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Businesses Fear Being "Landlocked" By New Development

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group of businesses on O'Connell Street have lodged an appeal against the granting of planning permission for a mixed-use development on part of the former Glanbia site.

The development includes two blocks of buildings that had been part of the original multi-million euro retail centre plans, but which were not per-

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mitted to go-ahead with the rest of the development by An Bord Pleanala earlier this year.

It includes the demolition of 6,7 and 8 O'Connell Street, and the construction of ground floor retail units, and overhead apartments and office units.

Dungarvan Town Council had granted Shane Houlihan, The Pike, Dungarvan approval to proceed with work on revised plans with twelve conditions attached last month.

But, at least four businesses launched an appeal, claiming it will prevent them from opening up land to the rear of their premises and from benefiting from future retail opportunities.

In an objection lodged on the 6th of October, the four businesses state that preventing them from opening back onto the former Glanbia site is a material contravention of the Dungaryan Town Developmen: Plan.

Their objection says An Bord Pleanala's ruling earlier this year, which granted permission for the Clancy Construction shopping centre to go-ahead, ruled against the demolition of the three O'Connell Street buildings, and pointed out that the buildings are in an area of architectural conservation.

The detailed objections also state that the submitted plans are misleading, and there are no designated parking spaces for the residents and businesses of the mixed-use develop-

But the most contentious aspect is the lack of access the present businesses will have to

the Glanbia site. "There would neither be pedestrian, vehicular or emergency services access to the rear (of their property)," the appeal submitted on behalf of the businesses by J. P. Gordon Solicitors says.

'No account whatsoever has been taken of this situation by the Local Authority in deciding to grant permission...", it claims. And, it further claims that the planning authority has failed to abide by its statutory responsibility in this regard.

The objection adds that this failure is both a material contravention, and unlawful.

Speaking to the Dungarvan Leader, Cllr. Michael O'Riordan (Indp) urged An Bord Pleanala to begin their deliberations on the appeal soon.

"Once again it is an attempt **CONTINUED ON PAGE 21**



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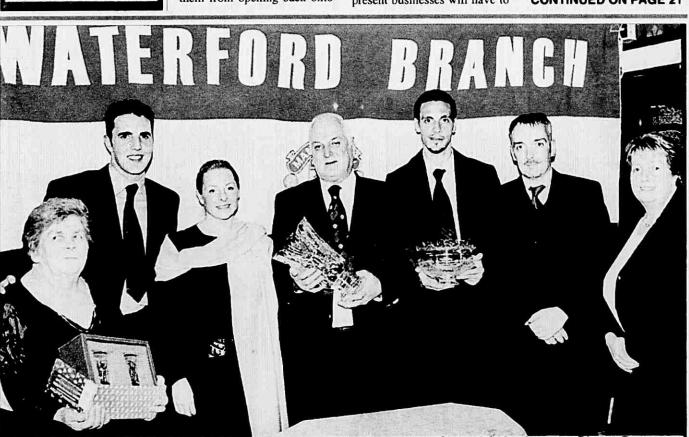
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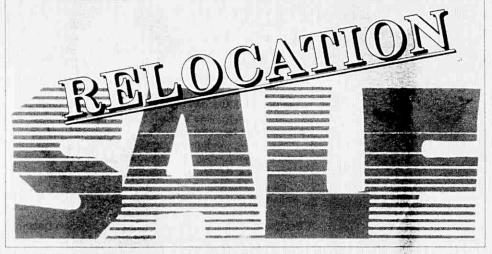
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JUNIOR PAGE VOLCANOES

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THERE ARE HUNDREDS OF ACTIVE VOLCANOES ON EARTH

There are around 1,300 active volcanoes on earth. The most violent eruptions happen where two of the earth's plates collide. Pressure builds up until liquid rock, called magma, bursts out of a mountain as lava, or explodes into clouds of dust and lava bombs. Some volcanoes blast holes in mountainsides. Others, like those on the Hawaiian Islands, burst out as 'mantle plumes' through cracks in the ground. Some volcanoes remain dormant (inactive) for hundreds of years before they erupt. When a volcano stops erupting altogether, it becomes extinct.

VOLCANOES HAVE DIFFERENT SHAPES

The shape of a volcano depends on how it erupts and the kind of lava that spreads into a low shield shape. Others shoot out sticky lava that builds up into a steep cone. When magma cools to form a plug in a dormant volcano, the rocky plug can last long after the rest of the volcano has worn away. The Devil's Tower in Wyoming, USA, and the Sugar Loaf Mountain in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil de Janeiro, are both the remains of volcanoes.

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The word 'volcano' comes from Vulcan, the Roman of fire.
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Preparation: 3 hours Cooking: 25 mins Ingredients (Serves 4) 1.5kg chicken pieces 2 onions, finely chopped

50ml oil 1 x 5ml sp dried thyme

1 bay leaf 1/2 x 5ml sp paprika freshly ground black pepper

4 small courgettes 4 small tomatoes

REMOVE skin and bone from chicken pieces, using a small sharp knife. Cut meat into 2cm pieces. Place in a bowl with onions, oil, thyme, crumbled bay leaf, paprika, salt and pepper. Wash courgettes, trim ends and cut into 1cm pieces. Add to marinade and marinate for two to three hours.

Preheat grill. Drain chicken and courgettes, reserving marinade.

Peel tomatoes and cut in half, remove the seeds. Thread pieces of tomato, alternatively onto four skewers, dividing ingredients evenly between them. Grill for 20 minutes or until

Place on grill rack, brush liberally with marinade. Sprinkle with a little paprika.

chicken is well cooked. lowering heat to moderate after five minutes and turning skewers to cook evenly.



Mussel in on this **Moules Mariniere**

of this recipe for mussels but this is the easiest to prepare.

Preparation: 30 mins Cooking: 10 mins

Ingredients (Serves 4) 4 pints mussels 1 small onion

3-4 x 15ml sp dry white wine 25g butter

1 x 5ml sp plain flour

1 x 5ml sp chopped parsley WASH the mussels in cold water, scrub shells and rinse to remove all grit. Pull away the beards. Discard any mussels with broken shells and any which remain open when tapped.

Thoroughly butter the inside of a large saucepan. Peel

THERE are several versions and finely chop the onion put in saucepan with wine. Place all mussels in the pan at once and cover with a lid. Cook over high heat and shake pan for three to five minutes until all the mussels have opened.

Take pan from the heat and lift out the mussels, discarding any that have not opened. Remove the empty half shell from each mussel and place the other half with the mussel attached in individual soup plates. Keep

Cream butter and flour together and blend into the liquid in pan. Stir the sauce over a low

heat until it has thickened and is boiling. Add the parsley and pour over the mussels. Serve at once.

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Marrow casserole -firm and tasty

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Preparation: 10 mins Cooking: 30 mins

Ingredients (Serves 4-6)

1 young marrow 50 g butter 2 tx 15ml sp mixed fresh herbs - tarragon, mint, parsley and chives Salt and black pepper

Method CUT the marrow into 2.5cm thick slices.

Peel and cut them into rough chunks, discarding all the seeds as you do

Butter an oven proof dish thoroughly.

Add the marrow with the remaining butter cut into small knobs and sprinkle it with the mixture of fresh, finely chopped herbs.

Season with salt and freshly ground pepper. Cover the dish with a lid or foil and bake it in the centre of a preheated oven at approximately 180°C until just tender after about 30 mins. Be careful not to overcook. Serve the marrow at once, straight from the

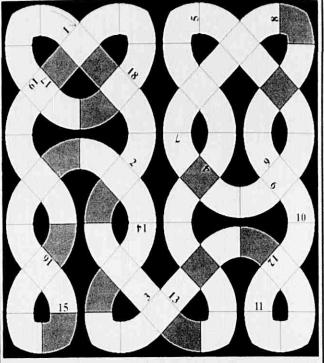
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SOLUTIONS ON PAGE 2



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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.



Continent (6)

2 Fruits of the oak (6)

3 Situated just below the treeline

in mountainous regions (9) 4 Mysterious person - riddle (6) 5 Lasso pet (anag.) - twelve? (8)

6 Period of unrestrained activity 7 Alcoholic drink - ovum? (3-3)

8 Free of charge (6)

9 1571/2° from north - but which way? (1,1,1)

0 Coward, milksop (4)

1 Light splitter - Dark Side of the Moon? (5)

2 TV plasticine character (5)

13 Old man (7)

14 Two little - subjects of a nursery rhyme (5,5)

15 Film starring Keanu Reeves and Sandra Bullock (5)

16 Handouffs - annual horse races?

17 Feel pain or punishment (6)

18 Irritates (5)

19 Long heroic story (4)

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Late Donal Flynn

It is difficult to express in mere words the sense of loss felt by so many people throughout the length and breath of county Waterford and beyond at the news last week of the untimely death of Donal Flynn, coowner of the Park Hotel, Dungarvan.

Donal, who would have celebrated his 40th birthday on December 3rd. passed away peacefully at his residence at Shandon on Tuesday night, October 21st in the loving care and company of his wife Evie and other family members.

Everyone knew for some time past that Donal had been losing his fight against Cancer, a fight he even took to a top New York clinic. But the remarkably courageous way he fought that fight made him a

shining example to one and all and added even more to the respect and admiration people in their countless thousands had Donal will be sorely missed, as near to irreplaceable in fact

as makes no difference. But he will never be forgotten by those privileged to have known him and shared his delightful company over the years. The funeral tributes were immense, the congregations among

the largest ever seen in the county. For his Requiem Mass and burial last Thursday, every walk of life was represented in a strikingly poignant farewell to a much loved young man. That representative attendance included former Taoiseach Albert Reynolds, a long time friend of the Flynn family.

To Donal's wife Evie, to his mother Dottie, his brothers John, Alan, Niall and Pierce and his extended family, our sin-

cere sympathy is extended. A full obituary will be carried in next week's edition. D.V.

Campaign seeks to raise public awareness about medicine use

Up to 50% of the patients do not take their medicines as prescribed and one third to a half of all medicines dispensed are wasted through incorrect usage according to the Irish Pharmaceutical Union (IPU). the representative body for pharmacists in Ireland. The IPU is today launching a public information campaign to encourage greater awareness of the correct use of medicines amongst the general public.

The campaign - Ask About Your Medicines - is being supported by Mari Mina Pharmacy in Lismore. As part of the campaign, patients are being encouraged to use the pharmacist as a source of expert advice on medicines and to highlight any concerns or fears that they may have about taking their medicines.

Speaking today, Bernard Leddy of Mari Mina Pharmacy said that members of the public often stop taking essential medicines because they may not understand fully why they were prescribed the medicines to actly as explained on the label begin with and they often have fears and concerns over possible side effects caused by the medication; "this campaign will reinforce the vital checked with the pharmacist role played by pharmacists as the experts in medicines who ensure that patients get the right medicine, in the right dose, at the right time and in the right way. By empowering patients to ask about and take responsibility for their medication they are likely to get a greater therapeutic benefit from their medicines.

As part of the campaign, participating pharmacists will provide customers with leaflets advising them of the questions they should ask when having a prescription completed while at the same time encouraging them to check the variety of medicines they might have at home and their continued suitability for use. *Key advice on medicines man-

pharmacist: Who it is for - if it for a child, state the age o What the symptoms are o How long the symptoms have been present o What treatment, if any, has been tried already o What other medicines - over-the-counter products herbal medicines, vitamins or food supplements - are being taken for any other ailment o If you suffer from any underlying medical condition o If the patient is pregnant or breastfeeding o If the patient is sensitive or allergic to aspirin or any other medicines.

Before using a medicine: Read the label carefully. It tells you WHO the medicine is for; WHAT it is for; HOW MUCH to take; WHEN to take it; and HOW to take it o Check the expiry date. If you have had the medicine in your cupboard for some time and think it might be too old, speak to the pharmacist

When using a medicine: Use it ex-

• Don't try to crush or dissolve tablets or break up capsules, unless it is stated on the label or you have

• For liquid medicines, always use a special 5ml measure - not a teaspoon o Pay attention to special warnings. For example, if the tablets could make you drowsy, don't drive.

Remember: Store medicine in a cool, dry place, safely locked away from children o If you are not better in two or three days, go to your doc-

 If you are in any doubt about which medicine to choose or how to use it ask your pharmacist

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MUSEUM NOTES

Museum Announces
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Exhibition

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Dungarvan Museum has organised an exhibition of photos of the troop. The Melvin is the national competition for scouts in Ireland and Abbeysides victory in 1953 heralded an unprecedented 4-year period during which Abbeyside dominated the competition. The photos in the exhibition cover 1931 to 1988. If you or a member of your family were a member of the troop during this time the chances are that they will be featured in this exhibition. The exhibition will be open to the public from 7 p.m. on Friday November 7th.

Book Sale:

We urgently need your unwanted books for our book sale, which we are holding on November 7th 8th & 9th to help fund our Museum. We are looking for all types of books. We would be most

grateful if you could drop them into us at the Museum as soon as possible.

Membership.

Membership fee is €12.70. It can be paid at the Museum. New members are welcome.

19th century Waterford Churches:

(1) Aglish. According to Canon Power, Aglish Church was built by the Rev. John O'Meara in 1856 and replaced a smaller church on that site. Canon Power noted that the new church was without any pretensions to architectural beauty". The builder and contractor was a Mr. Sheehan of Modeligo. There appears to have been no architect as such. The church accommodated about 800 people. Canon Power remarked that there appeared to be no gravestones dated before 1900. It is to be feared that at the erection of the present church, any tombstones, which came in the way of the builder, received rough treatment. Even the flag, which points out the spot where the ashes of Father Roche lie, is half covered by the sanctuary railing. Flags bearing inscriptions, which are now illegible, have been put down at the entrance, to serve as threshold stones". The Father Roche referred to was the Rev. J. Roche who lived at Coolahest. He was P.P. in 1808 and died in 1840. Rev. John O'Meara the builder of the church became P.P. in 1840. He had been curate in Tallow and at St. John's, Waterford. While in Waterford he had taken an active part in the Stuart Election. He died in 1870 and was succeeded by Rev. Garrett Long from Clashmore.

(2) Ballinameela. Father William Moran, began this church in the late 18th century replacing an earlier thatched church. Among the subscribers to the building fund were the Duke of Devonshire £25, John Ó'Dell £5, and the Rev. Francis M. Newport £5. The plan is cruciform with seating for about 800 people. One of the Chalices is dated 1749 and was presented by Edmund Cashman. There is a date stone on the front of the building to the left of the entrance door.

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Wedding of Sheila O'Gorman, eldest daughter of Michael and Dolores O'Gorman, Carrignagour, Lismore and John McGrath, son of Jack and Essie McGrath, Castletroy, Co. Limerick, who were married recently in Lisvernane Church, Glen of Aherlow. Fr. Joe Tynan, C.C. officiated, assisted by Fr. Bob Arthur, C.C. Cappoquin. Reception was held in Aherlow House Hotel. Bridal party shows John Doherty, John McGrath, Sheila O'Gorman, Barbara McGrath, Pauline O'Gorman, Martin O'Gorman, Saoirse O'Gorman (flowergirl).

orts Broadcaster **Year Award** isin Landan

Educated in Grange N.S and Saint Augustine's college Abbeyside, Oisin has been working in RedFM since its start up in January of 2002 just eight days short of his 21st birthday. Since then he's produced/ presented RedFM's weekend sports show "Trevor Welch's Big Red Bench" which last year received a prestigious national P.P.I Radio award f This year however saw the crowning glory with the former WLRFM sports correspondent taking the prize of sports broadcaster of the year beating such competition as Michael Corcoran of RTE and Paul Collins of Today FM.

The award is held in high esteem given that last year it was won by RTE's Micheal O'Muircheartaigh.

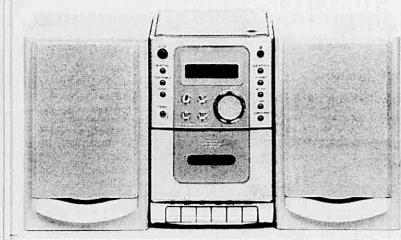


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This week marks the release of a new three track promotional EP from Villierstown native, Paddy O'Brien. The three songs, "Sarah's Eyes", "Love Me Once Again" and The Great Snowman," are taken from his new sixteen-track album. The album entitled "Footsteps" will be in good record shops from Monday 24th of November

With something to suit everyone, this album will once again show the wonderful versatility in Paddy's singing voice.

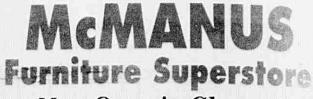
Songs like "I'll Go Stepping Too," "On the Otherhand," "Helen's Arms," "Mama's Rocking Chair," "Tougher Than The Rest" just to name a few, are all sung in Paddy's own unique style and are sure to have you wanting to hear them over and over again.

One of Ireland's most successful singing stars, he has fourteen albums released to date. Those include many hits like "Never Grow Old" "Out of California" "Banks of Jordan" "Sunnyside" "Molly Darling" in Ireland, Europe, America and Australia. Not forgetting of course "Good Morning Memories," which, reached the number 3 slot in the INDIE Charts based in Nashville.

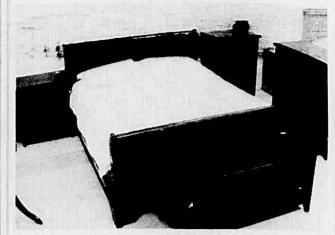
To date, Paddy O'Brien has received many major awards and has appeared on numerous TV shows on RTE, UTV, BBC, SKY & TG4.

Don't forget Paddy's new 16 track album "Footsteps" will be in all major record shops from Monday 24th of November.

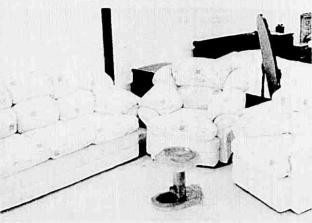
To find out lots more about Paddy including recordings, gig guide, venues etc; check him out on www.paddyobrien.sageweb.co.uk



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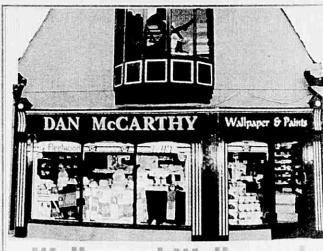
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ARIES Mar 21 to April 20

it easier to understand the mood swings of those nearest and dearest. The week will prove progressive if you are clear ty to communicate your ideas but others about what you want. Obstacles are removed and it is up to you to push ahead. What are you waiting for? He who hesitates is lost. Creative abilities are at applying pressure will back fire. The way a high and you feel more confident about expressing them Phone 1550-920-257 over indulge! Telephone 1550-920-258 for details. **1550-920-257**



Experiencing a higher sensitivity, you find Eliminate unnecessary elements from your life and make way for positive and progressive change. You have the abilimay not wish to understand. Avoid imposing plans or enforcing methods. Use your powers of persuasion, as to your heart is with chocolate but don't for a full analysis. **= 1550-920-258**

GEMINI May 22 to June 21

You have to see the funny side of matters. This week, in work or business, watch for new opportunities. Explore all your options carefully and don't overlook important details. Expect to receive some important feedback. At last you feel that you are on the right track. Telephone 1550-920-259 for more

on love and luck. - 1550-920-259



It is time to let go of what is no longer things. Take a light hearted approach needed. Clear out clutter and clean up and let others be up tight over minor your act. Financially, deal with facts and figures rather than hearsay. In work or business, expect some good news. In love, be excited about new developments. You have reached an important cross-roads and significant decisions must now be made. Home is where the heart is. Phone 1550-920-260 for details. **# 1550-920-260**



LEO July 23 to Aug 22

Someone close is showing all the signs of ruthless ambition but pride comes before a fall. You enjoy being in the company of others but at the moment, you are feeling a little crowded. Others are infringing on your need for independent thought and action. Take some space. It is time to be honest about what you really need. Finances improve with effort. Phone 1550-920-261 for a detailed

☎ 1550-920-261 SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 to Dec 23

Someone will be a glutton for punishment before they see the common sense of a situation. Keep smiling, especially if you are looking for love. If unattached, make friends. That playmate could turn out to be the perfect partner. If attached, have fun with your other half and avoid being too serious. Share pastimes and interests. Telephone 1550-920-265 for an in depth **# 1550-920-265**

VIRGO Aug 23 to Sept 22

You are the perfect choice to champion a cause and your actions have a strong influence on others. Show your initiative and take charge of a situation. You have loose ends to deal with before you can implement a change. Be sure of what you want in a situation where there is no going back. You are in a dilemma but must commit to a course of action. Telephone 1550-920-262 for more on love and luck. **# 1550-920-262**

CAPRICORN Dec 24 to Jan 20

Spend time reflecting upon your situation and allow yourself to dream about new opportunities. You can lift yourself out of the doldrums by being aware of all the possibilities. Watch for others who have ulterior motives. You can be easily deceived because of your trusting nature. Trust your intuition when dealing with affairs of the heart. Love is well starred. Hear more on 1550-920-**# 1550-920-266**



LIBRA

You are more inclined to express your on current trends. = 1550-920-263

AQUARIUS Jan 21 to Feb 19

It would be better to watch a conflict

from the sidelines if it is not your battle

to fight. You finally have the chance to

clarify some issues but are you brave

enough to face them? Be open to alter-

native methods and don't stay stuck in

situations that are not working for you.

Don't be so careful and cautious that

you miss out on a golden opportunity.

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Sep 23 to Oct 23

feelings openly now that someone is prepared to meet you half way. In work or business, impulsive action proves inappropriate. Pace yourself. In complicated issues, take a simple approach. Cut through the thick of trivialities and deal with priorities. Talk about your concerns in a personal matter with a good friend. Phone 1550-920-263 for more



Others are becoming more demanding of your time and energy. Do what you can to fit everyone in but maintain your personal priorities. In important projects, it may be time for a different approach. Sometimes you like to plan ahead, but you are best in the moment. You are entering an inspiring and exciting time. Act spontaneously and be prepared to take a risk or two. Phone 1550-920-264 for a full analysis. **# 1550-920-264**

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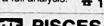
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PISCES Feb 20 to March 20

In work or business, a close connection gives you the advantage. Avoid jumping into a situation if you are not ready. Do things in your own time and recognise those who pressurise without taking your situation into account. At home, your patience is running out. Be prepared to spell things out rather than engage in guessing games. The week holds a romantic surprise. For more on current trends, phone 1550-**# 1550-920-268**

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Lilies are excellent border and woodland plants and they make superb companion plants for roses.

A few of the smaller lilies may be used to add summer colour to the rock garden when most alpine plants have already finished flowering.

Lilies are ideal for planting in containers, especially on terraces and patios. Some species of lily also make excellent pot plants for the cold greenhouse or conservatory.

PLANTING

Always buy fresh bulbs and plant them straight away. Do not buy bulbs that are dry or shrivelled. Most lilies grow well in a wide range of soils.

Bulbs should be planted in the autumn at two and a half times their depth. They should be planted in well-prepared, free-draining soil.

The routine care of lilies is similar to that of most bulbs and the plants must be well staked so the flowering stems do not snap.

STAKING

Lilies should be staked with a bamboo

cane as soon as they are tall enough for a tie to be put around them.

Insert the stakes well away from the base ety of dazzling colours and exotic shapes. of the stems so the bulbs are not damaged. The stem should be tied to the cane with string or raffia.

> When the flower buds are forming tie in the stem to the cane just below the buds to prevent the stem from breaking when the buds open.

BULB CARE

If your bulb is planted in grass there is no need to feed it regularly but take care when you mow the grass. Do not cut the grass until at least six weeks after the bulbs have flowered or the foliage is turn-

Bulbs planted in borders and woodland should be fed with a low-nitrogen, highpotash fertiliser as should bulbs being grown in containers outdoors.

PROPAGATION

Lilies may be propagated easily by stem bulbs, scaling, seed or by simple division. Always propagate from healthy stock. Many species produce stem bulbils in the leaf axils and bulblets at the base of the old flowering stem.

Remove these and pot them to grow on. Seed sowing produces vigorous virus-free bulbs but is slow.

PESTS AND DISEASES

Lilies are particularly vulnerable to several

viruses transmitted by aphids. Visible symptoms are mottled and twisted leaves. Grey mould may cause problems in damp windless conditions. And red lily beetles destroy stems and flowers.



THIS WEEK IN THE GARDEN

SOW SWEET PEAS

The best exhibition sweet peas are obtained from sowings made now. Some growers sow outdoors where the plants are to bloom. A better method in most areas is to sow in pots, about five seeds in an 8cm pot, and to germinate them in an unheated frame. Once the seedlings are up they can be ventilated freely - you will only need the lights in

very frosty or windy weather. The advantage of this method is that the seedlings are much more under control and can be protected from excessive cold or wet if necessary.

PRICK OUT CAULIFLOWERS

If you sowed cauliflowers last month you must now transfer them to a frame. Prepare a bed of finely broken soil in the frame and dibble the seedlings 8cm apart each way. Gather all remaining apples and pears Complete the gathering of all apples and pears. It is not advisable to let them hang once the weather gets really wintry. Apples keep well packed in boxes in a cool but frostproof place, preferably with a slightly moist atmosphere.

Pears keep better in a dry atmosphere. Lay them thinly in a room with an average temperature of 10C. Never pile them one on top of the other. Watch carefully for ripening.

GATHER FALLEN LEAVES

Sweep up all fallen leaves from time to time during the month. Leaves are a particular source of danger in the rock garden, for if they lie thickly on the plants they may kill them.

ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL NEWS

SPORT

Our Junior and Senior Soccer teams had a great coaching and skills training session with Darren Murray from the F.A.I. recently.

The Senior Soccer team travelled to Cashel to play against Scoil Chormaic on October 9th. A gallant team went down 2-7.

Coffee Morning

Senior class members with their teacher Ms. Forde and assistants Kaye and Colin are off to enjoy a coffee morning before Halloween. Several pupils have celebrated birthdays recently.

ART

St. John's had great success yet again, in the local Credit Union Poster competition. The following pupils received generous prizes at a function in Lawlor's Hotel on Thursday October 16th.

Ian Duggan, Bryan O'Regan, Dawn Lonergan, Ciara Harty, Sophie Howoth, Fiona Mullins, Aaron Bennett, Kim Foley, Aaron Parrish, Dean Duggan, John Morrissey, Kim Bray, Amy Smith, Henry Morrissey, Dean O'Brien, Steven Power, Richard Stillwell, Dylan Byrne and Gavin Foley.

ART AIB

Various examples of art work done by pupils of St. John's School, will be on display from now on in the local branch of the AIB. St. John's school received generous funding from the Better Ireland Project sponsored by AIB during the last

LIBRARY VISIT

Pupils from Junior 1 visited the library on Thursday, October 16th. They saw their art HALLOWE'EN FUN AT ST. JOHN'S!

work which had been displayed, listened to 'spooky stories' and enjoyed a colouring session.

TREE DAY 2003

Pupils from Junior and Junior 2 travelled to Glenshelane Woods last Thursday. Forester Tom O'Donoghue brought the children around the woods and explained about the wildlife. It was a beautiful Autumn day and ideal for walking.

DRAMA

The Arts Officer of Waterford County Council has provided funding for Drama tuition in the school from October to December. All classes in the school are to benefit and Ms. Molly O'Keeffe is the teacher. This is a great opportunity for

the pupils. Music lessons continue each week taken by Mr. Noel Brennan. Junior 1 and 2 have made their own instruments such as wind shakers and drums.

HALLOWEEN

The holidays began on Friday, 24th October and we return to school for Monday, November 3rd. The school is full of Halloween fun at present. Spooks, witches and tricks galore!

Junior 2 class visited the Play Palace as a special treat on Thursday, 23rd and there was plenty of brack and fruits for all Friday.

Garda Eddie Fitzpatrick visited us and showed a video to explain how to enjoy Halloween safely.

PUPIL OF THE MONTH

Junior 1 – Richard Stilwell; Junior 2: Paul Mulcahy; Senior: Kim Bray; Fetac 1 – Eric Duggan and Henry Morrissey; Fetac 2 – Ian Duggan.

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Environment Today



NEW CIVIC OFFICES OPENED IN TRAMORE

Recently, Martin Cullen T.D., Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government opened New Civic Offices incorporating a one-stop shop for public services in Tramore.

The collaborative development by Waterford County Council and Tramore Town Council involved the integration of a new building with an original building at Tankfield. The County Council is decentralising the full range of its services to the new offices and all Town Council services will also be available there, as well as new Council Chambers for the Town Council. Services will also be available at the new centre from the Department of Social and Family Affairs, FÁS, Waterford LEADER Partnership, Citizens Information Centre, Money Advice & Budgeting Service and the Energy Efficiency Agency.

Minister Cullen emphasised the importance of giving quality services in ways that are convenient for the public and said that the new offices and one-stop shop "reflect the desire to provide the people of Tramore and East Waterford with the best service possible. All in all, this Centre is an investment with a huge dividend. It sends a strong signal to the public that we take pride in what we do and that we want to continue to improve our services and our service delivery."

The total cost of the new offices is €1.5 million, with the Department of the Environment, Heritage and Local Government providing 325,000 towards these costs under the Pilot One-Stop Shop Programme. This programme has provided funding of €31 million towards over 40 centres countrywide.

Department of the Environment, Heritage & Local Government.

Waterford County Council wish to thank all those involved in this project.

THE PRAYERS AND POEMS AND THE PROPHETS

The Historical Books of the Old Testament, which we read in the Liturgy of the Word, are often difficult to understand. But the lovely prayer-poems which we use as Responsorial Psalms are closer to our devotional needs. The readings from the Prophets are often present us with religious poetry of a high order. This will constitute the topic of a talk on the prophets Amos, Hosea, Isaiah and Jeremiah, which will be given by Fr. Donal O'Connor, Dungarvan and will take place at the Park Hotel shortly.

During the course of the evening, there will be time for a chat over a cup of tea or coffee. This will be followed by a question and answer session, where Fr. O'Connor will further deal with any comprehension problems one may have on the topic.

A second talk will focus on the poems of Job, on the Psalms and on their meaning for us today. The Faith Development Group, Dungarvan welcomes and encourages as many as possible to come along. For further information see St. Mary's Notes in this issue and posters.



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News of Town & Roundabout

DUNGARVAN FLOWER AND GARDEN CLUB

Charity Gala Night presents Helen Dillon of RTE "Garden Heaven" in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan on Wednesday, 5th November at 7.45 pm. Tickets 10 euro. Proceeds to Dungarvan Rainbow Club and the Irish Heart Foundation.

DUNGARVAN GOSPEL CHOIR NEWS

Recent and Upcoming Events The highlight of the season so far for us was the First National Congress of Gospel Choirs held in Kilkenny on 21st September. On arrival, we enjoyed a first hand history of gospel singing and even discovered that at times it had an Irish lilt. Due to the influences of shared oppression there was a common coding of lyrics of ospel song and Irish melody. All gospel music is revolutionary as it looks for 'freedom and liberation'. It was always 'passed on' which accounts for the lack of written gospel music.

The evening was made momentous by listening to choirs from Tullamore, Clonmel, Kilkenny and towns. We all benefited mutually by listening to individual styles. What we are singing is modern Gospel. We have to get into the feelings, so touching the heart is more important than performance.

the Gospel Choir traveled to Killarney to sing in St. Mary's Cathedral at 7:00pm Mass. The and Una Drennan. 6th Alice choir gave one of their best Butler and Brid Culloo.

performances yet in front of a packed congregation. The sound of songs such as 'Lord I want to be a Christian', 'Over my head', 'O, Freedom', 'Wade in Water', to name but a few, were very popular in the very impressive church. So well received were we that after Mass the choir sang on for some time. Later we enjoyed light refreshments generously supplied by the Parish. Some fine solo's were sung by Maria, Julie, Eileen, Joan, Ann and Carmel to the delight of all present.

Now that the Winter has set in, and you are looking for some thing to do at night, why not join us to sing Gospel in the Mercy Convent (Primary side) on Tuesdays at 8:00pm.

ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB

Results 21st Oct. 1st Mary Fenton and Joan Mansfield. 2nd Sheila Veale and Brid Culloo. 3rd Mgt. O'Donnell and Sadie Ui Mhiachain. 4th John Phelan and Mary Fives.

CUNNIGAR BRIDGE CLUB

15th October. 1st Ella Whelan and Liz Donnelly. 2nd Ann Holland and Aliza Brown. 3rd Mary O'Brien and Nuala De Paor. 4th Mgt. Clancy and Joan Ronavne.

22nd Oct. 1st Fr. Barron and Irving Greenburg. 2nd Ella Whelan and Mary Murphy. 3rd On Saturday, 25th of October Doreen Keane and Kay Kirwan. 4th John Phelan and Liz Donnelly. 5th Anne Holland

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STRADBALLY NOTES

CHECK YOUR SMOKE **ALARMS**

A fire broke out in the home of Stradbally village resident Breda Mulcahy last week. Fortunately Ms Mulcahy had a working smoke alarm and was alerted to the upstairs fire before it got out of control. Showing great presence of mind she quickly closed the door on the room which was ablaze, phoned 999, and alerted her neighbour Ms. Eileen Sheehan. Both ladies would like to praise the speedy response of the Fire Brigade, two engines arrived within 15 minutes of the call. The blaze was quickly put out and the ladies are keen to express their gratitude to the Fire fighters who they feel went above and beyond the call of duty showing great concern for both of them, offering to assist in whatever way they could to lessen the traumatic event. Ms. Mulcahy

and Ms. Sheehan would also like to thank their neighbours and friends who immediately rallied around offering their help. It is a timely reminder to all of us to check our smoke alarms and ensure they are in

proper working order. MOL AN ÓIGE

'Mol and óige agus tiocfaidh sí', Praise the youth and they will blossom, an expression that best sums up the intent behind the night of Celebration last Saturday night at the GAA club. They came in their droves for the tribute night for teenager Noel Clancy, who recently won the All-Ireland under-18 melodeon championship. Noel was joined on the night by family members including Grandfather Tomás, brother Brendan and sister Marion. Many young musicians turned up and it was a rare treat to see such musical talent in one room. Sisters

were in fine musical form. Local historian Tomás Ní Fhlaoin set the pace well on the bodrán, and veteran musician Bobby Gardner was honoured with a presentation from the man of the night Noel Clancy. SCÓR NA BÁISTÍ

It was a dramatic debut night for the youngest Scór dancers of Stradbally GAA. Scór na Báistí have not yet competed but are in rehearsals for next March when they will take to the stage to represent Stradbally. Their high energy was infectious and they flew around the

floor with a spirit and enthusiasm that will take them far. The dancers are; Gillian Aherne, Emily Connors, Sam Condon, Nicola Fennell, Claire O' Brien, Eileen O' Brien, Claire Crowley and Aoife O' Keefe.

BANGERS & MASH

A great feed was served up on the night, much thanks goes to the ladies, Breda Costelloe, Marie Curran and Margaret Cunningham who prepared the spuds, sausages, sandwiches and scones. Able servers on the night included Donald Sutherland and visitor James West.

PRESENTATION

Stradbally GAA Chairman Pat Fennell praised the success of Noel, presenting him with a gift from the Club. Chairman of Stradbally Tourism & Enterprise Group Tom Hickey, while making a presentation from the Committee, also extolled Noel's All-Ireland achievement and hoped that more events like this could take place as a forum to foster traditional music especially amongst the young.

WHIST NIGHT

The Clocks have gone back, the winter is here, and it's 8 O' clock sharp start for Whist at Stradbally GAA Club this Friday night. With temperatures falling below zero wrap up for a fun night out. With plenty of prizes to be won, all are welcome.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Breda and John Kiely of Carrickcastle who recently celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary with friends and family at a packed surprise party in the Bally Inn.

FAHA- A ŘEPORT FROM **HOLY CROSS**

The next public meeting to continue preparations for the bi-centenary of Faha Church in 2004, will take place in the Sacristy in Faha next Monday evening at 7.30 p.m. There is still plenty of room for many more to get involved as it is a big undertaking which will need plenty of involvement. The idea is that a number of people will combine their tal ents in organising catering for example, flower arrangements, transport, and parking to mention but a few things. Now is the time to contact family members who are away from home, so they can make arrangements to be present for what promises to be a gala occasion for the people of Faha.

MEMORIAL MASS

Mass was celebrated in Our Lady of Willesden Church, Harlesden, London W.W.W. on Sunday October 19th for the repose of the soul of Ned Power late of faha and Deelish. Ned was a well known member of the

Georgina and Isme Crowley mer neighbours were present at the Mass along with Ned's daughter Marie, son Willie and their families and friends. It was a nice tribute to a man who gave so much of his time to help out in the parish and also organise social activities in the Parish Hall.

MASSES

It will be a busy weekend in the local churches with the Holyday on Saturday November 1st to honour all saints. Followed by Sunday November 2nd when the faithful departed will be remembered in a special way. There will be vigil Masses in Ballylaneen at 6.30 p.m. and Stradbally at 7.30 p.m. on Friday evening October 31st. The Masses on Saturday November 1st will be 10 a.m. in Faha and 11 a.m. in both Ballylaneen and Stradbally. The 11 a.m. Mass in Stradbally will be the month's mind Mass for John Keane late of Ballinahila. There will be vigil Masses in both Ballylaneen and Stradbally at 6.30 p.m. and 7.30 p.m. on Saturday evening and Masses on Sunday November 2nd will be at the usual times

HOLY SOULS

There will be Mass for the holy souls in Faha on Monday November 17th and in Stradbally on Monday November 24th both at 7.30 p.m. At each Mass special mention will be made of those who died since last November and a candle will be lit for each individual and also the congregation will be invited to light a candle to remember all their loved ones who have departed this life.

Modeligo **Parent** &Toddler Group

The Halloween Party is almost here, this Friday 31st October at 11am Modeligo Community Centre. As the schools are closed for the holidays, last year's toddlers and junior classes are welcome. Don't forget to dress up in your Halloween costumes. Parents bring apples and treats. There will be fun, games, face painting and much more, so parents do come along with your children and join in on the fun.

The group will be having its first guest speaker on Friday 7th Nov., 10.30am in the Community Centre. She will be covering areas such as childhood illnesses and infections, antibiotic therapy and natural remedies.

The group will also be holding an informal gathering for expectant Mothers from the West Waterford area on Friday 21st Nov. from 11am to 12noon. We are calling the initiative MUMS 4 MUMS 2B and the idea is to offer advice and support on parenting issues. We hope to cover areas such as baby equipment, feeding, colic, postnatal depression and sibling rivalry. It is not intended to substitute the advice and care offered by health care professionals but we do hope that our personal experiences might help benefit first time mums.

The group continues as normal every Friday morning from 10.30 - 12 noon in Modeligo Community Centre. For further congregation in Harlesden for information contact Loretta at many years and many of his for- 47983 or Ann at 087-7841719.

St Augustine's College News Online Information Quiz Winner

Ciara Ryan, 2nd year student of St Augustine's has won 500 euro on the Graduate online information quiz. As a result of her win the College automatically wins a voucher for another 500euro worth of Dell computer equipment. The Graduate is Ireland's Essential Student Guide. The prize presentation will take place in early December. The Data Protection Office kindly sponsored this prize.

U-161/2 Munster Colleges Championship St Augustine's College, Dungarvan 2-14 Ard Scoil Ris, Limerick 3-11

In a very exciting match played on a perfect surface in Cashel, St Augustine's fought back with a last gasp point from Richie Foley to earn a deserved second bite of the cherry. The Friary played against the wind in the first half and were always on top with some excellent scores from Richie Foley, John Gorman and David Kett, including a cracking goal from a penalty per John Gorman.

On the turnover, The Limerick city side turned on the style. Only for some outstanding play in the full back line, including a brilliant penalty save by Stephen O'Keeffe and some characteristically heroic bursts out of full back by Ciaran Manahan, the Friary would have been beaten here.

Stephen Enright had a great game in goal. Richie Foley too was outstanding and when he was switched back into defence he steadied the ship and in a final burst, he went through to score a great point from play to level things.

It's worth noting that Abbeyside's two minor county hurling championship players, John Gorman and Richie Foley contributed 2-11 between them in this pulsating game.

Team: Stephen Enright, David Hennessy, Ciaran Manahan, Stephen O'Keeffe, Terence Walsh, Brian Phelan, Cillian Denn, Richie Foley (0-8), JJ Devine, Shane Fives, John Gorman (2-3), David Kett (0-1), David Phelan (0-1), Nicholas Drohan (0-1), John Nugent. Subs used, Martin Curran and Daragh Harty.

HOCKEY - St Augustine's 7 St Angela's Cork 0 St Augustine's College senior team starts off the Hockey season with a good win over St Angela's Cork in Blackrock. Team. Marie Cliffe, Sarah Daly, Neave Moloney, Julie Fitzgerald, Grainne Dunphy Capt, Lorraine Whelan, Kate O'Brien, Lisa Fitzgerald, Susi Lonergan, Susan Amy Fleming, Deirdre Moran. Subs Stephanie O'Connor, Kate Gordan, Noreen O'Brien, Sarah O'Brien. Scorers LWhelan 4, Susan Amy 2, Deirdre Moran 1.

St Augustine's 3 Bandon Grammar School 0 Another good win for the Senior team: Aisling Wadding, Lisa Fitzgerald, Clare Walsh, Deirdre Moran, Sarah O'Brien Capt, Katie Gordan, Aine Murphy, Suzi Lonergan, Sally Lonergan, Marguerite McCarthy, Maria Cliffe, Kate Smith, Riosin Briggs. Scorers Deirdre Moran 2, Sizi Lonergan 1.

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Cork City Gaol

Last Monday a group of third year students visited Cork City Gaol and Heritage centre. Here the student's found out about life in the 19th century through the true stories of prisoners who had been incarcerated there. They visited the cells where the prisoners were kept and where you had wax figures of the prisoners and guards. The real life stories of the prisoners and their sentences were very interesting. The Guide was excellent, very informative and answered all questions.. The students were very grateful to Mr Donal Williams and Mr Padraig MacCraith for organizing the trip and after lunch and shopping Mr MacCraith took some Art Students to visit The Crawford School of Art

University of Limerick Open Day Last week forty seven Leaving Certificate Students visited the University of Limerick. The students were accompanied by Mr Joe Moynihan and Mr Paddy McGrath. The pupils took a tour of the main campus, met staff and viewed the extensive sports facilities. Students with an interest in Education, the Arts and Early Childhood Care travelled by taxis to the Mary Immaculate Colin t

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lege, which is academically linked to the University of Limerick. **Devereux Cup**

Our annual "Ryder Cup" style golf match against the C.B.S.took place at the Gold Coast Golf Club last week. This was the 3rd year of this competition, and sponsored by Noel Devereux Menswear. St Augustine's team: Michael Buckley, Mark Keane, John O'Keeffe, Thomas Kiely, Stephen Lanigan, Stephen Slater, Patrick Cussen, Craig O'Connor, Billy Walsh, Edward Moore, Rory Moloney, and r O'Neill. The format was 12 singles matches with the C.B.S. slight favourites as their handicaps were lower. After a very close and sporting match the C.B.S. came out on top 7* to 4 *. Well done to Thomas Kiely who had an eagle on the 3rd hole.

New Cross Country Relay Event

A very successful 4 x 500 Cross Country Event took place in the Friary College recently. Teams were made up of four runners and eleven schools took part. St Augustine's College athletes had a good day. Results: Minor Girls, 1st St Augustine's Emma Dempsey, Aisling Flynn, Siohbain Murray, and Lorraine McCarthy. Minor Boys, 1st St Augustine's , Nial Browne, Craig O'Connor, Mark O'Connor and Craig Kinghorn. 3rd St Augustine's, Aaron Joyce, Jonathon Sheehan, P. J Houlihan and Sean Burke. Junior Boys, 2nd St Augustine's, Darren Dunford, Stephen Kearney, Sean Brown, and Mark Shalloe. Inter Girls 2nd St Augustine's, Marguerita Mc-Carthy, Deirdre Duff., Oonagh Foley and Susi Lonergan. Inter Boys 1st St Augustine's, Ferdia O'hAodha, Diarmuid O'Foghlu, Padraig Healy, and David McCarthy. 3rd St Augustine's Edmond Ledingham, Eoin Meehan, Donal Henley, and Shane Delahunty. Senior Girls, 2nd, Lisa Fitzgerald, Neave Moloney, Noreen O'Brien, and Sarah O'Brien. Senior Boys 1st St Augustine's, Conor Phelan, Simon Hanrahan, Mark Fives and Mark Gorman.

BALLINAMEELA COMMUNITY **CENTER NOTES**

LOTTO RESULTS

There was no winner for the draw on 20th of October. The numbers drawn were 3,4 and 11. The 20 euro winners were Phil Reynolds, Jerry O'Brien, Micheal Keating, Declan Carlton and Clem Curran. Next weeks jackpot is E1050.

WESTERN FINAL

Ballinameela's footballers play in the western intermediate football final on Sunday next in the Fraher Field. They take on neighbours, The Brickey Rangers. This should be a very interesting match as a number of those involved with the Brickeys are living in the parish of Ballinameela so whatever the result there will be medels coming to the parish.

SYMPATHY

There was a sense of great sadness covered the parish when the news of Donal Flynn's death spread last week. Donal had strong ties with Ballinameela from his time growing up in Whitechurch House. We offer all his family our deepest sympathy on this sad occasion.

Deepest sympathy to Fr. Garreth Desmond, our former Curate, on the recent death of his father Liam.

We also offer our condolences to Tom Barron and his family, Currowgariff, on the death of his mother Hanah.

MELLERAY NOTES

Glenview United A.F.C. Tony Bolger Plate S.F. **Glenview United 3** Castlebridge Celtic 2

On Sunday morning last our eagerly awaited Plate semi final was played at the Cappoquin venue. Not having played for worry for our lads. On a beautiful sunny morning and a perfect pitch watched by a large crowd the scene was set for a great game of football. Both sides started well with Castlebridge the more physically stronger. We fell quite a bit behind after twenty minutes, but we were creating chances ourselves, having twice hit the crossbar, 1 goal to nil at half time.

Ten minutes into the second half disaster struck when Castlebridge scored again. Our lads responded almost immediately when John Broderick struck a great free kick all the way to the net. Within a minute Kevin O'Rourke hit a blistering shot off the crossbar. We were then reduced to ten men when Eamon Nugent received his second yellow card. The character of this side would now be truly tested and they responded magnificently with Kevin O'Rourke getting on to a great through ball from Broderick It was John Broderick again who wrapped up the game with a great individual goal to spark the scenes of great celebration. Our lads held their composure for the last quarter and ran out deserving winners. All thirteen players used played their part in what was a memorable victory.

Team on the day was: Curran, Power, Hennessy, Hennebry, Dowd, Collins, Broderick, Nugent, D. O'Rourke, K. O'Rourke, Bennett, McGrath,

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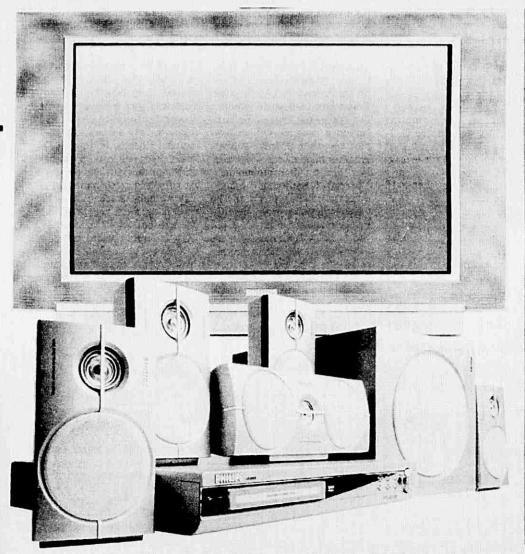
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A special Disco will be held in the Kill Community Centre on Friday the 31st from 8-10 pm. This disco will suit 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th class National School children. A great nights fun and dancing for all who attend. Admission 4 euro

HALLOWEEN DISCO

The Halloween Disco will take place on the 1st November. Doors open at 8.30 pm sharp. Hall rules strictly apply. No alcohol. Admission 7 euro.

SANTALAND

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have plans for a truly magical festive treat for all those both young and old who will visit Santaland this year. Bookings will commence at the end of November. More details in the coming weeks.

AEROBICS

Aerobics continue each Wednesday night at 8 pm in the Kill Community Centre under the direction of Caroline Kirk. It's never too late to join.

PLAY READING

The Gaelach Gorm Theatre Group will hold another play land will take place in Kill reading session on Wednesday Community Centre on Saturday November 5th at 9 pm in the and Sunday 13th and 14th De- Kill Community Centre. These

cember. The organisers, the Gaelach Gorm Theatre Group popular and enjoyable and are popular and enjoyable and are open to everyone.

SEMI FINAL PLAYED IN KILL GAA FIELD

On Saturday evening last Clonea and Erin's Own contested in the semi final. The game started at 3 pm. Supporters from both clubs attended. This was a great game of hurling with Erin's Own emerging victorious on the day. Erin's Own will now contest in the final.

NEW CAR

Congratulations to Julie Mai Keane on the purchase of a new car. Wishing you many miles of safe motoring. Also wishing her the best of luck in her new career as she is now training in Templemore to become a Bean

SINCERE SYMPATHY

To Tony Barry on the recent death of his brother Roddie. Also sincere sympathy to the rest of the Barry family. May God and his Angels have mercy on his soul.

MICHAEL POWER MEMORIAL SWIM

Just to remind anyone that is interested in taking part in this year's Michael Power Memorial Swim cards are available from any committee member or contact Tom Power on 292234 for further deta; s.

On Saturday October 10th, the 67ú Fianna Fáil Ard Fheis took place. The Waterford Ogra delegation led by Maurice Walsh and Thomas Keogh had been expected to be in attendance after we announced on RTE Radio1 on Friday afternoon that we would be bringing with us the issue of Radiotherapy. Our delegation consisted of Maurice Walsh, Thomas Keogh, Brian Jordan and Bobby Byrne, young people willing to be radical in front of the main party.

Brian Jordan spoke to Minister Micheál Martin T.D. on this issue and presented to him a letter expressing the concerns of Waterford. Thomas Keogh and Maurice Walsh presented a similar letter to Martin Cullen T. D. Understand that discussion and criticism is welcome in Fianna Fáil because to avoid it means say nothing, do nothing and be nothing. Ogra knows that Michael Martin is the man to turn around the Health system with health investment for 2003 at 9.2billion euro, an increase of 162% since 1997. There are 900 new residential places, 525 respite places and 75% of the 121 actions of the Health Strategy are being implemented, this in the first two years of a 7-year plan.

One removes a mountain by carrying away

small stones. We all know the mountain that needed to be climbed to reach a Radiotherapy unit in Dublin. We will now get one in Galway and Cork, which will be a greatly expanded service for Ireland but it, does not end there for us. We must continue carrying away those stones and turn them into the bricks of a Radiotherapy unit in Waterford. It is hard to see such an issue politicised when we all have experienced either the emotional or physical venom of cancer. However it is through political discourse that we will achieve our goal. Ogra Waterford works inside Fianna Fail on this issue, that is our way of helping this cause. We are but one of many workers on this issue.

Ogra's interest is in the future of Fianna Fáil and we like the vision we have of the future of Waterford and in that vision we can see a Radiotherapy unit in Waterford Regional Hospital. We are confident in our Ministers, our party and the future Health

The motto for Ogra is "we are here, we are acting and we will not go away". Saol fada chugat.

Brian Jordan, PRO Waterford City Ogra C.C. 085 7197704

Shane Toomey, Ogra Dungarvan.

Coiste Maisithe na Rinne AGM

Winners of the Waterford County Council Best Community Environment Group in 2002, Coiste Maisithe na Rinne are making a steady impact on the enhancement of the environment on the peninsula; if you would like to become part of this great team spirit, you are welcome to attend our AGM on Monday November 3rd next at 8.30 pm sharp in Mooney's.

Tá ár gcoiste, Coiste Maisithe na Rinne ag obair go dian is do dicheallach le cúpla bliain ag iarraidh bárr a chur ar an áilleacht nádúrtha atá sa Gaeltacht na Rinne.

Bí linn agus fáilte. Eolas (058) 46448, (086) 8134597.

LATE ANNA MURPHY (NEE KIELY)

Early on Sunday morning brought the sad news of the passing of Anna Murphy, formerly of Lr. Main St., and Old Parish. Predeceased by her husband Jack, son Tommy and in more recent times daughter Mary. We sympathise with daughters Joan, Aine, Breda, sisters Margaret, Kitty, Bridget and Hannah, brothers Michael and John Kiely, sons-in-law, sisters-in-law, grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends. R.I.P.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home the removal took place on Monday to St. Mary's Parish Church. Funeral Mass was celebrated on Tuesday with the interment in the adjoining cemetery.

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

LATE ANNIE DINEEN

We received the sad news of the passing on Tuesday 21st October at Padre Pio Nursing Home of Annie Dineen, Clonea, Dungarvan who was in her 96th year. Predeceased by her husband Ned in 1967 her demise is deeply regretted by son Dan, daughters Ann Nugent, Mary Casey, Alice Glancy, Cait Cliffe and Nuala Horgan, daughter-in-law Betty, sons-in-law Bobby, Pat, Sean, Michael and Ted, her grandchildren, great grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home the removal on Wednesday evening took place to St. Laurence's Church, Ballinroad.

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celebrated by Rev. Fr. Martin the adjoining cemetery. To her Keogh C.C., with the interment afterwards in Modeligo Ceme-

(Full obituary next issue).

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

LATE TIMOTHY SHEEHAN

The unexpected passing on Saturday last at Waterford Regional Hospital of Timothy Sheehan, 14, Silversprings, Dungarvan came as a shock to both family and acquaintance alike. A native of Co. Kerry, Timothy worked in England for forty five years as a metal spinner. He enjoyed his television viewing, especially the football. We sympathise with wife Ellen, sons Anthony, Richard and Denis, brother Denis, sisters Nellie, Norrie, daughter-in-law Cathy, brothers and sisters-inlaw, grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

Removal took place from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church, where the interment followed in the adjoining cemetery.

(Full obituary next issue).

(Funeral arrangements by James Kiely, Funeral Directors, Dungaryan).

LATE CATHERINE RONAYNE

With sadness we record the passing of Catherine Ronayne, Old School Rd., Aglish, which sad event occurred on Tuesday, October 21st. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Wednesday evening to Clashmore Church. Following funeral Mass on Thursday Funeral Mass on Thursday was morning burial took place in

daughters Mary, Catherine, Alice and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

(Full obituary next issue). (Funeral arrangements by Tom Drohan, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

LATE HANNAH BARRON

With deep regret we record the passing of Hannah Barron, Carrowgarriffe, Cappagh which sad event occurred on Tuesday 21st October. Removal was from her residence on Wednesday evening to Ballinameela Church. Following funeral Mass on Thursday at midday burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To her son Tom, daughter-inlaw Joanna, sister Kitty, grandchildren and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

2nd Nov: All Souls Day

(Full obituary next issue). (Funeral arrangements by Tom Drohan, Funeral Directors, Dungaryan)

It is with profound sorrow passing of Liam Desmond, Leevening, 26th October to Kil-

To his wife Pauline, sons Fr. Garrett and Niall we extend our deepest sympathy.

(Funeral arrangements by Tom Drohan, Funeral Directors,

LATE LIAM DESMOND

and deep regret we record the mybrien which sad event occurred recently abroad. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Sunday rossanty Church. Following funeral Mass on Monday afternoon burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

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Dungarvan).

ST. MARY'S PARISH NOTES

(DUNGARYAM) Saturday 1st Noveber: The Feasts of All Saints Sunday

Talk: Fr. Donal O'Connor, will speak on the "Poems and Prayers of the Prophets", at the Park Hotel on Monday, 10th November, at 8.00pm. The talk will be followed by tea/coffee and a question and answer session on the topic. The Faith Development Group welcomes and encourages as many as possible to come along to this very interesting evening. Cost Eruo5.00

Children's Liturgy: At the 10.00am. Sunday Mass in St. Mary's there is now a special liturgy of the word for children. This is lead by teachers and other helpers including transition year students. The children rejoin the congregation at the offertory. Families are invited to come to this Mass. Many thanks to all our leaders.

Graveyard prayers for November: Rosary and Prayers begin at 3.00pm. in St. Mary's on Sunday 2nd November and Old St. Mary's on Sunday 9th November.

Friends of St. Martin: Mass for our deceased members on Thursday 13th November 2003 in the Park Hotel. Bus leaves the square at 7.30pm. Usual pick up points.

Eucharistic Adoration: On Sunday 2nd November 2003 an afternoon retreat will be held at the Rosminian House of Prayer, Glencomeragh, Kilsheelan for the promotion of Eucharistic Adoration in the Diocese. Commencing at 2.00pm., and end with Mass at 4.30pm. Cost Euro5.00 All are welcome.

BAPTISM

Takes place on the 2nd and 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 10.00am. -12 noon, and 2.00pm. -4.00pm. If you want to book Masses or baptisms call during these times. Phone 42374.

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Emergency Telephone Number: To contact Priest on Duty-086-2334282.

MASSES

Saturday 1st November: Feast of All Saints (Holy Day) St. Mary's: Vigil Mass at 7.30pm. Friday. 11.00am. Mass on Satruday.

Friary: Vigil Mass at 6.15pm. Friday. 7.30am. and 10.00am. Saturday

Sunday 2nd November: All Souls Day

St. Mary's: Vigil Mass at 7.30pm. Saturday. 10.00am. and 12.00 noon Mass Sunday.

Friary: Vigil Mass 6.15pm. Saturday and 9.00am. and 11.00am. Mass Sunday.

BALLYSAGGART NOTES

Cards Results: 23rd October: Joe Power, Pa Geoghegan. Dan Howard and Finola Hynes.

Lucky tables: Jackie Houlihan and Kathleen Coleman. Joe Roche and Tony McGrath.

Raffle: Tony McGrath, Nellie Brackett and Pa Geoghegan. Sympathy

The news of the death of Mary Hyland was received with feeling of sincere regret. She was a regular at our card games, she rarely missed a night with us. On behalf of the Hall Committee and the other card players we offer our sincere sympathy to her sons and to her sister Jo. Mary will be sadly missed. Ar dheis lamh De go raibh si. G.A.A.

On Saturday evening last, we eventually played our first game of championship football this year and it was a western final against Ballinwillin. It certainly showed up our lack of match practice. We held our own reasonably well in the first half but totally lost our way half way through the second half and were beaten on the scoreline of 2-12 to 1-4. Well done to Ballinwillin, they deserved their win.

Deise Development Draw

The final draw in the series will be held on this Friday night. Please have all outstanding money in by the week-

Fund Raiser For Irish Hospice Foundation

Jenny Fennessy has set herself a target of 5,000e for the Hospice Foundation. She has already had a few fund raising events, but on this Friday 31st October, she has organised her biggest effort to date. She has acquired the services of Liam Clancy of the Clancy Brothers, Bachelors in Trouble, the Lyre Heritage Group, Ballyduff Comhaltas Group and many singers and musicians to perform in Ballyduff Community Hall at 9:00pm. Tickets are 5e each and can be bought at the door or from Jenny during the week. Your support would be welcome for the very deserving cause.

Sympathy

The sympathy of the Community goes to the Hale family, formerly of the Bog Road on the death of Teresa which occurred last week. Her remains were removed to St. Mary's Church on Thursday evening and her burial took place on Friday after Requiem Mass. To her mother, brother and sisters we offer our sympathy. May she rest in

BONMAHON NOTES

News From Hayses

Set dancing will take on Wednesday night. Last Friday nights darts winners were Richard Dowling and Kenneth Kearns. Runners up were Steve and Ken. Congratulations to Daryl Kidd who win the Shanghigh. Last weeks bonus lotto winners was Brand New Mickey Fitz.

Birthday Wishes

Congratulations to Lisa Power who celebrated her 19th birthday during the week with family and friends. Wishing you many, many more birthdays.

Road Works in Bonmahon

During the week traffic was disrupted while the County Council are undertaking road works in the village. Bollards are still in place along the footpath as the work is not yet completed. Motorists and Pedestrians should take extra care while using the area.

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"Substantial" Amount Of Waste Illegally Dumped At Cappagh And Stradbally

Waterford County Council have sent litter fines to the residents of an estate in Waterford City following the discovery of waste illegally dumped at a number of locations in the

A spokesperson for the County Council said they have a good indication of the origin of the recent litter finds.

A large number of black sacks filled with waste were discovered near the Cove at Ballyvooney, Stradbally, and at a remote woodland area at Knockcullen, Cappagh. The spokesperson described the find in Knockcullen as involving a "substantial amount of waste a number of car trailer loads."

"It's true that a number of litter finds in the county originated from households in Waterford City," he told the Dungarvan Leader on Friday last. "But any waste dumped within the county falls within our jurisdiction."

Following the find, it emerged that several bags of waste contained documentation bearing the names of residents of a Waterford City estate. The residents are claiming they were duped by a "cowboy" waste operator, who charged them 60 euros to dispose of the waste.

Waterford County Council has since sent litter fines under the Litter Act to those whose names were on the documentation. Each of those involved will receive a litter fine of 125 euros and a further 100 euros clean up charge.

If they fail to pay, the County

COUNTY COUNCIL PROMISE CRACKDOWN ON ILLEGAL DUMPERS

Council warned that they will also confirmed there has been a would ask the public to notify pursue the matter through the

SLIGHT INCREASE N ILLEGAL DUMPING

slight increase in the incidences months.

"We're trying to ensure there The council spokesperson is no further increase, and we

us immediately if they notice of illegal dumping in recent refuse being dumped or having been dumped to allow us to respond quickly to any further in-

Gardai Investigating Murder Of 50-Year-Old Rambler

A fifty-year-old man from Co. Armagh who lived in Dungarvan on a number of occasions was violently murdered in Athlone recently.

Michael Chambers, originally from Lurgan, Co. Armagh, was found beaten to death under a bridge in Athlone, recently.

He had been living in sheltered accommodation in Mitchelstown, Co. Cork, but had left after his room was burgled the week before.

It's believed Mr. Chambers had been on his way back to his mother's, Irene Chambers home in Taignavan Es-

Mr. Chambers was described as a rambler and had lived in virtually every town and city in Ireland, and had stayed in Dungarvan for occasionally lengthy du-

Gardai are currently investigating what occurred in the lead up to Mr. Chambers' death.



Businesses Fear Being "Landlocked" By New Development

to stop the developments that es on O'Connell Street. are going on inside there," he "It's an unusual one to look claimed. "And, it's a pity these at," he added. objections are going in. But again, as I have said on numerous occasions, we live in a democracy, and the people have

a right to object.' However, he agreed that the O'Connell Street traders have a valid objection.

"The idea was to get as many accesses as possible in and out of the development so the O'-Connell Street traders and the business people in the square wouldn't lose out to the new development." According to Cllr. O'Riordan these accesses were proposed originally on the site, but An Bord Pleanala themselves prevented this from happening with a condition in its May ruling. This includes a condition requiring the screen-

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 ing off of the back of the hous-

"They have their rights," Cllr. O'Riordan said, "and it will be very interesting to see what view An Bord Pleanala take on

It's believed, that following An Bord Pleanala's ruling last May, Mr. Houlihan - the owner of Lenihane's Bakery - decided to "go it alone" as he was unhappy with aspects of the ruling which affected Blocks A and B. Both blocks were the only aspects of the overall development significantly altered and prevented by An Bord Pleanala's ruling.

It's now expected, An Bord Pleanala will rule on whether to grant or overturn permission for the development in four to six

Nemeton Receives Two Nominations For I.F.T.A. Awards

Nemeton Productions based in Ring, Co. Waterford has been nominated for two Irish Film and Television Awards, it has been announced.

Laochra Gael, and the Health Squad both of which are produced in Nemeton's Gaeltacht headquarters have been short listed in the best Sports and Lifestyle categories respectively.

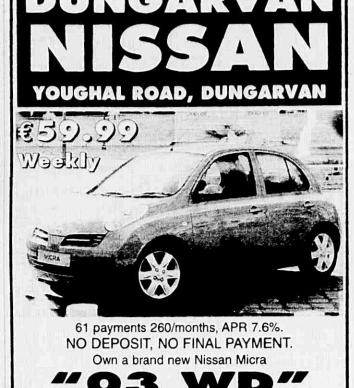
Laochra Gael - the GAA Legends Series is now in its third year, and has been one of the most popular programmes on TG4 since its inception.

The Health Squad, meanwhile, is running at the moment on RTE every Thursday night, and regularly reaches the Top 10 most watched programmes on the national broadcaster with an audience of 500,000 viewers.

Commenting on the nominations; Managing Director of Nemeton Productions, Irial Mac Murchu said; "It is a tribute to the whole team working here of the excellence they have reached to be nominated for two very valued I.F.T.A.

The nominations are particularly timely this year, as the locally based company is celebrating its 10th anniversary in December of this year.

The IFTA award-winners will be announced at an awards ceremony to be broadcast by RTE from the Burlington Hotel on Saturday November 1.st.



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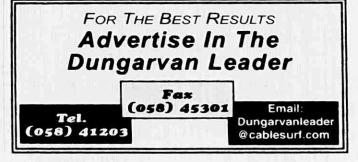
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Abbeyside Topics

ABBEYSIDE REFERENCE ARCHIVE

The Break

We are gone on our two month winter break and look forward to starting back on the 4th of January 2004. That does not mean we are not still active. We plan to have our Christmas card out soon after Halloween and will still have our monthly meetings. The gap will also give us a chance to tidy up our collections and make new additions. When we come back we plan to add the book 'Ice Man' to our Abbeyside School Collection.

QUIZ NIGHTS TO HIT €50,000 BY END OF NOVEMBER

The very successful fun charity quizzes, which take place every Thursday night in Minnies have been raising much needed funds for local and national charities over the past 14 months. A lot of money has been raised during that period and the organisers hope that by the end of November the amount will have reached 50,000. This is an exceptional amount of money and great credit must go to the people who turn up every week to support the various charities. This Thursday night all the money raised will go to MS. You are most welcome to come along and lend your support to this very worthy cause. The quiz gets underway at 9 p.m. and it is €12 per table of three.



September/October swim awards at Clonea Strand Hotel leisure centre. Most improved Improvers on the Wednesday classes, Deirdre McCarthy and Sarah

CREDIBLE PERFORMANCE BY BALLINACOURT

This was always going to be a fifty-fifty game and so it proved as Ballinacourty trailing by three points were awarded a penalty in injury time for a dangerous tackle on Gary Hurney as he shot for goal. Declan Fives stepped up but his low hard shot for the corner was brilliantly saved by John Moroney in the Tramore goal. Disappointment for all connected with Ballinacourty but at least the spirit and attitude was right compared to last years gutless performance against Rathgormack in the semi final.

Ballinacourty made the better start to a low scoring contest when Declan Fives and Gary Hurney scored points inside two minutes of the throw in. Number eight Gary Hurney and full forward lan Kiely has

swapped positions and this tactic worked in the early stages with Ian Kiely fielding some good balls at centre field. However, Tramore worked the ball upfield in a classy passing movement and Bob Costello had the simple task of shooting the ball to the net in the seventh minute. Tramore shot a number of wides before Lee Quilty pointed a free in the eighteenth minute. Tramore were getting their game together and another fine passing movement opened up the 'Courty defence and full forward Mark Power was left with the simple task of palming the ball to the net. Brian O'-Connor dominated mid field for Tramore during the latter period of the first half but their only score was a pointed free in the

twenty third minute. Ballinacourty responded and were rewarded with a spectacular point Enright. Half time: Ballinacourty 0-3 Tramore 2-2.

Substitutions

Ballinacourty introduced minors Mark Fives and Patrick Hurney for the second half and there was a huge improvement in their standard of play. Ian Kiely now at full forward kicked the ball high over the an excellent point. However, Tramore could put the passes together and Mark Power and Michael O'Donoghue scored points from play. Ballinacourty applied pressure but their shooting was erratic and the number of wides mounted. Conor Barrett replaced lan Damien Cliffe.

Kiely but the standard of play was poor overall as the game entered the closing stages. Fifrom corner forward Michael nally, Ballinacourty got a passing movement together and Patrick Hurney rounded it off with a good score. Then came the injury time penalty save which denied the local team the draw they deserved on the day.

Ballinacourty: Alan Landers, John Phelan, Jonathan Moore, Gavin Breen, Brian Hayes, Laurence Hurney, Rick Hanrabar and Declan Fives pointed a han, Shane Briggs, Gary Hurfree. Gary Hurney reduced ney, John Hurney, Willie Tramore's lead to a point with Fennell, Patrick Lynch, Declan Fives, lan Kiely, Michael Enright, Declan Enright, Keith Browne, Seamus Lavan, Conor Barrett, Mark Fives, Patrick Hurney, John Kindergan, Joey Mullen, Simon Hanrahan, Michael Fives, Martin Lavan. David Cashin, Liam Briggs,

THE POND

The surface of the pond has deteriorated in recent times. It badly needs a complete refurbishment and although a new tarmacadum surface would be expensive it would be the best solution to the problem that exists there.

MURPHY PLACE FOOTPATHS

The problem there is still unsolved despite four years of lobbying by Councillor Michael O'Riordan. It really is time the Town Council took the problem in hand and make the footpaths safe

WALTON PARK

There is a possibility that the Town Council will further develop Walton Park. The plan envisages the construction of water features similar to the ones in Lismore's Millennium park. This would complement the playground and the tennis courts and generally make the park a more relaxing place to while away some spare time.

LOCAL ISTORY

changed radically. The old Grand Jury was replaced in 1899 by Waterford County Council, which had its offices in Dungaryan after a first meeting in Waterford city. The Town Commissioners were replaced by the Urban District Council and by one Rural District Council, which cared for the rural area. The right to vote in the elections for these bodies was granted to anyone who owned, rented or leased property worth £4. It has been £10 in parliamentary elections.

Although it enfranchised small farmers and business people, it excluded a very large number of the population. However, for the first time women were given the right to vote in an election if they were householders in their own right or wives of a man qualified to vote. They still had no vote at general elections.

The first Urban District Council in Dungarvan met in April 1899. The Chairman was James Hayes, a grocer of 1 Main St. The other members with their addresses and occupations were as follows: Thomas O'Connor, boot-maker and saddler at 66 Main St., Thomas Power, provision dealer and cooper at 22 Main Street, Michael Barry, a grocer on the Square, Patrick and Thomas Veale, of the family of John Veale, grocer at 88 Main Street., James Whelan, grocer at 22 Mary Street, Patrick Sheehan, earthenware and coal dealer at 62 Main Street, Edmond Keohan, photographer and stationer at 17 Main Street, John Walsh, publican on the Quay, James Dunne, Tobacconist, Main Street, John Griffin, grocer and wheelwright, Abbeyside. Patrick Curran, grocer and coal merchant on the Quay was appointed Harbour Master, the Town Clerk was Thomas Fitzgerald and the Medical Officer was Dr. John W. Williams. The Urban District Council met in the Town Hall where formerly the Town Commissioners had assembled.

(Ref; A History of Dungarvan Town and District by Patrick C. Power M.A., PhD).

ABBEYSIDE SCOUT NOTES

On Saturday night last at 7:00pm, the cubs and scouts gathered at Cappoquin Scout den for a troop hike. Once everyone had gathered, the 'chipper up the road' was to be the first stop off point in order that all concerned would not be marching on an empty belly ('Napoleon' would have been proud). The first group to leave were the cubs under the watchful eye of Kieran Harty and the Eagle patrol, then once the cubs arrived back to the den with their grub the Wolf and Tiger patrols followed the trail to the chipper. By splitting up the patrols and cubs in this way it meant there was not a large group of hikers on the road at the same time. The first group to arrive at the gates to the Glen. the cubs, were surprised to see the local fire brigade with all lights flashing out in force. They were in the process of dismantling the barrier at the gate in order to gain access to the roadway so that they could help the I.S.P.C.A. rescue a large goat in order trapped in the river. The walk up the glen was very dark but as all had their torches it seemed to turn night into day. Indeed one topic of conversation on the way was with regard to the various type of torches everyone had, where they got them and how much they cost. On arrival at the glen all helped to gather fire wood for the campfire. When the fire was lit a number of songs were sung which was then followed by a number of games including hide and seek, which proved very difficult in the inky blackness of Glenshellane. The Patrol leaders Michael, Jason and Rory had a tough time finding their way back to the camp tire circle even though they were only one hundred yards away, the cubs said they would buy a compass each for Christmas. Ten o'clock arrived far too quickly for some as the lights from the cars coming to collect the cubs and scouts lit up the dark night, all climbed aboard and headed home after another successful and enjoyable hike.

Attention Cubs

Due to the Halloween weekend no cub meeting will be held this Saturday night, 1st of November. The next cub meeting will be on Saturday, 8th November and will be a full uniform one. Any cub who would like to try to gain a hiker merit badge to be worn on his uniform, should have his hike log/report written out and handed in for this meeting.

Attention Scouts

The scout meeting this weekend will be held on Sunday morning, 2nd of November from 11:30am until 1pm and will be full uniform one. The reason for this is the annual camp 2003 patrol leaders will be going on their annual post camp outing on Satur-



September/October swim awards at Clonea Strand Hote leisure centre. Most improved beginners on the saturday classes, Daire Drummey and Evan Hickey.

(Photo; Sean Byrne)



SHEEP: SPRING GRASS

Delaying closing dates this winter will save some Euro now, but cost a lot more next spring. It is still a problem on sheep farms ewes kept out too long in winter leading to insufficient grass in spring. The last solution is to feed meals.

CLOSE NOW

By the 1st November start closing fields for grass in late February/early March. Identify the fields you want to close first and arrange a rotation so that you close fields in the sequence you require. Fields near the sheep house should be closed first, they will be used at the start of lambing.

Closing now and spreading nitrogen in January should give a good cover of grass in March. Do not be tempted to re-graze in December even though there may be some nice regrowth, especially in fields closed in early November.

A ewe is easier to keep now than in March. In mid-pregnancy she will comfortably survive on 1 kg of grass dry matter (equivalent to 5 kg of fresh pit silage or 1.15 kg of meal). During lactation the ewe's requirement will increase up to 3 kg of grass dry matter. Therefore every effort should be made to have this grass available

CATTLE: Selecting Replacements for the Suckler Herd

An increasing number of weanling producers are now breeding their replacement heifers from within their own herd. Generally the larger farmers have (or should have) a specific breeding policy for the production of good replacements.

This can be done by using A.I. on selected cows. There are a number of Charolais and Limousin bulls available from the A.I. service with proven records for maternal traits. Although not maternally tested, many of the Simmental bulls available from A.I. can be used for the production of replacements.

For the farmer who is confined to using one terminal sire and is not in a position to use A.I. the selection of breeding stock from within his own herd is much more difficult. In this case the farmer should concentrate in having a number (minimum 30% of herd) of good cross cows from the dairy herd and selecting their progeny as replacements. In practice this would mean the farmer would be buying a little over one third of his replacements per year.

The replacement heifers should be selected from cows with good functional traits such as good feet and legs, good udder and teat placement, and a proven record of good fertility and progeny per-

Milk production in the suckler herd is now becoming the subject of much debate, especially in the case of _ bred continental cows. Many farmers think they can make up any loss in performance due to reduced milk production with increased meal feeding. This is an extra cost that the farmer could do without. Milk yield of the dam should be carefully considered when selecting heifers for breeding. **SELECTING THE HEIFERS**

Having identified heifers from suitable cows and bulls, the farmer now has the problem of selecting the most suitable for breeding. The heifer should have the potential to develop into a growthy R Grade cow. There are indications, especially from Scotland, that where farmers selected heifers with very good muscle development (generally E & U grade heifers) there was an increase in calving difficulty and a decrease in fertility.

CATTLE ON AUTUMN GRASS

Some farmers think that they will have a short Winter due to the high grass growth and favourable weather conditions. This may be true in the case of suckler cows and to a lesser extent for weanlings but not for 1_ year old beef cattle. The fields may look green but the grass, due to a number of factors such as low stocking rate and the recent high growth rate contains a lot of white butt this year. The quality of the grass is insufficient for maintenance plus a reasonable growth rate in the case of forward stores weighing over 500kgs. In fact they could be loosing weight and during October and definitely in November. Their cattle should be housed as soon as possible if good growth rates are to be maintained. Later grazing should be confined to suckler cows and weanlings

FARM FORESTRY

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Meeting on First Thinning of Farm Forests

A good thinning programme can increase the value of final crop timber by as much as 40% in well-managed forests. The crucial issues of actually getting farm forests thinned, the costs involved and finding markets for thinnings will be discussed at a meeting in the Hotel Minella, Clonmel on Tuesday November 4th at 8.00 pm.. The Forest Service and Teagasc invite farm forest owners, timber buyers and haulage and harvesting contractors to attend.

The purpose of the meeting is to provide an opportunity for farm forest owners, haulage and harvesting contractors and timber buyers to come together to discuss first thinning, including planning to get the work done and the timber sold. All involved in providing services to forest owners are invited, including forestry consultants, co-op personnel and forest management companies.

Last month, over 700 Farm Forest owners who have plantations over 10 years old attended very informative Field Evenings in every County on Preparing for First Thinning. At these Field Evenings, which were held on farm forest sites, the issues of actually organising the thinning of farm forests, the costs involved and finding markets for first thinnings were deemed crucial by all in attendance. The Forest Service and Teagasc urge all involved not to miss this opportunity to attend this follow-up meeting.

By the year 2015, the farm forestry sector will account for almost 25% of all Irish timber production and an increasing percentage thereafter. It is vital that farm forests are managed well and that every effort is made to ensure that a well-structured thinning service infrastructure is in place for the farm forestry sector.

IMPORTANT EVENTS

Farm Safety Statement:: A farm safety course will take place in Teagasc, Dungarvan on Nov. 19 & 20 10. - 1 p.m. and December 3rd 10.00 - 4.00 p.m. All participants will have a safety statement for their own farm fully completed by the end of the course.



FARMING LEADER

SOUTHEAST **ICMSA NEWS DAIRY FARMERS MUST UNITE AGAINST LATEST** THREAT

"All dairy farmers must unite to defeat the latest threat to their incomes. The latest challenge from the multiples will destroy the livelihoods of thousands of liquid milk producers. This is a time for action and solidarity", said Mr. Pat O'Rourke, President of the **ICMSA**

The reality is that if farmers do not supply milk unless they get a proper price, retailers will not be able to sell below the cost of production. Farmers in all parts of Ireland have a common interest to get a fair return from the market place. The recently established British and Dairy Farmers' Forum has already decided to address this issue. The decision of multiples and the threat to liquid milk producers which has emerged must be met head-on", said Mr. O'Rourke.

The reaction of some Co-ops to this development is to threaten to withdraw farmer contracts which is a blatant breach of farmers rights and the rules set out in the National Milk Agency Act. This Act states that extra costs for production of liquid milk must be taken into account. The Minister and the Government have a key role to play in this regard to ensure that the interests of producers and consumers are protected".

"Retailers should not underestimate the determination of dairy farmers in all parts of Ireland and Britain to demand a fair return. The day when retailers could play-off one group of farmers against the other is over", concluded Mr. O'Rourke.

ICMSA CALL FOR BUD-**GET 2004 TO FOCUS ON FARM INCOMES**

The Minister for Finance must take steps to reduce the cost burden on Irish farming". This was stated by Mr. Pat O'Rourke, President of ICMSA following presentation of the Association's Pre-Budget Submission to the Minister. In the 2003 Book of Estimates and Budget 2003, the Government imposed costs of over ?70 million on the farming sector. This and Illinois. is clearly unacceptable and this situation must be changed. ICMSA is calling for increases in the VAT rebate to farmers, a reduction in disease levies and changes to the stamp duty and capital allowances regimes to reduce costs on farmers in Budget 2004.

"The Government has committed itself in the 'Sustaining Progress Agreement' to ensuring a fair and balanced taxation system and in order to achieve this, Minister McCreevy must finally abolish the PAYE tax credit in Budget 2004 and replace it with improved personal tax credits for all taxpayers", said Mr. O'Rourke.

Southeast ICMSA Diary

Wed. 5th Nov - Co Waterford AGM in The Moorings Dungarvan at 8.00pm



Five women of the Australian Women in Farming who are currently visiting Co. Waterford pictured with members of the County Farm Family Group at a reception in Lawlor's Hotel. Included is Michael Keane, Acting Chairman Waterford IFA. They were presented with watercolours of local scenes by local artist Keith Thompson. —(Photo: Rory Wyley).

Waterford Farmer Gets Firsthand Insight into American Farming

Rosemary Kennedy, Rathgor-mack, winner of the 2003 FBD | very large units are being chal-lenged by the concerns of the Scholarship Tour in Co. Waterford was one of a group of farmers drawn from 938 IFA Branches for their voluntary help in developing the Association's membership. Here she writes of her experience on her visit to America and particularly the mid-west states of Wisconsin and Illinois and outlines some of the challenges and opportunities which the USA presents for Ireland's farming and food industry.

Recently, 30 IFA Branch members travelled to the USA to learn firsthand what impact the WTO negotiations would have on EU and Irish farming. The Scholarship Tour, sponsored by FBD Insurance, visited farms and met with Government representatives, co-ops and farming leaders throughout Wisconsin and Illinois and visited the world renowned Madison Dairy

While agriculture in the USA as a whole, is responsible for only 1% of the economic activity in the country, the farming and food industry plays a particularly important role in the mid-west states of Wisconsin

The farmers there are predominantly in milk and corn production and the average farm size is significantly bigger than Ireland's with dairy farmers producing over 1m litres of milk on average and with most tillage farmers are farming well in excess of 1,000 ac.

Speaking to US farmers, their plans for the future are to expand production, diversify into added value products such as on-farm cheese production and agri-tourism and work hard at improving cost efficiencies to stay profitable. Farmers see the cost of expansion and, particularly, the cost of complying with an increasing amount of environmental rules and regulations as the biggest threat to their viability. In addition, some farmers trying to develop

lenged by the concerns of the general public to factory farm-

Commenting on the thinking of US farmers, Rosemary Kennedy said that the farm input industry in Ireland would have to rationalise and help

drive down costs of production. He said: "American farmers enjoy cheaper input prices, particularly on fertilisers, sprays and feed. In addition, interest rates are lower and the minimum labour charge is significantly lower than that in Ireland.

BOVINE TB AND BRUCELLOSIS ERADICATION SCHEMES 2003/2004 HARDSHIP GRANT

- 1. The 2003/2004 Hardship Grant eligibility period will commence on 1 November 2003. It is designed to alleviate the costs difficulty of some owner/keepers whose holdings are restricted on foot of a herd re-test and where animals are retained and fed during periods of restriction. Potentially eligible owner/keepers must meet certain conditions including requirements that they (i) must not have any income from milk sales, and (ii) must not have any off farm income. The Grant may provide eligible owner/keepers with a payment of up to €250 per month for a period not exceeding 4 months within the period 1 November 2003 to 30 April 2004.
- 2. The specific eligibility criteria attaching to the Hardship Grant are outlined in the terms and conditions document which will accompany the application form ER97. Potentially eligible owner/keepers will be issued with the terms and conditions document, important notice and application form ER 97 by the District Veterinary Office. Supplies of the relevant documentation will also be available at District Veterinary Offices.
- The onus is on potentially eligible owner/keepers whose holdings are or may be restricted at a re-test at 1 November 2003 or during the period 1 November 2003 to 30 April 2004 to ensure that they obtain and familiarise themselves with the terms and conditions document and application form FR 97.

The onus is on the owner/keeper to apply for a Hardship Grant.

Owner/Keepers who received Hardship Grant payments in respect of a previous cycle of the Hardship Grant Scheme can qualify for a Hardship Grant during the current eligibility period 1 November 2003 to 30 April 2004 provided they meet all the eligibility criteria for 2003/2004 Hardship Grant.



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Lismore Notes

LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES



Lismore Golf Club, Club competition kindly sponsored by Kellehers Super Valu, Cappoquin. Pictured at the prize giving were I to r; Paddy O'Leary, Captain. T.W.Murphy, (Best Gross) Maurice Kelleher, Sponsor. Paul McCarthy, Winner. Maurice Cahilane, (3rd) and Willie Henry, President. (Photo; Sean Byrne).

RESULTS

Sat 25th -Mon 27th Oct: Open 18-Hole singles stroke. Sponsored by Supervalue Cappoquin. 1st Paul

McCarthy (11) 61 nett. 2nd Darragh McDermott Lahinch (14) 62 nett. 3rd Maurice Cahillane (9) 64

nett. Gross TW Murphy (1) 72. CSS Sat 68 nett; CSS Sun 68 nett; CSS Mon 69 nett.

Golfer of the year: 1st Pa Morrissey. 2nd John M McGrath.

FIXTURES

Wed 29th: Ladies day. Sat 1st -Sun 2nd November: Christmas Hamper-18-Hole singles stableford. For timesheets etc ring: (058) 54026 Membership applicants welcomed. Ridiculously low cost! Special offer-pay now and you are included for next season.

We had a great turnout of over 150 competitors, which was the best of the year. In our Bank holiday open stroke competition, it was also our last counting competition for our Golfer of the Year. Darragh McDermott (Lahinch) had an excellent 62 on Saturday and he was closely followed by two 64's. Nobody bettered these scores on Sunday, so it was up to the Monday Men to do the business and the scoring was again high with our own Paul McCarthy

(11), carding an excellent 61 strokes to claim an unprecedented hat trick of Supervalue wins. Darragh McDermott, whose father Lauri was President in 1984, was edged into the runners up spot. The third spot was hotly contested with committee member Maurice Cahillane (9) 64 nett, edging out John Whelan (13) & Corkman Martin Walsh (13), on the back 9. The Golfer of the Year prize went to Pa Morrissey (9), who posted a super 65 nett under a good deal of pressure. John McGrath was the runner up. The busy period continues next weekend with an 18-hole stableford competition, sponsored by Kearney's of Tallow. This is for the first Christmas hamper, which as always, is "worth winning". Next Saturday is our annual Captain's Dinner, which takes place in the clubhouse at 8.30pm. Tickets are available from the Captain's Paddy O'Leary & Siobhan Moroney & also secretary Bernard Dooley.

LISMORE LADIES GOLF

Results — Sunday 19th and Wednesday 22nd October – 18 Hole Stableford Members prize. 1st: Marion Moore (28) 40pts; 2nd: Brid Henry (16) 39pts

2nd: Brid Henry (16) 39pts.
Fixtures — Sunday 26th and
Wednesday 29th October – 12
Hole Stableford. Members prize.



Lismore Golf Club, Club competition, kindly sponsored by Mountview Fitted Funiture. I to r; Paddy O'Leary, Captain. Brendan Hannon, Winner. Anthony O'Rourke, Sponsor. Pa Morrisey, 2nd and Willie Henry, President.

(Photo; Sean Byrne).

BRIDGE CLUB CHARITY NIGHT

15th October

1. Ann Murphy and Ita Butler. 2. Martha Keniry and Noreen O'Sullivan. 3. Claire Meaney and Chris Roche. 4. Ann McCarthy and Gretta Barry. 5. Lil Costin and Brid Culloo. 6. Mary Radford and Andrew McGrath. 7. Pat Murphy and Addie Buckley. 8. Cora Quealy and Geraldine Canning.

LISMORE COMMUNITY PLAYGROUP

Just a reminder of our Halloween party on Friday October 24th from 10-11.30pm. For all the kids enrolled. Come along and enjoy the fun.

Lismore Bridge Club Results October 15th

1st: Ann Murphy and Ita Butler; 2nd: Martha Keniry and Noreen O'Sullivan; 3rd: Chris Roche and Claire Meaney; 4th: Ann McCarthy and Gretta Barry; 5th: Lil Costin and Brid Culloo.

MOTES MOTES

The courts were busy this week with three home games on Wednesday night and two on Thursday night. All five teams were victorious with a few 4-0 scorelines

Division 1 men were hosts to Terrerath who provided them with some very tough opposition. A couple of three setters went Lismore's way to give them A 3-1 win. Team; Pa Morrissey, Colin Coleman, John Pratt, Kieran Cahill.

Division Two ladies played neighbours Tourin and our very strong team took all four games on the night. Team; Mag Morrissey, Nicola Morrissey, Mary Murphy, Isabel McGrath.

Div four Ladies had Tallow as visitors and in some very tight games the winning ace was Lismore's to give the girls A 4-0 victory. Team: Maria Prendergast, Myra Ryan, Daphne Power, and Siobhan Ballantine.

Division Five ladies had a similar result taking all four points from visitor's Waterford without too much difficulty. Team; Breda Geoheghan, Cathleen O'Gorman, Linda Owens, Linda Bennett (sub).

Division five b Ladies had a close contest with Modeligo with Lismore just one ace away from taking all four games. With three of the team-playing league for the first time they will be quite happy with a 3-1 scoreline. Team; Ber Crowley, Olivia Roche, Rachel Owens, Rosanne Leddy (sub).

Well done to all teams keep it up folks!

Court Allocations for this week as follows.

Wed 29th 8-9. JOJO Match, Ann Bennett Train, Ber Crowley Train, 9-10. JOJO Match, Pa Train, Maria Prendergast Match.

Thursday 30th 8-9. Mag Train, Trevor Train, Paul Train. 9-10. Padraig Match, Connie Match, Social Court.

Monday 3rd. 8-9. Ann Train, Mag Train, Brenda Train. 9-10. Connie Train, Trevor Match, Social Court.

COVENT GARDEN SOPRANO FOR CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Lismore Choir celebrates its 21st Anniversary through the 2003 – 2004 season. A wonderful selection of major concerts, workshops and travel is planned to mark this occasion. The first of these concerts will be the annual Christmas Concert at Lismore Castle on the 13th, 14th and 15th December next. This is traditionally a Gala Weekend with wonderful seasonal music, mulled wine, mince pies and the comfort of the Banqueting Hall of the Castle, but this year the committee is excited to have secured the services of one of the finest young voices in Europe today, as our guest.

Elisabeth Woods, who is at present singing out of The Royal Opera House Covent Garden, has agreed to sing with the choir for the three Christmas Concerts. Elisabeth has studied under Dame Joan Sutherland and Dianne Furlane and has performed all over the world in Opera, Light Opera and recitals and there is no doubt but she will bring that special Christmas feeling to the Castle Concerts. Full details will appear closer to the time but remember those dates, Saturday 13th, Sunday 14th and Monday 15th December.

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Cappoquin Notes



CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE G.A.A. NOTES

Club Lotto

At the Blackwater House on Monday, 20th October the numbers drawn were 5-8-14-16 and there was no jackpot winner. Consolation prizes of 20e went to each of the following: Paul Ormonde, Green Street; Rita McCarthy, Salterbridge; Triona Osbourne, c/o Central Bar; Dick McCarthy, Barrack Street and Philly Kiely, London. This weeks draw was held in the 'Sportsmans Bar' on Monday and the jackpot was 3.600e. Results will appear in this section next week.

The History of Cappoquin/Affane G.A.A. Club Pat Casey is at present completing the history of the Cappoquin/Affane club at present. Any of you out there with old or new photographs, programmes or memorabilia could you please drop them into the 'Thousandaire Tailor' Noel Lonergan or contact Pat at 058 56748. All items will be photocopied and returned promptly.

The Sportsfield Is Just Not Good Enough

The powers that be in the Western Board who made fixtures have spelled it out loud and clear that grounds like Cappoquin Sportsfield are not fit to hold a Western final even when it is ideally geographically located for both clubs and has a far superior surface than the ground that is being used at the moment, which should be in superb conditions next spring, but not at the moment. As it stands it looks like a grid iron field in Dubai with the drainage lines running across it. It is not too long ago when the Nire and Dungarvan played a senior football final in Cappoquin. There was also a time in the 1970's when Waterford played a lot of their National league games there because the Fraher Field was closed down.

ness to the Western board they did a great job this year in running this championship so efficiently. The county board

Well Done

Well done to Ballinwillin on winning the Junior B Football

U16 Western Hurling Final

This Sunday in Bushy Park, Cappoquin U16 hurlers take on St. Pat's (St. Mary's, Sliabh gCua, Modeligo, Colligan, Kilgobnet combination) in the Western Division 2 final at Bushy Park at 11am. All your support for the lads would be appreciated.

U21 Hurling County Final

No date has yet been fixed for our U21 county final. In fairdid a great job this year in running this championship so efficiently. The county board should at this stage know well that club teams do not run on fresh air between training teams, transport and medical expenses it all adds up. So why had this championship been drawn out for seven months at this stage when it could have been run in two months at max. Does it now, now seem ludicrous that Fourmilewater were thrown out of the championship in which they would have had a right chance of winning because they wanted one week off in May because of University examinations and still the championship has yet to be

AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB

The club recently held a very enjoyable invitation night. Our President Miss Patricia Doyle extended a warm welcome to all players and their guests. Before she presented the prizes she thanked all those who had contributed to the success of the evening. She expressed the clubs gratitude to the hostesses. Mrs. Aide O'Neill speaking on behalf of the guests thanked the club for a wonderful event.

Results Section A

1st: Alice Butler and Brid Culloo; 2nd: Kay Barry and Brid Bergin; 3rd: Helen Buckley and Addie Buckley. Section B

1st: Mary Hanrahan and Helen McGrath; 2nd: Mary Radford and Doreen Keane; 3rd: Aide O'Neill and Mary Murphy.

SPEEDY RECOVERY

Speedy recovery to John Casey, Green St. who is currently in hospital. Also home from hospital, we wish a speedy recovery to James Meagher, Ballyhane.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Josie McCarthy, Mogeha on the death of her sister Nellie Cummins, Clonmel.

Three To Answer

1. What year did Jim Wall (Nire) win a Railway cup football medal with Munster?

2. Who are the only county to win an All Ireland minor hurling title without scoring a point?

3. Mick Flannelly won how many county senior hurling medals with Mount Sion? Last Weeks Answers

1. Cork did the treble in 1970 by winning the All Ireland Senior, U21 and Minor Hurling titles

Alan Brogan captained the Dubs to victory in this years All Ireland U21 football final against Tyrone.
 Billy Harty (Ard-

3. Billy Harty (Ardmore) scored a total of 1-17 (20) in this years Munster U21 football championship and scored 1-6 against Ennis.

CAPPOQUIN FLOWER CLUB

Hosts a Gala Christmas demonstration in Floral Art in the Boathouse on Tuesday, 4th November at 7:30pm by Ann O'Hara, A.O.I.F.A.

This, our annual public event, is earlier than usual due to the demand for the very popular and talented Ann O'Hara. Ann was with us a few years back and she amazed and delighted one and all with her wonderful and imaginative floral artistry. All are welcome so please take 'time out' in your busy lives and enjoy a relaxing and entertaining evening, see old friends and chat over a cup of tea.

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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations and best wishes to Tom Buckley, Church St. and Sandra Dowling, Kilkenny who got married at the weekend.

VILLERSTOWN SCHOOL REUNION

We held a very successful fund raising night in the Cuiscin Lan last Saturday and the craic was mighty. To say the Sliabh gCua Ramblers were good would be a understatement as they were brilliant and we sincerely thanksPaddy Joe and the gang for a great nights entertainment. A couple of the locals Ned Keane, Charlie Ware, Mairead Keane and Brendan Mernin were not shy when it came to singing a few songs, so a very enjoyable night was had by everyone. We held our draw on the night and the results are as follows: 1st prize portable TV won by Jim Joe Landers; 2nd prize meal for two at Richmond House won by Mary FM fashions, Lismore; 3rd prize voucher for Comeragh Oil won by Karen Landers, Villierstown; 4th prize voucher for East Cork Oil won by Darragh Curran, c/o Marie Keane; 5th prize George Foreman grill won by Thomas Morrissey, Bayview, Youghal Road, Dungarvan; 6th prize bottle of whiskey won by Marian Bailey, Villierstown.

We would like to thank all our sponsors who gave prizes and also the Carlton family for the use of their premises on Saturday night. We will be holding a meeting in the community hall on Monday 3rd of November at 8pm.

WEST WATERFORD DARTS

Friday next all roads lead to Deckies for what promises to be a night to remember when Lindseys and Morrisseys clash in the final of the league cup. Plus in the final of the plate Red House A and Paddy Mac's will contest to see who will pick up the silverware. This game is fixed for the Old Mill. Next Friday sees the start of the B league. First names are at home. Red House B v O'Donnells; Tigh na Cheoil v John Pauls; Marine v Deckies; Kiely's Cross v Salmons; Paddy Mac Bye.

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Billy O'Mahoney of the Old Mill for winning the County darts trials which were played in Clashmore last Saturday week. Billy, I always said that on your day you would beat anybody. If I was a county selector I would automatically bring you on board. Stick with it Billy. I'll prove you right, wait and see. Phone in results 058-52210 or 087 4146890 before 5:00pm on Saturday.

MELLERAY BADMINTON NOTES

The season has got under way once again. Our mens team travelled to Touraneena last week but did not have a good night. Our ladies had their first match at home to Waterford on Wednesday night and came out with a 3/1 win. We hope this is the first of many. Michael has the juveniles on Friday from 6:30pm to 7:30pm for primary students; 7:30pm – 9:00pm for secondary students, with the help of parents at each session.

We are very glad to say that all our members have paid their memberships, thank you. We had our annual Cake Sale last Sunday, 26th October. We wish to thank all the people that contributed both cakes and money and especially want to thank the people that are not in our club that gave us cakes for the event. We had a very successful day, one of our juvenile members helped out until the very last cake went, thank you Ivan.

TALLOW NOTES

BRIDEVIEW UNITED A.F.C. NOTES

Tony Bolger Cup Semi Final — **United Reach Final**

Brideview United 4 Kilworth Celtic 2

We advanced to the Tony Bolger Cup final after defeating Kilworth Celtic in Lismore. Overall we deserved to win against a young Kilworth side. Our goals came from the Henley brothers Roy and Brian, Michael Keating and William O'Neill. Manager Mick Sheehan was pleased with the performance but it did take some time for us to get on top and perhaps it was our experience that won it on the day. United now meet neighbours Valley Rangers in the final. Full match report in the Red House League

United: B. Sheehan, G. O'Neill, W. Murphy, D. Martin, J. Beecher, B. Henley, J.P. Grey, G. Doyle, R. Henley, W. Curley, M. Keating. Res used: W. O'Neill, M.

Curley, W. Henley, B. Donnelly, T. McSweeney, S. Pratt.

Lotto Jackpot

3,150 Euro

Last weeks numbers 10-21-23-24. No winner. Match 3 winners: Margaret Tobin and Adrian Hickey. Next weeks draw takes place in Luke Mc-Carthy's at 10pm.

Birthday Greetings

To Ciara Henley who cele-brates her 18th birthday. It's great to be young. Then we go the Green Road where Una Geary celebrates her birthday on Wednesday, I think. News

To Hand

A lot of news this week comes from Athlone where a big group of locals attended a wedding. A marvellous time was had by all. We had the Irish dancers, the Spirit dancers and then we had Cllr. James Tobin and his charming wife Ann give a terrific exhibition of dancing. Even Paddy was taken back by James. Real quality he said. This wedding got off to a good start in the church where a change of shoes had to take place due to the 'Help Me' message. Ha! Ha! Martin did a lot of damage with his crutch. Nuala was keeping a close eye on him. Patti was worried about Paddy's thing. It kept going in and out all day and all night. Ha! Ha!. The drummer was keeping an eye on Margaret Mai and Mary and did a great job. While Ger had his hands full with the East Cork girl. The Gaeltacht girl and hubby also enjoyed the craic. At 2:45am

we had the main speech of the day or should I say night from James. Father Griffen kept a close eye on everyone. Overall a very good day and John and Ann were delighted with the speech as indeed was Michael and Dolly. The Cllr. has a way with words.

Big Game For Brideview United

Yes, Sunday next sees Hibs from Waterford visit Tallow in the F.A.I. Junior cup. Hibs top of the Premier league in Waterford are one of the top clubs in the city at the moment and will no doubt start firm favourites to advance on Sunday next. These sides met again a few years ago in Waterford and after a four goal thriller, Hibs ran out winners after a penalty shootout. This is a big game for Brideview, and will indeed be followed soon by another big game when Piltown from Kilkenny will visit Tallow. These are the games that the

club look forward to and lets hope the lads will hit top form on the day. United should have a full squad to choose from and it will be interesting to see what team United will put out here. Managers Mick Sheehan and Tomas McCarthy have the job of doing this and I am sure they will get it right. This is a major task especially with so many young players coming through at the moment. This is of course due to the great work being done at Schoolboy level. Here Liam Aherne, Frank and Sheila Power, Noel and Mary Cunningham, Brian Donnelly and Ian Farmer are doing trojan work. Indeed I understand that at least four more adults are taking up the coaching of the schoolboy sides. The more the merrier as the saying goes. during the week no doubt on the picking of the team for Sunday. Of course come Sunday there are going to be some players not happy. However, there is very little the managers can do. All in the club wish the lads the best of luck on Sunday in what will be a difficult game for United. I understand Hibs will be staying in town for a while so we could have a good craic after the match either celebrating or drowning our sor-

Please Support

We would ask our supporters to come out in force and give the lads your vital support on

F.A.I. Junior Cup

Sunday next, November 2nd in Tallow - Brideview Utd v Hibs (Waterford). Kick off

Red House League Draw

The second draw takes place on Saturday night next at Powers bar, Mount Uniacke. The host club is Inch. We hope to have better luck next Saturday night. Best of luck to everyone.

Brideview Utd Schoolboy's Soccer Notes

U14's RESULT: Brideview Utd (10) V (7) GAELTACHT. OZZY and the TWISTER enjoy goal feast

Yes the scoreline was 10-7 in favour of Brideview Utd last Saturday when we travelled to play Gaeltacht.

The first half saw Brideview dominate when as early as 5mins Philip (Philo) Cunningham met a Thomas Ryan cross on the volley only to see the keeper save at the second attempt.On 7mins the ever tormenting duo of Ryan and Owens combined to see the Ozz man open the scoring, a minute later Ryan tore through the defence to see his shot go across the goal for William(the Wizzard) Cashman to slot home 2-0.A terriffic solo effort saw the Twister Ryan open his account 3-0.

The home side had chances and on 15mins pounced on a mix up in defence to score 3-1.Joey (the Yank) Power in goal made a great save soon after when the Gaeltacht forward looked certain to score. John(Ozzy) Owens used his strength and speed to persevere when making it 4-1.Our back line of Keith

(Boneshaker) Hallahan, Dean (Deano) Pratt, John (Coolio) Prendergast and Shaun (the Slider) O'Sullivan seemed in control, Hallahan ran the length of the field to shoot at goal and nearly score .He was so far forward that on the way back his passport had to be checked.A super passage of three touch football saw the Yank Joey kick out to Philo who with his first touch found Ryan who inturn shot to the net 5-1. Gaeltacht from a corner made it 5-2 but again Ryan was put through by Sean (the Rebel)Long to score his hatrick. Half-time 6-2.

The second half saw Gaeltacht take advantage of the sloping pitch to score two quick goals,game now on at 6-4.John Owens took off on another solo run to make it 7-4 but the home side replied with 3 goals of their own 7-7.On the side line Manager Noel(the Gaffer) Cunningham who was been helped by his son Noel jnr (is this a first for Brideview, a father and son coaching team?) made positional changes and introduced both subs available to them.Shane (Sol) Ahern who was returning from a niggling groin injury and Donnacha (Tyrone) Mulcahy made an impact and steadied the team. A penalty converted by the Twister put us ahead again 8-7,Ozzy played through to Ryan-goal 9-7, and to finish up the Ozz man got his fourth and Brideview's 10th to make it 10-7. Incredible stuff.

On the day Joey Power in goal continued to stake a claim for the no1 shirt, defenders Hallahan, Pratt (capt), Prendergast and O'Sullivan did well. In midfield Cashman, Long, Cunningham and Kevin (the Dynamo) Curley battled long and hard while Ryan and Owens proved a lethal scoring duo.A goal feast

indeed. Captain:Dean Pratt. Man of the Match :Jaysus(the gaffer kept calling out to

Goal of the Game: any of Ryan and Owens, Moan of the Game: The Gaffer (when the score was 7-7). Tackle of the Game: The Boneshaker.

FIXTURES FOR **SATURDAY 1st NOVEMBER**

U12's V Pinewood, U14's V Pinewood, bus leaving the square Tallow 12noon.Fare

U16's check with Manager as fixture not confirmed.

SCHOOLBOY'S COMMITTEE.

SCHOOLBOY'S COMMIT-TEE next meeting in the gym WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 5th at 8pm.

NOTES FROM SCOIL MHUIRE, TALLOW

Mid-term is here already. Time waits for no man and this is particularly true in our neck of the woods as day by day the term unfolds with challenges old and new for pupils and staff alike September 1st saw us all back in harness ready for the new term. Once Horse Fair day was over we knew summer had ended and work began in earnest. We welcomed Mrs. Marian Barry B. Ed to the staff. We wish her many happy years in Scoil Mhuire. Our 14 new entrants settled very quickly into their new surroundings. Recycling

Waterford County Council invited the pupils to a recycling pro motion in the guise of a show entitled 'Piparella and the Los Colours' in Ballyduff Hall. The children enjoyed the show which clearly showed the importance of recycling. Our school policy of use, reuse and recycle' was highlighted.

Hallelujah Concert

The Senior Classes have been practising the songs which they will sing in the Point Theatre, Dublin on Sunday 7th Dec. Partic ipation in this event will be a wonderful experience for the children. We are all looking forward to the occasion.

Thanks

We extend a sincere thank you to the outgoing officers and committee members of our Parent's Council under the leadership of the Chairman David Doyle. They worked very hard at fundraising events and gave help and support in every way possible to teachers and pupils over the last few years. We appreciate

Thank you also to Rev Fr. Michael Slattery who sent us another large consignment of superb books. These books, based mainly on the Arts, are of tremendous value in the school. Fr. Michael works in Los Angeles but has not forgotten his birthplace of Main Street, Tallow. We wish him well and send him greetings from all in the school.

Thank you to Sheila in the Tallow Library who entertained and fed the children on Friday 24th October, during their visits and went to great trouble to decorate the premises for Halloween. The children enjoyed the visit and most were members of the li-

Schools Football

Congratulations to the boys of Scoil Mhuire who qualified for the Semi-Finals of Roinn A of the West Waterford Primary Schools League. They recorded wins over Lismore, Ballyduff. Cappoquin, and Dungarvan. They also qualified for the Western Finals of the Mini 7's football. Our girls have qualified for the semi-finals of Roinn B which will be played in Abbeyside on

We endeavour to promote an interest in all sporting activity in the school as part of a healthy lifestyle.

School reopens on Monday 3rd November and time will fly

TALLOW, BALLYNOE AND DISTRICT GUN CLUB

As the new season approaches quickly we are asking all our members to be vigilant and safe having respect for the landowner whose land we shoot over. We would like to remind all our landowners that all paid up members of the above club are fully covered under the N.A.R.G.C. compensation fund. The following list is of those members that are insured and paid up to date: Liam O'Brien, Bertie Hickey, John Leahy, Joyce Ruigrok; Daniel Delaney, James Henley, Ritchie Pratt, Billy Condon. Tadhg McCarthy, Victor Delaney, Walter McCarthy, Moss Geary. Kevin Allen, Gerry O'Dwyer, John Coughlan, David Allen, Jim O'Brien, Tom-Joe Daly, Michael Hunt, David Aherne, Patrick Aherne, John O'Brien, Kieran O'Brien, Philip Pratt, Kristin Jameson, Ross Tobin, Martin Moore, Jim Aherne, Christy Robinson, John Beecher, Gerard Beecher, John William McCarthy. Jack Aherne.

We wish everyone a safe and happy shooting season.

TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE RESULTS

Helen Canavan, Fermoy, Biddy Ryan, Youghal, Norrie Murphy, Kilmore, Marina O'Keeffe, Lismore, Francis Forrest, Youghal, Kathleen Manahan, Cappoquin, Lisa Hennessy, Tallow, Margaret Daly, Tallow, Bertie Neville, Lismore, Noreen Hartigan, Conna, Katty Farrell, Fermoy, Maura Deedy, Midleton, Rose O'Driscoll, Killeagh, Jackie Forbes, Tallow, Mary Mangan, Tallow, Tony McNamara, Cappoquin, Mrs Kenifick, Youghal, Nora McCarthy, Main Street, James Leahy, Aghern, Mary Milward, Castlelyons, Seamus Walsh, Carlow and Jackie Forbes, Tallow. Next week jack pot euro 810 on 28 calls or less.

WEST WATERFORD NOTES



Visitors from the USA

Our club will be host to members of the Canadian /USA/ English Pony Clubs. They will be visiting Ireland on the invitation of the Irish Pony Club to take part in 10 days of hunting with local clubs.

Here in West Waterford it is planned that they will be in our area on the weekend of November 28th, the clubs will be making plans for their entertainment.

Hallowe'en

The Halloween event will be in Ballyrafter on Thursday next starting at 6.00pm, with the small members of the club and 7.00pm for all others there will be games and show jumping combined. It will be a fun night for all, so do come in Halloween/fancy dress.

So, I'll look forward to seeing you all in Ballyrafter next Thursday.

Death Of Riche Bagge

With deep sadness and regret we learned of the death in England during the past week of Richie Bagge, formerly of Ballyheeney Clashmore. This is the second devastating blow in the past month, for the Bagge family on September 13th, Richie was predeceased by his sister Molly Veale Springfield, Kinsalebeg.

To all of Richie's family and friends we extend our deep sympathy. Ar Dieis Dé go raibh a anam.

West Waterford Pony Club AGM

The Annual Parents Meeting of the West Waterford Pony Club was held in the Devonshire Hotel, Tallow on Thursday October 16th. The outgoing D.C. Joan Dahill welcomed the parents and gave an account of the years activities which include swimming, running and riding and stable management.

The outgoing treasurer Marie Hennessy reported the club to be finance healthy. After a lengthy debate on the years activities the following committee were elected.

District commissioner:
Marie Hennessy; Hon Secretary: Oonagh O'Keeffe; Hon
Treasurer: Catherine O'Brien;
Committee: Mary Prendergast, Joan Vaughan, Joan
Dahill, and Brigid Collins.
Sara Wilson, Clare Connell
and Mary Barry Murphy.;
Children's Officers: Joan
Vaughan and Sara Wilson;
Safety officers: Marie Hennessy; PRO: Joan Dahill.

ANNUAL QUIZ
Our annual table quiz will
be held in Ballyrafter House
Hotel on Saturday November
22nd at 8.15pm. There will
be numerous prizes to be won

as in other years.

Lines From Piltown School

OCTOBER NON STOP DRAW

The Kinsalebeg Parents Association Non Stop Draw for October took place in Kinsalebeg during the past week. The following were our winners: Sally Anne Gleeson, promoter: Darren Foley; Eoin O'Halloran, promoter: Katie O'Halloran; Mary Deady, promoter: Robbie Deady; John Russell, promoter: Elaine Russell.

A big thank you to all our supporters and our great team of young promoters. Thanks to your brilliant effort this draw continues to a huge success.

Sympathy

The death of Donal Flynn took place on Tuesday evening, October 21st following a long illness fought with great courage and dignity. During his short but very full life, Donal achieved more than most who live to a great old age. Donal like each of his brothers was an optimist.

His career in the hotel industry began almost the day he was born like all successful family enterprises, growing up Donal and his brothers all had an active role in all aspects of the business. They were greatly influenced by their remarkable Mum Dottie and in recent years they expanded their business interests and purchasing hotels at various locations throughout the country.

Donal was a man of industry and hard work. In the eyes on his employees he was always a fair and honourable employer. His instructions were always clear and never over demanding. It was not unusual to see Donal working hard hand in hand with the staff at the Park whereever help was needed.

Donal's death has left a huge void in the family dynasty. His family and friends have all been deeply saddened by his passing.

He will be greatly missed by his wife Evie, his mother Dottie, his brothers Niall, Allen, John and Pierce, their families and all his relatives and a huge circle of friends to whom we tender our deepest and heartfelt sympathy.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

Clashmore Lotto – Jackpot 2,230e

The Clashmore/Kinsalebeg GAA club lotto jackpot was not won last Monday night so next week there is 2,230e to be won. The numbers out on Bank Holiday Monday night were 4-7-8-22. The winners consolation prize winners were: Nora Daly, Piltown; J.J. Fitzgerald, Claddagh; J. O'Callaghan; Derek Mangan. Well done all. Draw next Monday November 3rd at Ui Domhnaill's.

Sympathy

Our deepest sympathy is being extended to Margaret Murphy and her family, Veronica, Fiona, Joanne, Clare, Denis Jnr and Christopher on the death of husband and father Denis.

Denis, a well known, hard working and popular Youghal Town Councillor died unexpectedly at this home on Monday, October 13th. Throughout his public life, his contribution to Youghal Town was immense. He worked with great zeal and zest for the people he represented. His popularity extended far beyond the bounds of Youghal town.

His passing is a huge loss not only to his family and friends but also to the entire population of the town of which he was so very proud.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

Clashmore 45 Drive

Just a reminder to all those who missed the early start deadline last Monday night, we will be starting at the earlier time of 8:30pm sharp next Monday night – you have been warned.

The results of the Bank Holiday Monday night 45 drive were as follows - topping the poll for a long over due win on ten games were Tony Keane and Gabriel Hynes. Following in joint second on seven games each were Paddy Lynch and Johnny O'Callaghan, Tomas Allen and Jack Douris, Mairead and Michael Fahy. Best of the last five were Edmond Ledingham and Mike Hunt. Lucky last game winners were Bernard Moloney and Billy Allen, Aine Curran and Pat O'Halloran. Well done all.

Ui Domhnaill's Dart News

Players please note Division two league starts this Friday night. No fixture at time of writing these notes.

Death of Kattie Ronayne

Aglish and surrounding area lost an old and widely respected resident with the death on Tuesday, October 21st of Mrs. Kattie Ronayne, Old School Road, Aglish. Her husband Phil in May 2002 predeceased Kattie. Held in high regard by all sections of the community, she enjoyed the respect and esteem by all who knew her and her death was learned of with sentiments of sincere and genuine regret.

Reposing at Drohan's Funeral home, Dungarvan removal took place on Thursday. Kattie was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. To her daughters Mary, Catherine and Alice and their families, her nephew Tom Coffey and Margaret Leahy and all her relatives and friends, we extend our deepest sympathy. May she rest in peace.

Keereen Song Contest For The Michael Lynch Memorial Trophy

The 2nd heat of the above contest was held in Keeren's last Friday night. A great night was had by all. We have to thank musician Pat Barry, Judges: Pab, Teresa and M.C. Paul. The four qualifiers going through to this Friday nights grand final are William Walsh, Tom Fitzgerald, Kathy Devine and Charles Ware

Judging by the talent on show from both heats, the final will be sure to be eagerly contested and will surely be enjoyed by all and sundry. Who will walk away with the Michael Lynch Memorial trophy for 2003. You have to be present in Keereen at 9:00pm to see for yourself.

After a draw held in Keereen on Monday night the running order for the final is as follows:
1. Olivia Morrissey; 2. Tom Coffey; 3. Willie Walsh; 4. Charles Ware; 5. Paula O'Neill; 6. Tom Fitzgerald; 7. Angela Glavin; 8. Kathy Devine.

Best of luck to all the competitors on the night!!

CLASHMORE/ KINSALEBEG G.A.A. NOTES

Lotto — No winner of the lotto draw held on Monday 20th. Numbers drawn were 6-7-19-24. 15e to each of the following: Eddie Moloney, Tinnock; Jim Kennedy, Newtown; Gavin Dalton, Modeligo; Terry Flynn, Monetera and Billy Hynes, Newtown. Results of draw held on Monday 26th for a jackpot of 2,100e will be in next weeks notes.

Deise Draw — All tickets and money to be with draw co-ordinator Mick O'Neill by this Thursday night. Final draw takes place on this Friday night hosted by Colligan GAA club at Quills, The Pike.

Munster Club Football Division 2 Semi Final — Clashmore 0-8, Cahir 1-11 — We travelled to Cahir last Saturday to play the Tipperary County champions and after a hard fought game we were beaten by six points.

Sympathy — Sincere sympathy to the Flynn family, the Park Hotel, on the death of Donal Flynn last week. Ar dheis De go

Foroige AGM

On Friday night last we held our Annual General Meeting at Kinsalebeg Foroige Club. Group leader Fiona O'Brien assisted by Marie Burke, presided over the meeting. The following officers were elected for the 2003/2004 year. Chairperson: Ciaran Burke; Secretary: Carmel O'Keeffe; Treasurer: Marie O'Halloran; P.R.O: Sarah Kate Ledingham. Thanks to our outgoing officers who did an excellent job this past year. Our group meets every Friday night in Kinsalebeg hall.

PÖKER CLASSIC
Well done to Mary Deady, last
weeks winner of our weekly
poker classic at Ui Domhnaill's
Bar. Cards again this and every
Wednesday night. All welcome.

In Appreciation Of Molly Veale

Springfield, Kinsalebeg

Molly Veale was a much loved figure among the community in which she loved. She was a very energetic, positive and strong character, her warm and humorous personality and her deep spiritual faith, reflected on everyone who came in to contact with her in her daily life.

A member of an old local Clashmore family, Molly was one of six children of Patrick and Katie Bagge, Ballyheeney. Educated at Clashmore National School and Youghal Technical College, Molly began her working career with the Roche family at Woodbine Hill, in an era when times were hard in Ireland,

travel offered greater opportunities.

No stranger to hard work Molly too took the opportunity to travel, first to Limerick where her sister Kathleen Twomey and

travel, first to Limerick where her sister Kathleen Twomey and family resided then to England. Despite all far away places had to offer her heart was always in West Waterford and she returned home in the late 1950's.

Following her marriage to Johnny Veale she moved to the other end of the Parish, to Springfield in Monatrea, where she and Johnny successfully combined the business of a shop and farm, raised a family of three children and Molly also cared for her brother-in -law Denis until his death in 1970.

When her husband Johnny was taken ill she lovingly cared for him until his death in 1992. Despite all the crosses which Molly endured throughout her life, this remarkable lady never doubted God's love for her. Her strong personal faith sustained her through all her difficulties. Her great devotion and commitment to her Christian faith were evident in her regular attendance at Mass and all the Church services especially on Mondays at exposition in Piltown.

Molly was a tremendous family woman and took great pride in the achievements and successes of her family, how proud she would have been to see her daughter Geraldine co-opted on to a seat in Waterford County Council, sadly that was not to be.

Molly was a well-read and most knowledgeable lady, she enjoyed reading and looked forward to the daily paper. She was held in high esteem by all who knew her especially among her neighbours, Nonie Connors and Nellie O'Brien, whom she used to visit on a daily basis, when "Topics" of local and national "importance" were discussed. A most remarkable lady who lived life to the full.

Until her illness in March, in the weeks that followed Molly was lovingly cared for by her family and by the staff at Youghal Hospital where she died peacefully on Saturday September 13th. Reposing at Egans Funeral Home Youghal, the huge crowd who attended her removal which took place to Piltown church on Monday evening and again at Requiem Mass on Tuesday, following which Molly was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery was ample testimony to the respect and high esteem in, which Molly was held.

To her loving family, her daughter Geraldine, sons Michael and John her daughters-in-law Nora and Wendy her grand-daughter Amanda, her brother Pa and Richie, who sadly died during the past week in England. All their relatives and wide circle of friends we extend our deepest and heart felt sympathy. Eternal rest o Lord grant to Molly and Richie, may they rest in peace.

Clashmore-Kinsalebeg Ploughing Association

ANNUAL PLOUGHING MATCH RESULTS

The Annual Clashmore Kinsalebeg Ploughing match was held on Sunday October 5th in ideal weather conditions on the lands of the Seamie McGrath. We have a large number of competitors competing in all the various classes. The winners were as follows:

Senior Two Furrow — 1. Tom Kirwin, Kill; 2. Michael Lenihan; 3. Michael Kirk, Gortroe

Under 28 — 1. Philip Murphy Kill; 2. John O'Connell Clashmore/Kinsalebeg

Farmerette — 1. Helena Hynes, Clashmore/Kinsalebeg **Open Three Furrow** — 1. James Prendergast Ardmore Three Furrow Standard —
1. Paddy Power Knockanore
3-4 Standard Novice — 1.
Paul O'Brien, Knockanore; 2.
Darragh Curran, Clashmore.

Vintage Trailer - 2 Furrow — 1 William Murphy; 2. Maurice Walsh; 3. Denny Hennessy; 4. Sean Murphy.

Hydraulic Vintage 2 Furrow — 1. Connor Butler; 2. Noel Larkin.

Vintage Single-Furrow — 1. Dan Lenihan Reversible Senior — 1.

Brian Murphy
Reversible Under 28 — 1.
Patrick Prendergast.

Once again thank you to Seamie McGrath who made his land available for the event also our sponsors, competitors and all our supporters.

DISABILITY AWARENESS

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

What is Alzheimer's Disease?

Alzheimer's disease is a form of dementia, there are several kinds of dementia, but this article is concentrating on the form of dementia called Alzheimer's disease.

Alzheimer's disease is the most common form of dementia, and the brain cells are slowly destroyed. During the course of the disability the chemistry of the brain changes and cells, nerves and transmitters are attacked. This leads to the brain shrinking and the lisability is caused by the progressive degeneration of brain cells. It is most common in people aged 65 and older.

Symptoms of Alzheimer's Disease

This disability begins with memory loss, mood swings, confusion, problems with language, disorientation to time and place (a person with Alzheimer's can forget what year it is and get lost in their own home), normal household chores can become difficult, and this can cause irritability and apathy.

As the disability advances, symptoms become increasingly frightening, especially for the families, the person with the Alzheimer's disease will forget names of close family members, dressing, personal hygiene and wandering off can also cause problems.

Early diagnoses is very important, so that people with Alzheimer's and their Carers can get the support and help that is available. An early diagnosis is vital, because medical professionals can treat symptoms such as depression and the side effects from medications, which aggravate Alzheimer's disease.

Treatment and Outlook for people with Alzheimer's New drug treatments such as Aricept and Exelon have been proved to be most effective in patients in the early stages of the disability, these drugs do not cure the disability but at present the main function is to delay the progression of Alzheimer's. There is no cure for Alzheimer's, but the symptoms such as depression and agitation can be treated with medication. It is also vital that the person with Alzheimer's the Carers and the families have suitable support from the medical profession and from support groups. Caring for a person that has Alzheimer's can be very demanding and it is important to get support and help from a sup-

port group, and to make sure that Respite Care is available.

Although the progressive deterioration of the brain cells cannot be stopped, there have been advances into the causes of the condition and Research into the various forms of dementia continues. If you would like further information regarding Alzheimer's support organisations etc., please contact Waterford Disability Network. (This article is to make people aware of different disabilities, and is information only; it is not a replacement for professional medical advice). We provide information, support and advocacy for people with disabilities, (Physical, Sensory, Learning, Mental and Emotional Health). For further information relating to Disability issues please contact or visit:

Waterford Disability Network (P.W.D.I.) 22 Lower Main Street

> Dungarvan Co. Waterford Phone/Fax No. 058 – 23740 Email: pwdi@cablesurf.com

Website: www.waterforddisability.com (This project is supported by The Social Inclusion Programme of Waterford Leader Partnership)

Housing Development Planned For Cappoquin

KEVIN KIRRANE

Fifteen townhouses are being planned for Lower Main Street and Mass Lane in Cappoquin, it has been announced.

Dene's Yard Development, under the name of David Keane, has notified the planning authority that they intend to apply for planning permission for the construction of 15 two and three bedroom houses.

The Lower Main Street, and Mass Lane sites have been vacant for a number of years, and were described as "prime residential sites," by Deputy Ollie Wilkinson, who said he very much welcomed the news.

If permission is granted, the development would consist of twelve 3 bedroom houses, and three 2 bedroom townhouses, together with associated site works and entrances.

The publication of the planning notice follows on from the news that T&A Fitzgerald are planning a second phase of twenty houses at Abbey Glen on the far side of Cappoquin. They previously built seventeen houses, and six of the planned new houses have already been sold.



October saw the end of an era for more than one generation of Dungarvan's parents and children, with the retirement of Winnie Wall, as School Warden at the C.B.S. Dungarvan. Winnie has monitored the crossing on Mitchell Street for an astonishing 20 years. During that time, her cheerful, friendly disposition has been a comfort to many a child and indeed parent suffering the trauma of new school blues. Winnie has been one of our best loved "Lollipop Ladies" and her presence on the streets of Dungarvan will be sorely missed.

Pictured on her last day, with some of her colleagues from Dungarvan Town Council (I. to r.) Carmel Power, Pauline Lenihan, Fiona O'Riordan, Joe O'Flaherty, Winnie Wall, Brid Veale.

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Exhibitions In The Old Market House Arts Centre



Currently on show in The Old Market House Arts Centre, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford is the RDS Art Student Award Scheme and Travelling Exhibition. This exhibition continues until Friday 14th of November 2003. The Arts Centre is open Tuesday to Saturday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Admission is free & all are welcome.

CREDIT

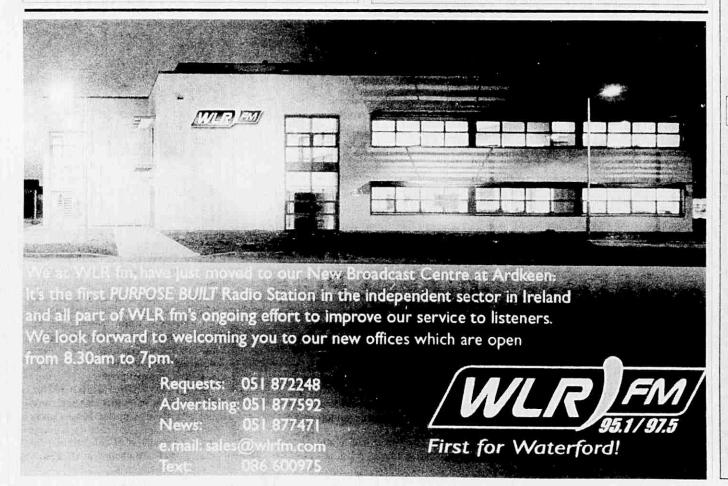
There are many types of credit available and most are easy to use. Credit cards, hire purchases and other types of credit can all be availed of by simply filling in a form.

It is fine to use credit as long as it does not turn into a debt, which can then cause all sorts of problems and worry.

Before you use credit please consider the following points:

- Do you really need the goods? Give this a lot of thought before you buy.
- Find out the total cost of the goods to you.
- Shop around, compare prices and go for the best deal.
- Ask about APR. This is the Annual Percentage Rate, which every lender is obliged to tell you.
- Always use reputable companies or traders. Never use illegal moneylenders.
- Do not use your home as security for a loan.
- Read all documents carefully. If you do not understand it, do not sign it. Get someone to explain it to you.
- 8. Interest rates may increase so do not take on too much at any one time.
- Keep all receipts for payments made.
- Finally, try to save the amount you would be repaying before hand. If you cannot afford to do this then you cannot afford the credit.

The Money Advice and Budgeting Service is based at Civic Offices, Davitts Quay, Dungarvan (Tel 058-44922) and provides a service throughout the West Waterford area. It is part of the national MABS Service and is free, confidential and independent. Visit our web site www.mabs.ie





DUNGARVAN TOWN COUNCIL SNIPPETS

BY KEVIN KIRRANE

Electronic Voting **Machine Not** Wheelchair Accessible



Members of the public and public representatives have still not been informed of either the operational details or security aspects of the new electronic voting system although it will be used in next Junes local elections, Fine Gael Councillor, Damien Geoghegan said.

According to Cllr. Geoghegan, voting trends indicate, that as the turnout at the

next local elections will be quite low; - "the last thing that's needed are people not voting purely because they are unaware of how any voting system is operated or are unable to operate the actual machine."

Cllr. Geoghegan proposed the council should write to the Minister for Local Government, Martin Cullen, and call on him to initiate an awareness campaign.

"I feel there is merit in a proposal which would initially see the Minister and the officials at his Department...informing and educating public representatives at all levels of how the proposed system operates," Clir. Geoghegan

Problems have already been discovered with the systems use, he added, saying that he was informed by a young wheelchair user; "she would not be voting in next years Local and European Elections because the proposed electronic voting machines will in fact be too

"It's absolutely incredible," Cllr. Geoghegan continued, "to have a situation like this develop in the year of people with disabilities, and the reality is the minister and his officials need to explain how they intend to resolve issues such as this, thereby ensuring all polling stations and voting machines will be accessible for people with disabili-

Cllr. Michael O'Riordan (Indp) said the Town Council are currently training Town Clerk, Brian White, in the operation of this

"When he is fully trained," he added, "Brian White has assured me, he will be able to give us a full break down on how the system works."



Fianna Fail Councillor, Nuala Ryan added that a recent AMAI conference informed members there would be a full information campaign on the use of electronic voting before the local elec-

"We were also assured that there wouldn't be another Nora Owen situation, where all the results came out at once,

but that each of the candidates results would scroll out separately on the screen."

However, she agreed with Cllr. Geoghegan that the Minister should be written to with regard to wheelchair accessibility.

Skateboard **Enthusiasts** Call For **Facilities**

Skateboarding enthusiasts are calling for a park or other skateboarding facilities to be set up in the town similar to those in Tramore and Waterford city, Cllr. Nuala Ryan informed the council.

She said skateboarders don't have any official place to skate in the town. "Skateboarding out in the middle of the road is fairly dangerous in this day and age," she added.

County Manager, Donal Connolly, said he would come back to the council at a later stage on the proposal.

Nightclub Dancing To A Different Beat

Public representatives have received a number of complaints about the possible operation of a licensed premises as a nightclub.

Cllr. Damien Geoghegan (FG) said the once-off social event, and premises is located in Upper O'Connell a premises, which can hold Street, and is "totally unsuitable" as a a far larger group of peonightclub.

The Town Council in itself has no control over the granting of a dance license, and the extension of opening hours, but he called on the council to write to Superintendent Mick Blake to express its con-

"I've already written to Superintendent much" to hear senior mem-Blake myself on this," he said.

County Manager, Donal Connolly, reiterated that the council has no control over the granting of an extension, and said "then see this." there is no definition in planning laws of a nightclub.

"If a licensed premises receives a dance would look at the legal and license, and an extension of its opening hours, if can in effect act as a nightclub," he explained.

However, Clir. Billy Kyne (Lab) argued that there is a major difference between a premises or club holding a ple, in terms of noise and nuisance factors.



According to Cllr. Geoghegan, the proprietors are also planning to open an entrance onto Western Terrace; "that can't be allowed to happen," he said.

Cllr. Damien Dillon said it was "a bit

bers of the Gardai talk about limiting the opening hours of premises, and

County Manager, Donal Connolly said the council planning options open, and Clir. Damien Dillon "write to Supt. Mick Blake to express our

concerns."



Consultant Appointed For Marina Development



brief for companies pro- for Marina submissions process. Harbour.

consultant's fee proposal for the provi- developer and the Town Council for land sion of 5,000 euros was very competitive on Walton's Park, has already been suband Mr. McClure has a great deal of ex- ject of a warning from Cllr. Billy Kyne pertise in consultancy work.

County Manager, Donal Connolly, said deal. missions, and draw up guidelines on ac- weeks.

A Belfast consultant, cepting or rejecting plans for a marina.

Kirk McClure, has been To remain within Public Procurement appointed to oversee the Rules, Mr. Connolly said, the consultants preparation of a suitable would also draw up terms of reference

posing to develop a mari- "The consultant has the expertise to Dungarvan deal with this," he added, "and I believe he gave us a good rate."

The Town Council were One possible proposal, believed to ininformed that the Belfast volve a potential land-swap between the (Lab) that he would oppose any such

the council was required to appoint an The Town Council are expected to adindependent consultant to oversee sub- vertise for submission in the forthcoming

Bin Collection Headache In **Grattan Square**

Businesses in the centre of Dungarvan were left with the impression that all bin collections would take place at 8am after a recent advertising campaign by Dungarvan Town Council, Cllr. Billy Kyne



But after one business person in the square phoned the Town Council for details on when the actual time for pick-up in the centre of town would take, he wasn't given the information.

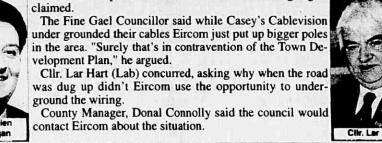
"Obviously all the bins can't be picked up at the same time," he continued. "And this person didn't feel they were given the right information."

"Even if people were told, bins in Grattan Square wouldn't be picked up before 9.30am this would've been a help," Cllr. Kyne said, adding that more information, and a more detailed schedule of pick-up times should have been given.

However, Town Engineer, Dan O'Donovan said that rubbish will not be collected in the Town Centre before 9.30am, and that the adverts were for the start of collections generally, not the start time in all areas.

Eircom In Contravention Of Development Plan

Eircom's failure to underground telephone wires in Caseyville is in contravention of the Town Development Plan, Cllr. Damien Geoghegan



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> lewing strictly by appointment Price region €99,000



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CO. WATERFORD

For Sale by Private Treaty

uperb location, pristine interior and landscaped gar-

dens make this a dream house not to be missed. This

etached 5 bedroomed dormer bungalow has a spa-

cious interior which has been lovingly decorated to a

high standard and more than adequately meets all of

the requirements of modern day living. OFCH. Acc:

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baths, garage. 216 sq.m. (2335 sq. ft.) approx.

KILGOBINET, DUNGARVAN, CO. WATERFORD For Sale by Private Treaty

Soak up the spectacular views of Dungarvan bay and it's environs from this spacious three bedroomed bungalow standing on 0.5 of an acre approx. An ideal family/holiday home on a magnificent elevated site with 180° panoramic sea and countryside views. The property is conveniently located just 3 miles approx. from Dungarvan town centre. Acc: Porch, ent. hall, lounge, kit./dining, utility, wc, bath, 3 beds (1 ensuite), garage, OFCH. 130 sq.m. (1400 sq. ft.) approx.

Viewing strictly by appointm Price on application



SHANACOOLE LODGE, KINSALEBEG, VIA YOUGHAL For Sale by Private Treaty

MUNSBORO, CLONEA POWER,

CARRICK ON SUIR, CO. WATERFORD

For Sale by Private Treaty

Comfortable recently constructed 3 bedroomed bun-

galow boasting a bright interior located in this most pic-

turesque area of County Waterford. Situated close to

the wonderful Mahon Falls, the property stands on 0.75 of an acre approx. and it's location makes for

ideal commuting to Carrick on Suir, Waterford city or

Dungarvan. OFCH. Acc: Ent. hall, lounge, living,

kit./dining, 3 beds, bath. 128 sq.m. (1,375 sq. ft.)

Viewing strictly by appointment.

Price region €230,000

Nestling on 24 acres approx. this 4 bedroomed bungalow boasts a dream location enjoying waterside access to the mouth of the River Blackwater at it's entrance to Youghal Bay. Spectacular views of Youghal Bay and the east Cork coastline fill the bright reception rooms and as nightime falls the lights of Youghal gliste on the clear waters creating a fairytale vision. Perfect haven for those who wish to benefit from the natural resources of the local area including fishing, swimming, golf etc. Located just 4 miles approx. from Youghal and 14 miles approx. from Dungarvan on the main Rosslare to Cork route, the property also enjoys good road frontage. OFCH. Acc: Ent. hall, lounge, dining, kit., 4 beds ensuite), bath, garage. 126 sq.m. (1,358 sq. ft.) approx.

Viewing strictly by appointme



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For Sale by Private Treaty



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Price region €249,000



CLASHMORE, CO. WATERFORD For Sale by Private Treaty

O'Malley's Convenience Store is a long established business located on the Main Street in Clashmore Shop 45 sq.m. (460 sq. ft.) approx. There is a 3 bedroomed house adjoining the business. Acc: Living,

Price on application

kit., 3 beds, bath. 62 sq.m. Viewing strictly by appointment FURRALEIGH, KILMACTHOMAS, DUNGARVAN, CO WATERFORD. For Sale by Private Treaty

approx. plus garage. 28 sq.m. (294 sq. ft.) approx.



Located a stones throw from the magnificent Mahon Falls this pretty 3 bedroomed cottage stands on 3/4 of an acre approx. which has full planning permission for a separate lwelling and ancillaries. Enjoying beautiful views of the Comeragh mountains, the property is situated 8 miles approx. from Carrick on Suir, 12 miles approx. from Dungarvan and 18 miles approx. from Waterford. Ideal amily or holiday home. SFCH. Acc: Ent. hall, lounge, kit/dining, 3 beds, bath, garage. 92 sq.m. (985 sq. ft. Viewing strictly by appoints Price region €185,000



2 SHEARS STREET, ABBEYSIDE **DUNGARVAN, CO. WATERFORD** For Sale by Private Treaty

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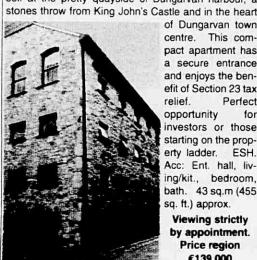
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pact apartment has a secure entrance and enjoys the benefit of Section 23 tax relief. Perfect opportunity for nvestors or those starting on the property ladder. ESH Acc: Ent. hall, living/kit., bedroom

sq. ft.) approx. Viewing strictly by appointmen Price region €139,000

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> Viewing strictly by appointment. Price on application



THE ANCHORAGE, NEW LINE, ABBEYSIDE, **DUNGARVAN, CO. WATERFORD**

For Sale by Private Treaty Unique 3 bedroomed detached house retaining its original features on 0.75 acres approx. In the heart of Abbeyside, Dungarvan within walking distance of all amenities and leisure facilities. Double gates leading to substantial side and rear garden with further development potential subject to planning permission. Acc: Ent. hall, lounge, dining, kitchen, utility, 3 beds, bath. OFCH. 120 sq.m. (1,275 sq. ft.) approx

> Viewing strictly by appointment. Price on application

BALLYMAC' NEWS

SALE OF WORK

Annual Sale of Work will be held in Hall on Sunday 16th November.

SOCIAL

A Parish social will be held in Lawlor's Hotel on Saturday, 15th November. Tickets 20e available from Thomas Crotty, P.J. Ryan, Chrissie Horkan, Bridget O'Connor, Kathleen O'Gorman, Marie Whyte. Please support.

JOHNNY GLEESON POOL TOURNAMENT 2003

We are pleased to announce that the 7th staging of this Annual Pool Tournament will take place during the month of November. The draw for the first round will be held in Dunfords, Touraneena on Friday, 31st October at 10:00pm. Entry fee this year will be 10e. Names can be entered via both Melodys and Dunfords. Proceeds again will go towards Cystic Fibrosis. Matches as always will have to be played on or before the designated date or players will be eliminated from the tournament. The final is set for Sunday, 7th December in Melodys, Ballymacarbry.

Nire Valley Gun Club

The Nire Valley Gun club held it's annual table quiz on the 23rd October at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry. A great night was had by all. 14 teams took part. The winners were: 1st: Fourmilewater Gun Club; 2nd: Eddie and friends; 3rd: Mickie Joe's.

CARD WINNERS

1st: Mary Ryan and Brian Fahey; 2nd and 3rd: Helen Morrissey and Ann Scanlon; Michael Creed and Billy O'Brien. Lucky table: Helen Ryan and Catherine; Paddy Walsh and Biddy Ahearne.

St. Patrick's Hall

Over sixty people attended a meeting last Friday night concerning the future development of the hall. In a very constructive meeting, a number of ideas were discussed; a new meeting room, a canteen, a gym which would benefit everyone in the Parish, young and old. The biggest problem in the hall, is that the walls are damp. Also the roof needs to be replaced. People were appointed, Sean Guiry, Pat Ryan, Richard Guiry to get advice on dampness problem and costing for development of hall. They will report back to a meeting in 4 weeks time. Then a decision can be taken in what development can be done. Whatever decision is taken, it will cost a lot of money. But it will be money well spent, as we have a growing and vibrant community and the big attendance at the meeting goes to show that people want to have better facilities for the future.

Lotto Jackpot €2,700

30e to each of the following: Ann Wall, Knockanaffrian; Pat Walsh, Croughateskin; Looney Children, Deerpark; Rory Condon, Clonmel; Eddie Ryan, Knockacoola. Numbers 14-21-23. New jackpot 2,850e.

Deise Draw

The final Deise Draw is on Friday night in Colligan. The local GAA clubs make a lot of money from draw. It will start again in the New year.

MODELIGO NOTES

No winner last week. Will it be a trick or treat for you over Hallowe'en as the numbers are called for this weeks lotto draw? Last weeks numbers were 11, 15 and 19. Well, if you're not in, you haven't a chance! Don't just sit there, get out and buy a few tickets, there's a jackpot of €1,500 there for the taking.

€15 Winners: Jack Cummins, Millstreet; Lourda Byrne, Cappagh P/O; Marie Walsh, Milstreet; Noisy Dunford, c/o Welcome Inn and Gerard Walsh, Churchquarter.
SYMPATHY

We extend sincere sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of the following who were called to their eternal reward recently; Donal Flynn, Park Hotel, Dungarvan, and formerly Whitechurch House, Cappagh; Mrs Barron, Carrowgarriffe, and also Mrs Ann Dineen, Clonea, who was laid to rest in Modeligo Cemetery last week. May they rest in peace.

FUNERAL MASS

We offer sincere sympathy to the relatives of Volker Pabst, Germany, deceased husband of Madge Foley, Carrigaun, who passed away last week. Funeral takes place in Germany on Thursday and a special mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul at 7:30pm on Thursday night in Modeligo Church.

DANCE THIS

May he rest in peace. HALLOWE'EN

FRIDAY NIGHT We welcome back Teddy and Cathal Barry to Modeligo Community Centre on Friday night, 31st October, where they will provide the entertainment for our fundraising venture. All proceeds on the night will be donated to Dunabbey House, Dungarvan, and your support is kindly appreciated. Tickets are on sale at €7 each from usual promoters or on the door. Bar facilities will be provided along with complimentary refreshments. We guarantee all treats at our Hallowe'en dance, so be prepared to get into the spirit of things and dance the night

WINNING STREAK

away. Doors open 9:00pm.

Congratulations to Séan Hennessy, Bawnavinogue, Cappagh, who had a great day showjumping at the Pony Finals in Ballyrafter last week. Séan came away with no less than four wins and five places. Well done Séan on a fantastic achievement and continued success to you in the future.

MODELIGO LADIES CLUB

We had a good attendance at the recent A.G.M. of Modeligo Ladies Club and it was heartening to see so many new members coming into the group. The club is now under the very capable leadership of Deirdre Hennessy, who was unanimously elected Chairperson for the coming term. We wish Deirdre every success in her new role.

At our recent meeting the proprietor of Knockalara Cheese gave a comprehensive account of the manufacturing process of their award winning products. Samples were absolutely delicious! These cheeses are now being supplied to exclusive shops and restaurants throughout Ireland and the United Kingdom.

Other details for your diary are as follows. Ladies are going to the dogs again on 22nd November, so if you wish to travel you must get your name in right away. A great night is assured.

Please note that the Ladies Club meet on the first Tuesday of each month from now on. New members are always given a warm welcome so why not call along to the Community

Upcoming guests include Mary Beecher, H2O Salon, Tallow, and flower arranger Catriona Keating, will be present at the November and December meetings. Also don't forget the annual Christmas party with Teddy Barry will be held in Deckie's on Friday, 5th Decem-

MODELIGO BADMINTON NOTES

Well the season has come around again, and the games have begun.

Modeligo Ladies (1) were away to Tourin and were beaten 3-1. Modeligo Ladies (2) were away to Lismore and were beaten 3 - 1. Modeligo Ladies (3) were at home to Tourneena and drew 2 - 2. Modeligo Men Division 5 had a home game against Tourin which was postponed and is rescheduled for Wed 5th November. Training is Tuesdays and Thursday Nights provided there is no games being played in the hall. The Hall is also available for training on Monday nights

from 7.30pm and Wednesday nights from 9pm. There is a time table on the hall notice board as to the halls availability and while we have such availability with the Hall please make use of it and prac-

Dungarvan C.B.S. News

ATHLETICS NEWS

CBS teams performed with distinction in the Waterford Cross Country Championships which were held at the Friary grounds on Tuesday, 21st October. The Intermediate Boys team finished second in the 4 x 500m relay. This team consisted of Eoin Walsh, Colin Mc-Grath, Conor McGrath and Kevin Harty. The Intermediate B team, featuring Diarmuid Walsh, Kevin Veale, Kevin Barry and Sean Duggan also performed very well. The Senior Boys team finished third in the 4 x 500m relay. This team included Shane Power, Donnacha Culloo, Padraig Nugent and Keith Landers. Well done also to our Minor and Junior teams. The Minor team was made up of Darragh Power, Michael Byrne, Kevin Meere and Danny Sheridan while the Junior team comprised of Ross Wade, Sean Duggan, Jack Queally and Darragh Power. A word of thanks to team coach, Mr. Des Feeney, who has imbued many of our students with his passion for running.

FROM THE **PRINCIPALS DESK-CBS Golfers Come Third** In The Munster Qualifier.

At Monkstown Golf Club in the last East Munster qualifier of the Irish School's strokeplay championship, our team Ian Prendergast (1), Sean Fleming (2) and Kevin Stack (3) put up an excellent performance to finish third of the 29 teams. After our recent win in the Waterford School's Golf Championship, we were confident of doing well but also aware of the stern challenge we faced. Our total combined score, with all three cards counting, was 230 shots. Christian Brothers College, Cork were winners with 221 while Rochestown College, Cork with 228 were second. Ian, Sean and Kevin put up a great fight and were battling hard up to the last few holes. Although they themselves weren't offering any excuses for defeat, it has to be said that our students were very unlucky in having to play most of their

round in what were near-gale force winds as one of the last teams off the tee. Playing Monkstown's excellent but quiet difficult second nine in such conditions presented them with Herculean task. So, even though we were disappointed at not qualifying, Sean's 75, Kevin's 76 and Ian's 79 were very praiseworthy efforts at a time in the day, when scores over a hundred and ' no return' were common place. They prepared well, including a practice round on the course, and they



gave it their best. We have some very important golf competitions still to come, including our own mini 'Ryder Cup' against the local St. Augustine's College. Hard luck lads but well done.

ST. DECLAN'S COMMUNITY **COLLEGE NOTES**

Cashel 4-5 St. Declan's 2-8

St. Declan's crashed out in the First Round of the Munster Senior Football Championship in a game played in Goatenbridge. Cashel had use of the very strong breeze in the first half, but scored just 2-2 before the break while holding St. Declan's scoreless. The kilmac side domintated the second half and gradually ate into the Cashel lead. However defensive lapses allowed the Tipp men to snatch two goals which ultimately made the difference.

St. Declan's: M. Veale, P. Casey, C. Hayes, J. Walsh, F. Walsh, C. Ryan, G. Barry, S. Prendergast (c) (0-1), J. Power (1-0), F. Galvin (0-1), W. Kennedy, C. Casey, J. Veale (1-6), P. Weldon. Subs used: T. Connors, L. Casey, K. Lawlor, R. Ryan, P. Curran.

St. Declan's suffered three bad injuries in the game and we with speedy recoveries to F. Walsh, C. Casey and J.

SARCOIDOSIS

Have you been diagnosed with the disability 'Sarcoidosis'? Sarcoidosis is a rare disability that can affect anyone:

Why not come along to the Dungarvan Sarcoidosis Support Group.

Next meeting will be take place at the Waterford Disability Network Office on Thursday 30th October 2003 at 7.00pm

For further information please contact Sean on 086 1919031 or call The Disability Office on 058 23740.

"Limb And Facial Injuries - Possible Death?"

NSC WARNS ALL PARENTS OF THE DEADLY COMBINATION OF BONFIRES AND FIREWORKS

The National Safety Council has today made an appeal to all parents to watch over their children around fireworks and bonfires. Fireworks are illegal in Ireland for a reason – thousands of parents have seen the pain and suffering of children as a consequence of fireworks displays and bonfires that have gone horribly wrong on Halloween night.

Pat Costello, Chief Executive of the National Safety Council warns "all parents not to buy fireworks because they are both illegal and dangerous. Halloween is the busiest time of the year for ambulance, fire and hospital services and this is an unnecessary waste of resources as these incidents could have been prevented."

He continued by saying "Halloween is traditionally a fun time for the family and the NSC wants everyone to enjoy themselves. If people arrange a bonfire or fireworks display, they should take place under adult supervision, in a safe area, away from houses/commercial premises and overhead cables. Bonfires contain highly combustible materials that can cause respiratory problems and burns. Each year we issue repeated warnings of the dangers from fireworks and bonfires and each year people get very badly injured, so while it is a time of celebration, it is also a time to practise caution."

In the interest of safety at Halloween the National Safety Council is issuing the following guidelines for parents;

FIREWORKS

- Discourage the purchase of fireworks they are illegal and dangerous
- Keep pets indoors
- Keep fireworks in a closed box and use at one time.
- Fireworks should never be put in your pocket
- Light fireworks at arms length using a taper
- Stand well back and keep others back also
- Never throw fireworks as serious injuries could result
- Never return to a firework when it has been lit.

BONFIRES

- A bonfire should be clear of all residential areas, away from ESB cables and pylons.
- A bonfire should be supervised by adults and a perimeter ring should be established around the bonfire within which no person should be permitted
- Know the whereabouts of your children so they cannot hurt themselves or others.
- Never use petrol or paraffin to light a bonfire
- Do not allow fireworks to be thrown on bonfires this is highly dangerous
- If your Bonfire gets out of hand, dial 999 and call the Fire Brigade immediately.
- Before leaving bonfire, pour water on the embers

CHILDRENS TRICK OR TREAT

• If children dress up in dark clothes, add reflective material to improve their visibility to drivers and cyclists. Preferably use only fire retardant materials for costumes and ensure children are accompanied by a parent/guardian for their own safety.

Local Play To Go Nationwide!

RTE s programme, Nationwide came to Dungarvan last Wednesday to record a feature on local man Hank Regan's play What do you expect!, which premiered on a Broadway stage, New York, earlier in the summer.

RTE Nationwide journalist Helen McInerney took an interest in the success of the play and the fact that it went from a small Irish town to the dizzy heights and lights of Broadway, NY.

Ms. McInerney interviewed several members of the cast, with cameraman Neilus Dennehy recording interviews and footage around the town of Dungarvan.

Places where recording took place included Hank's Barber shop on Mary Street, also at Grattan Square, the *Dungarvan Observer* newspaper offices in Shandon, a farm out the Youghal Road, Modeligo Community Centre and at Colligan wood.

Ms. McInemey interviewed three members of the cast, Brid Mooney-Nielsen, Paul Mooney and Gavin Hallahan and the director Hank.

The other cast members Henry O Keeffe, John Stack and Ned Cullinane were unavailable at the time of the interview, but they will feature on the programme, which will show them in the play on the Broadway stage.

Hank said that he was delighted that the national broadcaster has taken an interest in his work.

When you think about it, this play was staged in rural Ireland and then premiered at a theatre off Broadway in New York. It is a great feat and a dream come true for any writer and actor, said Hank.

The footage and interviews are to be put together in a news package lasting approximately 10 minutes and will be broadcast on RTE s nationwide on RTE One, which has viewing figures of over 300,000 people.

A press release from Nationwide will be published and made available at a later date to all local press, letting the public know when the Dungarvan feature is to be broadcast. Watch this space!



Outside Hank's Barber Shop on Mary Street, Dungarvan photo shows (I. to r.) Neilus Dennehy, cameraman RTE Nationwide; Paul Mooney, journalist at the Dungarvan Observer and member of St. Gobnait Players; Helen McInerney, journalist at RTÉ Nationwide and Hank Regan, director of St. Gobnait Players and writer and director of the play, 'What do you expect!'.

Fibre Optic Networks To Be Operational In Waterford And Dungarvan By Mid 2004

Labour Party Spokesperson on Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs, Deputy Brian O'Shea has been informed by Dermot Ahern T.D. Minister for Communications, Marine and Natural Resources the fibre optic networks are currently under construction in Waterford City and Dungarvan as part of SERPANT – the South East Region Public Access Network for Telecommunications.

f r o m Deputy O'Shea.

Deputy O'Shea to today that to he progress in Waterford and Dungarvan is to be wel-

When completed, the Waterford City network will be 18 kilometres in length, and will cost €3.68 million. It is expected to be operational in July 2004. The Dungarvan network will be 9 kms and will cost €1.9 million. It is expected to be completed in April 2004.

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be wel- Deputy O'Shea comed but that it is imperative in the modern world that access to fibre optic networks be made possible throughout the whole constituency.

Deputy O'Shea has put down a further Parliamentary Question to the Minister regarding his plans for the ongoing construction of fibre optic networks in Co. Waterford.

Mansfield Furious At Cullen Plans To Fast Track Building Of Incinerators

Sinn Féin spokesperson Brendan Mansfield reacted angrily to plans by the Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government Martin Cullen T.D. to "fast track" the construction of poisonous incinerators by way of the proposed National Infrastructure Board.

Mr. Mansfield said: "The proposal to "fast track" the construction of poisonous incinerators is in stark contrast to the painfully slow provision of recycling facilities. It appears that the only section of the Waste Management Plans being implemented is the incineration element, other than the provision of a small number of bring banks!

"Where for example is the plans for separated waste collection in urban centres of 500 or more houses? A token "green bin" is no substitute for a proper separated waste collection. Why is Minister Cullen not "fast tracking" this important element of waste management plans? Why is there no "fast tracking" of proper civic amenity centres in all major towns and cities?

"It is clear where this Government's priorities are. Minister Cullen is bowing to major multinational interest so that Fianna Fáil can further strengthen its financial contributors while at the same time putting the health of Irish people at significant risk from the dioxin emissions from such dirty installations. It is clear Minister Cullen is determined to impose incinerators against the wishes of local communities throughout the State."

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Ballyduff Notes

BALLYDUFF G.A.A. NOTES JUNIOR HURLERS

Our junior hurlers were beaten by Kilgobnet in the Western semi-final played last Saturday, we were beaten by 2-14 to 2-10, and we could have no complaints as we were beaten by a better team. The team was A. Power, B. Barry, R. Whelan, D. Daly, F. Finn, K. Martin, S. Mills, W. Hickey, G. Hickey, C. Keane, M. Walsh, S. Feaney, P. Hickey, D. Flynn, J. Scanlon.

Subs - W. Power, N. Feeney, J. Barry, C. Feeney, F. Flynn, S. Hannon.

RAILWAY CUP Well done to Tom Feeney on

his selection on the Munster Railway Cup Hurling Team which were beaten by Connacht in the semi-final of the Inter-Provincial Competition played last week-end.

LOTTO

Results of lotto held on Tuesday 14th October for jackpot Euro1850. No winner.

3 plus Euro 3 winners John Condon, Marian Condon and Jamie Hannon.

Next weeks lotto: 21st jackpot Euro 2000.

BALLYDUFF **PARENTS ASSOCIATION** AGM

On Wednesday 22nd October, the Ballyduff Association held their AGM at Scoil Naomh Mhichil. The evening began with a presentation by Rosarie Kealy, Sports Coordinator with Buntus. Rosarie told us how the school, with the help of Buntus will encourage our children to be physically active and to get involved in sports from an early

The outgoing officers, Hugh Geary - Chairman, Pauline O'Brien - Secretary, Margaret Geary - Treasurer and Helen Walsh - P.R.O. presented their annual reports, the year and culminating with the fun camp organised by Mike Walsh and his sub-committee. Hugh finished his presentation by thanking everyone who helped make the year and the fun camp a great success.

A new committee was then elected: Michael Walsh -Chairman, Anne Sheehan -Vice Chairperson, Margaret Geary - Secretary, Pauline O'Brien - Assistant Secretary, Eileen Casey - Treasurer, John Kenny - Assistant Treasurer, David Ahern - P.R.O., and Mary Hayes – Assistant P.R.O. Our aim is to do our best for the children for the coming year. All parents are invited to attend our next meeting which will be held at the school on Wednesday, 5th November, at 8.30 pm.

Ballyduff Comhaltas Notes

At the AGM on Monday October 13th the following officers were appointed: president Fr. Cullinan, Chairperson Thomas Hyland, Vice chairperson Tommy Veale, Secretary Kathleen Hannon, Asst. Secretary Betty Feeney, PRO Ciara

Dunne, Asst. PRO Maurice Geary, Treasurer Seamus Hyland, Asst. Treasurer Chris Barry, Auditor Ellen Daly.

For all those involved in music classes on Wednesday and Thursday night with Tony Dunne and Bobby Gardiner please note that there will be no classes this week,29th and 30th October, due to mid term break. There will also be no set dancing on Friday night 31st October. We look forward to seeing you all back after the break.

On behalf of the branch I would also like to take this opportunity to send our deepest symapathies to the Hyland family on the loss of their mother Mary Hyland.

She was a very pro-active member of the community and she was always there to support all our comhaltas events, especially the Booley House.

Thomas and Seamus Hyland have been long standing members of the comhaltas branch as chairperson and Treasurer and David is a valued member of the Booley House musicians.

Ballyduff **Millennium Sports** Hall Fundraiser

The Millennium Sports Hall Finance Committee are holding a Race Night in An Sibin on Friday 7th November at 9.00pm.Committee members have been busy over the past few weeks selling horses for this event and we are glad to report that all horses have now been sold. We have also secured sponsorship for each race and we want to thank these sponsors for their support. This promises to be a great night out and we ask for your support on the night.

OSSANTY NOTES

BEST WISHES

Best wishes to Mary Ann Kiely, Adramone who celebrates her 80th birthday this week, from her husband Andy, daughters, sons, daughters-inlaw, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

BIRTH

Congratulations to Helen Lally and Ross Whelan, Waterford on the birth of their baby girl last week, a sister for Dylan.

SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy is extended to the Flynn family, Park Hotel on the death of Donal during the week. May he rest in peace. Sale of Work

The Parish sale of work will take place on Friday night, 21st November in Crotty's Inn. Collections will take place in the coming weeks. Tickets are on sale for the draw on the night.

First prize 100e, second prize 70e, third prize 30e, fourth prize 30e, fifth prize 30e, sixth prize 30e. Tickets 2e each. Book of three 5e.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Kilrossanty branch A.G.M. of Irish Farmers Association will take place in Kilrossanty Hall on 11th November at 8:30pm. DANCE

Dance last Saturday night for guide dogs for the blind came to 1,200e. Thanks to all sponsors of prizes, to Crotty's Inn and to the band Cupla.

DEATH

As reported in last weeks notes the death took place out foreign of Liam Desmond. Leamybrien, ex Garda Sergeant Leamybrien. Funeral took place Sunday evening and burial took place on Monday afternoon. Full obituary in next weeks notes.

Sympathy to his wife Pauline, sons Niall and Fr. Garrett, daughter-in-law, grandchild,

sister and other relatives. May he rest in peace. Also to Joe Drohan, Crough on the death of his brother Tommy Drohan who died on Sunday last. May he rest in peace.

WHIST CLASSES

Anyone interested in playing whist come along to the hall this Thursday night at 8:30pm. QUIZ

Quiz in Micilins this Friday night for hall funds. Starting time 9:30pm. MEETING

Community Alert Annual General Meeting in Hall on November 5th at 8:30pm.

DRAW

Results of draw held last Friday night for Kilrossanty School.

1st prize of 100e went to Michael Veale, Glendaligin. 2nd prize of 50e went to the Lonergan family, Knockeylan. 3rd prize of 30e went to Lauren Cunnage, Adramone. 4th prize of bottle of whiskey went to Frances Walsh, Kilnagrange. 5th prize of 25e sports voucher went to Philip Dunwoddy, Comeragh.

The committee would like to thank most sincerely all the parents, children and friends of Kilrossanty school for their support which made this draw such a success. 1,600e was made. Thanks to Crotty's Inn for the use of premises and to the band Paddy McGrath.

KILROSSANTY G.A.A. NOTES SENIOR FOOTBALL

Kilrossanty ended their run in the senior football championship last Sunday at the hands of the Nire. Final score was The Nire 0-11 to Kilrossanty 0-9.

The first half was a good lively bit of football with the Nire trailing by three points at

In the second half the Nire came into it scoring eight points in the second half to Kilrossanty's 0-3. Kilrossanty could have won but missed some vital scores in the last minutes of the game. Another year without a championship.

Team: Alfie Kirwan, Kevin Lonergan, Roger Power, Mark Prendergast, Jay Kirwan, Stephen Prendergast, Paul Hayes, Dermot Kiely, Ciaran Keating, Seamus Veale, Matty Kiely, Barry Prendergast, Brian Kirwan, Jacko Kiely, Joey Veale.

Subs used: Brian Lennon for Barry Prendergast, Colin Dee for Joey Veale.

Scorers: Roger Power 0-1, Ciaran Keating 0-2, Matty Kiely 0-4, Jacko Kiely 0-2.

Subs: Richie Hayes, Paul Lennon, Darren Mulhearne, Sean Crotty, Paudie Coffey, John Ryan, Kieran Ryan, PJ Houlihan, Conor Hayes, Michael Walsh.

DEISE DRAW

The last Deise Draw for the present series will be held on this Friday night hosted by the Colligan club in Quills, the Pike. Money to be with Mairead Coffey by Thursday for this draw and any outstanding money also to be paid this

SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy to Pauline Desmond, Leamybrien on the death of her husband Liam, ex Garda Sergeant, Leamybrien also to his sons Niall and Fr. Garrett and sister on their sad loss. Burial took place on Monday in Kilrossanty cemetery. Liam was a native of Kinsale. May he rest in peace.

Deepest sympathy also is extended to the Flynn family, Park Hotel on the death of Donal Flynn, who died last

20, 21, 24 and 25. There was no winner last Sunday night in Crotty's Inn. 20e to each of the following: Gerry Crotty, Kilrossanty; Liam Brazil, Grawn; Colin Dunne, Ballylynch; Hayes family, The Pike. 20e sellers prize went to John Power, Gortnalaght. Jackpot next week in Micilins is 2,800e.

UNDER 13 Under 13 girls team were beaten in the schools semi final last Thursday on the score of

Kilrossanty 1-2 to Clonea 2-2. Team: Eileen Hickey, Roisin McCarthy, Alma Mulcahy, Katie Whyte, Claire Whyte, Helen Keating, Ciara Walsh, Margaret Walsh, Charlotte Whelan.

Subs: Rosie Harty, Mary Walsh, Chloe Veale.

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LOTTO

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Touraneena

SUCCESSFUL **FASHION** SHOW

The fashion show held in the Community Centre last Friday night was a huge success. The models did a fantastic job and displayed a wide range of clothes from the following stores: Signet, Ni Craft, Rich Rags and Unique Gents, all Dungarvan and Mary F.M .,

Commere for the night was Ann Marie Norris with Declan Kiely as M.C. Both were superb.

Dirk Bowman provided excellent music a stage lighting with floral arrangement for the stage provided by Bonnie's Bouquets, Lismore.

Many people were involved in making the night a success and we would like to thank all those mentioned above and also thanks to Mary Morrisson who donated a beautiful Christmas cake and pudding, the doormen for the night - Patrick and Laurence, Roseanna. Teresa and Marian who were in charge of the refreshments and the wine and cheese. Mike and Mossie and all those who set up the stage, to Sean for a generous donation and to all who gave wine and sent in dona-

Once again, many thanks to all those who either participated or helped, particularly the models, compere, M.C. and the participating stores, who certainly provided an entertaining and very enjoyable night for all. The night was rounded off with a raffle. Thanks to the Community Centre Committee for the use of the premises

CAR BOOT

Car boot sale on Sunday. 9th November in the Community Centre, Touraneena at 2 o clock. At this sale we will have some Christmas items as well as lots of other items. Usual charge of euro 10. Per van or car. Free refreshments throughout the day, please come along and support our charities.

LADIES CLUB

Sliabh gCua Ladies Club will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday night 4th November. at 8 o clock, Breda Hallahan is giving a cookery demonstration, please bring along your deposits for the Christmas outing. All are welcome.

HALLOWEEN DANCE IN MODELIGO **COMMUNITY CENTRE** ON FRIDAY 31ST OCT.

Dancing 9.30-12.30. Music by Teddy o Cathal Barry, so put your dancing shoes on and have a great night. Bar and complimentary refreshments, admission euro 7. Proceeds in aid of Dunabbey House, Dungarvan.

JOHNNY GLEESON POOL TOURNAMENT

we are pleased to announce that the staging of this annual pool tournament will take place during the month of November. The draw for the 1st round will be held in Dunfords, Touraneena on Friday 31st October. at 10 o' clock, entry fee this year will be euro10. Names can be entered via both Melody's and Dunfords. Proceed again to Cystic Fibrosis, Matches as always will have to be played on or before the designated date or players will be eliminated from the tournament. The final is set for Sunday 7th Dec in Melodys, Ballymacarbry.

Sliabh gCua Lotto week ending 26th. October. No winner

New Jackpot euro800 Euro 20 x 3 winners 1. Jamie and Mary Cullinan, 2. John Dalton, 3. Eoin, Clodagh and Michael Keane. Promoters Prize euro15 -

Winner Royco Ware Next draw Dunford's Sunday 2nd. November.

Naomh Brid **GAA Club Notes UNDER 16S WESTERN** FINAL

St. Pats assisted by Naomh Brid will play Cappoquin in Bushy Park next Sunday morning at 11am. please come along and support the lads on the

Congratulations to Eanna Power who travelled to Waterford to receive his award for Man of the Match in under 14's County Hurling. Well done

TOURANEENA BADMINTON CLUB

Results 1st week of league men's 1 Capt. Pat Heanne beat Mellenany 3-1.

Men's 2 (capt. John Dalton) drew with Rathgormack 2-2. Ladies 1 had a bye.

Ladies 2 (captain Grainne Hallihan) drew with Tourin 2-

Ladies 3 (captain Pauline Cliffe) beat Modeligo 3-1.

PLANNING NOTICES

Waterford County Council — Outline planning permission is required for a dwelling and ancillaries at Knockanpower Lower, Colligan, for Ray Bradfield. 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.

Waterford County Council — I wish to apply to the above authority for permission to construct a kitchen, diningroom and pantry to the rear of my bungalow at Graigenagower, Nire Road, Ballymacarbry, Co. Waterford. Signed: Gorden Fletcher. 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.

Waterford County Council — Ardenline Limited are applying to Waterford County Council for approval on outline permission reg. no. 99/1101 for the erection of a fully serviced dwelling house on Site No. 1 at Kilminnin Upper, Stradbally. Signed on behalf of applicant by John Roche, Architectural Services, St. Leonards, Ballycullane 051-562648.

Waterford County Council — John Condon intends to apply for permission to erect eight two storey town houses at West Street, Tallow, 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 in writing on payment of the prescribed fee of 20 euro within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

Waterford County Council — Outline planning permission is sought for dormer style bungalow, septic tank, entrance and associated site works at Scrahans East, Cappoquin. Signed: Mr. Eamonn Fanning. The planning application may be inspected 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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AHEARNE - Fourth Anniversary In loving memory of our dear mother Bridie, late of New Street, Lismore who died on October 31st. 1999.

We think of you in silence, And often speak your name. All we have left are memories, And a picture in a frame. Will those who think of her

today A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by your lov-

ing family at home and abroad). Eighteenth Anniversary - In sad and loving memory of my dear grandfather, Willie, late of 45 Murphy Place, Abbeyside and Helvick who died

on October 30th 1985. Also my dear grandmother, Maggie who died October 21st 1968. R.I.P. The rock stood tall and strong,

Along the shores of life, It weathered the hardship sent by the world,

The trouble and the strife, It protected the smaller structures.

That nestled by its side, Despite the sforms of physical

depletion. That were brought in by the

tide. Waves of worry chipped away the surface.

But the inner strength shone

A monument of pride and independence.

That rock dear Pop was you, Our grandfather's love is irreplaceable.

His sense of humour was unique.

He made us laugh, he still does.

At stories he used to tell, The winds of change blew

fiercely. And took you far away,

But now you live in Paradise, Where we'll all meet again one

Friends who think of my grandparents today, A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Remembered always and sadly missed by your loving granddaughter Ann, husband Michael, great grandchildren, Carol, Susan, Elaine, Lucinda, Michaela, Liam, Jonathan, Claudine and great great grandchildren).



CROTTY — Third Anniversary In loving memory of Seán, late of 1 Monica's Terrace. Abbeyside who died 3rd November 2000. Anniversary Mass Saturday, 1st November at 10.30 a.m. in Abbeyside Church.

Look around your garden, Lord,

And when Sean turns and smiles.

Put your arms around him And hold him for awhile. Will those who think of Seán today.

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered - Cathy, Eamon, Seamie and Seán).

DEE - Fourth Anniversary - In memory of Joseph (Joe) late of Ballinamuck, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs at

(From his loving family).

EARLEY — Twenty Nineth Anniversary - In loving memory of Elizabeth Earley, Murphy Place, Abbeyside who died on 23rd October 1974.

Will those who think of her today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Inserted by loving son Donal, Josie, David and Paul).

FOLEY - Twenty Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear friend, Monica Foley, 10, St. Patrick's Crescent, who died on 5th November 1977. Mass offered.

A Mass, a prayer are all I can give.

But those you shall have as long as I live.

(Never forgotten Mon by your friend Theresa).



DONNELLY Twentyfourth Anniversary - In loving memory of my father, Paddy Donnelly, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died October 25, 1979.

A light is from our household gone,

A voice we loved is stilled. A place is vacant in our home,

That never can be filled. In a near and silent gravevard.

Where the trees their branches wave, Sleeps a kind and loving

father, In his cold and lonely grave. He bade no one a last

farewell He raised his hand to none, His spirit flew before I knew, That he from us had gone. You can only have one father,

Patient, kind and true, No other friend in all the world.

Will be the same to you. When other friends forsake VOU.

To father you will return, For all his loving kindness, He asks nothing in return. As we look upon his picture, Sweet memories we recall, Of a face so full of sun-

shine. And a smile for one and all.

Sweet Jesus take this mes-

sage, To our dear father up above.

Tell him how we miss him, And give him all our love. (From your loving son Mike, Mai and family.)

DONNELLY - Twenty-fourth Anniversary - In loving memory of my grandfather, Paddy Donnelly, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died October 25, 1979.

Lonely is the home without you.

Life to us is not the same, All the world would be like heaven.

If we could have you back again. What he suffered he told but

few. He did not deserve what he

went through, Tired and weary he made no

fuss. But tried so hard to stay with

US. Two tired eyes are sleeping,

Two willing hands are still, The one who did so much for us,

Is resting at God's will. Our lips cannot speak how we loved you,

Our hearts cannot tell what to say, But God only knows how we

miss him. In our home that is lonely

today. Pray for us, o dearest

father, To Jesus Christ our king,

That He may bless our lonely Where thou once dwelt there-

And pray that God may give

us strength, To bear our heavy cross, For no one knows but only

The treasure we have lost.

(From your loving grandson

Patrick, Mai, Aaron and Amy).



KELLY - Twenty-first Anniversary — Cherished memories of our darling daughter Marie, late of 'Vega' Helvick, Ring, who died on 30th October 1982. R.I.P. Aged 15 years. Anniversary Mass on Saturday, 1st November at 6.15 pm in the Friary Church.

If roses grow in Heaven Lord.

Please pick a bunch for us.

Place them in Marie's arms. And tell her they're from

(With love from Mam and Dad, sister Grainne, brothers Kieran and Liam Og).



LEAHY - First Anniversary -In loving memory of a dear son and friend Finbarr, 35, Vanessa Lawns, Celbridge, Co. Kildare, who died on 2nd November, 2002.

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

You have not been forgotten, You know you never will,

We cannot bring the old days back. When we were all together,

The family chain is broken now. But memories live forever,

Out of our lives you may have gone.

But in our hearts you still live Will those who think of him

today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always missed, never forgot-

ten, Mam and John). LEAHY - First Anniversary -In loving memory of my dear brother Finbarr, 35 Vanessa Lawns, Celbridge, Co. Kildare

2002. Who said time eases the pain, Well I know now they are

who died on 2nd November.

wrong For though it's been a year now.

The pain and heartache still lingers on.

Every night without fail, I always start to weep, For my thoughts wander back

to you, And how you went to sleep. No matter how hard I try,

I can never understand, Why you should have went so cruelly,

With one stroke of an evil The blow was hard, the shock

To part with one we love so

Our loss is great, we'll not complain.

But trust in God we'll meet again,

Our family chain is broken. Nothing seems the same, But as God calls us one by

The link shall join again. (Sadly missed by your loving sister Elma and brother-in-law John).

UNCLE The gates of Heaven opened wide.

And Angels stood side by side.

A special guest was on his way, The day God took our uncle

away. (Sadly missed by your loving nieces Gina, Cherene, Carrie and nephews Kyle and Tiernan). LEAHY - First Anniversary -In loving memory of our dear brother Finbarr, 35 Vanessa Lawns, Celbridge, Co. Kildare who died on 2nd November, 2002.

November comes with sad regret, It brings back a day I will

never forget, Things you have said, songs

you have sung, They bring a smile, sometimes a tear,

But always a wish that you were still here, We miss your smile, your jok-

ing ways. We miss the things you used

to say, And when old times we

recall. It is then we miss you most of

(Sadly missed always Dearbhla and Derri).



MORRISSEY - Second Anniversary - In loving memory of Declan Morrissey, Goulane, Old Parish, who died on 5th November 2001.

No length of time can take away,

Our thoughts of you from day to day,

Though absent you are always near, Still loved, still missed, still

very dear.

(Always loved and remembered by your loving wife Anna and family).

O'NEILL -Fourteenth Anniversary - In loving memory of a dear husband and father, John O'Neill, late of Kilcannon, Cappagh, who died on October 30, 1989. Anniversary Mass for John on Saturday, 1st November at 7.30 pm in Modeligo Church.

We never part from those we

No distance can divide us,

With memories dear and love sincere. You will always walk beside

Good was his heart, in friend-

ship sound. Loved and respected by all around,

A beautiful life came to an end,

He died as he lived, everyone's friend. (Always remembered and sadly

missed by your loving wife Mary and family).

O'NEILL - Second Anniversary In loving memory of my dear sister Patricia O'Neill, (nee Costin), London, late of Ring, Dungarvan who died on 1st November, 2001.

Away in a beautiful land with God.

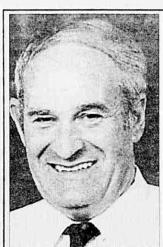
In a city so far away,

Lies a beautiful sister. I loved so much and I can't visit her today,

It breaks my haert knowing she rests so far away,

My love and thoughts are with you, On this my saddest day,

(Always loved and remembered by your sister Kathleen and family XXXX)



O'GRADY Anniversary - In loving memory of Stephen O'Grady, late of 70 Springfield, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs on November 7th 1993.

Sad are the hearts that loved

Silent the tears that fall,

But living our lives without Is the greatest heartache of

all. May the wind of love blow softly.

And whisper for you to hear, That we, your family, miss you, And wish that you were

here. (Missed by your son Thomas, daughter-in-law Monica and grandchildren Christopher, Stephen and Rachel).

TUTTY - Twenty-seventh Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear mother Ellen Tutty, 53 Congress Villas, who died on 7th November 1976. Mass in St. Mary's at 9:30 on Friday November 14th.

Find the softest pillow Lord. To lay her head upon,

And place a kiss upon her cheek, And tell her who it's from. (Always loved Mam from

Theresa, Johnnie, grandchildren and great grandchildren). TUTTY -Forty-eighth

Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear father, Stephen Tutty, 53 Congress Villas, who died on 14th November 1955.

Will those who think of him today

A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Never forgotten Dad, your daughter Theresa, Johnnie, grandchildren and great grandchildren).

Acknowledgment and First Anniversary



Bridget (Biddy)
Power
(née Carlton)
Caravan Park,
Ardmore,
Co. Waterford.

Remembering Bridget, whose 1st anniversary occurs at this time.

The family of Bridget Power wish to express our sincere thanks to those who sympathised with us, attended the Rosary, Removal and Burial; those who sent Mass Cards, enrolments and tributes. A special word of thanks to Dr. Mullins, Dr. Hurley and the staff of St. Bernadette's ward at the Bon Secours Hospital Cork, who were so kind and caring to Bridget during her illness. A sincere thank you to Dr. Joseph Meehan and the staff of Ardmore Health

A very special word of thanks to Fr. Milo Guiry, Fr. Boyle, Fr. Michael Reid and Fr. Pat Butler, for their help and friendship, and who also brought peace to our hearts. We would also like to express our thanks to Tom Drohan of Drohan's Funeral Home, Dungarvan, for his kindness and professionalism.

A sincere word of thanks to our family, friends and neighbours for their help and support. Thank you also to our work colleagues for their kindness and consideration.

As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually, we trust that this acknowledgement will be accepted as a token of our appreciation. The Holy Sacrifice Of The Mass has been offered for your intentions.

The first anniversary Mass will be offered for Bridget at St. Declan's Church, Ardmore, on Saturday November 1st. at 7-30 p.m.

Sadly missed by your loving family: Mary, Dick, Willie, Eileen, Michael, John and Thomas, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, brothers and sisters, son-in-law and daughters-in-law.

May she rest In peace.

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCES



CROTTY — Birthday
Remembrance of John Crotty,
16, St. Thomas Terrace,
Dungarvan whose birthday
occurs on November 2nd .
Mass will be held on Tuesday,
November 4th in St. Joseph's
Hospital at 10 am.

Today we are thinking of someone we love,

But we know he is happy in heaven above,

Loving memories are all we have left,

Of a son we loved and will never forget.

(Always remembered by Mum and Dad and family).



FOLEY — Birthday
Remembrance of a dear
mother, Mary B. Foley,
Coolbagh, Clashmore, whose
birthday occurred on October
28.

We cannot send a birthday card or even hold your hand,

But one look up to heaven and we know you'll understand,

And now it's your birthday, it's up to God above,

To give you all our wishes, but most of all our love. Quietly today your memory

we treasure, Loving you always, forgetting you never.

Never more than a thought away,

Loved and remembered, every day.

(Lovingly remembered by your sons John, Redmond, James, Patrick, daughters Lena, Mary Margaret, daughters-in-law Sheila, Aileen, Anna, sons-in-law Pat and

NANNA

We light a little candle and we say a little prayer, Each time we need comfort,

Each time we need comfort, we know that you are there,

We will always love and remember you. (Your loving grandchildren).

FOLEY — Birthday Remembrance of Mary B. Foley, Coolbagh, Clashmore, whose birthday occurs at this

The most wonderful mother that ever lived,

Whatever she had she was willing to give,

She never complained, she was not that kind,
She was one of those moth-

ers so hard to find, Look after her Lord as she takes her rest,

For she was our mother and she was the best. (Thinking of you Mum, especially at this time — from your

FOLEY — Birthday Remembrance of Mary B. Foley, Coolbagh, Clashmore, whose birthday occurs at this

son Redmond and boys).

As I look upon your picture, Sweet memories I recall, Of a face so full of sunshine,

And a smile for one and all. I seldom ask for miracles, But today just one would do,

To have your door wide open, And to see you walk right through.

Our hearts still ache with sadness,

And our eyes still shed a tear, God only knows how we miss you,

As it dawns just one year.

A prayer, a Mass, are all I could give,

And these you shall have as

long as I live. (Sadly missed — from your son John, Sheila and family).



WALSH — Birthday
Remembrances of Chris
Walsh, late of 7 Cloneety
Villas and Gosport Hants,
whose birthday occurs on
28th October. A wonderful
father, brother and uncle.

This is your birthday Chris, You would not want a fuss, Just to be remembered, A prayer from all of us, The one we loved is missing, The voice we loved is still, The heart that did so much for us.

Is resting at God's will, You had a smile for everyone,

You had a heart of gold, You left the sweetest memories,

The world could never hold. ("Happy birthday Chris" — we all love you and miss you dearly each day — from all your family at home and away X).

Death Notice KAY BROWN (NEE WALSH)

London

Kay Brown (nee Walsh)
Kensington, London and formerly of Lacken, Dungarvan.
Deeply regretted by her husband Brian, sons Douglas and
Robert, daughter Alexandra,
grandchildren, and her relatives in Ireland. Burial took
place in Mortlake Cemetery,
London on Monday last.
May she rest in peace.

NOVENAS

THANKS — Grateful thanks to Sacred Heart and our Lady of Lourdes for favours received.

— A H

NOVENA TO SACRED HEART — Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked you for many favours. This time I ask for this special one (mention favour). Take it, dear Heart of Jesus and place it within your own broken heart, where your Father sees it. Then, in his merciful eyes, it will become your prayer, not mine. Amen. Say this prayer for three days, promise publication and favour will be granted. Never known to fail — O.C.

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EUROPEAN COMMISSION REPRESENTATION IN IRELAND FARM FEATURE

Turning the corner in EU disease eradication

BY PADDY SMITH

Testing has grown into a major industry in the EU over the past eight years as the war hots up against animal diseases. No less than 10 million cattle throughout the Union will be tested for BSE next year as battle is waged on a number of fronts.

The Commission has now adopted the maximum possible EU financial contribution towards the disease eradication programmes of the Member States and Accession Countries. In total, just under EUR93 million is being made available from the EU budget for the monitoring of TSEs (Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies) and for the eradication of scrapie.

Ireland is to receive more than EUR5 million in EU financial contributions for the monitoring of TSE and nearly EUR0.5 million towards the eradication of scrapie. In addition, the Union is to contribute sums of money to Ireland towards the eradication and monitoring of other animal diseases, including EUR50,000 for Aujeszkys disease, EUR5 million for bovine brucellosis, EUR4.5 million for bovine TB and EUR90,000 for a salmonella check aimed at eliminating zoonoses (diseases transmissible to humans).

All these contributions are part of a Union-wide drive to combat animal diseases. The Commission has drawn up a list of the countries which qualify for financial aid and there are a total of 68 programmes for 2004 for the eradication of ten major animal disease in the Member States and Accession Countries. The total EU contribution to these programmes is almost EUR52 million. Some EUR29 million will be spent on the eradication of brucellosis (EUR14 million on sheep/goats brucellosis and EUR15 million on bovine brucellosis). The Commission points out that brucellosis causes Malta fever in humans and that there were 1,778 human cases notified to the EU reporting system in 2001. A significant EUR14.4 million will be contributed by the EU to the eradication of bovine TB, which is also known to be transmissible to humans. And EUR4.4 will be spent to fight rabies, a highly fatal viral infection of the nervous system.

All the diseases targeted by the programmes have implications for both human and animal health, says the Commission, or cause serious losses in livestock farming and, therefore, constitute barriers to intra-EU and international trade.

Health and Consumer Protection Commissioner David Byrne says testing programmes are a successful and important instrument to identify the scale of BSE and scrapie in the Union. The introduction of the compulsory BSE test has proven how important they are - in addition to safety legislation - to detect BSE in cattle and to keep infected animals out of the food and feed chain, he says.

From October 1, new requirements for scrapie eradication measures were put in place. These require the culling and genotyping of animals in infected flocks. In addition, from January 1 next, breeding programmes for resistance to TSEs in sheep are to be implemented, with the EU allocating EUR15.7 million towards these new scrapie eradication measures.

Actions by the EU Commission have reinforced our determination here in Ireland to combat animal diseases at the highest possible level. EU influence, allied with our Irish determination to beat the disease issue, has led to the adjustment and refinement of our national policy and practices - which is exactly what is happening in relation to scrapie in sheep. Minister for Agriculture and Food Joe Walsh says the debate at EU level has resulted in the adoption of regulations requiring Member States to conduct a genetic survey of native pedigree breeds, to put voluntary breeding programmes in place for such breeds and allow for strategies for dealing with infected flocks. On this latter point, such strategies range from full depopulation with a prohibition on using the land for sheep for a period of three years, to genotyping and partial depopulation of flocks.

Our aggressive approach to all animal disease issues, especially BSE, is beginning to pay off. Minister Walsh pointed out in mid-October that the disease is being "worked out of" the national herd as older animals are slaughtered or die. He predicted that the total number of confirmed BSE cases in Ireland this year would be in the region of 200, as against 333 cases last year.

Similar trends are expected to be reported from all over the EU before the end of the year. We may have turned the corner, at long last.

EQUINE WELFARE AT TRAMORE

Equine Policy in their race card last week and it certainly made pleasant racing and hopefully all other race courses will follow suit.

The policy read:

matters more to us than looking after the horses. We do everything in our power to ensure that we provide a racing surface of the highest quality and imize the chances of horses incurring any injury whilst here.

Regrettable as in any highly competitive sport, there are occasions when ideas and would like to be heard the something goes wrong and horses Forum members in your area are there have to be given the very best veterinary care.

Their first priority is to make a rapid diagnosis and to help them do this our groundstaff will erect screens around sessment can be undertaken.

should remember that the horse's welkindest for the horse"

THIS WEEKS IRISH FIXTURE LIST

Thursday— Thurles 1.15pm

Friday —

Gowran Park 1.15pm Saturday - Naas 1.20pm

Sunday —

Clonmel 1.00pm,

Leopardstown 12.45pm

IN TIMES EYE INJURED

The Dermot Weld trained In Times Eve picked up a tendon injury finishing unplaced in the Caulfield Cup in Melbourne last week. The trainers son Mark was moaning about the hard ground after the race but lets be honest about it Mark if you felt the ground was that bad you should have scratched your horse, incurred a fine but at the end of the day your horse would have been sound.

TON UP FOR GORDON

Amateur rider Gordon Elliot rode his 100th point-to-point winner at Clonmel last week. Gordon is one of those fortunate riders allowed to revert to amateur status after riding as a professional for a number of years in-Pipe yard.

sent out two winners in Northern Ireland last week.

NOBODY TOLD ME INJURED

Me sustained a home gallop injury Tramore racecourse issued an damaging ligaments in her hindquarter, which keeps her out of race action until well into the New Year.

RACE-GOERS CONSULTATIVE FORUM

Did you know that there are two peo-"Here at Tramore racecourse nothing ple in this region on the Race-goers Consultative Forum. David Skelly, Suir ,County Tipperary and Cecily Purcell, Orwell, Ballypatrick, Clonmel, we take every conceivable care to min- County Tipperary represent the following south east region racecourses, Thurles, Clonmel, Tramore Wexford and Gowran. If you are a racegoer with to listen. They will bring your ideas to Horse Racing Ireland (HRI) and the There are two Veterinary Surgeons racecourses, working to make a differon duty to ensure should any horse ence for racegoers regionally and nathe members direct.

The Race-goers Consultative Forum was established as a requirement of any horse that needs attention. Once the Horse and Greyhound Racing Act the diagnosis is made one of our horse of 2001. "For the purposes of consultaambulances will attend the scene and tions relating to the operations of HRI will transport the horse back to the sta- in the context of developments or debles where further treatment and as- sired developments in the horse racing industry generally as they affect the Occasionally, it may be that the na- racegoer or service or facility user". ture of the injury is such that a horse is The Forum has twelve members from unable to make a recovery. If this is the around the country, including two case the Veterinary team may take the members appointed by the Minister for decision to put the horse down straight Arts, Sport and Tourism. It has formal away. In these circumstances we meetings at least every two months with the senior executives of HRI, fare comes first and that this option is chaired by HRI board member Mr E nice to see the French trained Six Per-Browne

FALBRAV APPEAL FAILS

As expected the connections of Irish year on her European excursions. Champion Stakes runner up Falbrav failed in their appeal to have the result amended in favour of their entry. Inter- closing stages to gain a share of the estingly the connections of Falbrav had spoils while Falbrav lost nothing in detheir deposits returned.

BAD BREAK

is certain to miss out on the remainder lon. of the flat season having fractured his ankle at Navan last week.

STORMIN NORMAN FORCED TO RETIRE

a day. During a glittering career as an scored on 10/1 shot Bell Star. amateur and a professional Stormin Norman rode over twelve hundred winadvice he received was to give up race riding before some permanent damage was done. Norman and his wife Janet cluding a stint with the powerful Martin live in Athboy in County Meath and Norman will not be lost to the racing Gordon is now training as well and he world entirely as he hopes to do some television work.

TAUNTON PROBLEMS

Champion Hurdle winner Nobody Told lack of rainfall leading to hard ground Westerner.

has caused the West Country track to lose out on two fixtures.

EQUINE DEATHS

Horse racing has recently lost a number of popular equine performers. The great Teleprompter was put down at the age of twenty-three. Trained by Bill Watts Teleprompter was one of the first horses from this side of the world to Bank House, Main Street, Carrick On travel and win a major international race. Sadly there are no offspring by Teleprompter as he was a gelding but what a gelding he was beating the Yanks in there own back yard in the Arlington Million.

> Racing also lost two very valuable mares recently in the shape of Marwell and Melodramatic.

DID YOU KNOW

Did you know that one of the senior Management people working with Horse Racing Ireland (HRI) is Margaret need help they will be attended to with- tionally. Race-goers can E-mail the Davin who hails from Ferrybank in Wain seconds of any incident occurring. FORUM at FORUM@hri.ie or write to terford. Margaret who in the past held senior finance posts with Kerry Co-Op in Tralee and England was spotted amongst the attendance at Cork races recently where she is a Director in the Mallow based racecourse. HRI must be disappointed with the performance of Cork track however since it underwent a major Capital investment program some years back. There is nothing wrong with prize money at the venue but attendance and betting figures are somewhat disappointing.

BREEDERS CUP MEETING

The Breeders Cup meeting in Santa Anita, California produced some excellent fare last Saturday night. It was fections gain an overdue Group win as she was so unlucky throughout the

High Chaparral proved what a great horse is he running his heart out in the feat. Islington displayed her class against her own sex for trainer Michael Young flat jockey Colm O'Donoghue Stoute and Irish born rider Kieran Fal-

SHAY'S DOUBLE

Local rider Shay Barry is picking up some useful rides of late and he recorded a double at Weford Races Top jump jockey Norman Williamson Tast Saturday. Shay also rode a winner has been forced through injury to call it on Sunday as did Larry Hurley who

POINT-TO-POINT FIXTURES

Sunday November 2nd United Foxners but the thirty four year old jockey hounds, (Clonmult-Dungourney) At took some heavy falls and the medical Ballyknock, Dungourney, Co Cork 12.30pm

> Ormond Hunt, South Park, Ballingarry, Roscrea, Co Tipperary. 1.30pm

> Killinick Harriers, Wexford Racecourse, Wexford 12.30pm

FOURTH SPOT FOR VINNIE

The Dermot Weld trained Vinnie Roe could only manage fourth spot in the Taunton racecourse set in England French St Leger at Longchamp last The Willie Mullins trained French are having a real tough time of late as Sunday behind the French trained

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB GOLF NOTES

OPEN WEEK END

Saturdays Open 18 holes Fourball was won by Justin Spratt who plays off (13) and Pat Fitzgerald (20) with a great 46 points. This round was played in superb weather and on a course that was in peak condition. John Moroney (6) and Noel Walsh (17) came second returning 44 pts. The gross was won by our incoming Captain John Reynolds (+1) and Donal Williams (2) with 39 pts gross.

Sundays open 18 hole singles was won in great style by David Walsh. David, who plays in

Dun Laoire, played extremely well in a round which contained 3 birdies on 7, 13,& 18. In second place was Fergus Boland from Williamstown golf club who returned a score of 41 pts. The Gross was won by Dermot Walsh who eagled the last for a one under par round.

DUNGARVAN MENS RESULTS

25.10.03 18h Open Fourball 1st J.Spratt (West Waterford) (13) P.Fitzgerald (20) 46 pts 2nd J.Moroney (6) N.Walsh (17) 44 pts Gross J.Reynolds (+1) D.Williams (2) 39 pts Gr.

18h Open Singles S'Ford S/ford 26/10/03 1st D.Walsh (12) 42 pts 2nd F. Boland (9) (Williamstown) 41 pts Gross D.Walsh (3) 35 pts Gr. B6 3rd P.O'Sullivan (14) (Gold Coast) 40 pts

DUNGARVAN MENS FIXTURES OCTOBER/NOVEMBER:

Thurs 30th 18h singles s/ford, Sat. 1st 18h Singles S'Ford Sun 2nd 18h Singles S/ford.

DUNGARVAN LADIES RESULTS OCTOBER

Tues 21st 16h S'Ford: — 1st Maeve Fitzgerald (22) 38pts, 2nd Maeve O'Riordon (18) 36pts, 3rd. M. Fleming (29) 36

Sat 25th Oct. Ladies Fourball — 1st E. O'Kennedy (11) M. Baumann (17) 45 pts 2nd N. McMahon (10) B. Conway (32) 43 pts 3rd K. Deasy (16) F. Fitzgerald (19) 43 pts Ladies Home Alliance Tues 21st Oct. Winner Section 4: —

Josephine Melody (14) 34 pts 2nd C. Terry (20) 34 pts

Section 5 Winner Maeve Fitzgerald (22) 38 pts 2nd A. Twoomey (26) 34 pts

DUNGARVAN LADIES FIXTURES NOVEMBER

Sat 1st 18 h S'Ford Tues 4th 18h S'Ford

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Results Wednesday 22nd October — 1st Mary A. Coffey (16) 20 pts Best Lady A.Twomey (17) 17 pts; Best Gent -R. O'Connor (10) 17 pts

Next competition 29nd October, Scramble. Draw for partners at 2p.m.

PROGRESSIVE 45

Please note that the next Progressive 45 cards will be on this Thursday 30th October in the clubhouse. All card players are welcome.

MEN'S AND LADIES CLUB ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meetings of the Ladies Club will be held on Tuesday 28th October and the Men's Club will be held on Wednesday 29th October, both at 8p.m. in the Clubhouse Knocknagranagh.

MINI LOTTO

Week Ending 26/10/03. Numbers drawn were 2, 4, 16, 17. There was no winner.

€15.00 winners -

Dennis Mullins, c/o P.Lynch

David Dawson, c/o Club

P. Fraher, Colligan, c/o Des Roger O'Connor, c/o Club

Patrick Connors Kilbeg Clonea

Next week's jackpot will be €2,550. Next Draw Sunday 2nd November 2003. Thank you for your support.

WEST WATERFORD GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB NOTES

CAPTAINS' AND PRESIDENT'S GOLF DAY

On Sunday 9th November there will be a Captains' and President's Golf Day for both Ladies and Gents, followed by food and a presentation of all outstanding prizes. The competition will be a 13 hole singles stableford event with the timesheet running all day up to 2pm. Finger food will be available to all from 4pm onwards with the presentation of prizes to follow. Prize giving will include all Club match play winners, and all members are urged to make every effort to participate in this important social get together.

WEEKEND COMPETITION

Friday 24th Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th October sponsored by Bertie Hallahan — 1st: John Laverty (20) 42pts; 2nd: Shane Pomphrett (18) 41pts; Gross: Seamus Power (scr) 37pts; 3rd: Joe Tighe (15) 40pts; 4th: Edward Hickey (24) 39pts C.S.S: 37pts

FIXTURES

Wednesday 29th October - 13 hole stableford Turkey Competition, timesheet in operation.

Friday 31st, Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd November - Club competition, timesheets apply.

Wednesday 5th November -13 hole stableford Turkey Competition, timesheet in operation.

A full list of our fixtures and other information is available on our website: www.westwaterfordgolf.com

TURKEY COMPETITION

Result from Wednesday 22nd October — 1st: Mark Shanahan (1) 29pts back 7; 2nd: Michael Landers (16) 29pts; 3rd: Terry O'Callaghan (13) 28pts back 7; 4th: Jim Meaney (17) 28pts

BRICKEY OUTING

The Brickey Outing to New Ross Golf Club took place on Friday last where a huge crowd participated. Congratulations to Ger Flavin who took the prestigious Captain's Prize (Matthew McCarthy), a great day was had by all!! The next Brickey outing will be held on Sunday 13th December.

WEDNESDAY COMPETITIONS

Owing to the huge number of playing members in the last few Wednesdays it was decided to resume the Wednesday competitions for Club Members immediately after the Failte House Grand Final which was staged on Sunday 19th October. The Wednesday competitions were extremely successful in 2002 and also when the last Winter League was completed and judging by the turnout on last Wednesday early reservation of your tee-time will be essential on the coming Wednesdays. All competition entries will be returned as prizes.

CONDOLENCES

On behalf of the management and members of west Waterford Golf Club I would like to express our deepest sympathy to Johanna and Mary Barron on their recent bereavement. And also to the Flynn Family of the Park Hotel

JUNIOR NOTES

Junior competitions will take place on Wednesday October 29th followed by a group golf lesson and Friday 31st October

WEST WATERFORD GOLF CLUB LADIES NOTES

Fixtures — October 9 hole, 2 cards to count

Home Alliance: Thursday 30th Oct or Sunday 2nd November 13 hole stable ford

Sunday 9th November Captains and Presidents day – 13 hole stableford for ladies and gents. Tee times up to 2.00pm. Light refreshments will be served around 4.00 pm followed by presentation of prizes including all Club match play prizes. This should be a very enjoyable afternoon so we encourage as many as possible to come out and take part.

Our Club Singles Matchplay sponsored by Suzanne Dalton is now down to final stage with Eithne Ashby playing the winner from the match between Aine Parkes and Katie Kiely. Final to be played before the 8th of November.

GoldCoast Golf Club Notes

RESULTS

Mon to Fri 24th Oct: 10 hole Stableford — Mick Ahearn (11) 24pts.

Friday 24th Oct: Open 18 Hole Stableford: CSS 37 pts — 1st: Billy Power (12) 42 pts. 2nd: Gerry Whelan (13) 39

2nd: Gerry Whelan (13) 39 pts. Dungarvan Golf Club. Gross: Pat Power (4) 33 pts.

Saturday 25th Oct: 18 Hole Stableford. CSS 35 pts — 1st: Tony Flynn (17) 38 pts.; 2nd: Jim Moroney (15) 38 pts. Sunday 26th Oct: 18 Hole

Sunday 26th Oct: 18 Hole Stableford: CSS 37 pts — 1st: Freddie Starmer (18) 44 pts; 2nd: Tony Moore (14) 43 pts; Gross: Mark Lenihan (8) 32 pts

PRESENTATION OF 'END OF YEAR' AWARDS

A very special presentation night was held on last Sunday night to honour the winners of the various Matchplay events and golfer of the year. First up was the Lady Captain to present the Lady Golfer of the Year, Esther McGuchian, with the Helvick Seafood Award. Then Sheila Norris presented Norris Matchplay Award to the winner, Colette Martin, and second place to Helena Fitzgerald. The award for Juvenile Golfer of the Year went to Niall Power. The GoldCoast Cup for the individual Matchplay went to Micheal White with Tom White collecting the runner up spot. The Willie Barron Award for the club fourball was won by Morrie Ferncombe and Ger Murphy with Micheal White and Liam O'Brien in second place. In the mixed foursomes John White and Joan Mansfield took the honours with Brian Keohan and Ita Fahey in second place. The Order of Merit award, for breaking standard scratch the most times during the year, went to Pat Power. The final award of the night was presented by Paul O'Gorman of Permanent TSB to the Golfer of the Year Micheal White. All these presentations were carried out after all present had partaken in the culinary delights served up by the staff of the GoldCoast. It was a fantastic meal and great credit must go to the people who prepared it.

JUVENILE MATTERS

The club has had one of its most successful years ever with its growing number of juveniles and the credit for this must go to Johnnie Hughes. Johnnie puts in a vast amount of time and energy into this area and its great to see so many juveniles benefiting from his expertise. Well done to Johnnie and to his assistant Dave Clarke.

CAPTAIN AND PRESIDENT

From next week on the notes will be taken up with the Winter League and we might not have space enough for every thing we need to say. So this week we would like to take some space to mention how grateful we are to our Captain and President for the amount of work they put in to ensure for us all that we have had one of the most successful years in the history of the club. Captain Tom White has been involved in everything throughout the year, he never missed a match that the club was involved in, he had every event well prepared and he was an excellent ambassador for the club. President Nicholas Fitzgerald was always at Tom's side in ensuring that all was in the best interests of the club, his handling of meeting was superb and between the two of them they have ensured that the Gold-Coast Golf Club is now in it's healthiest position ever.

WINTER LEAGUE

The biggest league that the club has ever run will get underway this week. One hundred and fifty six players have entered for the league, consisting of twelve teams of thirteen players. The league stage will run for eleven weeks and will then proceed to the knockout stages. All the teams are now ready for action and may we wish every player the best of luck for this year's league. The results will be emailed to any player wishing to receive them every Sunday night for the duration of the league, if we have not got your email address already, please give it to Brendan O'Brien and it will be added to the list. Every player should make himself aware of the special rules applicable to the Winter League and a copy of same has been issued to each team captain for distribution to all his team. The draw for the first round is as follows:

Dunhill B v The Burgery. The Old Boro v. Dunhill A Abbeyside v. Dungarvan Kill v. Ballinacourty Mid County v. Cork

Waterford v. Nire/Touraneena FIXTURES

Mon to Fri 31st Oct: 10 hole stableford

Thursday/Friday 31st Oct: 18 Hole stableford, 1st round Winter League.

Friday 31st: Open 18 Hole Stableford.

Saturday/Sunday 2nd Nov: 18 Hole stableford, 1st round Winter League.

LADIES NOTES

Fixtures — 10 Hole Ongoing Competition.

18 Hole Ongoing Competi-

tion now in progress ends on 31st October.

Home Alliance — Starting Sunday 2nd November and continuing on first Sunday of each month up to and including March 2004. 13 hole stableford competition. Further details on notice board in kiosk. Members interested in taking part please put your names on the sheet provided.

Away Alliance — Third round of the Away Alliance will take place at St. Helen's Bay Golf Club on Thursday 6th November.

Committee Meeting — Next Committee Meeting will take place at the GoldCoast Golf Hotel on Friday 7th Nov at 8.p.m. sharp.

Annual Dinner — A very special word of thanks to the staff of the GoldCoast Golf Hotel for the beautiful meal provided on the occasion of our Annual Dinner held on Sunday 26th Oct. Also to the organisers of this very enjoyable annual event

Cunnigar Pitch & Putt Club Notes

LOTTO

In this weeks lotto the numbers drawn were 1-6-11-20. There was no winner of this weeks jackpot. The three lucky winners of twenty euro were Lenny Duggan, Anthony Dwyer, Mary Walsh. Next weeks jackpot will be

Get your tickets in because if you're not in you can't win.

LÁDIES

We would like to wish the ladies the best of luck on their trip to Waterford on Wednesday. We hope they have a good day. We would like to congratulate Eileen McCarthy on getting her first hole-in-one in last Sunday's competition. She was well congratulated by her excited partner chairperson Wyn Colligan.

COMPETITION

The atmosphere was good on Sunday morning due to the marvellous whether it was a change from the cold and wet mornings of October. The team of the ever confident Alfie Ebanks (who was looking as fresh as always) and Colin Houlihan (who was looking his usual on a Sunday morning after celebrating his eighteenth birthday over the weekend. hope you had a good one) ran away with the Gross with a great score of 14 under. In the nett Martin Hayes and young Wesley McCarthy combined well together and ran away with the Nett. Well done lads and we don't think this will be Wesley's last win as he is a fine young player.

There will be a competition

next Sunday at 11.00am get your name in before 2pm on Saturday.

MEETING

There will be a meeting held this Thursday at 7.00pm. We would like to see all the new committee members to be there.

LEONARD DUGGAN

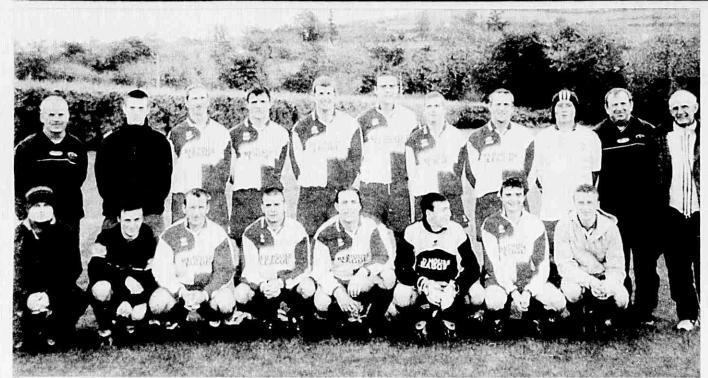
The club are sorry to see the departure of Leonard from the club committee. He has done some marvellous work for the club over the past thirteen years. We would like to wish him all the best in his retirement. Now we hope with all the time he has he will improve in his game.

SYMPATHY

We would like to express or sincere sympathy to the Flynn family on their recent bereavement.



RED HOUSE LEAGUE ROUN



The Red House League team defeated by the T.S.&D.L. 1-0 at Modeligo recently in the Oscar Traynor Cup. Included are the management team of Joe Tobin, Liam Fraser, Paddy Pollard and Ben Mangan (coach).

Red House Fixtures

SUNDAY 2ND NOVEMBER

Statoil FAI Junior Cup

Brideview v Hibernian at 2.30 pm. (M. Condon).

Premier Div.

Lismore v Accrington at 11 am (M. Condon). Cappoquin v Pinewood Rangers at 11.30 am (N. Collins). Gortroe v Valley Rangers at 11.30 am. (M. Hurley).

Modeligo v Clashmore at 11.30 am. (N. O'Donoghue). Kilworth v Inch at 2.30 pm. (M. Hartnett).

Ballyduff v Araglen at 11.30 am (M. Hartnett)

Division 2

Valley Rangers v Mogeely at 11.30 am. (E. McCarthy). Blackwater v An Ghaeltacht at 11.30 am. (P. Marks). Castlebridge v Glenview at 11.30 am. (T. Griffin). Ballyceltic v Affane at 11.30 am. (P. Browne).

PREVIEWS

LISMORE V ACCRINGTON CELTIC

The champions open their defence against North Cork based Accrington Last season Accrington had the Indian sign on Lismore, but if the home side are at full strength they should collect full points.

CAPPOQUIN V PINEWOOD

The homeside had a disappointing season last year and found the burden of champions and trying to win back to back championships too much. Pinewood won promotion as champions but their lack of games this season may come against them. Cappoquin to start the season on a winning note.

GORTROE V VALLEY RANGERS

Even at this early stage both sides have met three times and served up some wonderful football.

Gortroe, we fancied when we saw their panel but so far have failed to live up to expectations. Valley on the other hand have commenced the season as if meaning business after their disappointments last season.

A game to go either way, maybe Gortroe might get the upper hand this time.

MODELIGO V CLASHMORE

Last seasons champions from Div. 2 have a home tie to start the new season with Clashmore, who were lucky to avoid relega-

Vincent Donovan assembled a young side last season who played attractive football throughout and with Brideview B were the best sides in Div. 2. Home win on Sunday.

KILWORTH V INCH

Relegated Kilworth unluckily defeated by Cappoquin in the Fitzgerald Cup and beaten by Brideview last Sunday in the Bolger Cup might find Sunday's visitors a handful and will have to beat their best if Inch are not to take something home from this game. A draw

BALLYDUFF V ARAGLEN

The first of many local derby's in the coming season, the homeside relegated last season will want to jump straight back up to the Premier, while Araglen will have to get over the disappointment of losing out on promotion in the very last game of the season, but got some consolation by winning the Tyre Centre

Ballyduff maybe the stronger side on Sunday. A hard one to call. A village victory

VALLEY RANGERS V MOGEELY

The valley second string challenging for promotion up to Christmas last season, literally fell down the table in the second half of the season. Mogeely lost the Cup final last May but might prove too strong on Sunday. Mogeely to win

BLACKWATER V AN GHAELTACHT

A game which can go either way. The visitors are after having two Fitzgerald Cup games in the past two weeks and this might be enough to give them the points. An Ghaeltacht to win.

CASTLEBRIDGE CELTIC V GLENVIEW

Both sides met last Sunday in the Bolger Plate semi final at Cappoquin with the Melleray side coming out on top in a five goal encounter.

However the Castlelyons outfit fell they had the chances and did not take them so they aim to get off to the best possible start after a very bad season last year in which they were relegated. Castlebridge to win

BALLYCELTIC V AFFANE

The homeside after their first season in competitive football will hope the experience gained last season will help their young side this year. Affane relegated last year will hope to get back up to the First Division but will have to be more consistent than last season. They should however collect the points on Sunday. Af-

SUNDAY - THE BIG KICK OFF

vember is traditionally known as the first Sunday of the winter months -Nov.., Dec., and January and it also coincides with the first series of games in the Red House League. Since September teams have been competing in the Bolger and Fitzgerald Cups with some teams also taking part in the FAI and Munster Junior Cups. But from Sunday next we will be starting the real bread and butter of league football and each irrespective of which division they are competing in. At this stage of the season each club should have their squads finalised.

At this time of the season we ask the committee for their predictions - in other words test their knowledge and the forecasts correct, or is it the sign of put their heads on the block. This a politician, maybe a minister for fiweek we publish a few and continue with more the following week.

Ml. McBride told us he thinks Lismore itics. will retain their title. Now, we wonder is that because Michael has to face school next Monday morning? Or Hegarty and our own prediction.

Next Sunday - the 1st Sunday in No- maybe meet the postman on the way. Tommy Power plays cute. Has not now.

seen enough of the premier sides yet to cast an opinion. Tommy you can't cod a codder. We know you mean Ardmore. By the way hard to go against a full Ardmore outfit. We then sought the views of that

very shrewd and knowledgeable fixture secretary Jim Foley. Jim told us he thinks Brideview will once again challenge for the top spot, and that the team having to play 14 league games, title will end up in the Brideside town. The League Treasurer said Valley Rangers are his top team and in the same breath told us not to forget to mention Inch who he says are certain for promotion. Well done Anthony, the sign of a good Treasurer - getting nance, although in the present climate let's forget the latter regardless of pol-

Next week we'll publish the forecasts of Liam Fraser, Michael O'Neill, Noel Worth waiting for. Order your copy

BEST OF LUCK IN FAI CUP

All in the league wish Mick Sheehan and his Brideview team the best when they entertain Hibernians of Waterford at Brideview Park in the Statoil FAI Junior Cup.

This is a big challenge for the Tallow side as they play 2nd team in the Waterford Premier Hibs who are 5 pts behind reigning champions Carrick Utd. Hibs have lost just 2 of their eight league games and have ex Waterford U-21 star Damien McAvoy at centre half. In the eight games they have scored 12 goals and conceded seven. On Saturday last Southend beat them by 2 goals to nil.

But with home advantage and we know a large following Brideview might get the upper hand. It will be a wonderful fillip for themselves and the league should they overcome such a high profile team.

BRIDEVIEW 4 KILWORTH 2

(See match report on opposite page)

GLENVIEW 3 CASTLEBRIDGE 2

This Bolger Plate semi final caused a surprise when league newcomers Glenview got the better of Castlebridge in a five goal thriller.

John Broderick had 2 goals and Kevin O'Rourke 1 goal for the Melleray side, while Johnny O'Sullivan scored both goals for the losers. This win will delight Jimmy Power and company and is a big boost for Glenview's very young and inexperienced side,

and they now will face Ardmore in the final.

Castlebridge on the other hand must be very disappointed with this result. Heavily defeated by Ardmore twice in the Fitzgerald Cup they were expected to go through to the Bolger Plate final as their experience should be too much for a young Glenview team. However, it was not to be and they must now pick themselves up for the league.

AN GHAELTACHT 2 MOGEELY 2

Liam Lehane and Darren Hurley scored for the Ghaeltacht, but Mogeely's 2 goals were enough to see them

through to the next round as they won by 7 goals to 6 on aggregate.

GORTROE 0 VALLEY RANGERS 2

Aidan Hogan and John Carr scored for Valley Rangers to leave them leading by 5 goals to I goal when with just 17 minutes remaining and Valley Rangers down to 9 men (2 red cards having been issued), referee Willie Collins found it necessary to abandon the game. At the time of penning those notes the outcome is not

League Chairman Ml. McBride told us he is awaiting the referee's report. Definitely an unsatisfactory end to an enjoyable two legged Fitzgerald Cup clash.

Delegate Meeting

The delegate meeting of the Red House League will take place this Monday. 3rd November at the Red House Bar, Lismore at 9 pm. It is imperative that all clubs be present.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE ROUND-UP

TONY BOLGER CUP SEMI-FINAL

Brideview United Advance To Final

BRIDEVIEW UTD 4 KILWORTH CELTIC 2

The opening goal here came after 15 minutes when a great low shot by Roy Henley went inside the post despite a great dive by Mark Cooney.

Michael Keating should have put Utd 2-0 in front but his fine effort went across the goal and just wide. At the other end Paudie Lynch put Dec Brown through but Sheehan denied

After 27minutes Will O'-Donoghue had a great shot at goal but Sheehan was in great form for the Tallow side and he saved well to deny O'-Donoghue an equaliser in the 29th minute O'Donoghue was in again but his snap shot went wide.

Celtics final chance in the opening half came in the 38th minute when a Paudie Lynch free was headed over by Declan Tobin, at the break Utd led

We had an excellent start to the second half when Celtic scored after just one minute. The scorer here was Paudie Lynch. Lynch was in again three minutes later but this time he shot over.

A quick free kick taken by Graham O'Neill caught Celtic's defence napping and Brian Henley ran in to shoot low into the net to restore Utd's one goal advantage. This came in the 50th minute.

Utd almost increased their lead in the 57th minute when Graham O'Neill set up Michael Keating but the latter shot wide. A minute later a William Burley pass found Roy Henley but with only Cooney to beat, he shot wide.

After 63 minutes a great run by Tommy Seymour down the left saw his great shot past go over. In the 67th minute Will O'Donoghue shot over from

the edge of the box as Celtic threw everything at Utd to get back again on level terms.

Paudie Lynch had a fine effort in the 69th but Billy Sheehan was equal to it.

Then is the 72nd minute a great ball over Celtics defence by Graham O'Neill saw Michael Keating run in and chip the ball over the advancing Cooney and shot home into an empty net.

A minute later William Curley missed a great chance to put Utd further ahead but he shot over.

A minute later Utd grabbed goal number four. A great shot from William Henley was pushed out by Cooney but William O'Neill reacted first and shot home.

Des Brown had a header saved by Utd's Sheehan before Celtic got their penalty in the 82nd minute. Will O'-Donoghue stepped up and shot

home but at this stage of the game Utd. were through to the

Overall a fine game of football with Utd having four of its U18 squad in action and all did

Celtic too had players like Will O'Donoghue, Paudie Lynch, Tommy Seymour and Ger McCarthy giving it their best shot.

Utd: B. Sheehan, B. Henley, G.O'Neill, D. Martin, G. Beecher, B. Henley, G.P Grey, J. Doyle, R. Henley, W. Curby, M. Keating.

Res used: W. Henley, M. Curley and W.O'Neill; B. Donnelly, T. McSweeney, S.Pratt.

Kilworth Celtic; M. Cooney, L. Condan, B. Tobin O'Walsh, G. McCarthy, P. Lynch, T. Seymour, D. Tobin, D. Brown, D. O'Donoghue, W. O Donoghue.

Res G.Hayes used, T. Drislane, P.O'Brien, G. Ahern, J. Guerria, Bruna Viera.



The officials in charge of the Oscar Traynor Cup between the R.H.L. and T.S.&D.L. in Modeligo recently - referee Tom Griffin is flanked by his assistants Maurice Condon and Willie Collins.

SUPER DRAW

The second draw in this years Red House League Super Draw will take place this Saturday night, 1st November at Power's Bar, Mount Uniacke hosted by Inch F.C. The top prize will be a 2 week Palma Cruise valued

at 2,500 euros and the second prize is a trip to Twickenham to see England play Ireland in the six nations championship. Other prizes include dishwasher, washing machine, digital camera, weekend in the Castlerosse Hotel, Killarney, a trip to Oakwood Theme Park, Wales next year and many other prizes.

Liam and Anthony tell me they will start the draw at 10 pm sharp, so clubs with money outstanding take heed.

Wishing everyone the best of luck and hope to see you all

Big Game Friendly In Midleton

A big number of fans are expected in Tallow on Sunday next when the local side Brideview Utd, face one of the top Waterford clubs namely Hibs.

In Tallow

FAI JUNIOR CUP PREVIEW

Hibs are on a high at the moment, as they are top of the Premier division in Waterford and no doubt they will be hoping to overcome Brideview on Sunday and go into the hat for the next round and who can blame them.

To date they have lost only one game out of nine played. That in itself is a very good record. They will travel to Tallow full of confidence of defeating Brideview.

That said the Tallow lads will no doubt look forward to the game managers Mick Sheehan and Tomas McCarthy will be hoping to pull off a real shock here.

If Utd will have a full panel to choose from and they have no injury worries that I'm aware of then it will be interesting to see what first eleven will start.

Utd won the last round in Waterford against Garda after a seven-goal thriller. However it was Utds second team that were on duty as their first team were an GAA duty.

So what team represents Brideview on Sunday. That could have a big bearing on this game. Hibs will be much stronger than Garda.

Perhaps Utd will field their first side for this much awaited

If they do then players like Sheehan, Grey, Beecher, Pratt, Martin will have to be at their best. The Tallow side have plenty of young players with no shortage of pace and skill.

Here we think of the O'Neill brothers, the Curley brothers etc., Kieran Casey, Eamonn Forbes, and Mark O'Brien ect.

An exciting game in prospect and we wish the Tallow side the best of luck as they keep the flag flying for the Red House League.

on this Friday night at 7.45. Joe Tobin is into the next round. anxious to have a full panel to choose from.

OSCAR TRAYNOR CUP

We are still anxious to strengthen our

are improving.

ther and that is why we are playing this Paddy Pollard or Liam Fraser.

The RHL Oscar Traynor Cup team take on Friday night. We feel that the Tipperary the Munster Business League in Midleton SDL can do us a big favour and get us back

We need to be prepared if that happens We are hoping to have our full side in ac- added Tobin. That is why it's important that we play this game on Friday night.

The Red House League panel Billy Sheesquad stated Tobin. We are very pleased han, John P. Grey, Conor Hurley, Aidan with the squad that we have but we feel we Roche, Alan Landers, Leonard Byrne, Joe need three or four more quality playes stat- Mangan, Sean Ormonde, John Broaderick Paul Quinn, Jack Crowley, Will Donoghue, We are looking here to the future of the J.P. Ryan, Owen O'Donoghue, Matt Cashleague team and there is no doubt but we man, Pat Walsh, Colin Kearney, Camen Radley, Alan Collins.

Our results this season have proven that. Any player that is not available on Friday However we know that we can go a step fur- night would they ring either Joe Tobin,

Inter Youth League -Friendly Game **NORTH TIPPERARY 1**

RED HOUSE LEAGUE 0 This was our Inter Youth teams first game and afterwards manager Ray Fraser was well pleased. We were short some players today but this is a start for us. We know what we

have to do and while North Tipperary are a very good side we had many chances especially in the final quarter when we were on top. North Tipp took the lead with a great goal after 10 minutes but the Red House League went close to equalising with Pat Walsh, Sean O'Neill, Michael Curley and Patrick Kearney all going

In the second half Jerry Donovan, William O'Neill and Pat Walsh all missed good chances.

Overall a great workout for our lads.

Red House League panel: C. Gleeson, J. Crowley, C. Baker, S. O'Neill, K. Casey, P. Kearney, P. Walsh, M. Collins, J. Kearney, M. Curley, S. Troy.

Res all used: J. Donovan, K. O'Neill, R. O'Brien, W. Curley, W. O'Neill.

BEST WISHES

To Conor Hurley and Declan Barron both of whom are under the weather as it were at the moment. Get well soon

YOUTHS INTER LEAGUE NOTES Home And Away Games Against West Cork

Our youth team have two vital games coming up next month when they face two games against West Cork. The winners of these games will advance to the next game.

Manager Roy Fraser and his assistant Noel Hegarty would have liked the away game first but we will just get on with it now added Fraser. Hegarty was pleased with the way the squad has developed and he stated that the players will be fired up for these games. It's just what we wanted added Hegarty.

To Declan Barron Jnr. who is in hospital at the moment, we hope to see this very good player back in action real soon.

STRADBALLY F.C. NOTES

SEAVIEW DRAW
The next draw takes place in Ryan's of Barrack Street, Waterford this Saturday evening at

STRADBALLY LOTTO

The last draw took place last Sunday evening in in Whelans Bar, Stradbally. The jackpot was €1800. There was no jackpot winner and three prizes of €25 each were won by Ailis Barry, Dunhill, John Wall, Graigue, Stradbally and Maria Connors, Carrigarea, Kilmac. The numbers called were1, 11, 14, 24. Next draw in Curran's on the 16th of November. Jackpot will be €1900. 3RD DIVISION

St Saviours 0 Stradbally 6

Stradbally travelled to the Ballybeg area of Waterford City last Sunday afternoon to take on local side St Saviours. Our many attacks in the first half were finally rewarded with a goal from Franny Carroll. The second half was a different story with Denis Doyle grabbing a superb hat-trick includ-ing a brilliantly headed goal, another spectacular goal from Stuart Fee, a 40 yard piledriver from Stephen Lawlor and another Wayne Kiely goal who also assisted in two other goals.

FIXTURE

We are away to Carrick this Sunday afternoon at 2.00pm. Be in the village at 1.00pm. Training every Thursday at

7.30pm. All available players to attend.

Two of our players travelled to English premiership matches last weekend. We know which one came back the happier and it was not the one who went to Old Trafford.

INJURY SCHEME

This is the final call for players if they wish to participate in the FAI sponsored O'Neill O'-Driscoll injury scheme. Leaflets were given to players two weeks ago in relation to this scheme. Presently under the basic League insurance players will receive €55 per week for the ten weeks from week three to week twelve and only for a break of a bone. Under the FAI scheme players are covered from week five to week twenty six for up to €450 for any injury in matches or training which incurs a loss of wages for the player. The option is there.

STRADBALLY UNDERAGE TRAINING

Training for all players this Saturday at 10.30am including the 7-10 year olds, under-13's and under-15's

Under-13

Stradbally 1 Ferrybank 3 Top of the table side Ferrybank were our visitors last Saturday and unfortunately we were on the receiving end of a defeat despite matching them for most of the game. Ferrybank went into a first half lead but Damian Kiely equalised in the second half. The Waterford side added two more towards the end of the game.

Under-15 Carrick 3 Stradbally 2

This was a game which could have gone either way with both sides having plenty shots on target during the game. Carrick shot into an early two goal lead with a strong wind to their

Speedy striker Nicholas Drohan equalised with two excellent strikes in the second half. The first was an indirect free from 25 yards out which was laid on by Christopher Lawlor and thundered to the top corner from Drohan. Some minutes later, neat work from Thomas Kiely led to Drohan bringing the ball to the left before striking across the bows of the Carrick keeper for goal number

Carrick scored the winner from a free kick with just six minutes left on the clock.

REF COURSE

A referees beginners course takes place over two Thursdays (Oct 30th and Nov 6th) at the Waterford Crystal Centre from 7 to 10 pm on both evenings. This would not only be invaluable to refs but also to coaches to update them in the rules of the game. Please contact Garvan on 086-8351233 if interest-

Waterford County **Badminton Association**

Its that time of the year again and a hearty welcome back to all in the badminton circuit. The leagues are already underway and its great to see so many teams involved competing across numerous different divisions. A huge welcome to our new President, Connie Dowd (Lismore) who has yet to realise what she has let herself in for! Don't worry we will look after you! A tremendous thanks and well done must go to Theresa Butler (Touraneena) for her work as President and its great to see her still involved at the top level. Also this year we are delighted to have some new clubs and new faces playing badminton, welcome goes out to Ballymacarbry and Rathgormuck who have joined the leagues this year.

There is now a webpage for the Waterford County Badminton Association and it is worth a look, the address is http://homepage.eircom.net/~w aterfordbadminton, it would also be great if anyone who has ideas for the site or about badminton in genreal would email waterfordbadminton@eircom.n et. The website is a job well done by Trudy Kennedy and Nicola O'Hanlon. Keep your eye on this space for details of up and coming competitions.

Dungarvan Badminton Club Notes

The Juvenile club will not be held this Friday night as is it Halloween, but we will be back in action the following week and every Friday night in the Sports Centre at 8:00pm for an hour and a half. New members are always welcome, just come along on the night.

As registration is now due, we will be collecting money from members on the night.

In the ladies and men's leagues our teams did not have a good start to the season, but things can only get better from here on. Our Division 3 ladies team played away to Dunmore and lost 3-1, and didn't the men have the same result when they played at home to New Ross. The other ladies team captained by Liz played away again to Dunmore and returned with a score of 0-4.

This week two of the teams are in action. The ladies Division 3 played at home to Touraneena on Monday night and on Thursday the men will be in action against Lismore.

Unfortunately due to Monday being a bank holiday the other ladies team was not in a position to field a team and had to postpone their game.

While the league games are being played members can still come to play on Monday nights in the Friary gym at

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RESULTS U13 CUP GROUP 1

Ballybridge 3 Mogeely 1

Clashmore 2 Mogeely 0

Ballybridge 4 Clashmore 2

Ballybridge qualify for Final from Group 1

RESULTS U13 CUP GROUP 2

Cappoquin 2 Pinewood 3

Valley Rangers 2 Blackstone 4 AET

Semi Final

Pinewood 2 Blackstone 2 Blackstone wins on Penalties Blackstone qualify for Final from Group 2 Pinewood qualify for Final

UNDER 16 LEAGUE

Blackstone 1 Inch United 5

Ballybridge 3 Valley Rangers 1

UNDER 14 LEAGUE

Gaeltacht 7 Brideview Utd 10

UNDER 12 LEAGUE Ballybridge 7 Ardmore 1

UNDER 15 CUP GROUP 1

Blackstone 2 Mogeely 1

Castlebridge 5 Blackstone 1

Castlebridge 2 Mogeely 2

Castlebridge qualify for Final on goal difference

Results to be phoned in after games to 024-94335 or 087-9083563

It was a very busy weekend on the Schoolboy front this week with matches taking place in all age Groups while Pinewood were in Cork on National Cup duty. Pinewood went down 4-2 to Mayfield in Cork but played very well considering three of their better players were unable to travel. Mayfield will now travel to play Castlebridge Celtic in the next round so it should be another good match. In the u14 League Brideview and Gaeltacht went goal crazy with Brideview winning an amazing match by ten goals to seven. Brideview led 7-2 at one stage before being hauled back to 7-7 but they recovered to win by three goals at the finish. In u16 Inch United won away at Blackstone while Ballybridge were 3-1 winners at home to Valley Rangers

In our u15 and u13 Cup qualifying competitions we had some tremendous matches with Castlebridge Celtic u15 side going through to the Final on goal difference over a gallant Mogeely side from the group played in Castlebridge while in u13 Ballybridge qualified on home territory from group 1 while in group 2 Blackstone came through after a penalty shoot out against Pinewood and they will meet Ballybridge in the Final in a few weeks time. The remaining u15 group will be played in two weeks time. This weeks fixtures show a number of changes from last weeks provisional list so as to keep all teams playing while at the same time allowing teams who have qualified for Finals to play them. Please check the list carefully as clubs have been accommodated as much as possible.

FIXTURES FOR SATURDAY NOVEMBER 1ST

Under-13 National Cup

Ballybridge v Wilton 2pm W Collins

Under-12 League

Valley v Cappoquin 1-45pm S Pratt

Under-12 League

Pinewood v Brideview 1-30pm P Browne

Under-14 League

Pinewood v Brideview 2-45pm P Browne

Under-12 League

Clashmore v Castlebridge Celtic in Ardmore 1pm M Hurley

Under-15 League

Ardmore v Blackstone 2-30pm M Hurley

Inch v Valley Rangers 2-30pm P Marks **SUNDAY NOVEMBER 2ND**

Under-16 League

Under-16 League

Castlebridge Celtic v Brideview United 3pm

Note that due to u16 Western Hurling Finals some adjustments have had to be made to the fixture list.

Schoolboy Meeting Thursday Night In Devonshire Arms Hotel Tallow at 8-30pm. All clubs are asked to be present. All registrations must be handed in on Thursday night. Clubs who have not done so will receive no further fixtures until forms are received.

BALLINAMEELA G.A.A. CLUB

We held a very successful and entertaining race night in The Welcome Inn on Saturday evening last. The first race got underway at 9.30 and interest seemed to be very big in this race as the big crowd were not shy on placing their bets with the tote. There was great excitement as local owner John Stack won this race with his horse Eileen Dover. Our race meet also had the facilities to show the extremely exciting breeder cup on big screen and it seems our treasure was keen to open a book on the photo finish to try and raise a few extra euro. The dead heat in the breeders cup added to the atmosphere on the night with great excitement for each race. We held our action race as race 5 and this proved a great success with all sorts of syndicates being formed to try and buy the best horse. Two more races followed our auction race but the crowd was still looking for more, some to win their money back more to just keep on winning. They weren't disappointed, as like a magician our compare Fran Mangian pulled out another race to satisfy everyone desires.

I would like to thank all those who supported the club in the Welcome Inn on Saturday night, Fran Mangian who ran the races very well and his commentary really added to the night. I would also like to thank all those who bought horses and jockeys and of course our very generous sponsers whom we would like you to support in any way you can. The list of sponsers is as followes: Ballinameela Community center, East Cork Oil, FDC Accountants, O'Dwyers Steel, Canty Construction, Terry McCarty Buildings, Bank of Ireland, Allied Irish Bank, William Scanlon AlfaLaval, Jim Quinn Agri Supplies, Musgraves, South of Ireland Petroleum, Omonds, Data Systems, Dwane's Tool hire, Clonmel Oil, Glanbia, Denn Feeds, John A Woods, Keereen Quarry, Kelleher Printers, Deice Fuels, Radley Engineering.

INTERMEDIATE FOOTDALL WESTERN FINAL

We play our neighbours the Brickey's next Sunday at 3.30 pm in the western intermediate football final. As this is only our second year up in the intermediate grade it is a great achievement to have reached this stage of the competition. Our opponents have a lot more experience at this level and have been knocking on the door for the past few years and they will look at this final as a great chance of winning, but our boys will have other things on there minds. This has the makings of a great game of football and we would really appreciate all the support we can get. So get out the blue and white flags and be in the Fraher Field at 3.30 next Sunday

SYMPATHY

We offer our sympathy to Tom Barron of Carrowgarriff and his family on the recent death of his mother Hanah Barron.

We offer our condolences to Fr. Garreth Desmond on the death of his father Liam who died while on holidays

We also extend our deepest sympathy to the Flynn family on the sad death of Donal Flynn.

May they rest in peace.

OIS BHRID

UNDER 11'S WIN COUNTY TITLE DIVISION 2

When our Under 11 team won the County final ground hurling on Saturday last in Ballyduff Lower against Clonea it reminded me of the song 'Perfect Day' or U2's hit 'Beautiful Day' but in our case a perfect end to a perfect year. Most of this squad have won U10's, U11's and U12's this year, but

to win a County title has to be the perfect end to a perfect year. To do justice to this team it is important to take you back to a wet Saturday in April when we won the Western final of this event up in Touraneena against St. Patrick's. Then the long hot summer passed before we heard of a County final. So on we marched to Walsh Park two weeks ago to play Clonea.

With no score recorded by either team at full time it was decided by two sets of selectors and County Board that the fairest way to settle this was a replay. After some discussion and more training sessions the conclusion reached by the selection was that to have any chance of winning this game we would have to get scores and a bit more horse power up

front. So we moved Ed Lonergan from back to forward and Shane Roche closer to goal thus hoping to give the forwards the power we needed up front. At half time happy with our discussion the selectors went to the dressing room leading 3 goals to one. However this was no ordinary Clonea team and to their credit they made some changes and at full time teams were level at three goals each. So it was into extra time once more and lads getting injured everywhere on the pitch, lads going off, lads going on and deep heat being sprayed on everyone except the referee. With selectors starting to lose voice and golden goal in sight, it was decided by all concerned that a result would have to got that day. With two minutes in sight Steve Barry buried one last goal in the net. So after two games and over one and half hours of superb ground hurling nobody deserved to lose but that is not the way it works and Cois Bhride came out on top with the narrowest of victories on a final score of 4 goals to 3. This was a superb display of ground hurling in excellent conditions played by both teams. Seven hurleys were replaced during the match which in itself shows the intensity it was played at. Scorers for Cois Bhride included Dean Hennessy, Eoin Roche, Padi Aherne and Steve Barry.

Our team was S. Barry, B. McCarthy, R. Barry, J. Leahy, K. Frazer, A. Pratt, E. Murphy, Evan Sheehan (capt), D. Hennessy, Ed. Lonergan, Steve Barry, E. Roche, P. Aherne, S. Roche, S. Lucy, T. O'Neill, Jackie Forbes, Shauna Corcoran, R. O'Sullivan, K. O'Farrell, Aine McCarthy, Amy Beecher, B. Buckley, D. McElroy, D. Rafferty, A. O'Riordan. A special word of thanks to Ned Power who helped with preparing the team for the County final. We would also like on behalf of the selectors to thank parents and supporters from Knockanore and Tallow who brought lads to training and matches as it makes our job much easier. Roll on 2004.

Presentation Night

Cois Bhride end of year presentation night will take place on Friday 21st November in the Community hall in Tallow, It is hoped to have some of our inter county players there on the night presenting the medals and also the certificates for the foundation coaching course. There will also be a get together in Lizzy Langton afterwards for the adults. All players, selectors, parents and supporters are invited to come along and give your support on the night. More details on this later.

LEVEL 1

It is hoped that the deferred level 1 coaching course will take place in the near future. Members interested will be informed when we have more details.

NEWS LETTER

After the success of the clubs first newsletter another one will be published before Christmas. Anybody wishing to contribute should contact any committee

MEETING

Next club meeting will be on Thursday 6th November.

SHAMROCKS G.A.A. **CLUB NOTES**

INTERMEDIATE HURLING **WESTERN FINAL** SHAMROCKS **V ABBEYSIDE**

At Dungarvan on Sunday next, throw in at 2pm. We hope to do well in this game despite a number of players who are plagued with injuries. We wish the team the best of luck and hope to see them going forward to the county final.

SOCIAL

The jubilee social which took place on last Sunday night at the Walter Raleigh Hotel, Youghal was a huge success with 300 supporters enjoying the night. Music was supplied by the 'Prendergast family' and a lovely meal was provided by Mary Murphy and the staff of

CLUB LOTTO

The winning numbers in Saturday nights draw were: 1-8-12-15 and there was no jackpot winner. 15e consolation prize winners were: Dan and Trish Casey, Strancally; Paddy Geary, Moorehill; Margaret Nicholson, Headborough; Eileen McGrath, Glendine; Francis Giles, Tircullen. On next Saturday night the jackpot will be 2,875e and tickets at 1.50e each can be purchased from the usual promoters.

INJURED PLAYERS BENEFIT NIGHT

Will be held at the Shamrock Inn. Knockanore on Friday night, November 7th. We would ask all supporters of the club to come along on the night and support this worthy cause.

Waterford Ladies Football

FASHION SHOW

Waterford Ladies Football will hold a fashion show on Thursday the 6th of November 2003 in the Park Hotel at 8-30 p.m. Fashions by Signet, Yahoo, Ni Craith and Noel Devereux. Our models on the night will be players from our various clubs throughout the County and City. We have a door prize on offer and some nice raffle prizes too. Some extra guests will walk the catwalk too! A cheese and wine reception will greet our supporters and the tickets only cost euro10. They are available from your local clubs and from the shops involved. Come along and see some fabulous fashions in time for the Christmas Party scene and have a great night, knowing that you are supporting our lady footballers clubs throughout the county. Clubs have been issued their allocation of tickets and all clubs are expected to sell their allocation in full. So why not make a date in your diary and come and see the other side of Waterford ladies.

On Saturday the 15th November our first ever All Star Banquet will take place in Citywest Hotel, Saggart, Co. Dublin at 7pm. sharp. O'Neills and TG4 are sponsors of our All Stars this year. It will be a very special night as President of Ireland, Mary McAleese is guest of honour.

This is a night not only for our All Stars but a special night for our association and we are asking all counties to make an effort to be presented on the night. Tickets are euro50 each or tables of 10 for euro500. It is a black tie affair. As well as announcing our All Stars on the night, a young player of the year award will be presentedto a player from each province and a Hall of Fame award will also be presented. Tickets can be booked through the office, paid for by cheque or visa. Accommodation may be booked through reservations in Citywest Hotel at 01-4010500. There is a special rate of euro125 B&B per dou-

Waterford All Star nominees as follows: Cousins Deirdre and Mary O'Rourke of the Clashmore Club, Annalisa Crotty of the Ballymacarbry club and Mary O'Donnell from the Old Parish Club. Wishing them the best of luck.

DUNGARVAN G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

SENIOR FOOTBALL

On Saturday afternoon last we travelled to the Leamybrien venue where we took on Kilmacthomas to decide which of the two clubs would be plying its trade in the intermediate ranks in 2004. Kilmac playing with a strong breeze were leading coming up to halftime by 0-8 to 0-2 when Dungarvan started to up the tempo and kicked two unanswered points and were on the attack when this game came to an abrupt halt. Defender Jonathan Shaw had just launched another attack, and having released the ball into the full forward line. sustained a very serious leg injury, following a tackle from a Kilmac defender. Following the administering of first-aid

on the pitch an ambulance duly arrived at the venue and Jonathan was removed to WRH, where he later underwent an operation to have a pin inserted in his leg. With the scoreline reading 0-8 to 0-4, the referee decided to abandon the game and have it rescheduled for a later date, which is yet to be announced. From everyone in the club would like to wish Jonathan the very best as he recovers from this injury, we all certainly look forward to seeing him out and about soon.

DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The last Deise Development Draw in the current series takes place on Friday night next in Quill's, The Pike. This is the last draw in the current series,

which commenced last March We wish to thank all our subscribers who made the draw so successful for the club, and wish you all the very best of luck on Friday night next.

COMMITTEE MEETING

A meeting of the executive committee takes place tomorrow night (Thursday) at 8pm in the clubhouse.

CONDOLENCES

From all in Dungarvan GAA club we wish to convey our deepest sympathies to the Flynn family on the recent death of Donal Flynn, The Park Hotel, Dungarvan. His many friends and acquaintances in the club were deeply saddened to hear of his death. Ar dheis De go raibh a anam.

Western Board Fixture List

SUNDAY 2ND NOVEMBER

Comeragh Oil IHC Final

Shamrocks v Abbeyside at Fraher Field 2.00pm. (P. Walsh)

Radley Engineering IFC Final.

Brickeys v Ballinameela at Fraher Field 3.30. (D.O'Murchú)

JUVENILE G.A.A. NEWS FROM THE DEISE COUNTY

Win For East Waterford In John O'Regan Tournament

The Annual John O'Regan tournament game between east and west Waterford took place on Saturday last at the Ballyduff Lower G.A.A. clubs from the east of the county winning under 14 football finals a week previously, the Western selectors knew that they were going to be in for a

The east got off to the best start with a point from Craig Moloney. The west hit back with a point from Jason Healy. After this the east added a few scores to race into a lead. However before referee Robert Grace blew the half time whistle, the west had hit back with scores from Michael Walsh, David Phelan and Mark Shalloe to earn a share of the spoils after 25 minutes of football.

In the second half the east took control of the game. The physically bigger side took control of the game picking off some good scores. The east could have won the game by a bigger margin had in not been for Stephen Enright in the West goal who made a number of crucial saves including a very good double save early in the second half. The west did have their chance to win the game but they saw too many of their scoreable chances fall to go between the posts or over the end line.

After the game County Board na n-Og Treasurer thanked both teams for the game they had served up. He welcomed members of the O'Regan family to the Ballyduff Lower Club Grounds and gave a brief history of the competition. The winners trophy was presented to the Captain of East Waterford Mitchell Casey by a son of John O'Regan while Mrs. O'Regan presented the winners with their winners medals.

Panels: West Waterford - Stephen Enright, Darren Dunford, Owen McCullough, Tommy Prendergast, Daniel Connolly, Kieran Burke, Daniel Henley, Jason Healy, Steven Slater, Gavin Crotty, Stephen Crotty, Declan Harty, Brendan Hogan, Michael Walsh, Mark Shallow, Jamie Collendar, Shane Fives, Cormac Nugent, Joe Kett, David Phelan. David Power.

East Waterford - Jamie Coil, Eric Lonergan, Scott Kelly, Conor O'Neill, Craig Kelly, Sean Crowley, Mitchell Casey, Conor Whelan, Aaron Connors, Gavin Fauikner. Adam Cunningham, Tom O'Moore, Craig Moloney, Colm

On the day a number of players from the west of the county were absent due to a school tour organised each year over the Halloween mid term break by a number of secondary schools.

JIM POWER TOURNAMENT

The annual under 14 football inter county football tournament for the Jim Power Cup will take place this weekend. This years competition will be played at Stradbally as Kilmacthomas where the games are usually played is not

The first game of the day sees the meeting of Waterford and Tipperary at 10-30. This will be followed at 12-00 by the meeting of Clare and Limerick. The two losers in the opening round of games will meet in the Plate Final at 2:00pm and the Competition final between the two first round winners will take place at 3:00pm.

COIS BHRIDE WIN **UNDER-11 COUNTY** FINAL REPLAY

The replay of the under 11 division two ground hurling championship final between Cois Bhride and Clonea took place on Saturday last at the Ballyduff Lower G.A.A, Club Grounds. The final between the two sides which took place two weeks previously at Walsh Park ended on a scoreless draw after extra time

The drawn game was a brilliant game to watch. People

game. However those that were present at this game will

Clonea opened the scoring on two minutes with a goal. Within three minutes Cois Bhride responded with a goal of their own. Two minutes before the break Cois Bhride took the lead with a second goal. Ninety seconds later Cois Bhride stretched their lead with a well taken third goal which was scored from distance.

Clonea were the better team in the second half. They soon scored a second goal to reduce the deficit to a single goal. Soon after Clonea scored a third goal to tie the scoring. This was how the game ended and so the two sides for the second time required extra time to see if a winner could be got.

The first half of extra time saw the ball go from end to end but no score could be found. The County and Western Bord na nOg Officers that were present on the day at the games decided at half time that if after another five minutes of play a winner was not got, the first team to score after that would be the winner, As the clock was counting down Cois Bhride attacked the Clonea goal, After a period of some good ground hurling they saw the sliotar rattle the back of the Clonea net. The crowd that were present were on looking at their watches after this. When Robert Grace blew his full time whistle there was a big roar from the parents and supports of the Cois Bhride players.

After the game the winning Cois Bhride Captain was presented with the winners shield by the treasurer of County Bord na nOg Joe Cleary. On the sound of the full time whistle former All-Ireland winning goalkeeper Ned Power who played with Waterford in 1959 went onto the field to go around to all the Cois Bhride players to personally congratulate them. It was nice to see a person like Ned who played at the very highest level present at a juvenile County Final and to go around congratulating the players.

Too many of today's big names do not recognise the work being done within the juvenile sections of the G.A.A. Clubs. The players that are playing juvenile hurling and football today are the stars of the games in the years to come. I am sure that in the years to come the Cois Bhride players will remember the day they beat Clonea in an under 11 Ground Hurling County Final at the Ballyduff Lower Clubs. Although the players will never have seen Ned Power playing they will have heard all about him. They will remember him going around the field congratulating each and every

It was a nice touch from Ned to do this. It would be nice to see other such legends of the games of hurling and football go to Juvenile county finals and to go around to the players after the game to congratulate or commiserate with them whatever the case may be.

UNDER 16 HURLING

The under 16 hurling championship which is sponsored by Cappoquin Chickens is down to the final stages in all three divisions. Two of these three finals are due to be played this weekend venues providing. The division one final between Lismore and St. Olivers is due to be played this Sunday Morning in Cappoquin at 11:00am.

When the two sides met in the league section of the competition at Lismore the game ended in a low scoring draw. The final is expected to be equally as tight with Lismore possibly regarded as the slightest of favourites.

The division two final sees the meeting of Cappoquin and Saint Patrick's in Bushy Park on Sunday morning at 11:00am. The two sides met earlier in the year in the county

say that replays can and will not be the same as the drawn championship at Bohadoon. On that occasion Cappoquin emerged as victors running out I winners with a few points to spare. Going on this result, Cappoquin will be regarded as the favourites to lift the trophy.

> The division three final sees the meeting of Ballyduff and An Gaeltacht. These two sides have met a lot this year and victories are split almost equally between the two. Ballyduff went straight into this years final as group winners while An Gaeltacht qualified after they beat Clashmore in the semi finals at Ardmore. Despite having come through the semi final route An Gaeltacht will be favourites to win this years title. This game will take place in Cappoquin on Saturday November 8th at 2:30pm.

SEMINAR

A Bord na nOg seminar/workshop programme will take place in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on Thursday November 6th at 7:30pm. The theme of the seminar will be "Facing the Challenges". Each Bord na nOg club in the county is requested to have their Chairperson, Secretary and P.R.O, in attendance on the night. An adult officer of each adult club should also attend.

CONVENTION TIME

It's that time of the year again across the country when Clubs and Bords begin to sit down and review the past 12 months. West Waterford Bord na n-Og are once again first of the mark in Waterford with Friday November 21st pencilled in with a number of weeks for 8:00pm at Lawlor's Hotel The East Waterford Bord na n-Og Convention is fixed for Tuesday December 2nd . The County Bord na nOg Convention takes place a week later in Lawlors Hotel.

The Western Adult Bord will have their annual convention will take place on Thursday December 11th and the County Annual Adult Convention will take place on Monday December 15th.

During the year various club personal were quick to attack the various bords on a number of matters. It awaits to be seen if any of these same people will be putting their name forward for election to the Bord. Somehow I don't think there will be many that will allow their names to go

FIXTURES SATURDAY NOVEMBER 1ST

Jim Power Under 14 Football Tournament

Waterford v Tipperary in Stradbally at 10:30am. Limerick v Clare in Stradbally at 12:00pm.

Jim Power Under 14 Football Tournament Plate

in Stradbally at 2:00pm

Jim Power Under 14 Football Tournament Final in Stradbally at 3:00pm.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 2

Cappoquin Chickens Under 16 Hurling Championship Division One Final

Lismore v St. Olivers in Cappoquin at 11:00am. (Venue to be confirmed as these notes are been put together).

Cappoquin Chickens Under 16 Hurling Championship Division Two Final

Cappoquin v St. Patrick's in Bushy Park at 11:00am (Venue to be confirmed as these notes are been put together).

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 8TH

Cappoquin Chickens Under 16 Hurling Championship Division Three Final

An Gaeltacht v Ballyduff in Cappoquin at 2:30pm.

(Venue to be confirmed as these notes are been put together)

Waterford G.A.A. Results

LAWLORS HOTEL SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Semi-Final

Tramore 2-4 Ballinacourty 0-7

Quarter Final

Nire 0-11 Kilrossanty 0-9

PAT McCARTHY CAR SALES EAST INTERMEDIATE **HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI FINALS**

Erin's Own 3-10 Clonea 1-9

MORRIS OIL EAST INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL **CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI FINAL**

Dunhill 0-11 De La Salle 1-5

PAT McCARTHY CAR SALES EAST JUNIOR **HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP**

Fenor 2-19 Ballygunner 0-11

GRANVILLE HOTEL EAST JUNIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI FINAL

St. Mollerans 3-11 Dunhill 1-3

"THE LOCAL" WEST JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

(A) Semi Final -

Brickey Rangers 4-12 Stradbally 2-3

(B) Final -

Abbeyside (B) 1-7 Kilgobinet (B) 0-6 LAWLORS HOTEL WEST JUNIOR (B) FOOTBALL **CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL**

Ballinwillan 2-12 Ballysaggart 1-4

Gaelic Games **Coaching Corner**

This Thursday 30/10/03 in Abbeyside G.A.A. Grounds at 4 o'clock the West of the County will play the East. This will conclude the Under-12 Intensive Football Coaching for the

The Following Players from the West are asked to be at Abbeyside G.A.A. Pitch at 3.30.

Ardmore - Kenny Murphy, Shane Leahy.

Clashmore - John Prendergast, Sean O'Connor, Donal O'-Connor, Colm Faherty, Brian O'Halloran.

Nire - Dave Fitzgerald, Paudie Cooney, Shane Whyte, Keith Guiry, Patrick Corcoran.

Naomh Brid - Dermot Tobin, Francis Condon, Patrick Walsh.

An Gaeltacht - Cori Roche.

Kilrossanty - Maurice Power, James Whyte, Alan Quinn, Sean Power, Darrell Ryan.

UNDER-14 COUNTY FOOTBALL:

John Regan Competition:

This Competition took place last Saturday in Ballyduff Lower G.A.A. Pitch in which the West took on the East. On the day some brillant football was played by both sides. The east got off to the better start and were five points up at one stage but the West fought back and were level at half time. Early misses at the start of the second half proved costly for the West as the East took their scores well, and ran out worthy winners. A panel from this Competition was picked after the game and they will now represent the County next Saturday 31/10/03 in the Jim Power Tournament. Limerick, Tippeary and Clare will provide the opposition on the day.

SCHOOL COACHING VISITS For Tuesday 4/11/03 To Friday 7/11/03

Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

Ballyduff Upper Glenbeg/Carriglea Abbeyside Cappoquin

PRIMARY SCHOOLS G.A.A.





Abbeyside N.S. who participated in the I.N.T.O./G.A.A. Mini Sevens Boys football played at the Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Grounds recently. Back row (I. to r.) Colm Kindregan, Conor O'Dwyer, David Morrissey, Shane Donovan, Ross Dunford, Colm O'Hare. Front row (I. to r.) Colm Whyte, Daniel Moroney, Barry McUllagh, Danny Kiely.

FAIR PLAY CHARTER FOR YOUNG PLAYERS

- We are playing for enjoyment, to be with our friends and to make new friends.
- We promise to try our best to improve our skills, to help our team mates and to obey the rules of the game
- We enjoy having older people watch us play. We ask that they applaud rather than criticise our efforts and the efforts of our opponents. Remember that we are learning the play a game that should give us a lifetime of enjoyment. We may have to risk making errors in order to learn.
- We thank the referees for giving time to take charge of the game. We promise to respect the referees decisions. We ask the older people to do

Please give us that chance.

We promise to respect our opponents. We shake hands before and after the game.

Saturday, 8th November: Boys Football Western finals in the Fraher Field.

Saturday, 15th November: 'Peil na gCailíní' Western finals in the Fraher Field.

MICK O'CONNELL

Once in a lifetime a players comes along who performs so well everyone else is forever compared to him. In soccer it would be Pele from Brazil. In Gaelic Football it has to be Mick O'Connell from Kerry. Mick O'Connell grew up on Valentia Island off the South Coast of Kerry. He won 4 All Ireland titles from 1959 to 1970, playing a key role at midfield. He beat all opposition in the air. He says his greatest enjoyment in football was judging where a high ball was going and catching it perfectly. His long-range free taking won several matches. He kicked equally well off his left or his right foot.

Mick O'Connell was the complete all rounder and a true superstar.

TOURIN G.A.A. NOTES

BALLINWILLIN 2-12 BALLYSAGGART 1-4

are the 2003 Junior 'B' Football champions. Defeated in this final for the last 2 years, this was a game we were very determined to win. We took the game to Ballysaggart from the outset and Darragh Wilkinson scored the first point of the game. Ballysaggart equalised and we then struck a purple patch and scored 4 points without reply. Both teams then struck for 2 points each and left the halftime score 7 point to 3. Moses scored a great fisted point at the start of the 2nd half followed by a well taken Alan Barry goal. Points by Bob Manahan and Michael Scanlan and a further goal from Alan Barry. Donal McGrath then scored a point followed by the

han. Two goals and twelve As the scoreline shows, we points is great scoring in any game and some of the scorers were as good as you would see in any football game. No one player is going to be named as better than any other on this team, we stated at the start that this is a team game. We had 15 players on the field of play. We also had 10 subs on the line. Some of them came on, other did not. But they all put in the same effort at training to win us this championship. As we stated previously this was a 25 man team not a 15 man team.

We also had a very important 4 man team on the sideline -John McGrath (manager), J.J. Scanlon and J.J. O'Donnell (selectors) and L. O Laocha (coach). A mixture of youth and experience who work very well

time and effort into the job and we can now see the rewards. Go raibh mile, mile maith agaibh.

Also to our many supporters that have followed us through thick and thin, thank you.

After the game, the cup was presented to our Captain Michael Scanlon by the Western Board Chairman, Paddy Walsh who congratulated us on our victory. Michael suitably replied thanking everyone involved with a special work of thanks to our opponents Ballysaggart for a sporting

Needless to say, the celebrations continued well into the

Team: D. Dransfield, Mark reen's sister in Scotland.

closing point from Bob Mana- together. They took this job at Landers, Ken O'Donnell, Jamie the A.G.M. when no one else Dalton, Colm Bennett, Michael wanted it. They put a lot of Walshe, Brendan McGrath, Brendan Scanlan Bob Manahan (0-6), Dara Wilkinson (0-3), Pat Walshe (0-1), Cathal Wilkinson, Kevin Wilkinson, Michael Scanlan (0-1), Alan Barry (2-0).

Subs: Donal McGrath (0-1), Niall Leahy, Paidi Cronin, Stephen Hogan, Jimmy Collender, J.D. Leahy, Donal O'Keeffe, Brian Doocey, Daniel Leahy, Peter McGrath.

COMMITTEE MEETING Will be held at the Communi-

ty Centre on Wednesday night at 8:30pm.

SYMPATHY

On behalf of the club I would like to express our sincere sympathy to the Barry family, Tourin on the death of Mau-

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"



S.F.C. DISAPPOINTING FARE AT FRAHER FIELD

▼ Kilrossanty's Mark Prendergast and The Nire's Declan Spellman Photo by Kiely Photography.

The Nire Adv

The results were disappointing for both the losers, both of whom will reflect on what might have been.

In the opening match which was the quarter final between Kilrossanty and the Nire and which was the better of the two games, the scores were level when the game had gone two minutes into time added on and a draw looked absolutely certain and this would have been a satisfying result for everyone. But referee Brian Power let the play continue and in the closing minutes the Nire through Shane Walsh and Brian Wall kicked over two winning points to set up a meeting with champions, Stradbally in the semifinal on next Sunday week at Fraher field.

In the second match which was a semi-final meeting between Tramore and Ballinacourty, the losers in my opinion left the game behind them after enjoying 75 % possession in the second half and missing three chances at goal and missing a penalty.

Tramore are now through to the county final and will play either Stradbally or the Nire on November 22 nd. in Fraher field.

This is the second Sunday in under pressure.

succession on which the fare at Fraher field has been disappointing and hopefully things will improve in the remaining weeks of the season.

NIRE 0-11 KILROSSANTY 0-9

The scoring gap in this tightly contested quarter final never exceeded three points and this kept the interest in the game very much alive from start to finish. I thought, as very many other did, that a draw would have been a fair result as neither side deserved to lose. Maybe in the closing stages when the Nire made the better use of their chances, that they were deserving of the result, but not everyone will see things in this light. Plane

in this light. Play;
Kilrossanty had first use of the breeze and mounted two early and unrewarding attacks. In the 5 th. minute Matty Kiely kicked over the first point of the game and Ciaran Keating added another a minute later. Jacko Kiely made it three without reply for the Comeragh side in the 8 th. minute and at this point, the Nire looked to be under pressure

In the 12 th. minute a Nire attack saw Tom Flynn open the Nire account with a neat point. Connie Power with the first score from a free made it 2 for the Nire and they were level on 0-3 apiece when Shane Walsh kicked over in the 15 th. minute

A 17 th. minute wonder save by Nire goalkeeper Michael Doocey from Seamus Veale was a set back for Kilrossanty, but nevertheless they kept on the pressure and in the remaining 12 minutes, sent over three unanswered points per Ciaran Keating and Matty Kiely (2) to leave the halftime score at 0-

SECOND HALF

Matty Kiely and Tom Flynn exchanged points as did Shane Walsh and Jacko Kiely, whose score was one of the best of the game.. Connie Power pointed and a splendid point by Ger Walsh brought the gap to the minimum in the 53 rd. minute and then the teams were level for the second time in the game when Connie Power pointed for the Nire in the 55 th. minute (0-8 each). The Nire took the lead for the first time in the game when Shane Walsh had a 58 th. minute score but then in the 62nd. minute Roger Power who started the game at full back had Kilrossanty back on

level terms at 0-9 to 0-9 and a replay looked certain.

But play continued and the two points in time added on saw the Nire steal a win with points by Shane Walsh and Diarmuid Wall in the 34 th. and 35 th. minutes.

Scorers; Nire; S. Walsh 0-4, C. Power 0-3, T. Flynn 0-2, G. Walsh and D. Wall 0-1 each.

Kilrossanty; M. Kiely 0-4, C. Keating 00-2, J. O'Kiely 0-2, R. Power 0-1;

Nire; M. Doocey, J. Moore, D. Ryan, M. Byrne, J. Walsh, I. Walsh, M. Walsh, A. Ryan, A. O'Gorman, G. Walsh, B. Wall, D.Spellman, T. Flynn, S. Walsh, C. Power.

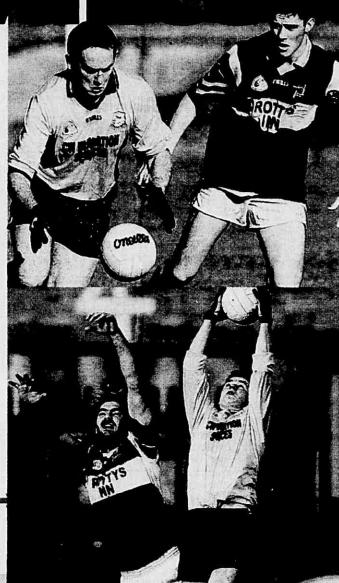
Subs. D. Phelan for A. Ryan D. Wall for D. Spellman.

Kilrossanty; A. Kirwan, K. Lonergan, R, Power M. Prendergast, J. Kirwan, S, Prendergast, P. Hayes, D, Kiely, C, Keating, S, Veale, M. Kiely, B. Prendergast, B. Kirwan, J. Kiely, J. Veale, Subs. B. Lannon for B. Prendergast, C. Dee for J. Veale.

Referee Brian Power, Mount Sion

Pictured over is was Kilrossanty's Dermot Kiely and The Nire's Shane Walsh

(Photo by Kiely Photography)





G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

SENIOR FOOTBALL SEMI FINAL

Tramore Reach BALLINACOURTY 0-7 County Final Against Wasteful Ballinacourty



The tally of wides in the game showed that the losers had 12 and the winners 6, but this was not the full reason why Ballinacourty lost a game that, if possession and territorial advantage were to mean anything, they should have won.

the game when Ballinacourty trailing by 3 points were awarded a penalty for a foul on Garry Hurney and the kick taken by Declan Fives was saved by Tramore goalkeeper John

With so much of the play in the second half for a reward of only 4 points, tells the story of the Ballinacourty effort. I saw it

There was a dramatic finish to as a game that they left behind them.

> Tramore have a nice young team and were helped by an unexpected 7th. minute goal which was all against the run of play at the time after county under 21 player Bob Rockett collected a pass to make a clear run and kick to the Ballinacour-

Before this Ballinacourty had

opened with a first minute Declan Fives point and followed in the 3rd. minute with a point by Garry Hurney.

Lee Quilty pointed an 18 th. minute free and 4 minutes later Mark Power, was set up by his colleague Bob Costello for Tramore's second goal.

A Michael Enright point in the 26 th. minute was the last score of the first half to leave the state of play at 2-2 to 0-3 in favour of Tramore.

Second half

Ian Kiely and Declan Fives had early points and Shane Briggs had another in the 12 th. minute to reduce the gap to just 2 points and with Ballinacourty enjoying a major share of possession.

Mounting two attacks, Tramore had two scores, points by Mark Power and Michael O'Donoghue in the 4 3 rd. and 53rd minutes and which were their only scores of the second half. A Ballinacourty attack saw substitute Patrick Hurney kick

gaol and the same player kick a splendid point in the 57 th. minute to leave just 3 points between the teams. The aved penalty saw Tramore through to the county final for the first time in 18 years.

Scorers; Tramore. M. Power 1-1, B. Costello 1-0; L. Quilty 0-2, M. O'Donoghue 0-1;

Ballinacourty; D. Fives 0-2, G. Hurney, M. Enright, I. Kiely P. Hurney, S. Briggs 0-1 each.

Tramore; J. Moroney, P. O'-Gorman, P. Fleming, D. Gillane, B. Power, G. Dunphy, M. Whelan, B. O'Connor, P. Ogle, M. O'Donoghue, T. Whelan, B. Costello, L. Quilty, M. Power, N. Brennan. R. McDonand. P. Dunphy for O'Connor.

Ballinacourty; A. Landers, J. Phelan, J. Moore, G. Breene, B. Hayes, L. Hurney, R. Hanrahan, S. Briggs, G. Hurney, J. Hurney, W. Fennell, P. Lynch, D. Fives, I. Kiely, M. Enright, subs. P. Hurney for P. Lynch, M. Fives for M. Enright, C. Barrett for I. Kiely;

Tramore's Paddy Fleming. Photo by Kiely Photography

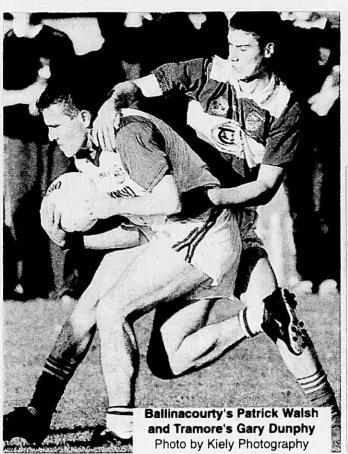


S.F. Relegation **Game Abandoned**

Following an unfortunate incident in which Dungarvan player Jason Shaw sustained a broken leg, the relegation match involving Kilmacthomas and Dungarvan was abandoned at Leamybrien on Saturday last.

Twenty seven minutes of the first half had been played and Kilmacthomas were leading on a score of 0-8 to 0-4 when the incident occurred. Kilmacthomas were then down to 14 players as Jonathan Hughes had been dismissed following the incident.

An ambulance arrived from Dungarvan some 30 minutes later and Jason Shaw was removed to Waterford Regional Hospital. Referee Pat Walsh, Fourmilewater.



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Tremendous Game In Prospect As Mount Sion & Ballygunner Meet In Final At Walsh Park

I have no doubt but that it will be a super game of hurling and a clash that will compensate us for the mediocre standards produced at all stages throughout the championship. Mount Sion who are going for a record thirty-three county senior titles were the more impressive of the two in the county semi-finals even though they had to struggle past Ardmore in the first round and again when matched against Lismore in their second match.

The same teams met in the county final last year and it is nothing more than a stroke of fate that they have remained apart until the county gain this time round. Judging by the indifferent form shown throughout the championship so far it is well for hurling that these and no other teams are involved in our "Showpiece game here on Sunday.

Unusually, the game stands alone on the programme and with no curtain raiser. There is no championship game available to be played as both minor finals were decided some weeks ago.

Ballygunner have won six tifour and Lismore two.

the defending champions when taking on Mount Sion in an epic decider which finished with just a 'whisker' between them. A scoreline of 1-19 to 2-14 favoured Mount Sion, who then went on to win the Munster club championship- a title show' held by Ballygunner in the previous year when they were

It is of interest to note that when Mount Sion and Ballygunner played their semi-final matches here two weeks ago, they each showed just one change from the teams which represented them in the county final last year, Ballygunner have been strengthened by the addition to their team of Fergal Flynn. The Clare man who transferred here in June should give a boost to Ballygunner. he is also a county team prospect.

With intense rivalry between the clubs, we can be sure that this game will be loaded with ' bite' and no quarter will be asked or given. Nevertheless Over the past twelve years the final is sure to produce club hurling at least as good as tles, Mount Sion have taken one might hope to enjoy in any other county around the coun-Last year Ballygunner were try. It will produce some great duels, splendid individual displays and some smashing clashes before the game finishes

Scoring, too, should be a feature of the final and here it will be interesting to see if there are any new county prospects ' on

SCORING STATISTICS

While a comparison of their scoring records over their three

MOUNTSONARE SLIGHT FAVOURITES TO RETAIN THEIR TITLE

games played so far in the championship is of no real significance, it may be of interest to some readers.

Mount Sion have so far scored 6-42 and had 5-30 scored against them,

Their three top sharpshooters are Michael White, 0-13, Eoin Kelly 0-10 and Barry Browne

Ballygunner notched up 5-42 and had 1-22 scored against

Paul Flynn was their top scorer with 2-9, Shane Sullivan had 1-8 and Paul Foley accounted for 1-7.

(Lismore's chief striker, Sean Daly is way out in front on the 2003 scoring chart with a total of 6-19 from five matches)...

This final is very likely to be a very close affair and the expectations are that it will go down to the wire, same as last year between the same clubs.

A draw is not out of the question, either. When the same sides played a 1-8 all draw in the 1995 county final, Ballygunner came out on top in the replay by just a couple of points, 3-13 to 1-17.

A draw in this county final would cause serious problems in that the winners are scheduled to play the first round of the Munster club championship on the following Sunday. Hopefully it will not mean having a replay on the following Saturday before playing the Munster Club match on the following day, as was the case ten years

HOW THEY

It is expected that the sides will show just one change from the county final line out of last year. Both clubs have shown consistency in fielding ' regular' teams.

Ballygunner, here in the role of challengers will have the very reliable Ray Whitty in goal behind, Nial O'Donnell, Alan Kirwan and Rory O'Sullivan. Fergal Hartley will once more be at centre half back and will be flanked by Stephen Frampton and Colin Kehoe.

Tom Fives and Andy Moloney will continue with their midfield partnership and in attack they will place Fergal Flynn Mick Mahony and Paul Flynn in the half line and Billy O'Sullivan, Paul Foley and Darragh O'Sullivan inside. There is also some very worthwhile talent among the regular 16 substitutes that they carry.

I liked Fergal Flynn in the semi-final against Lismore. I think he was lots of potential and a lot to offer to his new team. I am not saying that he will win the match for Ballygunner but I believe that he will certainly strengthen their prospects.

Remembering that Mount Sion have their county and Munster titles to surrender if they lose, the pressure is more on them than on the challengers. Looking at them struggle to beat Ardmore they certainly did not look like prospective champions and they did not look very impressive when Lismore let the game slip in round two at Lemybrien some weeks. They did bounce back for the semi-final later and looked more like champions than they had since they went out of the Club championship at the semi-final stage in Febru-

Like the 'Gunners, they are sticking with the 'regular' fif-

Ian O'Regan will be their keeper and the vastly improving Jamie O'Meara, Anthony Kirwan and intercounty defender Brian Flannery will be their full line with Tony Browne fill-

ing the centre halfback bert and flanked by John Cleere and Brian Greene.

Eoin Kelly and Roy McGrath will be back as partners in the middle of the field and while there may be changes in the order of the placings, we know that Ken McGrath, Eoin Mc-Grath, Michael, Michael White, John Meaney and Barry Browne are the likely sextet on whom they will depend to get the winning scores.

THE RESULT ??

It is the kind of a final that might be decided by the puck of a ball. It is certain to be a very close contest between the two best teams in the county. Teams that have been very worthy champions of Munster in the past couple of years.

Public opinion seems to be very divided on the issue and like all the other scribes writing on the match, I am not in the least confident about naming the winners.

Yet, if I was a betting man, I would have a small wager on the champions retaining their title. A wise man on whose advice I have relied for very many years once told me that when in doubt in a situation like this, always back the champions.



BALLINAMEELA V BRICKEYS

In the semi final of the division, Brickey's easily accounted for Lismore and were every bit as good as the final score of 3-7 to 0-3 indicated.

Like Ballinameela they have been trying for quite some time to win their way up to senior status and will rely on players like Tom Lynch, Shane Nugent, Jimmy Sheehan, Richard Halpin, Dermot O'Neill, David Hickey, John Byrne, Olan Casey, Fergus Nugent, Conor Fitzgerald, Kieran O'Brien, Andrew Murphy, Tony Halpin, Ian McCarthy and company to help them get to the county final of this grade.

Ballinameela, really turned on the style when defeating Affane in their semi final game three weeks ago and they too, will have ambitions about promotion. They won the semi final on a score of 2-15 to 1-7 led by the Walshes, Eoghan, Owen and Michael, Ken McGrath and many other graduates from the St. Oliver underage section, Ballinameela begin as favourites, but this is a very open affair and the result can go either way.



ABBEYSIDE/BALLINACOURTY G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

SENIOR FOOTBALL

We were defeated by Tramore in the county semi final on Sunday last on a scoreline of 2-04 to 0-7. Tramore struck for 2 first half goals in the first half and this left us chasing the game. However, the team showed tremendous character throughout to keep battling back and we just narrowly missed getting a goal on a number of occasions in the second half. From the start of the year this group of players have given a great commitment to the club and we would like to thank them for their efforts and hopefully we will all learn from this defeat and come back again all the more determined next year. Beidh la eile againn.

Team: A. Landers, J. Phelan, J. Moore, G. Breen, B. Hayes, L. Hurney, R. Hanrahan, I. Kiely, S. Briggs, P. Lynch, J. Hurney, W. Fennell, M. Enright, G. Hurney, D. Fives.

Subs: P. Hurney, Mk. Fives and C. Barrett

INTERMEDIATE HURLING

We take on the Shamrocks this Sunday in the Western final in Fraher Field with a 1:45pm throw in. We picked up a number of injuries in the senior football, which will hopefully have cleared up by Sunday.

MINOR FOOTBALL

Our minors are currently preparing for the County Final against De La Salle. This game will take place in Fraher Field on Sunday

HORSE NIGHT

Our Juvenile committee are holding a fundraising horse night in Minnies bar on Saturday, November 21st. Horses are priced at 20e and can be obtained from any member of the adult or juvenile committee.

GOLF SOCIETY OUTING

Our annual outing goes ahead on this Saturday in West Waterford Golf club. Times can be booked with Michael Hanrahan at 058-41686(h) or 058-41276. It will be a fourball format with times available between 11am and 12:15pm.

JUNIOR B HURLING

We retained our Western title on Saturday last when we defeated Kilgobnet on a scoreline of 1-07 to 0-6. This was a very good performance by the team on the day to bring us our 5th Western title of the year. It was also great to see Seamus O'Brien presenting the cup to Thomas Cashin after the game.

Team: M. Cosgrave, S. Shields, E. Murray, S. Power, D. Byrne, P. O'Brien, C. Maloney, E. Cashin, T. Cashin, S. Byrne, R. Morrissey, E. Enright, S. Cleary, C. Shields, R. Cosgrave.

Subs: P. Morrissey, J. Cosgrave and R. Fleming.

CONDOLENCES

Through our column we wish to extend our sympathies to the Flynn family on the death of Donal Flynn and to the Dineen family on the death of Annie Dineen.



Brickey Rangers GAA Club Notes

BRICKEY MINI LOTTO

The lotto draw was held in the Tudor House Bar on Thursday night last. Numbers drawn were 9-14-21. There was one jackpot winner, Cormac Curran, Kilossera scooped 750 euro, John Curran was the promoter of the winning ticket. 20 euro Angela Whelan, Seamus Ahearne. This weeks draw will take place in Tommy Power's

Bar and the jackpot will be 300 euros. Tickets just 1.50 euro each available from any pro-

DEISE DRAW

The October draw will take place in Quills, the Pike on Friday 31st. All monies and tickets to be handed in on or before Thursday 30th October.

WESTERN FOOTBALL FINAL

We play Ballinameela in the Intermediate Football Final on Sunday next in the Fraher Field at 3 pm. This is the first Intermediate Football Final appearance since 1986 for a Brickey side so a huge effort is expected from all the panel and we hope a good support turns out to cheer on the lads in what is sure to be a very close contest between ourselves and Balli-

GET WELL WISHES

We wish to extend a speedy recovery to all our club members who were hospitalised recentry, we nope to see you at the Western Final on Sunday.

JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

We beat Stradballly in the Western Semi Final last Saturday in Colligan on a score of Brickey Rangers; 4-12 Stradbally 3-3. This was a good display by all players. We are now through to the Western Final against Kilgobnet on a date to be fixed.

Team: M. Shalloe, C. Shalloe, J. Sheehan, P. McCarthy, I. Mc-Carthy, Ca Shalloe, R. Tobin, J. Byrne, F. Nugent, M. Nugent, V. McCarthy, D. Hickey, J. Cooney, O. Casey, T. Lynch. Subs used: C. Phelan, R. Halpin, S. Nugent, I. Murphy, M. Kiely.

JUNIOR HURLING

Our Junior Hurlers made their exit from the championship on Saturday last following defeat by a strong Brickeys team. On the day we could have no complaints as the Brickeys were the better of the two teams. Well done to all the players for the effort they put in all year. We had a good run in this years championship after win overs Dungarvan, Clashmore and Modeligo. Thanks to Pat Fennel, Stephen Cunningham and Liam O'Brien for the time they put into training this team.

Team: Tommy McGrath,

Juvenile MORRICO

Indoor hurling resumes on Monday 3rd November from 7.00pm to 8.00pm for boys up to third class. On Tuesday 4th November indoor hurling resumes for boys in 4th, 5th and 6th class. Fee each night is €2 per player.

Ulivers

A meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 5th at 8pm in Ballinameela.

Richie Halpin, Paul Walsh, Nicky Doyle, Kevin Lawlor, Eamon Clancy, Emmet Cummins, Tomas Gough, Stephen Lawlor, Brian Cleary, Eoin Cunningham, Robert Fennell, Philip Curran, Paddy Kiely, Tommy Kiely.

Subs: Sean Costello, Tadhg Crowley.

SENIOR **FOOTBALL**

Stradbally Senior Footballers play their county semi final against the Nire in Fraher field on Sunday, November 9th.

DEISE DRAW

The final draw in the series takes place in Quills, The Pike on Friday night. Colligan are the host club.

PRESENTATION NIGHT

A very enjoyable night was held on Saturday to celebrate Noel Clancy's achievement on winning the All Ireland Under 18 Melodeon title. Thanks to Margaret, Kathleen, Marie and Breda who supplied the food for the night.

NIGHT AT THE DOGS

Our dog night at Kilcohan Park is now just over three weeks away. You can buy your tickets in advance from any committee member

JIM POWER TOURNAMENT

The Annual Jim Power memorial tournament goes ahead this Saturday, November 1s. This years games are being held in our field due to the closure of Kilmac's pitch. There will be four counties taking part and the first game will start at 10am.

SYMPATHY

The club extends sincere sympathy to the Flynn family on the recent sad passing of Donal. May he rest in peace.



Helena Byrne, The Local' (sponsor). (Photo: Sean Byrne Photography)

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETICS NEWS

My watch alarm went off promptly at 6:30 a.m. And only served to reveal my marathon naivete. I confess to having operated under the ludicrous belief I'd actually get a normal night's sleep. I failed to appreciate how the twin cousins of anxiety and adrenaline would visit and keep my eyes prodded wide open.

Now, the day of the race, I've stored up on a grand total of 46 minutes of cumulative sleep for the night. I've had my race number pinned on my shirt since 2:00a.m. And been to the bathroom 12 times since 4:00a.m. (Wish I'd never read that article on proper hydration as I now tried to memorise the exact location of every port-a-loo on the course).

I've had my feet vaselined since 4:00a.m. and spent the last two hours trying, unsuccessfully, to get the music score from the film rocky stricken from the playback position of my memory bank (shouldn't have started watching VH1 Flashback at 3:00a.m.). It's not the kind of motivating music I envisioned drawing from at mile 21.

By 7:00a.m. I decided to leave the womb of my hotel room. The last 12 hours of bright eyed confinement had provided me time to conclude that 30 minutes goes by painfully slow when watching an infomercial of a combination juicer/ breadmaker/ portable treadmill.

I began the 1 mile walk to the starting line all the while engaging in the profound internal debate of whether my shoe laces were too tight, singlet vs. T-shirt and whether I'd really done enough long training runs. The ever-present thoughts of Marathon Man Walking.

I place myself near the sign that has my anticipated per mile pace. The combination of nerves and inadequate caffeine consumption lead me to unconsciously do something I haven't done since school. I stretch. I try, to no avail, tore-acquaint my toes to my fingertips after twenty years of distance between them. The attempted reunion stops at my knees.

The announcer states 5 minutes until the start and I frantically glance at the bathroom line that revealed my turn would arrive about the time the winners cross the finish

Dublin Marathon

line. I casually glanced around for the nearest large tree but the start countdown had begun.

The gun went off, followed instantaneously by the cacophony of 8,000 beeps from runners' watches. The first mile arrived quickly and the split time provided me with good news/bad news. Good news was I was 20 seconds ahead of my PR pace. The bad news was I was 20 seconds ahead of my PR pace. Marathon myopia had begun.

I tried to slow down and realised I didn't have a firm grasp on the concept of pace. I had two speeds - all out or slow shuffle. Apparently, that in the middle thing must be called proper marathon pace. I tried to convince myself I was engaging in the racing tactic of elite runners. I was surging. Yeah right.

I was doing everything to completely guarantee a rendezvous with that bastion of brutality otherwise know as the wall. Negative splits were clearly a concept I hadn't grasped. More like banana splits as a relatively comfortable marathon was slipping away.

By eleven miles I'm engaging in the mathematical Olympics of just what percentage of the 26 miles is now over. I surveyed the shoe attire of those runners surrounding me and still failed to fully appreciate that my present running companions were in a different league. I was in the uncharted territory (for me) of running with those in racing flats!

Like clockwork, around twenty miles, I began to feel heaviness creep into my legs as my stride became a shuffle and I was, for all intent and purpose, exhausted. I don't mean tired like gee, I better slow down a little too feel better. If I'd tried to go slower I'd be going backwards. I was sufficiently enervated that completing the last six miles was tantamount, in my mind.

Continuing to employ my present creed of violating all time-honored marathon advice, I ignored aid stations for fear that by stopping to drink my legs would immediately take root and I'd never move again. I plodded on.

Ultimately, I crossed the finish line in sort of a somnolent shuffle. I sat down and didn't move (not that I could if I wanted). My friends supplied me with food and drink and I actually resuscitated somewhat quickly. Then the mind warp, which besets repeat marathoners, crept into my conscience.

Apparently, in attempting to rid my body of lactic acid buildup, my short-term memory was being removed as well.

I began to have strange thoughts. Visions of rhythmic running filled my head. Contemplation of my next marathon had already begun. I was clearly afflicted with the madness of the marathon mind, but I suppose another sub 3.20 at forty something cant be too bad eh.

CHEQUE PRESENTATION TO THE SOUTH EAST CANCER FOUNDATION



Pictured above is Margaret Poyner presenting proceeds from the recent Blackwater Homes National Half Marathon to Joanie McGrath of the South East Cancer Foundation. Margaret and a group of her colleauges walked the course on the day and collected the super amount of €6,268.75. Well done to all involved.

Maryaret Poyner.

Ballycotton "10" Road Race

SUNDAY MARCH 7TH 2004

The 2004 race will take place on Sunday March 7th – not March 14th as originally announced. For next year's event, entry forms will not be mailed out as before.

To obtain a form you must send a stamped, self-addressed envelope (A5 or A4 size) to the address below. You can also request forms for your club, etc., but make sure to have the correct postage on your SAE.

The forms will be available in late November and there will also be an entry form in the Irish Runner Annual and in some selected outlets, including Ger Wyley Sports.

Instead of a race limit as in the past, for next year a closing date of December 16th will apply. All postal entries will be accepted up to and including that date.

Please do not e-mail for entry forms or to be placed on the mailing list, which is now obsolete. Further details can be had on the website at:

www.ballycottonrunning.com Write to: Ballycotton Running Promotions, Ballycotton, Co. Cork.



Pictured after finishing the West Waterford Autumn
League recently at St. Augustine's College, Duckspool
are training partners Colm Nagle and Billy Coleman.

RORY JUNIOR

Congratulations to Rory Wyley (jnr) on being selected for the Irish team for an upcoming cycling international in Japan. Rory is a member of our club and competes for us on the odd occasion when he is in Dungarvan on holidays. He now resides in London but always keeps abreast of the happenings in his home town athletic club West Waterford A.C.

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC NEWS

COMMITTEE MEETING

A senior club committee meeting will be held on Monday November 10th at 9 p.m. As this will be the last meeting before our club A.G.M. All committee members are requested to attend.

ROSARIE CONQUERS AMSTERDAM

Congratulations to West Waterford's Rosarie Keely who completed the Amsterdam marathon last Sunday week recording a good time of 3.58. Well done Rosarie.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to club member Dan Dineen and the extended Dineen family, on the death last week of his mother Mrs. Annie Dineen, Clonea. May she rest in peace.

ALLROUNDER WINTER LEAGUE

The wait is almost over and the 2003/04 Allrounder winter road running league is about to commence.

Tonight wed 29th is registration night and all runners need to be registered by 7.15pm. Registration opens at 6.30pm. Runners will have a trial run over their respective courses after collecting their number. The emphasis is on safety and enjoyment, no runner will be allowed to compete without a suitable reflective bib. If you have problems acquiring one they will be on sale this Wed. at the Sports Centre.

The league competition starts next Wed. night Nov. 5th at 7.15 pm sharp and runners from previous years are reminded that they will receive a penalty if their opening nights time is more than 5 mins outside their best time.

3 mile route - leave the Sports Centre and goes up through Childers Estate, out on to Youghal rd, turn left and continue to Youghal Rd. round-about, turn right to Glass round -about then turn right and an immediate second right, down Fr. Twomey's Road, back out onto Youghal Rd. and return to Sports Centre via Childers Est.

5.7 mile route - leave Sports Centre, up through Childers and out to Youghal Road round about, turning right, continue to the Welcome to Dungarvan sign, then turn right and up to Crotty's corner, turn left and out to Seapark, right turn in to Seapark and a right turn at the top, continue down past Abbeyside church and take a left at the Pond, left at Eurospar, another left at the bridge and down the quay past the castle and return to sports centre.

All runners over 16 are welcome to take part. You must wear a reflective bib and no watches are allowed. Arrive in good time and remember to warm up and stretch before your run

WEST WATERFORD JUVENILE CLUB NOTES

Individual Wins For David, Mark And Ferdia

Oh, what a glorious day it was in Ferrybank last Sunday. Not only was the weather exceptional reaching around 13 centigrade, but also we retained the Nissan Cup as the best visiting club for the second year. Hopefully next year we might make it three in a row. Well done to all the juvenile athletes involved.

There were prizes for the first 12 athletes in each event and the following are the results.

Girls; U/9 Lynn O'Mahoney 8th, Maggie O'Neill 9th. U/ I 0 Kate Veale 4th; U/I1 Zoe Scanlan 8th; U/I2 Rebecca Davies 2nd; Dearbhla Ni hAodha 9th;

U/14 Shona Curran2nd; Elma Nugent 5th; Julia Buest 6th; Niamh O'Riordan 13th; U/17 Deirdre Duff 4th; Aisling O'Connell 7th; Junior Sarah O'Brien 2nd; Triona Shalloe 3rd; Niamh Moloney 4th; Jennie Mulcahy 5th; Kim Coates 6th

Boys- U/9 Steven McMahon 2nd; U/10 David Early 1st; Colin Dunford 3rd; David Sweeny 7th; Jason Nagle 11th. U/11 Darragh O'Riordan 2nd. U/12 Tom Curran 2nd; Jim Curran 3rd. U/13 Alan Landy 6th. U/14 Mark Shalloe 1st; Fiachra Breathnach 5th. U/15 Ferdia O hAodha 1st. U/17 Padraig Healy 8th. Also running on the day but who were unlucky not to be placed were Kate Hickey, Siobhan Nugent, Amy Duggan, Shane Nugent, Paul Curran, Alan McMahon, Michael Tutty, Eoin Young, and Patrick Palmer.

On Sunday next the first round of the Munster A Championships will take place in Rathgormack, Co Waterford. The bus will leave at 10.00 a.m. from the Esso Station, and Nugents' Abbeyside. For those travelling by car remember the first race is due to start at 12.00 so allow yourselves plenty of time. We have a lot of athletes entered for the day so we are hoping for a big turn out from everybody. For many of our younger runners this will be their first Munster event so, give them a cheer on the way around the course.

Sunday is the start of a busy schedule over the next few weeks. On Sunday 9th County B's in the Friary. Sunday 16th Munster A championships Killarney.

Juvenile Committee meets on Monday night next at 9.00p.m. Good Luck to all on Sunday.

WEST WATERFORD JUVENILE ATHLETICS NEWS

CONOR FRENCH ELECTRICAL C.C. LEAGUE

Shona Breaks 7 minutes Barrier

Ferdia Gets Close To 6 Minutes

Round four of the Conor French Sponsored Juvenile Cross Country League at the Friary College on Friday evening saw a total of thirty two athletes record new personal bests and some recorded exceptional times which augers well for the up coming Munster Championships. Pride of place must surely go to Shona Curran who became the first girl to break the seven minutes barrier when she scorched round in 6.48.

This is a time that will not be bettered for a long time. Ferdia O hAoda is also in sparkling form at the moment and he ran a superb time of 6.05 on Friday. Fiachra Breathnach also ran a very respectable time of 7.09 and continues to improve and Michelle McCarty will be very happy with her time of 7.06.

Looking through the rest of the times it is good to see some of the younger lads

getting under 8 minutes for the first time. Namely Jason Nagle, David Sweeney and Colm Curran. Those doing the 1000-metre lap Dylon Byrne, Paul Curan and Niamh Wade were the most impressive. In the team contest Mark Shalloe's team can hardly be caught but the runners up spot is very much up for grabs with only 14pts between Padraig Healy's team and Loraine McCarty's team and Michelle McCarty's troops could also be involved in the

We take a break from the league this Friday due to the Munster Championships on Sunday but we will conclude it on Friday week the 7th November.

Training is on Wednesday and Friday at 4 o clock from now on.

Ferdia O hAoda	6.05
Mark Shalloe	6.26
Shane Power	6.36
Padraig Healy	6.44

Shona Curran 6.48 Eoin Meehan 6.53 Brendan Walsh 6.59 Michelle McCarthy 7.06 Fiachra Breathnac 7.09 Lorraine McCarthy 7.11 Elma Nugent 7.18 Darragh O'Riordan 7.24 Jim Curran 7.31 Lorraine McCarthy 7.32 **David Earley** 7.37 Tom Curran 7.41 Julia Buest 7.45 Deirdre Duff 7.45 Niamh O'Riordan 7.46 David Sweeney 7.48 Jason Nagle 7.52 Alan Landy 7.53 Sarah O'Brien 7.55 Colm Curran 7.58 Niamh McGrath 8.05 8.10 Sean Bourke Derbhala Ní hAoda 8.13 Mark Cummings 8.15 Eoin Young 8.22 Eimer Scanlan 8.23 8.28 Niamh Moloney Stacey Lyons 8.30 Jenny Mulcahy 8.37

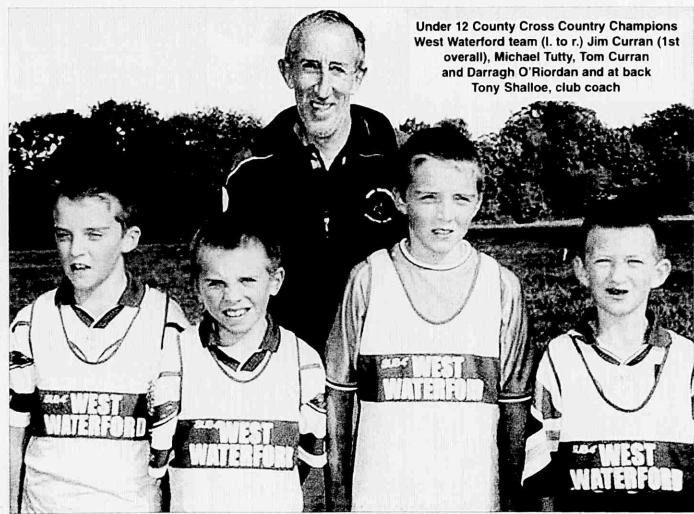
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P.J. Houliahan 9.10 Zoe Scanlon 9.12 Amy Duggan 9.19 Ludwig Buest 9.21 Arron Flynn 9.27 Kim Coates 9.32 Patrick Palmer 9.36 Ciara Scanlan 9.37 Eadaoin Ashe 9.41 Stephen McMahon 9.59 Cathal Curran 10.02 Meave De Burca 10.03 Kate O'Connor 10.06 Ronan O'Neill 10.09 George Cummings 10.19 Alan McMahon 4.16 Tony O'Mahoney 4.20 Dylan Byrne 4.21 Lynn O'Mahoney 4.22 Kate Hickey 4.23 Maggie O'Neill Paul Curran 4.28 Siobhan Nugent 4.45 Zoe Crotty 4.53 Shannon Dunford 4.56 Shane Nugent 4.57 Caoimhe Fagan 5.04 Shane O'Rioirdan 5.09 Leah Fagan 5.14 Niamh O'Mahoney 5.15 Niamh Wade 5.18



DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C. NOTES

TRAINING TIMES Schoolboys

Monday U-12 Colin Walsh, James Cooney 5 pm. Tuesday U-14 Anslem Hayes, Michael O'Connor 5 pm.

Goalkeeping coaching: Crohan McGregor, U-16 Michael Curran, Paul Landy, 7 pm. Wednesday U-11 Eoin Simms and David Walsh 6 pm.

JUNIOR TRAINING

Premier Wednesday 6.30 pm, Friday 7 pm. 1st Div. Wednesday 6.30 pm, Friday 7 pm. Youths Friday 7 pm. 2nd Div. Thursday 7 pm.

ASTRO TURF

Final call for last year's regulars to re-book their slot again this year. Failure to do so will result in that slot being advertised. The Astro Turf is also available for birthday parties and school bookings. For more information contact Francis O'Brien at 087-7769125.

FIXTURES

S.F.A.I. Cup Saturday 1st November. U-14 Stanyford (Kilkenny) v Dungarvan at 11.45 am. U-16 Ferrybank v Dungarvan at 2.15 pm. U-12 League Dungarvan v Bohs at 10.30 am. Junior 1st Div. Dungarvan v Park Rangers at 2 pm. 2nd Div. Grannagh v Dungarvan at 2 pm. F.A.I. Junior Cup Dungarvan v Waterford Crystal at 2 pm on Sunday November 2nd.

DUBLIN CITY MARATHON

At the time of writing these notes we were anxiously waiting to see how Dixie Deegan and other local athletes fared in the Annual Marthon. It is great to see all the crew from town in action. Well done to all.

MARATHON SPONSOR CARDS

Anyone who still has sponsor cards outstanding are now being asked to hand them back either full or empty. And thank you to all those who made the effort in getting in much appreciated funds.

NO CHILDREN

Again we make a point of letting both parents and children know that a decision has been taken to stop any children entering club grounds after 6 pm. This decision was not taken lightly so we hope that nobody takes offence.

WEEKEND RESULTS

U-11 Dungarvan 5 v Carrick 0. Second Div. Portlaw 1 v Dungarvan 2. Youths Dungarvan v Ferrybank (postponed). Munster Youth Cup Premier Ferrybank 3 v Dungarvan 2. First Division Dungarvan 0 v Mooncoin 0.

SATURDAY ACADEMY

From now on we will call our Academy "Junior Blues" Saturday academy and also along with the new name we will hope to see some new talent arrive each week along

with new people who were willing to help out with the coaching. Last Saturday we had a very good session for both our age groups 5-7 and 8-10 with Martin going through some of the drills that he picked up on his recent coaching course and immediately all the groups picked up on the drills being shown. Next week we play our local neighbours Ballinroad in friendly games starting with our 5-7 year olds at 1.30 pm on the Astro Turf and followed by 8-10 year olds who will go into action on the Crystal pitch.

BEST OF LUCK

To our U-14's who travel to Stoneyford (Kilkenny) and U-16's who make the short trip to Abbeylands to take on Ferrybank. Also Colin Walsh and James Cooney's U-12's who entertain Bohs in the league.

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

On behalf of all involved in our club, we would like to extend our deepest sympathy to the Flynn family of the Park Hotel on the passing of one of life's true gentlemen Donal Flynn in recent days. May he rest in peace.

GET WELL SOON

News reached us on Saturday evening that youth player Jonathan Shaw sustained a leg injury which will result in him being on the sidelines for a lengthy period. This time last year he was again out for a good chunk of the season following a previous break on the same leg. We hope that he will be back again before long.

MANAGERS/EQUIPMENT

It's good to see that most managers are taking note of looking after the footballs and cones that they use and also cleaning out the dressing rooms after each session. Keep up the good work lads.

CLUB LOTTO

No winner. Numbers drawn were 5-13-20. New jackpot 5,300 euros. Next draw John Keane's next Sunday. 25 euro winners were Paddy Power, c.o J. D. O'Shea and P. Power, c/o Ber Whelan.

REGULAR CARDS

11 Games. Peter and Sean, Mary and Babs, Helen and Tony. 4/5 Fr. Cooney and Pat. Lucky tables Micheal and Cait and Patsie and Mike.

FIXTURES

Saturday, Oct. 31

Alex Hayden Sports 1B League

Dungarvan Utd v Park Rgs 2.00 Gregary Menswear 2 West League

Granagh Sunday Nov 1st

Statoil F.A.I. JUNIOR CUP

Dungarvan Utd v Waterford Crystal 2.00

Dungarvan

2.00

Deserved Win For 2nd Div. Side

Two goals in the second half gave Dungarvan a win away to Portlaw on Saturday. Portlaw took the lead in the first half against the run of play after a defensive error let the Portlaw centre forward in. David Sheehan brought Dungarvan level from the penalty spot with Brian Sandford scoring the winner in the final minute to give Dungarvan the win their overall performance deserved.

ACTION FROM OUR PREMIER'S GAME AGAINST FERRYBANK LAST SUNDAY







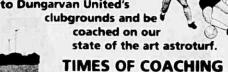
Dungarvan's Ronan Keating and Ferrybank's Eddie Daly. (Photos by Kiely Photography)

DUNGARVAN UNITED SCHOOLBOYS

SATURDAY
ACADEMY

Calling all children between
the ages of 5 to 10.

Every Saturday afternoon you can
call out to Dungarvan United's
clubgrounds and b



TIMES OF COACHING

5, 6 & 7 year olds — 1.30 to 2.30 p.m.

ALL ARE WELCOME €1 CHARGE

8, 9 & 10 year olds — 2.30 to 3.30 p.m.



Ballinwillin Are Junior (B)

Football Champions

BALLINWILLIN 2-12 BALLYSAGGART 1-4

are the 2003 Junior 'B' Football champions. Defeated in this final for the last 2 years, this was a game we were very determined to win. We took the game to Ballysaggart from the outset and Darragh Wilkinson scored the first point of the game. Ballysaggart equalised and we then struck a purple patch and scored 4 points without reply. Both teams then struck for 2 points each and left the halftime score 7 point to 3. Moses scored a great fisted point at the start of the 2nd half followed by a well taken Alan Barry goal. Points by Bob Manahan and Michael Scanlan and a further goal from Alan Barry. Donal McGrath then scored a point followed by the closing point from Bob Manahan. Two goals and twelve points is great scoring in any game and some Dalton, Colm Bennett, Michael of the scorers were as good as you would see in any football game. No one player is going to be named as better than any other on this team, we stated at the start that this is a team game. We had 15 players on the field of play. We also had 10 subs on the line. Some of them came on, other did not. But they all put in the same effort at training to win us this championship. As we stated previously this was a 25 man team not a 15 man team.

4 man team on the sideline -John McGrath (manager), J.J. Scanlon and J.J. O'Donnell (selectors) and L. O Laocha (coach). A mixture of youth and experience who work very well together. They took this job at reen's sister in Scotland.

As the scoreline shows, we the A.G.M. when no one else wanted it. They put a lot of time and effort into the job and we can now see the rewards. Go raibh mile, mile maith

> Also to our many supporters that have followed us through thick and thin, thank you.

> After the game, the cup was presented to our Captain Michael Scanlon by the Western Board Chairman, Paddy Walsh who congratulated us on our victory. Michael suitably replied thanking everyone involved with a special work of thanks to our opponents Ballysaggart for a sporting

Needless to say, the celebrations continued well into the

Team: D. Dransfield, Mark Landers, Ken O'Donnell, Jamie Walshe, Brendan McGrath, Brendan Scanlan, Bob Manahan (0-6), Dara Wilkinson (0-3), Pat Walshe (0-1), Cathal Wilkinson, Kevin Wilkinson, Michael Scanlan (0-1), Alan Barry (2-0).

Subs: Donal McGrath (0-1). Niall Leahy, Paidi Cronin, Stephen Hogan, Jimmy Collender, J.D. Leahy, Donal O'Keeffe, Brian Doocey, Daniel Leahy, Peter McGrath.

COMMITTEE MEETING

Will be held at the Communi-We also had a very important ty Centre on Wednesday night

SYMPATHY

On behalf of the club I would like to express our sincere sympathy to the Barry family, Tourin on the death of MauA Ballinwilliam, winners of the Lawlors Hotel Western junior "B" Football title. They beat Ballysaggart in the final 2-12 to 1-4.

Paddy Walsh, Chairman Western GAA Boardpresents the Junior"B" football shield to Ballinwilliams Captain, Michael Scanlon.

▼ Ballysaggart, beaten by Ballinwilliam in the **Lawlors Hotel Western** Junior "B" Football final. (Photos by Sean Byrne)





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WATERFORD WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 22ND

Kinda Like It Left It Late

It was a bitterly cold night in Kilcohan Park last Wednesday night but the punters took some comfort from the fact that a number of well-backed favourites came up trumps in their respective races.

In the opening graded 525 a wide running Astons Girl stretched into a clear lead over Killure Baby but coming with a sustained run from midway on the back stretch the Kathleen Beirne owned Beirns Jamella (Jamella Prince-Knockanore Lady) 2/1 finished best of all to get up close home for a three quarter of a length victory in 30.09.

In a 300 yard sprint the Adrian Brennan and Anthony Campion owned Buzzing Beauty (Staplers Jo-Snow Whisper) 5/2 left trap five at a fair rate of knots and while Toolmakers John produced a strong finish Buzzing Along held on by a short head in 17.05.

A costly failure for connections when hampered leaving traps on her previous outing the Davy Power trained Amber Lady (Lassa Java-Knockmoylan Rose) made amends in no uncertain fashion running away with the third bend in 29.39. Sent off the even money favourite Amber Lady broke smartly from a middle draw to lead around the first bend from a slow starting but early paced Southlodge Jake. The latter tried his best to reel in Amber Lady but the favourite was having none of it as she bounded clear for a well-deserved five and a half lengths success over Southlodge Jake.

The following four races on the card were heats of the Bridge Hotel Unraced stake.

In heat one Geordie Legend made a swift exit out of trap three but over the opening two bends the Paddy Gaffney and Patsy McKieran owned Brave Dane (Spiral Nikita-Judys Fancy) managed to drive up on the inside of Geordie Legend. This duo had this qualifier all to themselves from that point on as the _ favourite Brace Dane kept up a strong gallop at the head of affairs to beat a gallant Geordie Legend by a length in 29.22.

In heat two the 11/10 favourite Smooth Highway came away running from trap one but the leader lost his place over the opening two bends as he clashed with the well fancied Bally-knock Star.Spartablitz kicked on down the back from Harlenas Patch but battling his way back into contention the Sean Power owned and Frances O'Donnell trained Smooth Highway (Smooth Rumble-Lady Hakuna) regained the lead on the rails up the home stretch to run out a two and a half lengths winner over Spartablitz in 29.42.

Gaynors Prince began well in heat two but he was badly hampered at the first turn by market drifter Milltown Pilot 5/4 to 5/2 who appeared to pick up an injury. The Desna Hattemore owned Southlodge Lewis (Raging Prince-South Lodge Lady) 2/1 quickly set about the task in hand to lead from Hunts Kelly and upping the tempo in the final quarter of this heat "Southlodge" stretched his advantage even further coming home seven and a half lengths clear of Hunts Kelly in 29.23.

County Tipperary trainer Frances O'Donnell went on to complete a training double on the night courtesy of the Pat Rosney owned Townbrow Rumble this May 2002 son of Smooth Rumble and Toss Stella capturing heat four in 29.26. Monmahohue Hero cut an early dashed but was bumped by the winner at the entrance to the back stretch. Once he struck the front from kennel mate Mauritius King Townbrow Rumble was not going to be denied coming home two and a quarter lengths clear of a hampered Wilcox Jack in 29.26.

The Anthony Donnelly owned and Mick Cronin trained Lanies Glory (Moyne Rebel-Mops Spark) 4/5 to landed some nice wagers in the eight contest posting an easy win in 29.16. Led to near the third bend by Brunswick Mags Lanies Glory swept into the lead at that point to gallop clear for a cosy four lengths victory over Brunswick Mags in a pleasing 29.16.

Racing concluded with two competitive semi finals of the Track Bookmakers 29.80 event. Rakane Skylark was despatched as the evens favourite in the first semi final and after a moderate break the Eamon Mcenroe owned and Liam O'-Callaghan trained favourite did well after a moderate break to corner in front of a fast starting Seal The Knight. Having shaken off the latters challenge Rakane Skylark needed all her strength in the closing stages to triumph from a fast finishing Blackie Is Keen who tasted defeat by half a length in 29.24.

An ultra competitive second semi final saw the Kinda Syndicate owned and Ian Seymour trained Kinda Like It (Top Hon-

cho-Kinda Swell) 5/2 come from behind to land the spoils in 29.13 the fastest run of the night. The fast starting and early paced Paulo Coehlo made a gallant effort to lead all the way but despite easing his way clear of More Air Bluebell the leader had no answer to the powerful late challenge of Kinda Like It who came storming through on the outside to register a hard earned but fully justified length win over Paulo Coehlo with a running on Adiemus just behind in third.

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 29TH TRAP DRAWS

BRIDGE HOTEL UNRACED STAKE

First Semi Final

1 Ballybawn Viere
2 Hunts Kelly
3 Gaynors Prince
4 Mauritius King
5 Brave Dane
6 Southlodge Lewis

Selection — Brave Dane Dangers — Southlodge Lewis, Mauritius King

Second Semi Final

1 Spartablitz
2 Harlenas Patch
3 Wilcox Jack
4 Smooth Highway
5 Townbrow Rumble
6 Geordie Legend

Selection — Smooth Highway Dangers — Geordie Legend, Wilcox Jack

Bookmakers Confined 29.80 Final

1 Pauelo Coehlo
2 Kinda Like It
3 Blacky Is Keen
4 Rakane Skylark
5 Seal The Knight
6 Adiemus

Selection — Kinda Like It

Dangers — Rakane Skylark, Paulo Coehlo

WATERFORD SATURDAY OCTOBER 25TH 2003

Top Performance By Lounge Act

The final of the 877710 Taxi confined 29.20 stake produced a shock 8/1 winner last Saturday night as the Fionnuala Knox owned Lounge Act (Jamella Prince-Lemon Aqua) ran the race of her life for her South Kilkenny based connections to scoop the Euro 2,000 first prize in a career best 28.78.

Lounge Act broke in front but when she moved to the outside on the run up Noan Ranger the 5/4 favourite dashed into the lead on the rails. Hilldun Harry quickly went in pursuit of the leader but attempting a run up the inside of Noan Ranger Hilldun Harry not only clipped the leader's heels but lost valuable ground himself. Quick as a flash Lounge Act powered into the lead on the wide outside to run out a length winner over a fast finishing Remember Pop. The winner was bred by Kathleen Lennon from Threecastles in County Kilkenny.

The punters retrieved some of their losses in the final of the Westside Business Park Waterford Masters Trial Stake with the Shane Finn owned Altesse Assert (Knockeevan Star-Altesse Damsel) the evens favourite producing an exhibition of front running to oblige in an excellent winning time of 28.44. Toms Miller took a flyer from trap one but the early pace of Altesse Assert saw him go clear off the second turn from When You Like. Sparta Titan put in a storming late finish up the home stretch but Altesse Assert won out by a length. The winner will now take his place in this coming Saturday nights Waterford Masters Invitation event, which carries a first prize of Euro 20,000.

Urlingford owner William Comerford combined with his trainer Perry Aylward to capture the opening sprint as a fast starting Jeffys Tex (Thorgil Ttex-Jeffys Sara) 2/1 made every post a winning one leading from Fan Tan before running out a three and a half lengths winner over Pabys Only Hope in a decent 16.33.

Trainer Ruth Mary Jones recorded the first leg of a training double courtesy of course and distance winner Didhedoit 5/2 this son of Vintage Prince and Glass Slipper taking the second contest in 28.89.Prominent throughout the Marese McDonnell owned Didhedoit saw off the back stretch challenge of Grassit Pal before defeating a running on Slaneyside Neddy by two and a half lengths.

Races three to six inclusive were first round heats of the Snap Printing Confined 27.80 500 yard stake.

Heat One — Having smashed the 360 yard track record at Thurles all eyes were focussed on Behind The Clock in this qualifier but after a moderate break the 4/6 favourite was short of room leaving trap five and also found first bend trouble and failed to qualify. The early paced Binsted Prince made the long trek for home stretching into a six lengths lead but knuckling down to the task in hand the Patrick Murphy owned and Ruth Mary Jones trained Corner Power 2/1 a full brother to previous winner Didhedoit gradually wore down the leader to come through for a two and three quarter lengths win over Binsted Prince. Time 27.67.

Heat Two — Fresh from having run well in a sprint sweepstake final at Youghal on Friday night the John Sullivan owned and Bernadette Connell trained Battling On (Come On Ranger-Seachtair Againn) appeared as fresh as a daisy for her assignment in heat two and sent off the 4/6 favourite she brushed aside the opposition with the minimum of fuss leading early on from Bog Cotton before running out an impressive eight and a half lengths winner over a slow starting Evesham Bradshaw in a speedy 27.32.

Heat Three — Only four runners went to traps for this qualifier and while the 4/6 favourite Derwent Storm motored into a clear lead he failed to last out the trip as the Paddy O'Neill owned and Paul Kiely trained Johnny Kilvera (Droopys Kewell-Graiguenoe Lyons) 5/2 came with a solid late charge to come through for a length and a quarter success over Derwent Storm in 27.58.

Heat Four — Divine Success got off to a flying start but when keeping wide on the back stretch the leader gave way to the Richard O'Connor owned Ringaround Sue. Remaining glued to the rails Ringaround Sue (Cool Performance-Low Ebb) 4/1 kept on well in the closing stages to beat a fast finishing Erics Good Thing by a length and a half in 27.72.

In a 730 yard marathon Manahans Boyo set out to make every yard of the running but the leader gave way to the Dick Cullinane owned Frisby Crackers (Frisby Full-Diet Crackers) at the fifth bend. To his credit Manahans Boyo came back for more on the run to the winning line only to go down by the minimum distance to 5/2 chance Frisby Crackers in 41.18.

In the final race of the night the husband and wife team of Mick and Anne Cronin struck with Milltown Lark (Roanokee-Ciabatta) this 2/1 chance making every post a winning one from trap one coasting to a three and a half lengths win over Sailaway Gem who came from behind Initial Kee to grab the runner up spot. Time 28.95.

SEMI FINALS OF SNAP PRINTING 500 YARD STAKE

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 1ST

First Semi Final

1 Derwent Storm
2 Erics Good Thing
3 Evesham Bradshaw
4 Corner Power
5 Johnny Kilvera
6 Divine Success (W)

Selection — Johnny Kilvera Dangers — Corner Power, Eics Good thing

Second Semi Final

1 Binsted Prince
2 Bisto King
3 Ringsround Sue
4 Belgonanick
5 Battling On
6 Hi Ya Sugar

Selection — Battling On Dangers — Binsted Prince, Ringaround Sue

POST RACE ENTERTAINMENT

Moonlight provide the post race entertainment on Saturday night.

IMPORTANT RACE DATES

Racing in Kilcohan Park, Waterford is pencilled in for the following dates in November and December

Saturday November 1st Wednesday December 3rd Wednesday November 5th Friday December 5th Saturday November 8th Saturday December 6th Wednesday Wednesday November 12th December 10th December 12th Saturday November 15th Friday Wednesday November 19th Saturday December 13th Saturday November 22nd Wednesday December 17th Wednesday November 26th Friday December 19th Friday November 28th Saturday December 20th Saturday November 29th Saturday December 27th

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RESULTS HORSE AUTUMN LEAGUE QUALIFIER 18th OCTOBER 2003

0-90m. Div. - Alice Fitzgerald's, Glenlickey Rose, Alice Fitzgerald.

1-00m. Div. - Sheila Mc-Carthy's, Tip Top Jackpot, Sheila McCarthy. Francis Mulvihill's, Maglin Clover, Colm Walsh. Paddy Cotter's, Clonaslee Diamond, Stevie Keane. Helen Gould's, Ballycoog Rain Sky, Helen Gould. William O'Brien's, Convinced Clover, Stevie Keane. Pamela Lonergan's, Beechgrove Hazel, Sally Lonergan. Tim Beecher's, Loughnatousa Raven, Tadhg Beecher. P.J. Veale's, Coolnacreena Forest, Rebecca Veale. Ronan Tynan's, Skehard Diamond, Tholm Keane. Francesca Kelly's, Xanadu Zac, Francesca Kelly. Nora Halley's, Commanche Kim, David Halley.

1-10m. Div. - Matty McMahon's, Leroy Boy S, Colin Hannan. Richard Fitzgerald's, Bonmahon Ruby, Mark Beecher. Tim Beecher's, Junior Du Levant, Tadhg Beecher. P.J. Veale's, Lahorna Lass, Rebecca Veale. William Nugent's, Chapel Rose, Niamh Hennessy. Anne O'Connor's, Bawnea M and M, Niamh O'-Connor. Pamela Lonergan's, Beechgrove Hazel, Sally Lonergan. Bernadette McCarthy's, Babylon Boy, Paul McCarthy. Lorcan Hennessy's, Ballynoe Night Cruise, Lorcan Hennessy. Kevin McCarthy's, Cantiliver, Alan Molan. Gerard Hannan's, Lavally Princess, John Hannan. Aine Cummins's, Ballyvoyle Millie, Aine Cummins. Lynda Falvey's, Penny Dance, Lynda Falvey. Winifred Bingham's, The Pretender, Francis Connors. Letty O'Sullivan's, Wexford Seascape, Francis Connors. James Phelan's, Kilcannon Clover, Gemma Phelan. William O'Brien's, Convinced Clover, Stevie Keane.

1-20m. Div. - Pat O'Connor's, Bawnea M and M, Niamh O'Connor. P.J. Veale's, Lahorna Lass, Rebecca Veale. Matty McMahon's Leroy Boy S, Colin Hannan. Tim Beecher's, Loughnatousa Kim, Tadhg Beecher. Tim Beecher's, Loughnatousa Clover, Mark Beecher. James Phelan's, Kilcannon Brigade, Gemma Phelan. Francis Connors's. Kec Orina, Francis Connors. Francis Connors's, Killina Pride, Francis Connors. Patrick O'-Gorman's, Nozem, Thomas O'Gorman. Mary Allen's, Cissbury Diamond. William Nugent's, Chapel Rose, Niamh Hennessy.

1-30m Div. — Marguerite Carr's, Good Step, Francis Connors. Noel C. Duggan's, Millstreet Miss, Francis Con-

RESULTS PONY **AUTUMN LEAGUE** FINAL

19th OCTOBER 2003 128cms Grade D FINAL —

1st P.J. Veale's, Coolnacreena Princess, Sean Hennessy. 2nd Jack Hennessy's, Rathdrum Bobby, Sean Hennessy. 3rd Joan Dahill's, Glencairn Pebbles, Edel Kelly. 4th John Joyce's, Ben Surprise, Patrick Joyce. 5th Peter Oates's, Larrisa, Aoife Oates. 6th Catherine Kiely's, Puddle Puss, Paul Kiely.

Leading Ponies - John Hannan's, Miss Sixty, Vincent Grimes & Geraldine Dennison's, Ballinaboola Muffin, Katrina Dennison.

128cms Grade C & D FINAL - 1st P.J. Veale's, Coolnacreena Princess, Sean Hennessy. 2nd John Joyce's, Kilcreene Venus, Patrick Joyce. 3rd Trish Fives's, Duplicate, Colin Fives. 4th Geraldine Dennison's, Ballinaboola Muffin, Katrina Dennison. 5th Peter O'Donovan's, Jungle Jake, Sarah-Kate O'Donovan. 6th Sandra Bryne's, Dancing In The Moonlight, Megan Byrne.

Leading Ponies — Richard Wall's, Araglen Mischief, Orla Wall & Trish Fives's, Duplicate, Colin Fives.

128cms Grade BCD FINAL - 1st P.J. Veale's, Coolnacreena Princess, Sean Hennessy. 2nd David Walsh's, Uisneagh Mist, Rachel Walsh. 3rd Joan Dahill's, Glencairn Pebbles, Edel Kelly. 4th Trish Fives's, Duplicate, Colin Fives. 5th Mary Cecelia Ely's, Hunter's Sharp, Eimear Ely.

Leading Pony - Trish Fives's, Duplicate, Colin Fives.

138cms Grade D FINAL -1st Jack Hennessy's, Bawn Royale, Sean Hennessy. 2nd Bridget Curtin's, Lorraine's Delight, Timmy Doyle. 3rd Tadhg O'Reilly's, Scarthy Samson, Shane O'Reilly. 4th Jack Hennessy's, Bawn Spirit, Sean Hennessy. 5th Eugene Quinn's, Buffy the Vampire, Padraig Quinn.

Leading Pony - Elizabeth Chow's, Heaven's Turnaway, Rebecca Chow.

138cms Grade C & D FINAL - 1st Mary Ryan-Noonan's, Athnid Grey, Lynne Ryan. 2nd Lucia Frost's, Babuscha, Georgina Frost. 3rd Michael Kelly's, Shaft's Little Dancer, Edel Kelly. 4th Jack Hennessy's, Bawn Royale, Sean Hennessy. 5th Samantha McGuire's, Midnight Ash, Sally McGuire. 6th Helen Connors's, Sneak A Peek, Jenny Connors.

Leading Pony - Aoife Hickey's, Dreamcatcher, Aine

128cms Grade ABC FINAL - 1st Elsie Murphy's, Bouncing Ben, Nikki Murphy.2nd Michael Moloney's, Shangan Copper, Michael Moloney. 3rd Jack Hennessy's, Borris Misty, Sean Hennessy. 4th Nicola Flynn's, Jumping Jazz, Niamh Flynn. Eq 5th Kathryn Keating's, Mighty Mervyn, James Bendon. & Elsie Murphy's,

Leading Pony - Michael Moloney's, Shangan Copper, Michael Moloney.

138cms Grade BC FINAL - 1st Lucia Frost's, Babuscha, Georgina Frost. 2nd Michael Kelly's, Shaft's Little Dancer, Edel Kelly. 3rd Debbie Bendon's, National Eighteen, Hannah Bendon. 4th Elsie Murphy's, Greybrook Idea, Nikki Murphy. 5th Jack Hennessy's, Dawn Dusty, Sean Hennessy.

Leading Ponies - Debbie Bendon's, National Eighteen, Hannah Bendon & John Moloney's, The Brother, Peter Moloney.

138cms Grade ABC FINAL - 1st Terry Power's, Your Only Man, Cailin Power. 2nd John Moloney's, Cappagh Sparrow, Peter Moloney. 3rd Donal O'Meara's, Little Magee, Gillian O'Meara. 4th Tim Beecher's, Loughnatousa Zac, Cailin Power. 5th Niall Flynn's, Bailey Street, Aisling Flynn. 6th Kathryn Keating's, Eliza Day, Rebekah Keating.

Leading Pony — John Moloney's, Cappagh Sparrow, Peter Moloney.

148cms Grade BC FINAL - 1st Thomas Widger's, The Fancyman, Johnny Widger. 2nd Tomas Ryan's, Mill Road Buddy, Peter Moloney. 3rd Finbarr Desmond's, Champagne Super Nova, Ciara Desmond. 4th Michael Kelly's, Attyrory Splash Fantastic, Amanda Kelly. 5th Pamela Halley's, Charlie Swift, Sarah Halley. 6th Bobby Flynn's, Fionn Mac-Chuil, Thomas O'Gorman.

Leading Ponies - Finbarr Desmond's, Champagne Super Nova, Ciara Desmond & Kathryn Keating's, Ruby Mardi, Hannah Bendon.

148cms Grade ABC FINAL - 1st Tomas Ryan's, Mill Road Buddy, Peter Moloney. 2nd Tim Beecher's, Loughnatousa Bart, Fiona Beecher. 3rd Patrick O'Gorman's, Ballyclough Castle Storm, Thomas O'Gorman. 4th Michael Kelly's, Attyrory Splash Fantastic, Amanda Kelly. 5th Catherine Kiely's, Lonesome Dove, Kevin Kiely. 6th John Hannan's, Newbawn L'Amour, John Hannan.

Leading Pony - Elsie Murphy's, Some Man For One Man, Kenny Murphy.

148cms Grade D FINAL -1st Patrick Walsh's, Coolmany Lass, Amanda Kelly. 2nd Bill Connolly's, Tir na Nog, Sarah Connolly. 3rd Mary Allen's, Cold Play, Michelle Allen. 4th Marian Murphy's, Ballyclough Turbo, Kate Murphy. 5th Michael Moloney's, Shangan Eric, Michelle Rundle. 6th Patrick Dunphy's, Ballydurn Lady, Nora Dunphy.

Leading Pony — Caroline Quealy's, Barracree Bracken, Noreen Quealy.

148cms Grade C & D FINAL - 1st Finbarr Desmond's, Champagne Super Nova, Ciara Desmond. 2nd Pauline O'Meara's, Nicola's

Greybrook Polo, Nikki Mur- Dream, Noreen Quealy. 3rd Aine O'Keeffe's, Butler Flash, John Hannan. 4th Patrick Walsh's, Coolmany Lass, Amanda Kelly. 5th Susan Liddy's, Two Tone Tom, Ciara Ennis. 6th John Cahill's, Midnight Cruiser, Jenny Cahill.

Leading Ponies - Perry Galvin's, Master Bounce, Ciara Galvin. Thomas Horgan's, Ballyboy Rock n'Roll, Aisling Horgan & Patrick Walsh's, Coolmany Lass, Amanda Kelly.

RESULTS CASTLE LEAGUE QUALIFIER 17th OCTOBER 2003 **PONIES**

Mini Div. - John Murphy's, Snowdrop, Danielle Murphy. Joe O'Keeffe's, Danny, Grace O'Keeffe. Samantha McGuire's, Freddie, Jayne McGuire. Pamela Madden's, Ronaldo, Kim Madden. Denis O'Sullivan's, Mandy, Denise O'Sullivan.

Midi Div. - Joe O'Keeffe's, Danny, Grace O'Keeffe. Samantha McGuire's, Freddie, Jayne McGuire. Joe O'Keeffe's, Strong Bow, Ellen O'-Keeffe. Samantha McGuire's, Smokie, Sally McGuire. Pamela Madden's, Ronaldo, Kim Madden. Ann Connors's, Twinkle, Kelly Dwane. Lucia Frost's, Merry Legs, Mary Frost. Francis O'Brien's, Jimmy's Chance, Stephen O'Brien. John Joyce's, Ben Surprise, Patrick Joyce.

Maxi Div. — Samantha McGuire's, Smokie, Sally McGuire. Regina Barry's, Killusty Falcon, Alix Barry. Joe O'Keeffe's, Lady, Grace O'Keeffe. Joan Dahill's, Turbot Dove, Traolac Dineen. Susan Morris's, Fr. Doogle, Faith Morris. Joe O'Keeffe's, Strong Bow, Rosanna O'Keeffe. Susan Morris's, Harney, Faith Morris. Marie Hennessy's, Solstice, Maeve Hennessy. Denis O'Sullivan's, Mandy, Denise O'Sullivan. Paula Power's, Silver Bullet, Mairead Power. John O'Callaghan's, Galaxy, Laura O'Callaghan. Francis O'Brien's, Jimmy's Chance, Stephen O'Brien.

HORSES

0 - 80cms — Claire Coughlan's, Jessica, Claire Coughlan. Lucia Frost's, Sugar and Spice, Sarah Frost. Catherine Butcher's, Ardsallagh Duky, Alison Butcher. Melody Williams's, Rambler, Melody Williams. Joan Lenihan's, Seafield Chance, Aideen Halligan. George Kent's, Knockenduff Spring, Pauline Millea. Michelle Griffin's, Mr

Stop 'nItch, Michelle Griffin. Mary Joyce-Curtin's, Nipper, Gerard Curtin. Mary Joyce-Curtin's, Brown's Grey Lad, Joyce Curtin. Jenny Sweeney's, Tiger, Gemma Phelan. Ann Carrigan's, Sally, Anne Carrig-

0 - 90cms — Div. Francesca Kelly's, Cancara, Francesca Kelly. Claire Coughlan's, Jessica, Claire Coughlan. Angela Tobin's, Zoey, Angela Tobin. George Kent's, Knockenduff Spring, Pauline Millea.

West Waterford Autograss Ltd.



Motorsport Show, seen here in action in Ballysaggart

AGM THIS SUNDAY

This Sunday November 2nd is the date for West Waterford Autograss's Annual General Meeting, which will be held in Roses West End Bar, Lismore at 1.30pm sharp. The AGM which is coming on the back of probably the Clubs most successfull year is now of the upmost importance if the club is going to continue to grow. With the high growth the club has enjoyed this year and over the last couple of years it is very important that all the members would attend as this is the one place where all members will get a chance to speak and let there feelings and idea's be known and noted. A lot of members of clubs not only this club do not realise that not only does an AGM round up the past year but it also lays down the structure and rules for the coming year. So if after the AGM somebody has a better idea or porposal or disagree's with one that is made and passed, it probably can not be taken on board to the following year. So as can be seen it is very important that everybody attends and at least they will have all the information first hand if nothing else.

So don't forget this Sunday November 2nd at 1.30pm Sharp in Roses West End Bar, Lismore.

ANNUAL SOCIAL

The Annual Social and Driver of the Year Presentation night will take place this year in The Park Hotel, Dungarvan on Friday Night November 21st. Tickets will be available at the AGM and after that from the Club. This promises to be a very good night out if the year that the club is after is anything to go by. This year has seen the overall entry in the championship grow and because of this everthing went down to the very last round before all the different champions could be confirmed.

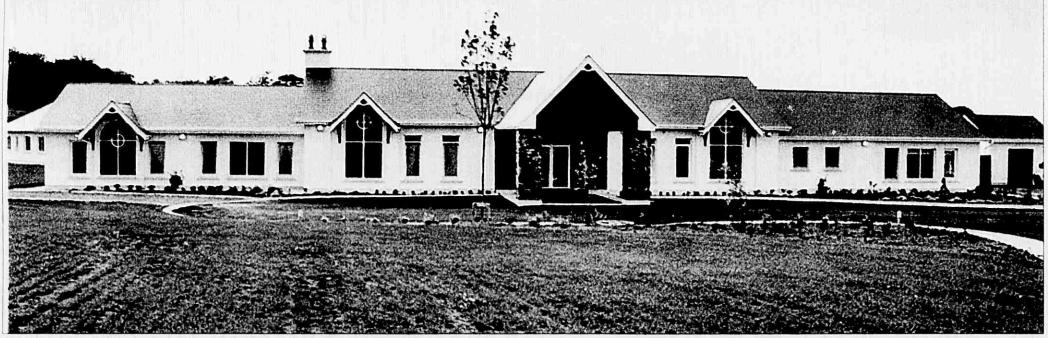
MOTORSPORT SHOW

The Irish Motorsport Show took place in Punchestown over the weekend of October 18th and 19th. The Southern Ireland Autograss League had a stand present at the show. In all they had 5 out of the 10 classes represented. The club was represented by the Class 8 of Andrew Murphy and the Class 10 of Chris Behan. The club greatly appreciates this and also to those who travelled up over the weekend to give the league a hand. Hopefully this along with futher pormotions will help to see the sport, continue to grow and give enjoyement to many more spectators and drivers alike.

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Conna Nursing & Convalescent Home is a new purpose built facility with the most up-todate design and furnishing features. It is a 52 bed unit offering respite, convalescence and long stay options. Set in extensive landscaped grounds, the nursing home enjoys all the advantages of a rural location on the edge of Conna village, overlooking Conna Castle.

The village is long renowned for its community spirit, and for the scenic views along the banks of the River Bride, which runs close by. A short distance away, are a number of other attractions and towns such as Lismore – County Waterford's Heritage Town – and The Towers, a number of golf courses, and peaceful woodland walks.

DESIGNED TO HIGHEST STANDARDS

Conna Nursing Home, itself, has been designed to the highest standards, and complies with the current statutory

regulation

It is of magnificent proportions, and surrounded by footpaths and walkways with no steps anywhere in the grounds or building. The foyer is impressive with high ceilings finished in wood, and benefits from plenty of natural light, and has views of the Reception rooms.

Importantly, all the corridors in Conna Nursing and Convalescent Home also have handrails for added safety.

No expense has been spared in the décor of this spacious facility. The lounge is specifically designed with activities in mind, such as card games, Bingo, musical entertainment, and TV. The atmosphere here is warm and comforting.

The library is located next to the lounge where residents may read in peace or bring a visitor for a chat, while at the end of middle wing is the conservatory, which provides striking views of the surrounding rolling countryside.

The Oratory is decorated in greens – calming quiet colours to facilitate reflection and meditation. It will also provide for organised multidenominational worship and services.

Mass will be celebrated weekly by the local clergy.

The dining room is located next to the state of the art kitchen where highly qualified chefs prepare mouth watering wholesome food in a hygienic safe environment. All dietary requirements are catered for, and a daily menu will be available.

An in-house laundry service is also provided.

BEDROOMS EN-SUITE

All the bedrooms are of generous proportion and all are en-suite to ensure maximum privacy. All bathrooms have been fitted with floor level shower decks and grab rails for extra safety.

Residents are encouraged to add small personal items to personalise their own room. Each room is designed to a high standard with personal TV points and a sophisticated nurse call system. All beds are automatically adjustable.

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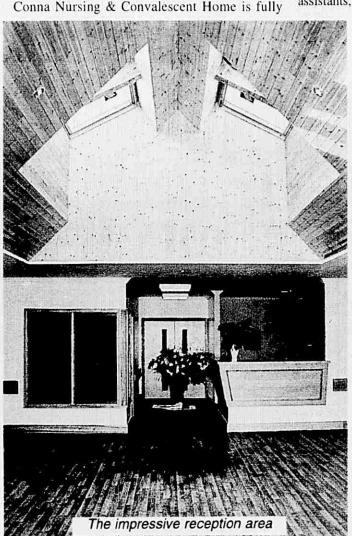
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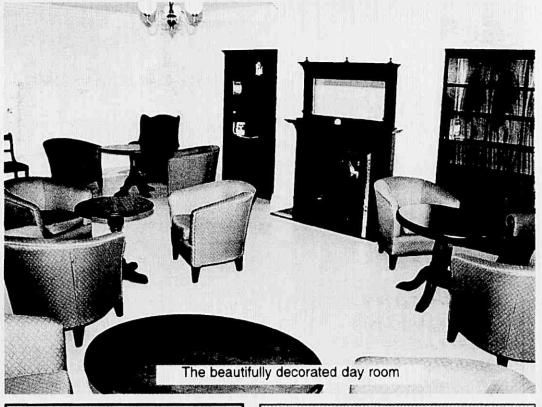
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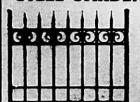
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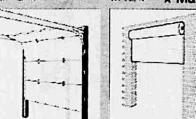
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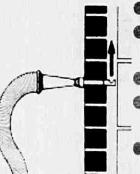
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