohan and Fidelma Horsom from Nuala Power, Colm Lynch and D Keane, with Bob O'Brien, Eddie Casey and Shane Ahern in third place and Tom Larkin, Ruth Hannigan and Brian O'Connor in fourth place.

GOLD COAST CUP

Following the qualifying round for the Gold Coast Cup, the draw for the Club Singles Matchplay is:

(1) D Murray v M Ferncombe (2) T Larkin v E Barrett (3) C Clancy v E Collins (4) C Hayes v M White (5) J Murphy v J Moore (6) D Nolan v D Kiely (7) J White v M Murray (8) M Walsh v A Kiely (9) B Gaynor v M Aherne (10) K O'Callaghan v I Perricho (11) J Mc-Grath v M Whelan (12) D Power v B Power M Kavanagh v K Fitzgerald.

CLUB FOURBALL

The draw for the Willie Barron Club Fourball threw some up some very interesting matches and we look forward to a very tough competition. The draw is:

(1) W Morrissey & N Hall v T Larkin & J Halcrow (2) K Cullinane & J Hughes v K Fitzgerald & J McGrath (3) D Kiely & D Clarke v T Murphy & E Collins (4) M White & T White v B O'Brien & D Ryan (5) Mce Ferncombe & P Jordan v D Ahern & J Fitzgerald (6) B Power & D O'Connor v B Keohan & J White (7) B O'Connor & T Murphy v N Fitzgerald & M Kavanagh (8) T Sheehan & T Walsh v T Considine & MI Ferncombe.

PRESENTATION NIGHT

The first Presentation Night will take place next Sunday 5th May, starting at 9.00 pm sharp. All prize winners are requested to attend. See notice board in kiosk for details

HIGH HANDICAP COMPETITION

A reminder to all members that the weekly High Handicap (18+) competition is on notice board in the kiosk for details.

every Thursday. Also members interested in The 2001 Golfer of the Year, John White taking part in the Inter Club competition continued his winning ways last Sunday should put their name on the list in the

MIXED FOURSOMES

Members interested in playing in the Club

STEWARDING AT THE IRISH OPEN

Members interested in stewarding at this nine and started the back nine with a years Irish Open in Fota from the 26th to

FIXTURES

Monday 29th April to Friday 3rd May, 9 Hole Re-entry Competition.

Thursday 2nd May, 10 Hole, High Handicap

Friday 3rd May, Open 18 Hole Singles Sta-

Friday 3rd May, Mixed Scramble

Saturday 4th May, Club Competition, 18 Hole Stableford

Sunday, 5th May, Vice Captains Prize, 18 Hole Stroke, sponsored by Tom Whiter.

JUVENILE NOTES

After a hectic few weeks, the juveniles will take a breather for a few weeks. Keep an eye on the notice board in the kiosk for up-

JUVENILE COACHING

Juvenile members are asked to watch the Juvenile Notice Board for information on the various activities taking place, particularly in relation to coaching.

RESULTS

Monday to Friday 22nd to 26th April, 9 Hole Stableford — Winner: Allen Sheehan

Friday 26th April, Open 18 Hole Stableford Winner: Conor Lawlor (8) 33pts Portarlington G.C.

Friday 26th April, 10 Hole Mixed Scramble 1st : Paddy Murphy, Brian Keohan and Fidelma Horsom 315/8; 2nd : Nuala Power, Colm Lynch and D Keane, 315/8; 3rd : Bob (13) G Murphy v T murphy (14) K Cullinane O'Brien, Eddie Casey and Shane Ahern 32; v J Hughes (15) M Ferncombe v N Hall (16) 4th : Tom Larkin , Ruth Hannigan and Brian

> Saturday 27th April, Club Competition, 18 Hole Stableford - Winner: Kieran Fitzgerald (14) 38 pts.

> Sunday 28th April, Monthly Medal, 18 Hole Stroke sponsored by Quinnair — 1st : J White (9) 72 nett; 2nd : Thomas Larkin (10) 76 nett; 3rd : W Flavin (14) 76 nett; Gross : J McGrath (10) 91 gross

LADIES CLUB

Ladies Open Day - The first of the Ladies Open Days for the season is scheduled to take place on Monday 13th May. This 18 hole Four Ball Better Ball competition is kindly sponsored by Dawn Meats Ltd. A timesheet is in operation - to reserve your tee-time please phone 058-44055.

Fixtures - 13 Hole Weekly Ongoing Competition. See notice board for details.

18 Hole One Day Club Competition on Sunday 5th or Monday 6th May. See notice board in the kiosk for details

18 Hole, Weekly Ongoing competition, see

DUNGARVAN GOLF

SUPERB WEEK-END FOR DERMOT WALSH WINNER OF THE McCARTHY CUP BY THREE STROKES

Golfing conditions were extremely difficult on Saturday and Sunday but that did not deter Dermot, playing off a handicap of six from producing back to back wins over both days. In tenth he was head and shoulders above anybody else in a week end he will savor. In extremely windy conditions, Dermot played brilliant golf in the McCarthy cup and was just one over par after nine holes and his only bogey was on the par 4th 6th. A back nine of 41 shots ensured that he spread-eagled the field on a day many players took early shower after the 11th. Donal Williams (3) was just 2 over after 9 and he continued to play excellent golf after the turnover. A feature of that 9 was a birdie on the Par 4 15th. John Reynolds (2) won his second gross of the weekend with a 79 gross and this player is consistency itself over a long period.

DERMOT WALSH WINS V PAR ON SATURDAY

This is a competition format we do not play very often, but it is interesting and good fun. Dermot (7) won 3 up but this score did not look on the cards after the first 9 when pars on the 2nd, 4th, 7th and 8th were offset by losses on 1,3,5 and 9 with one hole the 6th drawn. Things did not look too good following a bogie on the 10th but backto-back birdies on the 11th & 12th and a brilliant birdie on the final hole produced the score of 3 up. Tom Quinlan (12) was also level after nine and wins on 12, 14, & 17 and a loss on 15 meant he finished up 2 up and this score guaranteed second place in the competition. John Reynolds (2) won the gross and the feature of his round were birdies on the 8th and 9th and a superb eagle three on the par five 18th. Michael Flynn (5) won third prize with a score of -1

WELL DONE DAVID

We send our congratulations o our club professional David Hayes who did us proud at the Irish P.G.A championship in Westport last weekend. In horrendous conditions David shot rounds of 71, 82, 71 for the shortened 54 hole competition, proving that he was up there with the best of them. Well

MEN'S RESULTS

18 Hole Stableford Seniors Open 24.04.02 — Winner M.Foley (3) Carrick on Suir 38 pts; Cat 'A' 1st Tom Enright (16) Muskerry 36pts; 2nd M.O'Brien (16) 33 pts; Cat B 1st J.Elstead (14) 37 Pts; 2nd M.A O'Doherty (10) Youghal 36 pts; Cat C 1st K.Gloster (19) Bandon 37

pts; 2nd D.Keating (9) Clonmel 36 pts B9; Cat D 1st C.Power (18) Mallow 34 pts: 2nd M.Finnegan (19) Mahon

Open 18h Singles Stableford 25.04.02 - 1st T.Glynn (17) Waterford Castle 38 pts B9; 2nd M.Kitson (9) Gold Coast 38 pts; Gross M.Collins (1) Fermoy 34 Gross B9; 3rd Donal Williams (3) 37 pts; 4th M.O'Keefe (19) 36 pts C.S.S 36pts

18h Hole S/ford V Par 27.04.02 - 1st D. Walsh (7) 3up; 2nd T.Quinlan (12) 2 up; Gross J.Reynolds (2) 2 Down; 3rd M.Flynn (5) 1 down C.S.S 74 (- 2)

18 H.S McCarthy Cup 28.04.02 — 1st D. Walsh (6) 72 Nett; 2nd D.Williams (3) 75 nett; Gross J. Reynolds (2) 79 gross; Ml. Drummy (7) Nett; M. Leacy (5) 78 C.S.S 76 (non counting)

MENS FIXTURES

Thurs 2nd May Open 18h Singles Stableford kindly sponsored by Ulster Bank 04.05.02 18h Singles S'Ford Sun 5th May Vice Captains Prize Eugene Slater 18 Holes Singles Stroke sponsored by David Walsh)Mon 6th May Open 18h Singles sponsored by Sun Alliance Ins. Visitors €20 Member €6 Play off White markers.

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB CLASSIC: SPON-SORED BY GLANBIA

DATES: Friday 10th, Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th May 2002

OPEN 4 PERSON CLAS-SIC

Now is the time to get your team together and put your name on the timesheet so as to ensure that you will get a time suitable for the members of your team.

ENTRY FEE: €100 per team of 4.

2 scores to count on 1st Nine Holes

3 scores to count on next Six Holes 4 scores to count of last

Three Holes. Presentation of Prizes in

Clubhouse on Sunday, 12th May at 9p.m. Men's and Ladies Prizes (No Mixed Teams) Time

sneet in operation – phone 058 43310 SIXTY.COM RESULTS

22.04.02 Winner Johnny Hogan (12)

19 pts Best Lady Moyra Baumann (16) 16pts Best Gent Sean De Paor (23) 16 pts Next Competition Wednesday 1st May (Scramble) Draw for partners at 2.00p.m

HIGH HANDICAP **COMPETITION V WEST** WATERFORD

This competition is being played at 5.00 p.m on Tuesday 7th May at West Waterford Golf Club. Any member wishing to play should put their name and contact number on the timesheet in the men's locker room.

O'CONNELL CUP **FOURBALL MATCHPLAY**

The following matches to be played by the 13th May

Tom Conway & Roger O'-Connor v Tom Burke & Tony

Ml O'Connor & Chris Clancy v Cyril Power & Eamonn Spratt

George Hamilton & Anslem Hayes v Patsy Horsom & Ml Leacy Ger Enright & Dave O'Ma-

hony v Dermot Walsh & Justin Walsh John Norris & Jack Collins

v Paul O'Riordon & Paul

Michael Power & Alan Butler v Tom Stack & Tom Feer-

D. O'Niell & Pat Murphy v Pat Stack & Kevin Stack

David Dawson & M. Treacey v D. Power & J.P. Hayes

Greg Fives & Mark Fives v P.Curran and E Ryan

John Lynch & Johnny Lynch v Anthony Lynch and

D. Crowley & M. Fitzgerald v Mark Fleming & David

P. Kennedy & M. Troy v Ml. Browne & K. Sullivan J. Wemyss & S. Wade v John Gough & Tony Brady

Tony Rogers & Ml O'Mahoney v Eugene Slater & P. Finnigan

LADIES RESULTS

23.04.02 18 Hole Stroke 1st K.Buckley (38) 77 nett 2nd M.Morrissey (15) 79 pts Gross E.O'Kennedy (12) 94

27.04.02 1st B.Aherne (16) 25 pts 2nd B.O'Sullivan (29)

LADIES FIXTURES

Sat 4th May 18h Singles S'Ford Sat /Sun 4th 5th May 9 hole S'Ford

Mon 6th May Open 18h S'Ford Tues 7th May 11 S'-Ford from 3.15

BEST WISHES

Best wishes to our Senior team on Wednesday 8th May Kinsale.

JUNIOR GOLF NOTES

The return leg the Fred Daly takes place in Knocknagranagh at 4.30p.m on Friday 3rd May. We won two matches out of the five in the away leg in West Waterford Our team of Tom Stack Ian Prendergast Kevin Stack & Paul Curran are looking forward to a tough match against strong opposition

MINI LOTTO

Week ending 28.04.02. Winning Numbers: 7, 10,11, 19. Jackpot Winner: No Winner. €15 Winners: Leo Power c/o Stafford Miller, Michael Kelly, Mary Jo Lynch, c/o Finnegan John Whelan c/o Crystal, Niamh Buck, Butlerstown

Next Week's Jackpot: €5,250. Next Draw: 05/05/02

Tickets on Sale in the Clubhouse. Thank you for your support.



WATERFORD TUESDAY 23rd APRIL DARKIES PRINCE RAN A CRACKER

The James Moore owned Darkies Prince (Vintage Prince-More Air Darkie) did the layers a major turn in the seventh race on this all graded card obliging at odds of 4/1 on his way to a fastest of night victory in an excellent 28.93.Marshalls Creek 2/1, Ducky Tex 11/10, Druids Rebellino 5/1 and Bawndaw Josie 5/2 all attracted support but having his second race Darkies Pride did well to shade the first bend from Marshals Creek. Turning on the style down the back Darkies Prince eased his way clear of the pack coming home three and three quarter lengths clear of a running on Druids Rebellino.

Kielys Girl was backed into evens favourtism in the opening novice race but while Taghmon Slippy broke in front it was the Harry Boyle owned Boher Sue (Top Honcho-True Commet) 6/4 who took control of matters rounding the opening bend to shoot clear for an easy five lengths success over Dinan Breeze in 29.56

6/4 shot Miss Ellen (He Knows-Miss Seskin) made a winning debut for owner Kevin O Sullivan and trainer Declan Byrne in the second race leading all the way in a pleasing 29.36. Leasing out of traps Miss Ellen was never in any subsequent danger holding at bay the challenge of Tail Black who tasted defeat by a length and three quarters

The winner of a graded sprint Whole Truth (Toms The Best-Huggies Cry) did not go un backed obliging in 16.86.Denekas Dancer and Clondara Babe contested the early running up front but the Three Liars Syndicate owned and T Lawton trained Whole Truth 6/4 drove up the inside of this pair between the opening two bends to race on for a half a length win over a slightly unlucky in running Clondara Babe.

Only four runners went to traps for the fifth race and half the population of Enniscorthy and the surrounding areas were present to back the Deirdre Byrne owned Lifes Serene. This well bred daughter of Vintage Prince and Serene Lady went off as the _ favourite and starting well the favourite dominated from the outset cruising to an eight lengths victory over Lisheenoona Lad in a best ever 29.37

Last Quest 6/4 to 4/6 was the best supported runner in the fifth and while the favourite matched strides with Atlanta Sue (Prince Of Tinrah-Glideaway Sue) to the penultimate turn it was at this point that the Seamus Hennessy and Seamus Phelan owned Atlanta Sue asserted her superiority this 3/1 shot staying on strongly to defeat the favourite by three and a half lengths in 29.74.

The sixth contest over 300 yards saw the Rose Doherty owned Runga Ranger (Come On Ranger-Come On Dot) 6/4 make a positive break from trap four to make every post a winning one dishing out a three and three quarter lengths beating to Capel Lass in a fast 16.38.

It was back to the standard trip for the eight race in which the punters rowed in with 6/4 shot Eyes A Beatin.A number of the runners including the favourite were denied racing room early on as the greyhound drawn in trap five Tex Book darted in for the rails in the first fifty yards. The Stephen Motherway owned Light Travel (Spiral Nikita-Travelling Light) 3/1 avoided the early trouble however and cornering in front the Dungarvan entry was never going to lose out thereafter proving a length and a half to good for Eyes A Beatin in 29.50.

The Catherine Redmond trained Bigwood Tyson (Powerful Flash-Lakefield Lucy) 6/4 made maximum use of his early pace to post a well deserved 29.04 trap to line victory in the ninth race. The vastly experienced Bigwood Tyson broke like a bullet to lead from Market Flight and Brykat Chantelle and while the latter was noted doing her best work in the closing stages the tightly railing Bigwood Tyson went on to triumph by two lengths.

The six runners had six bends to contend with in the first turn the Desna Hattemore trained Southlodge Candy (Come On Ranger-South Lodge Lady) the 6/4 joint favourite with Sawmill King duly ran riot over the opposition leading early on from Ballytinrah before inflicting an eleven lengths defeat on Sawmill King in 41.70

WATERFORD SATURDAY APRIL 27th DORAS CHARM EXCELLED

Last Saturday nights well attended benefit meeting in aid of Newbawn School featured the local qualifier of the Red Mills Breeders Trial stake over the testing six bend trip of 730 yards. Dundalk track maybe closed awaiting a new stadium but Greyhound owners in County Louth still continue to race their Greyhounds around the country. One such owner is Thomas McLoughlin and his two recent ventures to Waterford yielded two victories for his good staying bitch Doras Charm (Doras Champ-Miss Clone). Contesting the final of the Red Mills Breeders Cup Trial Stake Doras Charm the 5/4 favourite glided by the front running Fill Me In out of the third bend. Once in front this lady was not going to be denied and despite a strong finish by Ballintrane Gold Doras Charm held firm to score by two and a half lengths in a fast 40.86.

The often placed Minglers Honcho (Top Honcho-Minglers Mist) owned by James Moore got off the mark in clear cut fashion taking the opening contest at odds of 6/4 in a sfift 29.34. Shooting clear of the back on the run up Minglers Honcho was in pole position throughout cruising to an easy seven lengths victory over Tokio Rhythm.

Painter Profile (Nuke Painter-Gemmas Spark) ran out a 4/1 winner for Gorey owner Deirdre Byrne in the second event leading all the way in 29.76. Well in command at the halfway point Painter Profile was forced to shake off the unwanted attention of Frisky Fancy in the closing stages with just a short head separating the pair at the winning line in favour of Painter Profile. The runner up was promptly banned from further race activity by the stewards

A winner of a 550 yard stake the previous week Blazing Nikita (Spiral Nikita-Rhincrew Chick) 3/1 displayed her versatility by switching back to two bends with the desired result scoring in 16.87.1 am sure though winning owner Kevin Barry will agree that his good money spinner was a little fortunate to collect on this occasion as she trailed the field when the whole complexion of the race altered at the first bend Ranch Crisis who was in front at that point hit the deck after losing his footing. While the chasing pack were forced to check Blazing Nikita raced through the field to win out by two lengths from Dillrock Denis in 16.87

Former Waterford Inter County Hurling net minder Jimmy Power struck in the fourth event as he sent out the relatively inexperienced Calamity Jean (Top Honcho-Quare Season) 6/4 to victory for UK owner Clifford Briggs.Lough Honcho and Calamity Jean broke in unison and despite her lack of race outings Calamity Jean was clever enough to duck back in for the rails at the entrance to the back stretch as Lough Honcho moved off the turn. A great buckle ensued between this pair with Calamity Jean proving the stronger in the closing stages by a length in 29.46.

In the fifth contest Rossa Blue 3/1 and Zip 6/4 dominated proceedings from the outset. Using his rails draw the Patrick J and Pat Maguire owned Rossa Blue (Top Honcho-Merry Bluebell) turned the first bend in front and despite the constant presence of Zip the Bernard Gould handled Rossa Blue kept on in fine style to win out by half a length. The well bred winner is a half brother to last years Aer Rianta Munster Oaks winner Bluebell

Narabane Dancer 6/4 was the choice of the punters in the fifth race but a slow start hindered this ladies chance of outright victory. Pine Gift the early leader gave way to Walter Walsh's Kellsboro Pest (Spiral Nikita-Proud Roslea) 3/1 on the back stretch and just as the leader appeared all set for an easy win Narabane Dancer finished with a flourish only to go down by half a length to Kellsboro Pest who was posting back to back victories in a career best 29.48.

In a competitive seventh race Dunkitt broke in front from trap two but on reaching the opening turn the leader was badly impeded by the rails seeking On Stage Jim. Owned by Colette and Paula Hoban 4/1 shot On Stage Jim (Mountleader Peer-Alias Stage) forged four lengths clear down the back stretch from the chasing pack. A poorly drawn Farloe Style (T6) was noted putting in his best work in the closing stages but his late rally failed by a short head to overhaul On Stage Jim who scored in 29.54.

Favourite backers chose the right one in the ninth contest with victory going to the Gerard Healy owned and Damain Quigley trained Cooly Merson (Droopys Merson-Cooly Promise) who justified odds of 5/4 in a fast 28.99. Driving into the first bend Cooly Merson did well to head a challenging Captain Mackey over the opening two bends. The strong running Cooly Merson continued staying effort by the slow starting Mars Nikita Cooly Merson went on to score by two lengths.

The "bumper" was decided over six bends which saw the Bill Doyle owned Sudden Moment (Metric Prince-Citiqueen) come from the next parish to score in 41.74. Rhiannas Rebel cut an early dash over the 5/4 favourite Peter Come On and Sparta Dick but Sudden Moment caught this trio off guard with a flying finish up the fence which carried the Model County entry to a two lengths win over Sparta Dick.

SPECIAL THANKS

Andrew and Christine Hepburn would like to thank all those customers who supported their Punters Bistro in Kilcohan Park over the last year. The Hepburns enjoyed their tenure at the track looking after all of those hungry racegoers, owners and trainers and would like to take this opportunity to wish all of their customers well for the future. Andrew and Christine are reopening Sizzlers restaurant on The Quay in Waterford City and look forward to seeing all their customers old and new in the

ST. DECLAN'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE NOTES

SCHOOLGIRLS SOCCER: UNDER 13 MUNSTER CUP FINAL

ST. DECLANS v. **COLAISTE ENNIS**

on Friday afternoon last in Ozier Park to decide the U/13 Munster Cup Champions of 2002. Ozier Park was in splendid condition, testament to the great work that grounds man Tom Murphy puts in. It was a fitting venue for an occasion such as this.

In a competitive and entertaining game, it was the challengers St. Declan's who were the better side throughout, and were thoroughly deserving winners at the final whistle.

From the very early stages of the opening half, St. Declan's seemed to be getting the upper hand. The central midfield pairing of Alice Moore and Amy McGrath were dictating things in midfield, and linked up well with Rebecca Power and the left wing and Caoimhe Downey on the right. Kerry Dunphy and Dorothy Carroll both worked tirelessly up front to create openings, and came close to scoring on numerous occasions. It was impressive goalkeeping and some timely tacklers, most notably by Irish Schools U/15 Captain Lillian O' Brien, which kept St. Declan's at bay. Colaiste Ennis themselves regularly had the ball in the St. Declan's half but could not dent the rock-solid defence of Lynn-Marie Grant, Siobhan O' Reilly, Julia Kirwan and Claire Hartley. Laura Corcoran, the St. Declan's keeper, dealt confidently with speculative long balls from midfield by Colaiste Ennis.

The Ennis team came out all guns firing in the second half. Lillian O'Brien was moved up front and within two minutes they had their one and only real chance of scoring, with O'Brien's effort going just over the bar. This was the wake-upcall the St. Declan's needed, and for the remainder of the second half they played some delightful football

Caoimhe Downey was having a 'blinder'. Her pace and skill, and the quality of her crosses into the box, were all causing havoc for the Ennis defence. Kerry Dunphy was also having her best spell in the match. Her link-up play, especially with the industrious Dorothy Carroll, was excellent, and her accurate shooting was a constant threat. It was one of these shots by Kerry Dunphy that gave St. Declan's the lead mid way through the half. The goalkeeper failed to hold the ball and it crossed the line before it could be secured. The game opened up more after that. St. Declan's were moving the ball more quickly, and the one and twotouch football played at this time was marvellous to watch. The silky skills of Alice Moore caught the eye on many occasions, and her dribbling and distribution were of the highest standard. Her team mate in midfield, Amy McGrath, was a tower of strength. Amy's abili-

St. Declan's took on defend- ty to break up opposing play ing champions Colaiste Ennis and provide effective ball distribution was invaluable. Kate Kirwan, Sarah Leahy and Sarah Corcoran all came on during the second half and continued the good work of those they replaced.

The St. Declan's defence reigned supreme in the second half, so much so that after the first five minutes of the half keeper Laura Corcoran didn't touch the ball. The central defensive pair of Lynn-Marie Grant and Siobhan O' Reilly was outstanding. Nothing got by them, and when either of them ventured forward they linked up really well and with their team mates. Julia Kirwan excelled at left back, effectively snuffing out any threats by Ennis down that wing. At right back, Claire Hartley, and later Sarah Leahy, were more than a match for their opposite number.

At the final whistle, St. Declan's had achieved a memorable victory. It was a victory based on a great team performance, and a great team spirit. They have now qualified for the All-Ireland Semi-final, and will take on the Connaught Champions within the next two weeks. With continued commitment, and a bit of luck, they have a sporting chance of becoming the first St. Declan's team in the schools history to contest an All-Ireland Final.

Panel: L. Corcoran, C. Hartley, S. O'Reilly, L.M. Grant, J. Kirwan, C. Downey, A. Moore, A. McGrath, R. Power, K. Dunphy, D. Carroll, K. Kirwan, S. Leahy, S. Corcoran, M. Power, K. Power, P. Dee

JOEY VEALE

Congratulations to Joey Veale and the Waterford U-15 Soccer team who won the U-15 Inter-County Munster title in Cork recently. A fourth year student Joey is an excellent player who has a very bright future in the game. It capped a remarkable few days for Joey who also picked up an U-18 Munster Cup winners medal as a member of the St. Declan's school

MACBETH

Our 5th year students travelled to Theatre Royal in Waterford last Friday to watch the Crooked House Theatre Company, Waterford production of 'Macbeth'. This company has an acknowledged reputation for its productions. The students remarked on some novel features. It was however, enjoyed by all.

SEACHTAIN NA GAEILGE

St. Declan's once again were positive participants in this competition and earned themselves 2nd place overall in the county. The week added energy, and spirit to the Irish experience. This can only be a positive asset for the students.

Mark Prendergast of 5th year won the overall 'Best Essay' during this week of 'Seachtain na Gaeilge'. Well done!

DUNGARYAN GREDIT UNION GYBLING NOTES

O'MAHONY CYCLES & NURSERY SUMMER SERIES

Tonight, Wednesday May 1st, sees the start of our annual O'Mahony Cycles & Nursery Summer Series. We wish to acknowledge the sponsorship given to Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club by Tony and Siobhan O'Mahony, Sexton Street, Abbeyside, for this 12-week event. You are asked to assemble at Kilrush not later than 6:45 for sign-on. It is our intention to start promptly at 7pm. Tonight's event is an individual time-trial, and the route will be Kilrush to the Welcome Inn, right by Whitechurch, left at Ballinameela cross, returning along the Bog Road, via Lauragh Cross, Carriglea, Kilmurray, and finishing with a sharp left-turn at Boreenarua. Cyclists will be let off at 30-second intervals, based on the best times from last year's Cappoquin Time Trial. Newcomers will be set off at 5-second intervals after 5 minutes. When the Series returns to this course in 4 weeks time, cyclists will be let off in the order of tonight's time.

Please note:

 Drafting is allowed Helmets are compulsory

• If you know of anyone who is interested in starting cycling, please encourage him or her to come along on the night

 Entry fee for Club Members and intending Club Members is €2 per night, or €24 as a lump sum on the first night. Entry fee €3 for members of other affiliated cycling clubs

 This series is for licenceholders only. Licences must be produced when signing-on the first night. For insurance purposes, you may not participate without a licence. Application forms will be available for those interested

• There will be three separate competitions during the twelve-week series, with prizes for the first three cyclists in each, together with an overall first prize. You may cycle in any or all competitions.

• Dates: Whitechurch competition: May 1st, May 29th and June 26th.

• Cappoquin Competition: May 15th, June 12th and July 10th

• Kilmolash Groups Competition May 8th, and every second week after that until July 17th (6 in total) We take on board many comments received in the past week regarding this route, and these will be discussed in detail at our committee meeting. Any changes that may take place will be announced as soon as possible through the notes. Watch this space.

• Points: 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3 and 2 to riders in fin-

ishing order. All finishers receive I point. Highest totals for each competition determine first, second and third prizes. Overall prize determined by adding cyclists' position in each competition. Lowest total wins.

 Apart from prizes and winning, the determination to improve on last year's times and a little local rivalry will be enough to get a large group on the road every Wednesday to improve fitness levels as the fine evenings approach.

• Care and safety on the road should be observed at all times.

 Existing members, BRING YOUR LICENCE THE FIRST NIGHT.

NEXT MONDAY

Monday May 6th from John Foley's, and every Monday thereafter, from Kilrush for a 6.30 pm start. Route: Lismore direction and back. Last Wednesday evening's Kilmolash spin passed off uneventfully, having survived the threat of heavy rain. There was a large group once again, and a lovely evening's cycling was had by one and all. Having completed four consecutive spins on this route, it has been lovely to see the increase in numbers from week to week, and many of our cyclists are now much fitter as a result. So, let's keep it going every Monday night through the summer. The route may vary slightly from week to week Liam Lynch's strong pace was noted, despite this his first group spin of the year. Lots of solo training around

Ardmore, no doubt. **SATURDAY SPINNERS**

Last Saturday's spin was made up as we went along, and despite threatening bad weather, the group had a lovely morning until about 5 miles from home, having discovered new territory beyond Tallow, uphill via Carrigeen, and along Kilcoran and Shean, before returning to familiar roads near Ballyduff. On the road were Philip Cleary, Kevin Forde, Tony Elsted, Eddie Moore, John Flynn, Ivan Power, Justin Coonan and Padraig de

SATURDAY SPINS FOR MEXI FOUR WE

May 4th: Tallow, Killeagh, Youghal. 65 miles. It's probably a year or more since you've cycled this lovely route through Dungourney and Mogeely. Enjoy the rolling hills of East Cork. Don't forget that anyone who would like to cycle for 10, 15 or 20 miles can come along with us, and divert anywhere along the route. Lots of options: Cappoquin, Lismore, or further on.

May 11th Ballymacarbery, Kilmanahan, Knocklofty. Cahir (coffee). Return via 65 miles. Clonmel.

May 18th Mystery Spin.

shorter 20-30 mile route. We have no designated route this week. There will be plenty opportunity for everyone to shout your preferred route. This spin is slightly shorter than usual, because our Club Tour (for cyclists throughout Munster) will be held on the following morning.

May 25th Carrick Clonmel. One of our favourites.

We are still taking suggestions for further leisure spin routes. Contact Kevin Forde, Philip Cleary or Eddie Moore.

TOUR OF TIPPERARY

Four club members Eddie Moore, Padraig de Burca, Ivan Power and Pat Scanlan made the journey to Clonmel last Sunday morning to take part in the Tour of Tipperary, hosted by Clonmel Cycling Club. These Club Tours bring together many leisure cyclists from most Munster clubs, including Carrick, Fermoy, Cork, Limerick, Kan-Tralee, Banteer, Killarney, Kilorglin, Ennis, and Kenmare. The organization of this event was first class, and food and beverages were provided at the half-way point and upon our return to Clonmel. Unfortunately, the weather on the day was atrocious. We had sleety showers throughout the 60-mile event, and to add to the difficulties on the bike the strong winds gusted continuously throughout. This amounted to a really tough day in the saddle. The pace was set at about 17.5 average, and with 8 miles to go, the event was opened up as a mini-race. Pride of place on this occasion went to Eddie as he was the first Dungarvan man back to base to grab the doughnuts.

If you would be interested in participating in any other Club Leisure Tours it may be possible to organize a group to cycle together. Tours to think about would include: Limerick May 26th, Carrick on the June weekend (50 miles on Saturday, 75 on Sunday and 50 on Monday), Fermoy June 30th, Carrick August 11th, Clonmel again August 18th, Carrick Sep-Check in your Cycling Ireland handbook to see if there are any others that look interesting. Perhaps we could pick two or three, and space them out over the summer. Sunday mornings, usually 10am. Refreshments and showers provided. Munster Cycling Federation is providing gold, silver and bronze medals for cyclists who participate in 10, 7 and 5 events respectively.

Meanwhile, back on home ground a solid group headed off around Ballyduff on their usual Sunday morning spin. Included were Tony Elsted,

Approx 40-50 miles, with a Francis Barry, Seamus Connolly, Vincent Feeney, Henry Crowley, Mark Flavin and Paddy Power. Wind conditions were equally tough around West Waterford, but blew the riders home with a strong tailwind.

DUNGARVAN CREDIT UNION LEISURE TOUR

Our leisure tour for 2002 will take place on Sunday May 19th. Sign-on will be at the Park Hotel from 9:15 onwards, and the spin will roll out at 10am. We are very grateful to the Flynn Family at the Park Hotel, who have put their facilities (including showers) at our disposal. We will be using our familiar route of recent years along the coast road to Bunmahon, Kill, Kilmeaden, and heading back through the village prior to turning north to Carrick, and home via Mahon Bridge and Leamybrien. Total distance 60 miles. Once again there will be a 15-mile and a 30-mile option on the turk, Lee Strand, Duhallow, day. Refreshments will be served at approx 30 miles, and again at the Park Hotel upon return. This tour was very highly commended last year, primarily because we succeeded in our aim to keep the pace to between 15 and 16 mph. Many of the regular Munster cyclists who participate in these tours have complained that some clubs allow their Club Tour to develop into a race, and we are happy to inform people that this will not happen. Remember the date...Sunday May 19th, 10am, Park Hotel

> **RING OF KERRY CHARITY TOUR**

Do you fancy cycling the famous Ring of Kerry this summer? This event is being organized for Saturday July 6th commencing at 8am. It is a charity tour, and cyclists are asked to raise funds or make a contribution on the day. It is an "ultra" event, similar to the Wicklow 200k, and is for cyclists who have long endurance capabilities. There will be a shortened route for other participants on the day. Full details of the route, the specified charity and application details will be available from the organtember 15th, and of course isers in the Kingdom within our own tour on May 19th. the next few weeks. Dungarvan Credit Union cycling club is arranging an overnight stay in Killarney on that weekend for cyclists and partners. Most likely, we will travel to Killarney on Friday night, and stay on for a social activities night on Saturday 6th upon completion of the event. Suggestions welcome. Contact any committee member. A few of our club stalwarts have participated in this event in recent years, and lived to tell the tale

RACING NEWS

Pride of place this week goes to our talented Under-

16 rider Eoin Whyte from Youghal. Competing in this category as an under-15 is a difficult task, but in Clonmel last week, young Eoin displayed his strength and talent as he finished in second place just a wheel behind the winner. Well done Eoin.

Elsewhere...An action packed weekend of racing took place in Stamullen, Co. Meath over the weekend of April 20-21st .The racing got under way on Saturday afternoon with the Brendan Carroll memorial. The race was held over 6 laps of a tough 5mile circuit. Included in the 60 starters were two of Ireland's pro riders, Ciaran Power and David O'Loughlin along with Dungarvan Credit Union rider Pat Kenealy. The break went clear on the first lap and included the 2 pro riders. Half way through another small group moved clear of the bunch also. The race was won by Ciaran Power with Pat Kenealy coming home 16th.

The following day 7 races were held in the village catering for all categories. The Joey White

memorial was held over 6 laps of a 12-mile circuit that included a long steep climb on each lap. The circuit is to be used later in the year for the National Championships. A lot of the countries top riders took part, keen to race on the championship circuit. Dungarvan was again represented by Pat Kenealy. A break went clear on the first lap but it wasn't until the second lap that the 2 pros in the race made their moves and went clear, only Paul Griffen from Tralee could go with them. Behind, the race split under the pressure of the chase and all the climbing. Heading out on the last lap Pat Kenealy was well placed in the second group after the break but last time up the main climb the pace proved too much and he drifted back to the remains of the bunch. Ciaran Power won again to record a fine double. Pat Kenealy came in just behind the bunch doing well to finish such a tough race where less than half the field finished. This kind of racing is just right as he prepares for the

Also in action on Sunday in the Dungarvan Credit Union colours was Henry Crowley. The Pat Howard memorial was held over 4 laps of the same circuit. The race more or less stayed together until the end except for a small group that opened a gap coming into the finish. The race was won by Paudie O' Brien from Kanturk, while Henry Crowley finished safely in the main bunch.

FBD Milk Ras next month.

THE BALLYRAFTER CENTRE LTD. LISMORE

As expected the Spring Showjumping League Finals at the Ballyrafter Centre, Lismore provided a rare opportunity to see a host of stars in action. The Finals were once more a wonderful spectacle and despite the two-year break caused by FMD last year were straight back on form and not for a long time has so much promising talent been on view, both human and equine.

Every class was without exception a thriller and these coveted titles were fought out over the week-end in spectacular fashion. In the end the scene-stealers were Shane Breen taking the River Action Restaurant 5 Year Old and then the 1.30m Finals and one of the main highlights was watching Robert Splaine relegate his son Robbie to second place in the fascinating Cork Tack Room 1.20m Championship. Brothers Tholm and Stevie Keane had no rivalry in their household as they took a Final each, Stevie winning the superb Dungarvan Observer Starters Final and Tholm took the Kedrah House Stud 4 year-old Championship with Ronan Tynan's "Bootylicious". Jacinta Power returned to successfully defend her 2000 Sports Riders title and John Dunford kept the local riders to the fore in the Leisure Rider Final. Danish girl Andrea Masson, based in Kilkenny added an international touch when winning the 1.00m final and Richie Moloney who had been sponsored on his trip to the Spanish Sunshine Tour by Red Mills earlier in the year very appropriately won the feature €1,000 Red Mills 1.10m Championship.

Sunday's sunshine brought its own magic to the occasion and from the outset these championships promised compulsive viewing. 63 horses went to post for the Red Mills showdown with half this number successfully jumping the colourful and demanding course, including a shark in the water tray. However for the third round jump-off this was reduced to a more manageable 15. From fifth draw Richie Moloney rode his brother Eddie's "Jumbo Flight" with perfect judgement and 37.42 proved unbeatable. Robert Splaine came closest with Ronan Murphy's "Cavalier" mare "Royale Girl" in 39.86 and Eddie Moloney himself rode Joe O'Connell's Kiltorcan Rennie"

into third in 40.37.

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BALLYDUFF CARDS RESULTS

April 17th

1st Michael and Sarah Tobin. 2nd Maud Sheehan and Mary Hyland. 3rd Billand Bridie Flanagan. Lucky Tables: Pad Walsh and Tom Nugent. Dave Walsh and Maura Lindsay, Kit Scanlon and Dan Howard.

Raffle:

Tom Brunnock, Jackie Houlihan, Mary Fitzgerald, Mary Morrissey, Tom Nugent, and Tom Byrnes.

April 24th

1st Maura Lindsay and Dave Walsh. 2nd Stephen Cunningham and Johnny Pender.

3rd Sean Griffin and Mick Morrissey, Tom and Margaret Ryan, Maureen Magnier and Peg Shanahan, Cassie Hyland and Mikey Fennessey, Larry Byrnes and Jim Leamy, Rita Leamy and Mae Higgins.

Lucky Tables: Sean Griffin and Mick Morrissey, Tom and Mgt. Ryan, Cassie Hyland and Mikey Fennessey, Mary Ellen Geary and Lizzie Keane.

Raffle: Mary Fitzgerald, Mickey Barry, Michael Whelan, Stephen Cunningham, Tom Brunnock, Nellie Bracket, Bridget Murray, Mary Morrissey & Esther

Walsh.

This was the last game of the season, we would like to thank all our patrons for their support throughout the year and look forward to seeing you all back in the Autumn please God.

BALLYDUFF WALKING CLUB

On Friday 19th of April Ballyduff Walking Club headed for Allihies on the Beara Peninsula for our long awaited week-end break.

Twenty three walkers in total travelled to West Cork by car, making various stops enroute in such places as Beal Na Blath, Glengarriff, and also at the select Adrigole craft shop where some pricey purchases were made.!!

Even though the weather was not in our favour, spirits were high and boots were ready, with all determined to enjoy the Holiday.

ning an All-Ireland Colleges Camogie with Loretto, Fermoy on Saturday week last and to Stephen Molumphy, Marian Terrace who was an

On Saturday we did a sixteen mile walk which consisted of road and rough terrain, taking us in a circuitous route via Crow Head, Dursey and Garnish Point. Afterwards we enjoyed a wonderful meal and social evening locally.

Sunday, we took the ferry from Castletownbere to Bear Island where we did a six mile walk around the historic island. Some of the group, being of a mild disposition, cut this route short and returned to the local village of Rerrin. Meanwhile a core group of stalwarts, worthy of any polar expedition trav-

elled on braving the ferocious Atlantic conditions and lunched together, huddled in an abandoned Martello Tower overlooking the Western reaches of this outcrop of civilisation.

We would like to say a special word of thanks to Paddy Crowley who acted as guide for the weekend, Ann and Katie who organised the trip, and also those who did most of the Kitchen Duty for breakfasts, Jacqui, Jim, Marian, Dick and Fr. Cullinan.

Next walk will be Sunday next May 5th, when weather permitting we will go to the Knockmealdowns. Boots are essential for this walk, meeting at Ballyrafter at 1 pm.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to Eileen Casey, Toor, Ballyduff on the death of her mother Eileen Hegarty, Ballynoe and to Justin Flynn, Glencairn on the death of her father Florence McCarthy, Lismore. May they rest in peace.

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

On Sunday next, the Waterford and Lismore Pilgrimage to Knock is taking place and tickets can be booked at O'-Gorman's Newsagents, Lismore.

HOLY COMMUNION

A total of eighteen children from the local National School, will receive the Sacrament of Communion in St. Michael's Church on Saturday May 11th at 11 am with Rev. Fr. Ml. Cullinan P.P. presiding.

Dave Barry. The team have played two league games winning both and also played a number of challenge games. We wish the team the best of luck. The next Senior Hurling league game is away

LOCAL SUCCESS

Congratulations to local horse trainer Pat O'Connor on his success at Clonmel on Sunday last when "Pretty Young Thing" owned by June Bolger, Conna whose husband Dermot hails from Ballyduff won the Clonmel Hunters Chase at a price of 8/1.

ALL IRELAND MEDAL WINNERS ON THE DOUBLE

Congratulations to Mairead Finn, Ballinalukena on winning an All-Ireland Colleges Camogie with Loretto, Fermoy on Saturday week last and to Stephen Molumphy, Marian Terrace who was an All-Ireland Colleges Hurling Medal with St. Colman's, Fermoy on Sunday last - his second in a row.

BALLYDUFF PIONEER CENTRE NOTES

On this Friday night, May 3rd the local centre will hold a Presentation of Golf and Silver pins during a special Mass in St. Michael's Church commencing at 8.00 pm. The chief celebrant will be Rev. Fr. Kevin Mulcahy P.P., Lismore and formerly of Ballyduff and Spiritual Director of the Pioneer Association in the Region. A total of thirty seven people will be receiving presentations on the night

which is a very big number and one of the large presentation ceremonies the centre has had.

A social evening will follow in St. Michael's Hall to which all are invited. The Pioneer outing to Knock will take place on Sunday July 31st.

BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY GAMES

The Munster Area finals of the Girls Indoor Soccer Competition will take place in Limerick on Saturday July 13th. The local area Athletic Finals will take place in mid May on a date to be finalised. Full details next week.

BALLYDUFF ADULT GAA CLUB NOTES

The Senior hurlers will play Ballyduff Lower in the opening round of the championship on this Thursday night in Fraher Field, Dungarvan at 7.00 pm. This is a very important game for the club having been involved in a relegation battle last season to retain senior status. Victory on Thursday night would ease all those worries as well as securing a place in the championship quarter finals. The players have put in a big effort under team trainer Mossy Casey and his fellow selectors, Seamie Daly and Dave Barry. The team have played two league games winning both and also played a number of challenge games. We wish the team the best of luck. The next Senior to Tallow on Saturday May 11th. The minor hurlers open their championship campaign on Wednesday next, May 8th when they play Dungarvan in Cappoquin at 7.00 pm. While on the following Wednesday they play Fourmilewater at the same venue.

Congratulations to Stephen Molumphy on winning an All-Ireland Colleges S.H. medal with St. Colman's, Fermoy (his second) on Sunday last and to Mairead Finn on winning an All-Ireland Colleges Camogie medal with Lorretto, Fermoy recently. The Adult Footballers will open their divisional league campaign on this Saturday evening when they host Dungarvan in the field at 7.15 pm.

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The other fixtures in the group are Sunday May 19th at 11.30 am. Home v Clashmore; Friday May 24th 7.30 pm away v Tallow. The Junior hurlers will open their league campaign at home to Tourin on Sunday May 12th at 11.30 am while they entertain Geraldine's on Friday May 31st at 7.30 pm. The other team in the group is Ardmore.

Congratulations to Tom
Feeney on being awarded the
TG4 Man of the Match
award in the recent Waterford/Clare National Hurling
league tie. Stephen
Molumphy played on the
Waterford Minor Hurling
team which drew with Cork
on Wednesday night last in
Walsh Park. The club would

like to extend sympathy to
Eileen Casey, Ml. Horgan,
Tim Cogan, Biddy Quirke
and Justine Flynn on recent
family bereavements.

and capable hands of Maura
O'Keeffe. We have enjoyed
their company enormously
and on behalf of Paul and all
committee members we

The numbers drawn in last Tuesday nights lotto draw were 2-4-27. There was nowinner of the 4,300 jackpot. The 30 euro prizewinners were Casey Brothers, Ballygally, Glencairn; Lorraine Flynn, Aglish, Glencairn and Gerome Feeney, Garrynagoul, Ballyduff. Next weeks lotto draw on Tuesday night in Lindsey's Bar at 10.00 pm.

BUTTERFLIES PLAYGROUP

It is almost that time of year again when the summer holidays are looming on the horizon and thoughts of long sunny days stretching endlessly before us capture our imaginations and gladden our hearts. It is also that time, as we approach the end of our very first year when we turn our attention to our toddlers in Butterflies Community Playgroup. A year, which we are delighted to report, has been a remarkable success to date. Happily, some of our vounger butterflies will be returning to us in September next, however the older butterflies will be spreading their little wings in June and moving across the bridge to St. Michael's National School. They will be leaving the kind and capable hands of Paula Connolly only to be

O'Keeffe. We have enjoyed their company enormously and on behalf of Paul and all committee members we would like to take this opportunity to wish them well in their first year of "big school". In order to build upon the successes of this year and provide the same excellent service for the year September 2002 - June 2003 we are now actively planning our projections for that period. Should you wish to enroll your child next September or if you know of someone who is interested in doing so. please contact Jean Hoffman (058-60967) before the 31st May 2002 as a correct estimate of numbers is vital at this stage for the continued success and proper planning of Butterflies Community Playgroup. We look forward to hearing from you and trust we can count on your continued support. Back again in June with further up-dates.

BALLYDUFF FÖROIGE NOTES

On Sunday morning all members and leaders took part in an environmentally friendly fund raising "litter pick up" walk. The members and leaders walked all entry roads to end from the village picking up litter on their way. On behalf of the Foroige Club I would like to thank everybody for taking part on such a wet and cold day, and for all the people who sponsored us. Well done everybody!

Easter Chick Appeal



Pupils of Ballycurrane N.S. presenting Easter Eggs to Chernobyl Aid Ireland (Youghal Branch) from proceeds of their Lenten Auction for the Easter Chick Appeal. Included in picture are members of CAI and teachers, Mrs. Rosemary O'Halloran (Principal) and Mrs. Mairead Power. From the sale of these chicks we hope to provide a chicken house for the children in the Orphanage in Cernobyl. Well done to the children and teachers of Ballycurrane NS for their generosity.

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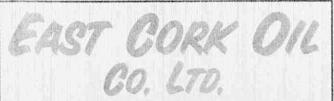
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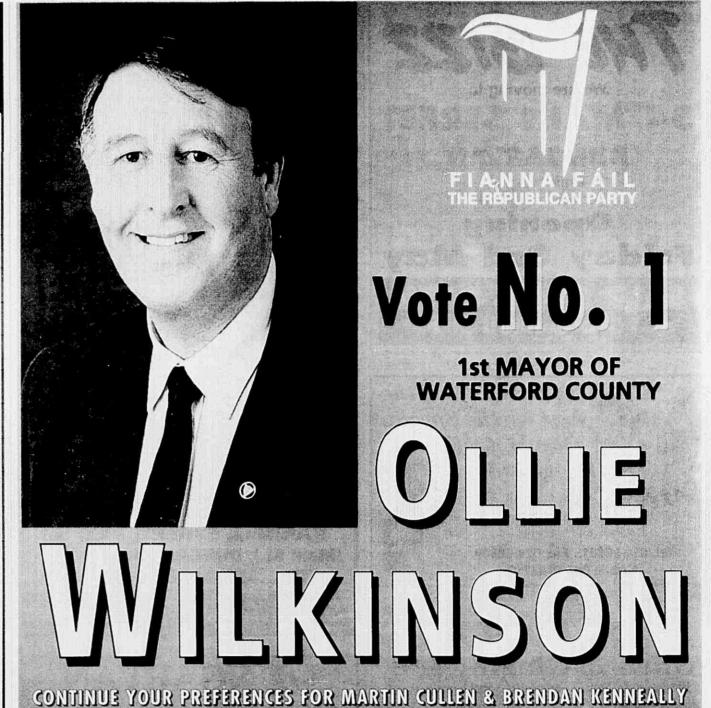
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NEWS FROM KIRWANS

Last week bonus lotto was won by Tom Kirwan and Nelly Sullivan. Last weeks winners were Monty Guiry and Jimmy Mulcahy.

A NIGHT TO

REMEMBER On Thursday night last the 25th April the Gaelach Gorm Drama Youth Performance Night took place in the Community Centre. Presented by the 6 to 7 year olds All Aboard the Ark, Annie was presented by the 8-9 year olds, Excerpts from Oliver were presented by the 10-11 year olds and finally Snow white Special was presented by the 12-16 year olds. The children that took part in all aboard the Ark were Michael Harney, Luke Philps, Leah Sanford, Nicholas Halley, Catherine Hearne, Morris Coffey, Yvonne Cheasty. Abbie Walsh, Nathan Condon, Niamh Sweeny, Sean Condon, Laura Coffey, Laura Dunphy, Katie Crowley, Walter Cullinan, Ashling Willins, Hannah Hayes, Celine Casey, Mairead O' Meara, Sarah Dwan, Laura Whelan, Teddy Kelly and Alicia Clooney. Following All Aboard the Ark was the play Annie and the children

that took part are as follows; plays were performed with all new light show is not to Emma Galvin, Yvonne Bloomer, William Harney, Bridget Cheasty, Damien Murray, Mary Cheasty, Ben Clooney, Shauna Murray. Sarah Fitzgerald, Anita Veale, Kieran Dunphy. Patrick Dwan, John Gaul, Kate Boland, Nichola Boland, Edel Roche, Ashley Mulcahy, Claire Doyle, Orla Fitzgerald and following this Excerpts from Oliver, The children that took part are as follows; John Whelan, Bill Gaule, Hughie Corbett, Richard Crowley, Ben Gallagher, Ciaran Hearne, Robert Power, Denise Cheasty, Kate Mulhall, Dawn Prendergast, Tina Mulcahy, Diana Murphy, Natalie Brown and Michaela Brown. Following this was the Snow White Special, the children that took part are as follows; Orla Eustace, James Barry, Martin Carroll, Kate McHatton, Sarah Flynn, Mary Claire McHatton, Grainne Guiry, Emily McHatton, Marie Torpey, Linda Murphy, Mary Louise Murray, Elanoir Daly Walshe, Laoighise Daly Walsh, Aisling Blundell and Ciara Murray.

Overall performances on the night were just super. All

great expertise, a credit to all their mentors. A special word of thanks should go to James Barry who made all the props for the four plays. Costumes were put together by Angela Mulcahy, Gretta Whelan, Sandra McKenna. Nuala Kirwan, Kathleen Casey, Louise Mullane, Clair McGrath, Carmel Mulhall. Again all the costumes were a credit to these people. Sound on the night was provided by Peter Fitzgerald and he was helped by his DJ Sammy. Thursday nights performance will conclude this years acitivites for the Gealach Gorm Group until next September. No doubt we will see new happenings and new beginnings as the Drama group goes from strength to strength each year. And finally thanks to all the parents and friends that turned up to support the youth drama on Thursday night. Just to wish Angela and her friends a good break

DISCO

until September.

The next disco will take place in three weeks time on the 18th May. Doors open at 8:30pm. Admission 5 Euro. Please come early as a large crowd is expected. And our be missed as it was on trial at the last Disco.

CHRYSALIS **CREATIONS**

Is the name of the company the artists Ruth Aherne and Maeve Tumulty are involved with. Ruth is a local girl from Rathquague and the eldest daughter of Mick and Margaret Ahearne. On viewing some of their paintings which can be seen on the walls of the Grand Hotel Tramore, one could only say that this duo will certainly make a great name for themselves. It is nice to see young people having a go themselves. This pair will create you Mosaics, Murals, Textiles, Paint Effects, Sign Writing, Original writing and Sculpture as well as commercial and domestic and by the way heights are no bother to them as I have seen them myself climb 2 piece ladders. Maeve can be contacted on 087-9056925 and Ruth can be contacted on 087-2942281. If you have any of the above work to be done why not give the girls a call as they are only starting out. Remember their work can be seen on the exterior frontage of the Grand Hotel, Tramore. Well done girls.

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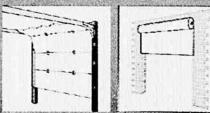
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