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Pictured above with Taoiseach Bertie Ahearn are the Ard Scoil na nDeise Debating team who gave a brilliant performance in the national final of the Forum on Europe's 2004 Transition Year Public Speaking Competition held in Croke Park. The members are (l. to r.) Maeve Simmons, Mary Ryan and Deborah Whelan.

Deasy's Justice Portfolio Goes Up In Smoke!

KEVIN KIRRANE

Deputy John Deasy was sacked from the Fine Gael front bench last week and may now face a 3,000 euro fine after flouting laws banning smoking in the workplace.

Deputy Deasy lit up in the Dail members bar three times because, he says, he was frustrated by the lack of alternative facilities for smokers. However, not for the first-time, his own party slammed his stance.



Saturday 10 - 5 p.m.

"I WON'T APOLOGISE!" — SAYS DEASY

Sacked from his Justice portfolio by Fine Gael leader, Enda Kenny, and facing the prospect of a fine of the equivalent of one thousand euros for each of the cigarettes he smoked, Deputy Deasy also faced a severe media backlash in the aftermath of the incident.

However, speaking to the Dungarvan Leader on Tuesday, Deputy Deasy was unrepentant.

"I won't be apologising," he said. "I think that people should look at the facts about what happened. The fact that I was refused exit to the outdoors. Asked why I wasn't, I was wasn't given an answer. I asked that the Superintendent be called - that was refused."

He said the treatment over the matter was in contrast with the leniency and understanding promised before the ban was introduced.

"What we're talking about after-all is an addition," he said, adding that his only regret was that he may have to pay a fine.

SACKED

According to Deputy Deasy, the incident occurred after he first attempted to go out a door to an open air area. But he found it locked on the order of the Dail Superintendent.

Despite being told to put out the cigarettes by staff and other TD's in the Dail members bar he continued to smoke and (CONTINUED ON PAGE 15)

€45 Million Sewerage Scheme Gets Go Ahead

SEWERAGE SYSTEM TO BOOST WEST WATERFORD DEVELOPMENTS

KEVIN KIRRANE

The way has been cleared for a modern sewerage scheme for seven towns and villages around the county after Minister Martin Cullen's decision to authorise Waterford County Council to sign contract documents.

The scheme is the biggest ever sewerage project in the county outside of the main drainage scheme in Waterford City.

Minister Cullen described the scheme as "hugely important project for Waterford."

The seven towns and villages are currently served by old sewerage systems that need substantial upgrading. The Minister said these facilities were no longer satisfactory from an environmental point of view and not helpful to the areas concerned in trying to accommodate new development.

"As well as being able to cater for local development needs, the tourist industry also depends heavily on high environmental standards and our ability to clearly demonstrate our green credentials", Minister Cullen said.

The proposals involve upgrading the existing sewer networks and the construction of modern wastewater treatment plants in each of the seven locations. All the new treatment plants will be constructed under a single contract. According to the Minister, this will be much more efficient and speedy than planning and building each scheme separately.

MAJOR BOOST

The Minister said many people had been in touch with him to speed up the scheme because of the major boost they saw it bringing to so many communities around the county.

"I agree with that view and I have taken a particular interest to ensure the scheme has been moved along quickly", the Minister said. He added that he was "especially delighted to now to be able clear it past the planning stage and onward towards construction. I have allocated the money for the scheme in my Department's Water Services Investment Programme and the funds will be available for immediate drawdown as soon as the work is ready to start."

Minister Cullen said that his approval of the plans submitted by Waterford County Council cleared the way for the Council to produce Contract Documents covering the new treatment plants and the pipework systems for all seven locations.

"Once the Contract Documents have been completed and approved, the next step will be (CONTINUED ON PAGE 15)



At the launch of "Want to be a Thousandaire" a novel fundraiser by St. Mary's Primary School were (l. to r.) Christine Bergin, Pallas Marketing, Ollie Walshe, Chairman Fund Raising Committee, Catherine Coward, Chairperson Parents Council, Marcella McGovern, School Principal, David Reynolds, SherryFitzgeraldReynolds (main sponsor) and Teresa Daly, Treasurer Fundraising Committee. (See page 33 for full details)

(Photo: Sean Byrne)

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Chicken Kebab with Bar-B-Que Sauce

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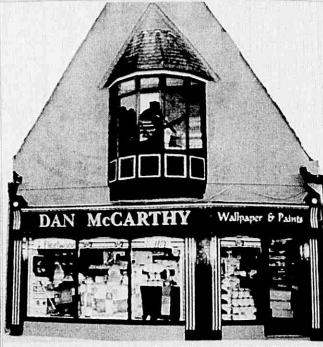
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Ages 7 to 10

1st Colleen Whelan, Melrose, Ballygagin, Dungarvan; 2nd Julie Harty, Ballinamuck, Dungarvan; 3rd Rachel Sadecki, Knockenpower, Ring, Dungarvan; 4th Leann Herlihy, 23 Meadowlands, Abbeyside.

Ages 11 to 13

1st Ivan Cliffe, Crenaughtane, Cappoquin; 2nd Amy de Bhal, 4 Baile na nGall Mor, Ring; 3rd Imelda Whelan, Ballincoush, Dungarvan; 4th Mairead O'Grady, West Street, Lismore.

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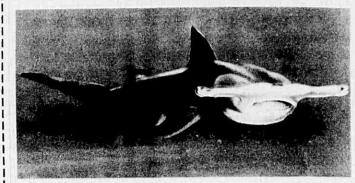
THE MOST FEARED SHARKS

Sharks are the most feared creatures in the sea, with a reputation for being ferocious killers. They are certainly well equipped for killing, with their strong jaws and tough teeth. They have an excellent sense of smell. A line of sensory cells running along the body and over the head can detect vibrations in the water. A shark also has a streamlined body, strong muscles and a large tail that enables it to swim very fast

MOST SHARKS ARE HARMLESS

There are about 250 different species of shark. About ten species are known to attack humans, but the majority are quite harmless. Some are just scavengers, feeding on what they can find, while others live on plankton. The majority are flesh eaters that feed mainly on fish, but if they are hungry or excited, they are liable to

TYPES OF SHARKS HEAD LIKE A HAMMER



The hammerhead shark is so called because the front of its head is in the shape of a hammer. About 6m (20ft) long, it is a very dangerous and aggressive shark that lives in most warm waters. Its eyes are at the ends of the 'hammer', which gives it a wide range

ARTIC HUNTERS

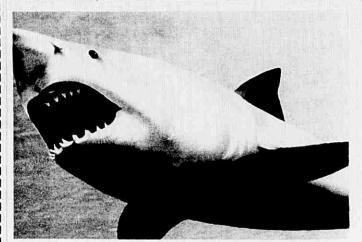
Greenland sharks have very small teeth but they are turned inwards to improve the bite - something that comes in useful when they attack whales. Greenland sharks grow up to 6m (20ft) long and normally live in warm seas. However, they visit Arctic waters to hunt for seals and small whales

SHARKS HAVE A BAD REPUTATION

That sharks have a bad reputation is largely due to the great white shark, which is regarded as the deadliest shark of all. It is about 11m (36ft) long. Although encounters with humans are rare, they often prove fatal for the person concerned. The shark that attacks more people than any other kind is the whale shark which lives along the Australian coast.

A SHARK WITH A GRIN

Another shark that is regarded as a maneater is the tiger shark, which lives in tropical waters. It has a fold of skin at the corner of its mouth, which makes it look like its grinning, adding a sinister touch to its gruesome reputation. This 6m (20ft) long shark also eats other sharks, sea turtles and carrion.



DID YOU KNOW?

- The largest fish, the whale shark, lives on some of the smallest creatures - plankton!
- The chances of being attacked by a shark are 300 million to one. Even less if you stay out of the water! ● If you are attacked by a great white, watch out – it can smell
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- The shark has the most powerful bite ever measured.
- Modern swimmers have started to break records by wearing special swim-suits based on a sharks rough skin.

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ACROSS: 1 Enigma, 5 Fulham, 8 Parallax, 9 Vole, 10 Aïda, 11 Literary, 13 Isaac Newton, 15 Marmoset, 17 Temp, 19 Thug, 20 Petunias, 21 Semtex, 22 Orchid.

DOWN: 2 Naafi, 3 Granada, 4 All Blacks, 5 Fox, 6 Laver, 7 Aileron, 12 Twenty-two, 13 Ivanhoe, 14 Titanic, 16 Might, 18 Miami, 20 Pox.

Unsafe O'Connell St. Building To Be Demolished

DELAY EXPECTED FOR START OF PEDESTRIAN ACCESS

Town Engineer, Dan O'Donovan, and a firm of independent engineers ordered developers to demolish an O'Connell Street landmark after deeming it to be in very dangerous condition.

The engineers issued the owner of No. 6 O'Connell Street, Shane Houlihan, with a demolition order following a complaint that work behind Lenihan's Bakery had caused a crack at the gable end of the building to widen.

The former Lenihan's Bakery building must be seriously altered, engineers say.

After inspecting the buildings, the Town Council also required that the building's tenants be vacated within two or three days.

The order is likely to delay work on the pedestrian entrance from O'Connell Street to the new Shopping Centre development as the developers must reapply for planning permis-

"At the moment we're in the process of demolishing No. 6", Mr. Houlihan said. "And that's going to be on the ground (this) week.'

However, Mr. Houlihan said the demolition will not have a negative impact on his development as he always felt it was unsafe, and to try and renovate it would have meant most of it would have to be demolished anyway.

"It holds me up a bit, in so far as while the council put a demolition order on it, I can't rebuild No. 6 without planning permission." He said he lodged the new planning application almost straight away.

"By law, I have to get that planning permission to reinstate."

The Town Council are expected to make a decision on the application in the next few

Mr. Houlihan said the application contains three options: to demolish Lenihan's Bakery and No. 6 and build them back as they are; to demolish No. 6 and renovate the Bakery; and what he says is his preferred option -

demolish both No. 6 and the bakery and rebuild both to the level of the rest of the street's.

The three buildings are on the site of a new commercial and residential development linking O'Connell Street to the Dungarvan Shopping Centre on the former Glanbia site.

Town Engineer, Dan O'Donovan said Number 6 O'Connell Street was in a very dangerous condition.

He said the front and back walls have detached from the rest of the structure, and the front wall is leaning out.

"The difficulty is, historically, there have been a lot of alterations made to the building over the years."

David Kelly Partnership - the Youghal based engineers who carried out the inspection - also found the building unsafe and said it should be demolished. "Serious" alterations will also have to be made to 7 and 8 O'-Connell Street, the engineers found.

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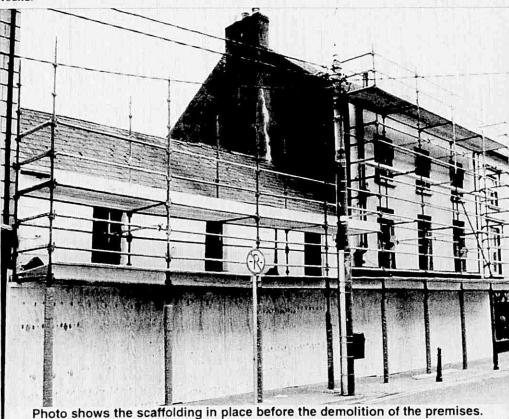
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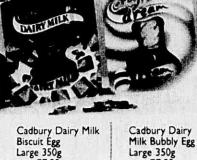
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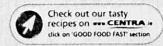


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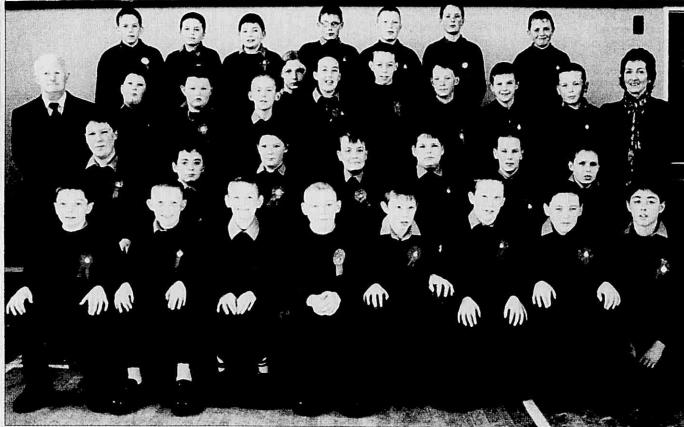
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Dungarvan & West Waterford Chamber of Commerce

 The Chambers of Commerce of Ireland will hold The National Business Forum, on 20th & 21st May, 2004, in The Heritage Hotel, Portlaoise. Speakers will attend from the world of business, trade unions and the Chambers of Commerce of Ireland. It

big buyers, (2) facing the challenge of the multiples, (3) franchising and (4) controlling costs without loosing customers. Contact the chamber office if you would like to attend.

• The chamber received a will include practical workshops copy of the letter from Mr Sea-

on (1) winning contracts from mus Brennan T.D., Minister for Transport, to Ms Mary Harney T.D., regarding the new road from Waterford to Dublin. He confirmed that the proposed design will be unchanged and that it is for a motorway/high quality dual carriageway standard.

• The chambers in the South

East are joined together as a single unit to identify regional issues on which the chambers will jointly focus. The intention is that several chambers working together will be more effective in lobbying. Further information on this will soon be available.

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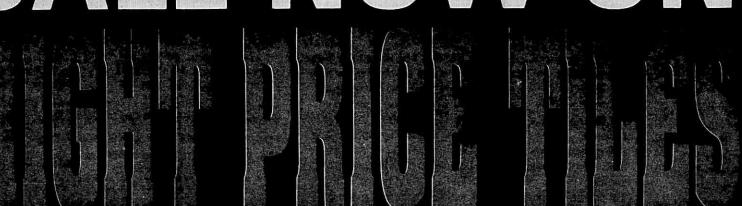
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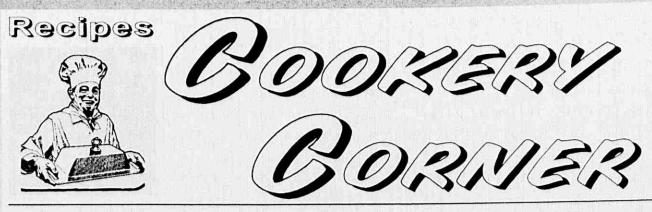




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Ingredients:

Serves 4

1 squid 2 x 15ml sp cooking oil 2 rashers bacon, chopped 1/4 x 5ml sp lemon juice 2 spring onions, chopped FOR THE SAUCE: 2 x 15ml sp butter

2 x 15ml sp flour Salt

250 ml milk 225g shelled prawns

Method:

PREPAREthe squid, then score the inside of the hood slightly, cutting lengthwise only, with a sharp knife.

Cut the squid into strips 21/2cm by 1cm, and thinly slice. Make up the white sauce by combining the butter, flour, salt and milk in a small saucepan and slowly heat on the stove.

When the white sauce is cooked, add add to the sauce the shelled prawns. Turn off the heat, but keep the warm, leaving the lid

on.

Spoon the mixture on to crisp, fried noodles and serve immediately.

Heat a film of oil in a separate pan. Add the bacon and cook slightly. Add the remaining oil and heat. Then add the squid and lemon juice. Stir-fry for about one minute, then sprinkle on the spring onion. Lift the squid and bacon mixture from the pan, using a perforated spoon or fishslice. Drain on to absorbent paper, then

Tuna recipe for the barbecue

A TASTYfish dish, ideal for barbecue meals or grilling inside

Ingredients: Makes 4

80 ml dry sherry 1 x 15ml sp soy sauce 1 clove garlic, crushed

1 x 15ml sp root ginger, crushed

1 x 5ml sp honey 500 g tuna steaks cut into 4 pieces

Method:

Combine the sherry, root ginger, soy sauce, honey and garlic in a glass bowl.

Microwave the mixture at a high heat for one minute or until the liquid boils.

Do not cover the bowl while microwaving. Leave to cool slightly. Place the tuna steaks in an 28x18x4cm baking

dish and pour the marinade over the fish.

Cover the dish and chill for two hours. Remove the tuna steaks

from the marinade. Put the marinade aside for use

Preheat grill at maximum heat for eight minutes. Arrange the tuna steaks on the hot grill pan with the thickest portions towards the inside.

Grill at a high temperature for two minutes.

Turn the steaks over and baste with the marinade. Grill again at a high temperature for 11/2 to two min-

Remove from heat, cover, and let the tuna stand for about two minutes. Serve immediately with the

warm marinade. This recipe is also ideal for barbecuing outside..

Easy-to-bake Norwegan bread

THIS deliciously light, cof- Take out and roll small fee-bread from Norway. called "Kringlas", is tasty, healthy-eating and easy to bake.

Ingredients: 675 g flour

250 ml buttermilk. 1 x 5ml sp vanilla essence 125 g margarine

21/2 x 5ml sp baking powder 1 x 5ml sp lemonade 1 egg

225 g sugar

1 x 5ml sp salt

Method:

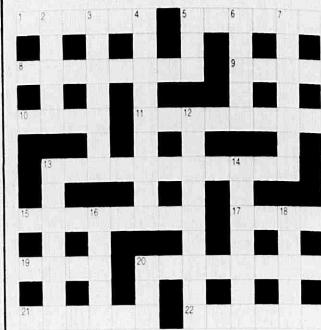
Mix the vanilla and egg and beat until mixed. Add the buttermilk and the lemonade and sift the dry ingredients into this. Add the rest of the ingredients and mix well. Put the container into the fridge and chill overnight.

pieces of the dough into long strips, then form them into a figure of eight.

Put them back into the fridge for about an hour when they have raised to about what looks to be the right height. Bake in a 450°F/ 350°C preheated oven for about six to eight minutes or until light golden brown in colour. Refrigeration is one of the keys of 'Kringlas' making. They must be refrigerated in order for them to get the flavour.

You can also use oatmeal, raisins and wholewheat. You can stuff them with your favourite filling - cream cheese, custard, jam, etc. You can mix flavoured oils into the custard or cream fillings such as pure orange oil, butterscotch and berry

Ceader Crossword



- 1 German code cracked during World War II (6)
- 5 London's oldest football club, founded in 1880 (6)
- 8 The apparent change in an object's position when viewed from different spots (8)
- 9 Any of several rodents, including the so-called water rat (4)
- 10 1871 opera by Verdi (4)
- 11 Relating to the world of books (8) 13 Famous 17th-century pupil of Grantham grammar
- school (5.6)
- 15 Small monkey of Central and South America (8)
- 17 Do a job for a limited period (4)
- 19 Historically, a member of a religious organisation of robbers and assassins in India (4)
- 20 Anagram of SUPINATE (8)
- 21 A very powerful plastic explosive (6)
- 22 Plant of a large family typically having showy flowers (6) DOWN
- 2 A canteen in the armed forces (5)
- 3 ITV company associated with Coronation Street (7)
- 4 One of the international rugby team names (3,6)
- 5 Surname of actor brothers Edward and James (3) 6 Australian who won the Wimbledon men's singles four times in the 1960s (5)
- 7 A flap on an aeroplane wing (7)
- 12 Number linked with a catch (6-3)
- 13 1950s television series which gave Roger Moore his first starring role (7)
- 14 The highest-grossing film of all time (7)
- 16 Great strength or power (5)
- 18 Florida tourist resort (5)
- 20Any of a number of viral diseases (3)

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Co. Council To Carry Out Helvick Repairs

By Kevin Kirrane

Waterford County Council are committed to carrying out essential repairs on Helvick Pier this year, County Engineer, John O'Flynn has confirmed.

The pier is vital to the employment of around fifty to one hundred people - including part-time jobs - in the area, but its condition has become increasingly precarious.

Local representative, Fiachra O Ceilleachair, said the cracks in the superstructure again widened during the winter.

The cracks have prompted

are set to collapse.

However, following representations from the Labour Councillor, County Engineer, John O'Flynn confirmed Waterford County Council will be carrying out remedial works in the current year.

Speaking to the Dungarvan Leader, Cllr. O Ceilleachair welcomed the news but was critical of the Department of Marine's stance on the issue.

Cllr. O Ceilleachair says he has been campaigning over the last eight years for significant

concerns that parts of the pier redevelopment of what is a crit- as the primary responsibility of ical facility for one of the Ring Gaeltact's traditional local in-

> He had also called on the Minister with responsibility for the Marine, Dermot Ahern to rent 2002 -2006 Harbour Plan. assist with the repairs, and to implement the Harbour Redevelopment Plan - which is seen as vital to the harbour's future viability.

However, in answer to Deputy Brian O'Shea's Dail question, raised on Cllr. O Ceilleachair's behalf, Minister Ahern said the pier was viewed Waterford County Council.

The Minister also said the Department doesn't have the funding available to implement the redevelopment plan in the cur-

"This plan," Cllr. O Ceilleachair says, "is independent of the issue relating to on-going maintenance, features a dredging project, improved fish landing facilities and improved facilitation of leisure craft and angling interests at the harbour," and he said the negative deposition of the Department needs to alter.

The issue of the Helvick Pier has also been raised by Sinn Fein local election candidate, Bendan Mansfied.

Mr. Mansfield said the situation at Helvick was an "increasingly dangerous" one.

"The County Council were forced to move in on Thursday 25th of March to rail off the pier as yet another large section disappeared into the sea.

He described the delays in carrying out the repairs as "bureaucracy gone mad.

Speaking to the Dungarvan Leader, Director of Services with Waterford County Council, Brian White said the local authority will be keeping the pressure up to achieve the funding required to begin work on the redevelopment plan from the relevant agencies.

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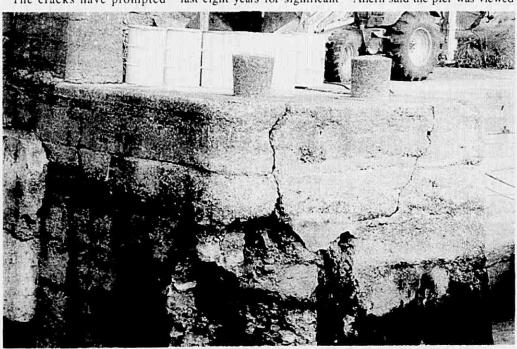
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Waterford Vintners Annual Dinner Dance



Pictured at the Waterford Vintners Association annual dinner dance which was held in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan were (left to right): Matt Cummins, Kate and Alice O'Connor with Dermot and Pearl O'Brien. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Cullen Announces Over €7m For Recycling in Waterford

Martin Cullen, T.D., Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government announced the allocation of over €7m in grants to Waterford City and County Councils towards the cost of new recycling facilities.

The grants allocated today will further assist the roll-out of the recycling infrastructure required as part of the implementation of the South East Regional Waste Management Plan. The facilities being funded are a Materials Recovery Facility in Dungaryan (where segregated dry recyclables will be sorted) and a Biological Treatment Facility in Waterford City (where organic waste collected separately will be composted). "These allocations of over €7m will support the efforts of the Waterford local authorities to develop significant recycling capacity. The coming on stream of these facilities constitutes a very significant step towards full implementation of the region's waste management plan", said the Minister.

The allocations are part of a capital grants scheme provided for in the Regional Operational Programmes under the National Development Plan (2000 to 2006). The funding for the grants comes from the Environment Fund, which is financed by the proceeds of the plastic bags and landfill levies, and the projects will attract assistance from the European Regional Development Fund.

Already householders in Waterford are availing of one of the most advanced forms of segregated waste collection services in the country. The new facilities now being funded, together with the development of Bring Banks and Recycling Centres which are being grant-aided separately, will ensure that the South East region has access to a very broad range of recycling infrastructure and services.

Yood To Ge Awards

Cuisine de France Announce Award Winning Store Eurospar Dungarvan



Congratulations go to Ger Enright and his staff at Eurospar Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, announced as the overall winner of the Cuisine de France Pierre's Food To Go Awards 2003/04

The final which took place last Wednesday 24th March, was compared by Today FM's Ian Dempsey at the exquisite Killashee House Hotel, Naas, Co. Kildare and was attended by over 400 Cuisine de France guests. Some surprise guests included Chris Doran, recent winner of You're A Star and Ireland's entrant to the Eurovision, who delighted the audience with a special performance of "If The World Stops Turning", Sharon Ni Bheolain (Network Two) and the celebrity judging panel Linda Martin of Lyrics Board and You're a Star fame and Biddy White Lennon, Irish Food Writers Guild who judged the stores over the past weeks.

Established to reward excellence in the baking, merchandising and retailing of Cuisine de France and Pierre's products the awards consisted of seven categories with the National titles going to:

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National Winner Category 3:

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National Winner Category 6:

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National Winner Category 2:

Retail Outlet Up To 3,000 Sq. Ft. Centra Millstreet, Co. Cork owned by Nicholas Tarrant.

National Winner Category 5:

Retail Outlet Up To 15,000 Sq. Ft. SuperValu Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow owned by Tom Connolly.

National Winner Category 4:

Retail Outlet Up To 8,000 Sq. Ft. EuroSpar, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford owned by Ger & Joan Enright.

National Winner Category 7:

Forecourt Spar 8 – 12 Pearse Road, Sligo owned by Ger & Denise Canning.

Each National Winner was presented with a specially commissioned Cuisine de France personalized plaque and a beautiful commemorative piece of Louise Kennedy crystal. The Overall Winner, Ger Enright of Eurospar Dungarvan in addition to being awarded the title 'Cuisine de France Pierre's Food to Go Outlet of the Year 2003/04' received a substantial cash prize fund.

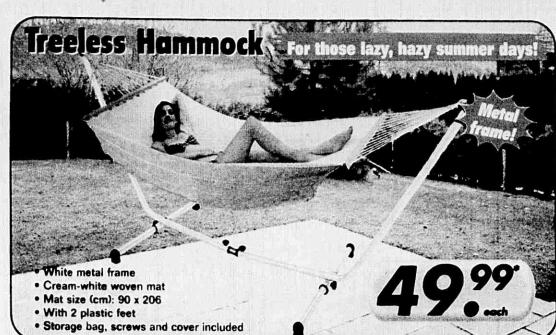


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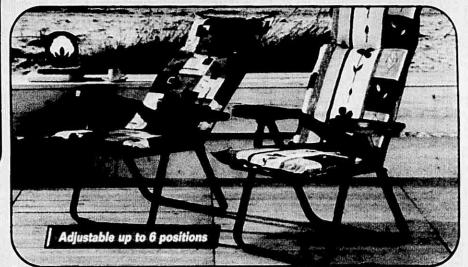
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Dungarvan Leader Gardening

The Garden Messenger theme for April 2004 is

'Early perennials' with species and varieties of Aubrieta, Pulsatilla, Bergenia

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Bergenia is ideal for bringing interest to the floor of a woodland garden or a border. There are lots of members of the family to choose from, adding a splash of white, pink, red or purple wherever they are planted. They produce attractive leathery glossy leaves which, depending on species and variety. colour in winter. Bergenia 'Ballawley' is a clump-forming evergreen perennial, and is one of the first to flower in spring, bearing crimson flowers on red stems. 'Ballawley' also provides interest in winter when its mid-green leaves turn a bronzy-red.

The wonderful aubrieta produces delicate simple flowers which look fantastic as ground cover on a sunny bank or

cascading over a wall. This style of cascading flowers also works well in patio containers or hanging baskets as part of a mixed interest planting. In spring aubrieta produce an abundance of small four-petalled flowers; colours include violet, pink, mauve or purple. These plants prefer alkaline to neutral soils. Look out for 'Joy' with its double mauve flowers on short stems.

Last, but by no means least, is pulsatilla, best known for their exquisite flowers and foliage. Pulsatilla vulgaris is a superb example. This delightful deciduous perennial has light green fern-like leaves. It bears pretty bell-shaped flowers (4-9cm across) which stand upright or semi-pendent. The purple flowers have a golden centre and their silky-hairy texture adds an extra dimension to their appeal. Pulsatilla vulgaris 'Alba' produces pure white flowers with yellow centres. Once planted, pulsatilla do not like to be disturbed, so it is best to plant them small and leave them. These plants need very well drained soil and plenty of sun. They originate from alpine meadows in North America, Europe and Asia, so to see them at their best choose a rock or alpine garden for them.

So, whether planting in containers or hanging baskets, sunny spots in the border, over garden walls or in woodland these three perennials offer variety and colour for early spring. And if none of the locations suggested for planting are suitable for your garden you can always consider making your own miniature rock garden. Each of the plants suggested will work well in a rock garden trough; their flowers and foliage contrasting beautifully with a gravel top dressing.

else to do."

€45 Million Sewerage Scheme **Gets Go Ahead**

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to invite tenders", the Minister said. Waterford County Council hope to invite tenders sometime in 2005.

DEVELOPMENTS

Welcoming the announcement Cllr. Kevin Wilkinson (FF) said: "There's a lot of

development coming on board in Cappoquin and Tallow that has been held up as a result of the non-availability of the sewerage scheme in both Cappoquin and Tallow. This is something that I've lobbied the Minister for a good few times, and I'm glad it's coming

"It's a hugely important project for Waterford, and it'll see the installation of modern facilities in the seven towns."

A spokesperson for Waterford County Council said the local authority will be appointing consultants, and attempting to buy land for the treatment plants for the development and are hopeful of going to tender in 2005.

He said the scheme will help provide improved bathing conditions in Ardmore, Stradbally and Dunmore East, and allow housing development and other developments in Tallow, Cappoquin, Kilmeaden and Kilmacthomas to go-ahead.

Pocket Money Leading To Major Underage Drink Culture

The problem of underage too much money," she claims. drinking is being exacerbated by parents giving teenagers large amounts of pocket money, according to local election candidate, Cathy McGrath (FG).

Teenagers today have economic power as they obtain large amounts of pocket money when they are 12 to 16 years

"When they obtain large amounts of pocket money at this stage, they expect more and more when they enter college, which leads to all sorts of tempting problems," she said.

Ms. McGrath said the greatest impact on these young teenagers has been the two earner families.

Money is plentiful, she said, and parents use pocket money as a convenient way of sending their children to the cinema to "hang-out".

"Teenagers are living lives today that older generations find hard to comprehend. As a result binge drinking, underage sex, and long term health problems arise. Hospitals around the country see hundreds of young teenagers admitted on a yearly basis. This is all due to many distractions.

"Parents are often unaware of the scale of this problem and often these teenagers are drinking because of peer pressure and because they have nothing

"Teenagers, today," she added, "have more disposable wealth than ever before, and this is why it is equally important that parents know what their teenagers get up to when they are not around. For teens, alcohol is the number one drug of choice. It is important to remember that alcohol is a powerful mood swinging drug and teens lack the judgement and coping skills to handle alcohol wisely.

As a result of this, she says, alcohol related traffic crashes are a major cause of death among teens.

"Teenagers who use alcohol are more likely to be victims of crime, rape and robbery. Teens who drink are more likely to have problems with home-

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Deasy's Justice Portfolio Goes Up In Smoke!

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smoked two or three cigarettes before he left.

A member of staff behind the bar is then believed to have reported the incident.

Noel Davern TD, who was present at the time said Deputy Deasy had put bar staff in an invidious position by his actions.

The incident made Deputy Deasy's position as Justice Spokesperson untenable, party leader, Enda Kenny later said.

Mr. Kenny was said to be "furious" about Deasy's "stand" and ordered the Deputy to a meeting later that night. However Deputy Deasy refused to attend.

Mr. Kenny subsequently sacked Deputy Deasy saying: "No man or no woman is above the law and no politician is above the law. In that sense it is my responsibility as the leader of the party I am honoured to lead to enforce standards in the Fine Gael party.'

Following the April Fools Day sacking, Deputy Deasy was immediately replaced on the front bench by Jim O'Keeffe - a veteran Cork South West TD. Ironically, Deputy Deasy had been calling for Jim O'Keefe's elevation to the front bench for some time.

SMOKING BAN

Speaking to the Dungarvan Leader on Tuesday last, Deputy Deasy said the ban is making pariahs out of people who pay their taxes, and questioned the bans impact on litter and public order issues.

However, Deputy Deasy's actions have bewildered observers who say he didn't voice opposition to the ban before it was implemented.

According to the Deputy: "there was hardly a conversation about the issue let alone a debate.'

"I remember going to the parliamentary party meeting and asking Olivia Mitchell what we were going to do on the smoking issue, and she said a decision had already been made. And I said, hang on a minute, what do you mean, and she just shrugged her shoulders as if to say there's nothing I can do about it.

"That's the extent of the debate in the Fine Gael party," he added. But he said the issue wasn't one of "black or white" but whether the ban was too ex-

JUSTICE **SPOKESPERSON**

However, his sacking as Justice Spokesperson was coming, Deputy Deasy admitted.

"My days were numbered," he said. "That was coming a long time. Frankly I lost all interest in the job. I wasn't getting anything through the front-bench and it was becoming more and more difficult."

He also found his measures being watered down.

'But more importantly," he said, "we (Fine Gael) have difficulty making hard decisions. We have a difficulty taking stands. We have a difficulty making our minds up, expressing conviction, and we have a difficulty making unpopular stands. I don't, and I think that is what politics is all about. I'm not trying to make myself out to be a martyr, but I feel we need those things in Fine Gael." Deputy Deasy confirmed he is staying in politics and will stay

inside the Fine Gael party. EMBROILED IN CONTROVERSY

Deputy Deasy's protest against the smoking ban is the latest in a number controversies he has become embroiled in. And, it wasn't the first-time, he clashed with his party leader.

Earlier that day, Deputy Deasy was already facing criticism for committing Fine Gael's support to the forthcoming citizenship referendum; a statement he made to the Irish Times supporting the referendum was said to have shocked and angered Enda Kenny who was yet to decide the party's line on the issue.

Deputy Deasy was also overlooked for a Dail Justice Committee by the Fine Gael leadership, and he clashed with the party whip after voting against the party and with the Government on a controversial Immigration Bill.

Later, Deputy Deasy was openly critical of the lack of leadership in the Dail in an interview with Magill Magazine.

Locally in the past few weeks, Deputy Deasy also became in embroiled in a further heated argument with Cllr. Tom Cronin (FF) over comments the Ardmore based representative made during a council meeting; ending in both sides swapping legal threats. Cllr. Cronin subsequently wrote to Enda Kenny complaining about the Deputy's conduct.

RESPONSE

However, Deputy Deasy received support from Environment Minister Martin Cullen who described the Deputy as a "decent man," and said he was sure the incident wouldn't end Deputy Deasy's political career.

Minister Cullen said the Deputy was an able and competent politician and a good representative for Waterford.

Deputy Deasy's party colleague, Cllr. Tom Higgin (FG) speaking on WLR last Sunday said Deputy Deasy's actions were "impetuous" and showed the "arrogance of youth."



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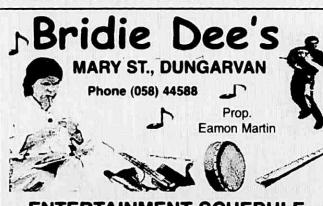
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PLANNING NOTICES

Waterford County Council — We, John and Bridget Byrne, intend to apply for Full Planning Permission for a bungalow, bio treatment system, entrance & associated site works at Ballintaylor Lower, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m., and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — We, Eric and Tracey Winspear, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for Full Planning permission for an extension onto existing Dwelling at "The Creek" Gaulstown, Butlerstown, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Dungarvan Town Council — Permission is sought by Mr. John Foley, for the demolition of existing dwelling and garage and replacement of dwelling with a 5 bedroom detached dormer house. The garage is to be replaced with a garage to match the existing adjoining garage along with repositioning of entrance from road and ancillary site development works. The planning application may be inspected at office of Dungarvan Town Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan during the hours 9.00 am to 1.00 pm and 2.00 pm to 4.30 pm. Monday to Friday (except Public Holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the Planning Authority in writing on payment of a fee of €20 within 5 weeks from submission of application to the Planning Authority.

Waterford County Council — We, John and Bridget Byrne, intend to apply for Full Planning Permission for a bungalow, bio treatment system, entrance & associated site works at Ballintaylor Lower, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — I am submitting significant additional information in relation to planning application ref. no.03/1872 which is for a dormer style house, proprietary treatment plant and ancillary site works at Ballynamuck Middle, Dungarvan. The information includes adjustments to site boundaries and revisions to front, rear and side elevations. Signed John Foley. The planning application may be inspected at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co Waterford, during normal opening hours, i.e. 10.00a.m. to 1.00p.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 2 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application, on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — I, Eamonn Flynn hereby wish to give notice of my intention to apply to Waterford Co. Council for planning permission to construct new dormer dwelling (enviropak), Domestic sewage unit, irrigation bed, recessed entrance and all associated site works on my grandfather's land at Castlecraddock, Annestown, Co. Waterford. 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 — I, Paul Feeney am applying for permission to build a sun lounge extension and to change existing external wall finish to smooth render at Knocknamuck North, Glencairn, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — Full planning permission is sought for dwelling, septic tank and entrance at Shanacoole, Kinsalebeg, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (€20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application. Signed: John Curran.

Waterford County Council — Outline planning permission is sought for dweling, entrance and auxillary services at Mapestown, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (€20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application. Signed: Tomas Walsh.

Waterford County Council — Outline Permission is sought for the construction of a dwelling house, detachd garage, effluent treatment system, entrance, driveway and all associated works at Barranastook, Old Parish, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (€20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application. Signed: Michael and Katherine Hourigan.

Waterford County Council — Revised Plans — Revised plans in relation to planning file no. PD 03/1268 at Kilgabriel, Clashmore, Co. Waterford have been furnished to the planning authority and are available for inspection or purchase at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy at the offices of the authority during office hours and a submission or observation in relation to the revised plans may be made in writing to the planning authority within 2 weeks of publication of the notice on payment of the prescribed fee of €20. Signed: Michael and Joanne Lyons.

Waterford County Council — I, Ann Power intend to apply to Waterford County Council for outline planning permission for dwelling, waste water treatment system, percolation area and entrance at Ballynagigla, Bonmahon, Co. Waterford. 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 — We John and Sue Power intend to apply to Waterford County Council for planning permission for change of use of existing garage/store to a child care facility at Kilmacthomas, Co. Waterford. 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 — I, Patrick Hourigan intend to apply to Waterford Co. Council for outline planning permission to construct a dwelling, septic tank, percolation area and entrance at Gowlaun, Old Parish, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. 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 — I, James Mansfield intend to apply for Outline Permission for two Dormer Dwelling Houses (2 floors) with separate entrance ways. Treatment systems with septic tanks and percolation areas and all site ancillary works and services at Ballinroad, Old Parish, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council — We intend to apply to the above authority for Full Planning Permission to construct a single storey extension to existing dwelling and alter existing entrance at Ballykerin Middle, Modeligo, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20. Signed: John and Joan Warren.

Waterford County Council — We intend to apply to the above authority for Full Planning Permission to construct a conservatory extension to existing dwelling at Ballymacmague South, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m., and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20. Signed: Pat and Theresa Dee.

Waterford County Council — Vincent and Anne Sheehan wish to apply to Waterford County Council for Planning Permission consequent of the grant of Outline Permission planning Ref. No 01/1367 for erection of single storey dwelling, garage, stables, septic tank and entrance at Ballyduff Upper. 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 — GlaxoSmithKline intends to apply to Waterford County Council for Planning Permission for Proposed New Offices and Locker Rooms on its lands at Knockbrack, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. 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.

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Notice is hereby given that Waterford County Council, in accordance with the above legislation, propose to close the roads listed hereunder for the periods specified for the purposes of laying sewers as part of the Dungarvan & Environs Sewerage Scheme.

(1) Road to be closed: Strandside South from its junction with the traffic lights at the Causeway to the western end of the car park at Abbeyside Church. Work on this section will be carried out in two phases.

Alternative route available: Via other various roads in the Abbeyside Area.

Period of proposed temporary closure: 26th April 2004 to 4th June 2004.

(2) Road to be closed: Fr. Twomey's Road from its junction with the Youghal Road at the Nissan Garage to the first entrance to Springfield Estate.

Alternative route available: Via other various routes in the area.

Period of proposed temporary closure: 10th May 2004 to 28th May 2004.

Local access for residents will be facilitated.

Objections to the proposed temporary closures may be made in writing to the Director of Services & County Engineer, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan to be received not later than 12 noon on Tuesday 13th April 2004.

Signed: John O'Flynn, Director of Services & County Engineer. Dated: 7th April 2004.

DUNGARVAN LEADER

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"Some But Disappointment Also For Ring/Old Parish in Udaras na Gaelachta 2004 Plans" —Says Councillor

rently proceeding on behalf of Udaras na Gaeltachta with construction on a EU 330,000 project at their lands in the old Parish - involving additional enterprise space adjacent to the existing 'Troscan na ndeise teo'. Factory and a public office / resource centre for the authority, one of its Board Members has expressed disappointment that further projects in the area have been stalled due to cutbacks in Government funding to progress them.

Cllr. Fiachra O Ceilleachair has welcomed the progress on the udaras office / resource centre, which he says has long

been a priority for him and oth- local committees in the area, ers promoting social and economic development in the Ring and Old parish Gaeltacht communities. When the Udaras's reduced expenditure for 2004 was confirmed at its monthly Board meeting in South Kerry last week, Cllr. O Ceilleachair said it was important in such tight financial circumstances that the allocation for the Ring / Old Parish office remained on the agenda. Cllr. O Ceilleachair was also pleased that resourcing of EU 45,000 remains available towards an initial two-year employment of a fulltime community development

once a structure for doing so in co-operation with other agencies has been agreed.

In both the Local Authority and Udaras of 1999, one of Cllr. O Ceilleachairs's main concerns was that the Gaeltacht development agency would commit to a physical presence in Ring / Old Parish. He says the office / resource centre and the support for a full time coordinator in the area, finally, are demonstrations of that

The Udaras expenditure plan for 2004, do however contain bad news for Ring and Old Parish. A planned EU 1.2 mil-Project facilitator to work with lion advance factory to com-

plete the development of Udaras lands at Barra na Stuaic in Old Parish has been frozen. In addition, a planned EU 600,000 crafts / enterprise centre for the first third of Udaras lands at Baile na nGall in Ring has also been shelved. The other twothirds of its land parcel on each side of the main road in Baile na nGall will also go undeveloped by the Udaras in 2004, in light of what is the second substantial reduction in funding to the authority from the government in the last two years. These turn of events, says Cllr. O Ceilleachair, are a blow to enterprise and job recreation po-



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Theme of Fund for 2004 - Local Agenda 21

This year, projects should focus on aspects of waste management to complement the Department's National Environmental Awareness "Race against Waste" Campaign. Emphasis for 2004 will be on projects which support Local Agenda 21, a process which facilitates sustainable development at community level.

Further Information and Application Form

Contact Ann-Marie Kenna, Environment Education Officer, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan on 058 21115 or

email: amkenna@waterfordcoco.ie

for further information and/or an application form.

Application forms are available on line at www.waterfordcoco.ie and www.environ.ie

Applications must be made to Waterford County Council's Environment Section by Friday 7th May 2004.

COMERAGH COMMUNITY **DEVELOPMENT GROUP**

LOCAL GROUP FIGHTS AGAINST THE TIDE OF RUBBISH Last Easter, the "Comeragh cil's deadline for requesting the

Community Group" were responsible for the largest clean up in Ireland, collecting 140 white goods and nearly 60 tonnes of rubbish filling 22 large skips. The Comeragh Community Development Group are once again organising the annual clean up of the roads in their area. back to square one. The current rise in refuse charges, combined with the Dungarvan dump closing and the intake at Tramore being seriously limited, has meant a large increase in the quantity of rubbish being brought to our beautiful countryside to be dumped. In previous years the group have been able to arrange the placement of skips in the area on the day of the clean up, however this year they have to limit their collection to bags. The council have announced that there will be no skips supplied this year to any groups, so for those people who have larger items to dispose of, the council will be doing a door-to-door collection of any white goods and large items during the month of May, to correspond with the Na-

tional Spring Clean. Look out for

the adverts giving the number to

ring, in the local press. The coun-

Development collection of goods will be 16th April 2004.

To set the day off to a tremendous start the group would ask that you all get together with your neighbours to clear your own stretch of road, the bags you fill will of course be collected by volunteers. If you are unable to In many ways this year, the group do your bit on the day your confeel as though they have gone tribution can be made earlier as every bit helps.

We try so hard to keep our countryside clean,

But this year it is dirtier than we have ever seen.

So please come and join us for just one day

And show that we can all help, in our own way.

We will meet outside the Veales Supermarket in Leamybrien at 10am on April 12th, Easter Monday to give out gloves and bags. There will be free refreshments in St Brigid's Hall, Kilrossanty as usual, for all the volunteers, and the draw for our Easter raffle will be made at 9pm in Crottys Inn, Leamybrien. All are welcome to help on the day, young or old, previous and new helpers. The increase in refuse charges has meant an increase in littering so many hands are needed. Come and join us for exercise, fresh air

Easter Week Ceremonies in the Churches

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH **DUNGARVAN**

Holy Thursday (Return Trocaire Boxes) Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30pm. Holy Hour 10:00pm - 11:00pm. Good Friday (Day of Fast and Abstinence)

Confessions after services Stations of the Cross 12noon Passion Liturgy 3:00pm Prayer Around the Cross with the music

of the Taize 8:30pm.

Holy Saturday Confessions 11:30am - 1:00pm; 3:00pm

Easter Vigil - First Mass of Easter 9:00pm

Easter Sunday Masses 10:00am and 12noon

FRIARY CHURCH

Wednesday

Penitential Services and Confession 7:30pm.

Holy Thursday

Confessions 4:30pm – 5:30pm Mass of the Lord's Supper 6:15pm. Adoration after Mass until 10:00pm. **Good Friday**

Confessions 10:30am - 12:30pm Passion Liturgy 4:00pm Stations of the Cross 8:00pm

Holy Saturday Confessions 10:00am - 12noon; 4:00pm

Easter Vigil - First Mass of Easter

Easter Sunday Masses 9:00am and 11:00am.

PARISH OF ABBEYSIDE/ **BALLINROAD/GARRANBANE**

Wednesday 7th to Sunday 11th April We invite you to be with us as we cele-

brate Holy Week in our Parish.

ABBEYSIDE CHURCH

Mass at 10:00am and Penance Service at **Holy Thursday**

Mass for children at 5:00pm. Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:30pm. Holy Hour

at Altar of Repose from 10:30 to 11:30pm. Day of Fast and Abstinence. Stations of Rinn. the Cross at 3:00pm followed by Confessions. Solemn Liturgical Commemoration Phobal.

of the Passion followed by Confessions at

Holy Saturday Confessions from 11:00am to 12noon

and 4:00 to 5:00pm.

Vigil Ceremonies and First Easter Mass

Easter Sunday

Masses at 8:30am, 10:30am and 12noon. Parish, 2004 (Children's Mass)

BALLINROAD CHURCH

Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:30pm - Confessions after Mass. Holy Hour from 9:30pm to 10:30pm.

Good Friday Day of Fast and Abstinence. Liturgical Commemoration of the Passion at 3:00pm. Confessions before and after Cer-

emonies **Holy Saturday** Vigil Ceremonies and First Mass of

Easter at 9:00pm. **Easter Sunday**

Mass at 10:00am

GARRANBANE CHURCH

Holy Thursday

Mass at 7:30pm - Confessions before and after Mass. **Good Friday**

Day of Fast and Abstinence. Stations of the Cross at 7:30pm followed by Confes-

Easter Sunday

Mass at 11:30am

We hope that this Easter will bring new beginnings, new hope and new joy to us all. Please return Trocaire Boxes on Holy Thursday at one of the Masses. There will be a collection for Holy Places on Holy Thursday and Good Friday. The Easter Collection for the Priests of the Parish will take place at all Masses on Easter Sunday. Easter Water will be available at all the Churches from Holy Saturday.

We wish all the families of our Parish a very Happy Easter. — Fr. R. Doherty P.P. and Fr. M. Keogh C.C.

AN RINN AGUS SA SEAN PHOBAL

Déardaoin Mandála

Aifreann Séire an Tiarna 7:30pm sa Sean Phobal.

Aoine an Chéasta Liotúirge Pháis an Tiarna 3:00pm sa

Turas na Croise: 7:30pm sa Sean

Satharn na S. Móire Bigil na Cásca 8:30pm sa Rinn. Faoistin

Dé Céadaoin, 7ú Aibreán 6:30pm go

Déardaoin Mandála: 6:30pm go 7:15pm sa Sean Phobal.

Holy Week Services in Ring and Old

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper, 7:30pm in Old Parish

Good Friday Liturgy of Christ's Passion, 3:00pm in

Stations of the Cross, 7:30pm in Old Parish.

Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil, 8:30pm in Ring. Confessions

Wednesday, 7th April: 6:30pm to 7:15pm in Ring. Holy Thursday, 6:30pm to 7:15pm to Old Parish.

CAPPOQUIN CHURCH

Wednesday

Mass 10am and 7:30pm.

Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30pm **Good Friday**

Stations 3pm. Celebrations of Jesus' Passion 7:30pm.

Holy Saturday Solemn Easter Vigil 9pm Confessions

Thursday after Mass, Friday after stations and after Evening ceremonies, Saturday at 12noon and 7 to 8pm.

KILOGBNET-COLLIGAN-KILBRIEN

Kilgobnet

Holy Thursday 8:30pm. Good Friday 8:30pm. Easter Sunday (Vigil Mass) 8:30pm. Easter Sunday 11:30am.

Colligan Holy Thursday 7:30pm Good Friday 7:30pm. Easter Sunday (Vigil Mass) 8:30pm. Kilbrien

Holy Thursday 8:30pm. Good Friday 3:00pm. Easter Sunday 9:30am. Confessions will be available before and

after ceremonies. Trocaire boxes to be returned on Holy Thursday.

LATE SUSAN ISABEL MARY GENTLE



With feelings of great sadness and regret we write on the passing of Mary Gentle at her residence on Saturday. 27th March. Mary who was aged 83 years, was a graduate of Domestic Science and worked closely with many schools in England. Predeceased by her brother Willie during World War 2, Mary loved sewing, ballroom dancing and was a keen gardener with roses her speciality. She retired to Clonea and in latter years moved with her husband Horace, to 21, Glendine Drive, Seapark. Married for 63 years, Mary will be sorely missed not just by family and relatives but indeed by her many neighbours and friends who all were touched by Mary's gentleness and kindness.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home the removal on Wednesday last took place to St. James' Church, Stradbally. Rev. Jenny Crowley assisted by Rev. Tony Whiting led all in a moving funeral service. V. Rev. Fr. Michael Enright P.P. also joined the concourse present and read the reflection Death is Nothing At All" Sons Barrie and William shared the readings of Revelation 21:1-7, John 14 1-6,27. All present sang 'The King of Love my Shepherd is', and We thank you, Lord'

Following service the funeral cortege left for Mount Jerome, Crematorium, Dublin where daughter Yvonne in her address paid tribute to her mother.

We offer our condolences to husband Horace, sons Barrie, William and Lennox, daughter Yvonne, grandchildren, great grandchildren, other relatives and many dear friends.

'For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus Our Lord"

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

LATE EILEEN FOLEY (NEE O'CONNELL-COWMING)

We received the sad news on Sunday 28th March of the passing of Eileen Foley, nee O'Connell-Cowming, Greenfield House, Mapstown, Dungarvan following a period of failing ill health.

Eileen was born in Woodhouse, Aglish on the 23rd November 1929. She was the 3rd daughter of Nora and Michael Cowming. She was educated in Aglish. After school she

worked on the family farm with her parents in Mountstuart. She married her first husband Tom O'Connell, Cross. Clashmore and lived in Clashmore village, and had a daughter Mary. After the death of her husband she continued to live in Clashmore

She then went to live in Ballinamuck, Dungarvan with her second husband Tom Foley of Monamean, Old Parish. In the late seventies they bought and renovated their home in Mapstown, Dungarvan.

After the death of Tom Foley she went to live with her daughter Mary and family for a period of time. She then moved back home and with the help of her carer Pat Power she resided at home until the time of her death.

Her main priority was her family, home and garden. Her six grandchildren gave her great pleasure. She was preceeded by her oldest grandchild Ivan. She loved her television and cigarettes. She will be sadly missed by her family and friends.

Following rosary and prayers on Monday evening, led by Canon O'Mahoney P.P. the removal took place from Kiely's Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church where they were received and blessed on arrival by Canon O'Mahoney P.P., assisted by Fr. Cooney O.S.A.and followed by a large cortege of mourners.

The requiem Mass was celebrated on Tuesday morning by Fr. Cooney O.S.A., assisted by Fr. Lucey P.P., Aglish, also in attendance was Canon O'Connor P.E., Rev. Fr. T. O'Riordan

The lessons were read by Michelle and Trevor Hennessey (grandchildren), Catheriona Connery (grandniece) and the prayer of the Faithful by Lorraine and Ann Marie Hennessey (grandchildren). The offertory gifts were brought to the Altar by Mary Hennessey (daughter) and Kathleen Connery (niece) and Tom Hennessey (grandson).

After Mass, Eileen was taken to her final resting place in Aglish Cemetery in the presence of a large crowd who gathered to bid farewell to Eileen.

We offer sincere sympathy to her daughter Mary, son-in-law Noel, grandchildren Michelle, Trevor, Lorraine, Ann Marie and Tom, sister Rita Lenane, brother-in-law Willie Hallahan, sisters-in-law Joe Longs, Mary Brennan, Lena Keyes, Bridget O'Grady and Peg Mc-Carroll, nephews, nieces. grandnephews and grandnieces and her carer Pat Power, relatives and friends. May she rest in peace.

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

LATE THERESA HARTY (NEE MOYNIHAN)

We learned with deep regret and sadness of the passing of Theresa Harty, Faha, Ring at the Mater Private Hospital, Dublin. Aged 65 years and predeceased by her husband Willie (Buster) her passing is deeply regretted by sons John. Liam, Raymond and Richie,

daughters Nora, Catherine, Marian, Bernie and Paula. sons-in-law Eamonn Foley, Pat O'Malley, daughters-inlaw Carol, Jo and Sinead, her grandchildren, other relatives and friends. Removal took place on Tuesday at 7 pm from her residence to Ring Church Funeral Mass will be celebrated this Wednesday at 11 o'clock with the interment in the New Cemetery, Ring.

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

LATE CATHERINE BARRON

With sadness we record the passing of Catherine Barron, Ballinamona, Old Parish, which sad event occurred on Sunday, 4th April. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Monday evening to Old Parish Church. Following funeral Mass on Tuesday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To her brother James, sisters Mary and Bridget and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

(Full obituary next issue).

(Funeral arrangements by Tom Drohan, Funeral Directors, Dungaryan).

LATE ANN MCGARRIGLE

With profound sorrow we record the passing of Anne McGarrigle, 6 Buttery Lane, Dungaryan which sad event occurred on Saturday, 3rd April. Removal from Drohan's Funeral Home this Wednesday morning to Old Parish Church. Following funeral Mass on Wednesday morning at 11 am burial will take place in the adjoining cemetery.

To her sons John and Noel and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

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

LATE LEO SAGE

With sadness we record the passing of Leo Sage, Ballingown, Villierstown which sad event occurred on Wednesday March 31st. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Wednesday evening to Aglish Church. Following funeral Mass on Thursday morning burial took place in the adjoining ceme-

To his sisters and relatives we extend our deepest sympa-

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

LATE NANCY GRAHAM (NEE CASEY)

With deep regret we record the passing of Mary Graham, Sarsfield St., Abbeyside and formerly Killineen. The Pike which sad event occurred on Saturday, April 3rd. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Sunday evening to Abbeyside Church. Following funeral Mass on Monday

morning burial took place in Garranbane Cemetery. To Peg. Mary and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

(Full obituary next issue). (Funeral arrangements by

Tom Drohan, Funeral Directors, Dungaryan)

LATE WILLIAM (WILLIE) WALSH



With deep sadness we record the death, in the loving care of his family, of Willie Walsh, at his residence 3 Jacknell Street (Park Tce), Dungarvan on Saturday, March 20th.

Born in Kilmacow, Co. Kilkenny, Willie attended St. Kieran's College, Kilkenny and went on to graduate in Dairy Science in U.C.C. Having spent a short time working with his father Dick in Kilmacow Creamery, Willie came to Dungarvan Creamery in 1945. From 1947 to 1995 he lived in Ballinroad, where he played an active role in the building and development of St. Lawrence's Parochial Hall and later on in the renovation of Ballinroad Church.

A quiet and gentle man of deep faith, Willie had but two commitments in life, his family and his work. For 40 years, he gave unstintingly of his time and his expertise to Waterford Co-op. He was, in many ways, a man before his time and his experience and knowledge in Energy Management was widely acknowledged and appreciated, to the extent that in the '70's he won an Energy Conservation Award for Waterford Co-op (now Glanbia). A shy and retiring man, the only reward he sought was that "things worked well"

He retired from Waterford Co-op in 1985 and spent the remaining years with his family, passing on to his grandchil-

dren his love of nature and quest for knowledge. A staunch Kilkenny man to the end, his loyalty to his county led to many good humoured differences of opinion when it came to the clash of the ash!

After reposing at his home on Sunday the remains were removed to St. Mary's Parish Church and were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Liddane., brother-in-law, Canon O'Mahoney P.P., Fr. Sleator, Fr. Moran O.S.A., Fr. O'Donnell O.S.A., Fr. Lloyd, Fr Ryan, Fr. Nugent and Fr. Cullinan and followed by a large cortege of mourners.

Following requiem Mass on Monday morning celebrated by Fr. Ray Liddane, assisted by Fr. Desmond, Fr. Creed Fr. Enright, Fr. Lloyd, Fr. Waldron, Fr. Boyle, Fr. Cooney. Fr. O'Connor, Waterford, interment took place in the adjoining cemetery again in the presence of a large gathering.

Lessons were read by grandchildren Orla and Billy. Prayer of the Faithful were by Sr. Xavier (niece), grandchildren Grainne, Mary, Conor and Clare. Offertory gifts were brought up by Aoife and John (grandchildren). Music was by Dina Walsh.

Chief mourners were wife Sally, children Michael, Elizabeth, David and Raymond, sister Josie, grandchildren. daughters-in-law Monica, Ursula and Luna, brother-in-law Fr. Ray, sisters-in-law Pauline. Claire and Jo, nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Things remembered is grief forgotten"

(Funeral arrangements by Tom Drohan, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

LATE VERA ALLEN (NEE MURPHY)

It was with deep shock when the news broke throughout the community of the untimely death of Vera Allen (nee Murphy), of Moord and Glenmore at St. James Hospital, Dublin on the 19th March. She was the youngest daughter of the late William and Eileen Murphy, (RIP), Glenmore, Dungarvan.

We offer our sincerest sympathies to her husband Seamus, her brothers, sisters. brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, father and mother-in-law, uncles, nephews, nieces and

(Full obituary next week). (Funeral arrangements by

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Touraneena Notes

Caroline Cliffe Richard Lonergan Memorial Pool Tournament

The semi finals of the above will take place in Dunfords this Saturday night with the first game scheduled for 8.15 p.m.

The final will take place on Saturday week, April 17th at 8.30 p.m. Once again all proceeds from the tournament will go towards church funds. Anybody who wants to make a donation can do so by contacting Maurice Cliffe, David Lonergan or Brendan Tobin.

Captain Jack O'Mara Touraneena Fianna Fail Cumann

The A.G.M. of the above was held in the Community Centre, Touraneena recently. A large crowd attended which included Minister Martin Cullen T.D., Senator Brendan Kenneally, James Tobin M.C.C., Kevin Wilkinson M.C.C., Nuala Ryan M.C.C., Pat Leahy M.C.C., Pat Daly, M.C.C., Bernard Leddy T.C. and Peter Ahearne, Chairman Chomhairle Ceanntair. Chairman Michael Quinlan welcomed the large crowd and introduced the guests. The main speaker was Minister Martin

The following officers were elected, Hon. Presidents Michael McCarthy, Bob Keane, and Tommie Condon. Chairman Michael Quinlan, Vice-Chairman Mossie Cliffe; Secretary Brendan Tobin; Ass. Secretary Tomas Condon, Jt. Treasurers Tomas O'Mara and Declan Kiely; Youth Officer Royco Ware.

Delegates to Comhairle Ceantaair Brendan Tobin, Tomas O'Mara, Michael Quinlan.

Membership for the coming year is 5 euro. The Cumann would like to thank all our guests especially Minister Cullen who made time to attend in his busy schedule.

Charity Auction

The charity auction held in Dunfords last Saturday night was a great success. The three male auctioneers Ned Ryan, Mossie Cliffe and Declan Kiely did a fantastic job. The lady auctioneer Betty Condon who was auctioning for the first time was also fantastic. The surprise auctioneer was Fr. C. Kelleher P.P. who surprised the audience with his auctioneering talent.

However, there could only be one winner and a very deserving winner was Mossie Cliffe who was crowned 'King of the Auctioneers 2004'. Mossie was presented with his crown which he regally wore.

We would like to thank all who donated items, the audience who were very generous, the MC Catherine Hennebry and all the auctioneers who volunteered their time and thanks to Mary Dunford for the use of the premises and to Betty. Alice, Kitty, Ann and Teresa who helped organise the night.

Charity Walk

The annual sponsored walk for charity is being held this year on Saturday, May 1st. The walk will be shorter this year and will commence at Bearys Cross at 11 a.m. and finish at the Master McGrath monument. Tea, sandwiches and refreshments will be served to all walkers. Sponsorship cards are now available from Alice Burke | nt result. They then travelled to

or any at the committee members. Proceeds are in aid of the Touraneena Youth Development Project, St. Francis Ward, Dungarvan and The Waterford Kidney Association. All are

Lourdes

A fundraising night will be held in Dunfords Bar on Easter Sunday night in aid of the Lourdes fund. Music by Frances Whelan, please sup-

Daffodil Day

648.50 euro was raised by Kitty Cullinan, Kitty says a big thank you to the local shops and pubs and all who supported the cause

800 Euro Raised For **Third World**

For the fourth year in a row, the fifth and sixth class pupils in St. Mary's Touraneena National School organised an annual bring and buy saleamongst their fellow pupils and a tea/coffee morning which the people of the area were invited to last week.

The idea behind the annual fundraisers is to raise enough money to send a goat to a family in Tanzania in East Africa through the Bóthar na nGabhar programme and if any money over and above what is needed is collected, the excess money would be presented to Fr. Kelleher and sent off to Trocaire with the rest of the money collected in the parish.

This year a total of 800 euro was collected. 300 euro has been sent to the Bóthar offices in Limerick, the remaining 500 euro will be presented to Fr. Kelleher on this Thursday evening during the Mass of the Lords Supper by a pupil in the

A big thanks must go to all who helped in any way in raising such a large sum of money. First and foremost a big thanks should go to the fifth and sixth class pupils for organising the two fundraisers. Thanks to those who sent cakes to the school for the Coffee Morning, to those who visited the school on the day of the Coffee Morning, to those who bought raffle tickets and those who supplied prizes for the raffle. Thanks also to those who sent donations to the school. Thanks to the parents of the school children who gave up their time to help out on the Tea/Coffee day.

Sliabh gCua Lotto

Weekending, April 4th. The winning numbers were 10, 11, 12. There was no jackpot winner. The new jackpot of 300 euro will be held in Dunfords next Sunday, 11th April.

20 euro winners were Bob Keane, Abbey Sauvage and Declan Kiely. Promoters prize of 15 euro went to J. P. Walsh.

45 Card drive Good Friday at 8.30 p.m.

Naomh Brid GAA **Club Notes Under Western 14's** Hurling

They have played two games in this competition and in both games the opposition proved too strong. Their first game was against the Brickeys and their second game was against Lismore. They have one game left against Clashmore on Bank Holiday Monday.

Panel of players: Eanna Power, Eoin Dunford, Dermot Tobin, John Barron, Eamon Flynn, Jamie Troy, Peter Moloney, Sean Brown, David Crowther, Robbie Buckley, Gavan Whelan, Patrick O'-Donovan, Michael Phelan, Cormac Condon, Garry Power and Tommy Dunphy.

Just a reminder families who have not paid membership to the club can still pay it, it is not too late. Membership is 10 euro per person or 20 euro per family. This can be paid to Brendan Tobin or Carmel O'Neill or any committee member, we will also welcome people from the community who may not have any members of their family playing to become a member.

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CARDS RESULTS

1st April 1 Pat O'Connor and Stephen Cunningham. 2nd and 3rd Pa Geoghegan and Pad Walsh. Jo Lineen and Nellie Brackett. Best of last 5 Mickey Barry and Mick Morrissey. Lucky tables Kathleen Coleman and Jackie Houlihan. Mary Whelan and Pat Kirby. Raffle Joe Roche x 2, Kathleen Coleman and Tony McGrath. No cards this week because of Holy Week Ceremonies.

GAA LOTTO RESULTS

Numbers drawn 30th March. 2-4-7-13. No jackpot winner. 15 euro winners as follows: Nigel Barry, Midleton. Jim Walsh, Ballyduff; Adrian Meagher. Jackpot this week 2425 euro.

CORRECTION

In last weeks notes, the winning numbers for 23rd March were 4-7-11-13 instead of 1-7-11-13 which was correct and appeared on all posters. Sorry if it caused confusion.

HURLING LEAGUE

Our first game in the hurling league saw us on a four point defeat by Tramore. The next league game is at home against Brickey's on Sunday 25th April.

DEISE DRAW

We had one winner in the first draw, Ml. And Breda Clancy won 100 euros. The club wants to thank everyone who joined this year and also to the co-ordinators for their effort.

BALLYSAGGART LADIES CLUB

There is a meeting of the Ladies Club in the Community Centre on Wednesday 14th April at 8.30 pm. All members requested to attend.

SELF HELP

Carmel Hale is travelling to Ethiopia in October with Self Help for 12 days. In order to go she had to raise 4,440 euro. There are 6 governing bodies

4,440. These include the European Union, Irish Aid, CAFOD (British Trocaire) The Dutch Reform Trust, and the German Trust. Therefore she will have raised over 18,000 for Self Help.

She held a fundraising 45 Drive in Meaghers Bar on Monday, 22nd March, a good crowd turned out on the night and she would like to say thank you very much for your support. Also thanks to those who could not be there on the night but still supported, and thank you to Brendan Meagher for overseeing the game on the

Winners: Tommy Veale and Catherine Brown who played sub for Dan Lenihan. 2nd Billy Devine and Carmel Hale who played sub for Donal Fennessy.

Raffle: 1st Paul Hale - Easter Egg. 2nd Brian Kearney (Araglin) Whiskey. 3rd Declan Carey - Wine. 4th Akram Hanna - Easter Egg.

Again thank you to everybody who supported.

With money still to raise there are two more upcoming events. The Cappoquin Social Dancing Club which is run by Mar- bers welcome.

who will double 80% of the garet Fitzgerald and Sheila Brown are holding a fundraising dance on Sunday 16th May at 9.30 pm in the Boathouse, Cappoquin. Music by Batty Prendergast. Tickets are 5 euro and can be obtained from Carmel Hale, Margaret Fitzgerald, or at the door on the night.

The second fundraising event is a sponsored walk with Carmel and Friends walking from Affane Cross to Ballysaggart on Friday evening, 4th June. If you would like to take part in the walk, you are more than welcome to do so and can obtain a sponsor card from Carmel. If you do not feel like walking and would like to support there will be sponsorship cards at Meagher's or Sean Roches. The walk will be finished with a night of music and craic in Meaghers Bar. Your support for the above events would be greatly appreciated. Many thanks from Carmel.

COMMUNITY FESTIVAL

The Ballysaggart Community Festival Committee are holding a meeting on Wednesday April 14th at 9 pm in the Community Centre. All committee members are asked to attend. New mem-

MODELIGO NOTES

Congratulations to Anthony Reddy, Brooklodge, who won last weeks jackpot of €750. Well played Anthony! His lucky numbers were 6, 18 and 25. This means we have a jackpot of €300 for Easter Saturday's draw, so get those tickets in soon. The Easter Bunny may even have a few extra surprises for anyone with a ticket in the drum.

€15 Winners: John Foley, Claddagh; Mickie Power, Snr., Graiguemore; Mick Hennebry, Cappoquin; Thomas Foran, Eagle Hill and Noel Nugent, Clashmore

COMMUNITY ALERT NOTICE

A service repair engineer will be visiting the parish soon to carry out repairs on Care Phone Units. We ask anyone who may have these units to check they are in working order and if not to let Phil Kearns, Scart, (058) 68212, know if they require attention. There may also be some units in homes that are no longer being used and if these could be handed back they can be reissued.

Care phone units come with either a wrist watch or chain and in the case of the user needing assistance, a button is pressed which alerts a 24 hour service, who in turn alert the family of the user. A great service which offers peace of mind for those who live alone.

EASTER CEREMONIES MODELIGO:

Holy Thursday: Mass 7:30pm Good Friday: Stations of the Cross 3:00pm; Celebration of The Lord's Passion

7:30pm.

Holy Saturday: Service of Light and Easter vigil 9:00pm. Easter Sunday: Mass 10:45am

AFFANE:

Holy Thursday: Mass 8:15pm

Good Friday: Stations of the Cross 3:00pm; Celebration of The Lord's Passion 8:15pm.

Holy Saturday: Service of Light and Easter vigil 9:00pm. Easter Sunday: Mass 10:00am.

HAPPY EASTER

Wishing all our friends and family, at home and away, a very happy and holy Easter. Hope the Easter Bunny finds you and brings lots of Easter eggs! READERS WANTED

Can you spare five minutes, once every six to eight weeks, to read the word of The Lord at Mass? We are looking for new people to join our reading rota that has been established in the parish for many years. In particular we would encourage adults to take an interest. You can contact Noreen O'Brien for details.

MELLERAY NOTES

G.A.A. NOTES Scór

The last two weeks have been hectic with two Scór finals taking place, one in Templemore and the other in Touraneena.

Scór Sinsear

and supporters travelled to Templemore for the Munster final. Their Novelty Act 'A Man For All Seasons' represented Waterford in this competition. The six competitors did their club and county proud providing hilarious comedy throughout their sketch. They are to be congratulated on their outstanding performance. They include: Pat Hennessy, Pat Fitzgerald, Niall Hennessy, Eilish McGlone, Sean Murphy and

Tony McGlone. Scór na bPáistí

The first round of Scór na bPáistí took place in Melleray on Sunday, March 28th. Melleray competed in seven sections and qualified in six, an excelel-

Touraneena on Sunday last (April 4th) with the usual entourage of loyal supporters and all competitors again gave an excellent account of themselves in all competitions. In the Western final congratulations to all On Saturday, March 27th the Senior Novelty Act competitors They did their parents, club and supporters proud. Competitors in Scór na bPáistí as follows:

Figure dancing/Set dancing: Caitriona McGlone, Shauna Kearns, Laura Duggan, Clare O'Brien, Kate McConnell, Aoife Cahillane, Aoife Power.

Solo singing: Laura Duggan. Recitation: Pat Fitzgerald. Ballad Group: Mary Byrne, Caitriona McGlone, Gearóid Byrne, Sarah McGlone, Laura

Ouiz: Diarmuid Nugent, Gary Kett, Pat Fitzgerald. Novelty Act: Daniel Bray,

Duggan.

Laura Duggan, Mark Power, Gary Kett, Pat Fitzgerald, Joseph Fitzgerald, Rebecca Hennebry, Diarmuid Nugent.

We now look forward to the County final which will take place on Saturday, May 8th and wish the very best of luck to the finalists Cards

Friday, March 26th Raffle -1st: Anthony O'Rourke; 2nd:Jimmy Coffey; 3rd: Eddie Byrne.

Cards results: Divided by Joe Power, Billy Houlihan, Peg Murray, Maura Murray, Tom Duggan, Mike McGrath.

Lucky tables: Mattie Coffey, Mike Ormonde, Mary Power, Ger Power, Peggy Kelly, Nora Lonergan.

Friday, April 2nd

Raffle - 1st: Peg Murray; 2nd: Jim Tobin; 3rd: Noel Hen-

Cards - 1st and 2nd: Roger McCarthy, Jim Tobin, Mary Power, Jackie Houlihan; 3rd: Peg Murray, Mary Fitzgerald, Phil Duffy, Viv Uniacke.

Lucky tables: Mattie Coffey, Mike Ormonde, Carmel Kirwan, Eileen Kelly, Kathleen Coleman, Ed Byrne.

Cards again as usual next Friday night.

Winder Hems Winde

This has been a very busy and successful week in the Ard Scoil Junior certs. The Junior certs have had their Music and Home Economic exams while the Leaving Certs, had Choir and Oral Irish exams. Indeed, the Music department had a hectic week, beginning with Junior Cert. exams and finishing on Friday with Choir and Orchestra exams.

Choirs

On Friday, 26th March the TY, 5th & 6th year choir took part in the Department of Education Choir Exam. The Choirs sang a selection of religious and show stopper songs. Great commitment and spirit was shown by all involved and teacher, Miss Whelan was delighted with all the girls involved. A big thanks to Mrs. G. Morrissey for excellent accompaniment and work throughout the year.

We wish good luck to Ms. Whelan whose wedding took place on Monday in Rome. Best wishes for the future to Marie and Brendan. She ended her busy day on Friday with a surprise party organised by the students and set out in style that afternoon in a colourfully decorated car!!

Parent's Council Supper Dance

This very successful event took place on Friday, 19th March in Lawlors Hotel. A choice of main courses was provided by the hotel and the 19 hosts/hostesses produced fabulous deserts. Cream for same was sponsored by Glanbia. The confined draw for the hosts/hostesses was won by Mrs. Helen Kiely. The array of raffle prizes was sponsored by parents, teachers and local businesses, to whom we are very grateful. Lively music for the night was supplied by Jim and Geraldine. A great night was had by all raising €4492 profit which goes towards the benefit of Ard Scoil girls in updating and replacing facilities within the school. The draw for those who purchased tickets, but were unable to attend on the night, took place in the Ard Scoil on Wednesday, 24th March and was won by Mrs. Angela Foley (Hamper) and Mr. Tom Cunningham (Easter Egg). We are very grateful to everyone who made this night so successful.

ARD SCOIL GIRLS CLAIM ALL IRELAND MOUNTAIN RUNNING CHAMPIONSHIPS

The foothills of the Dublin Mountains proved to be a happy hunting ground for the Ard Scoil as they captured two All Ireland titles on Wednesday last.

In the Junior girls event, Shona Curran took the individual bronze not far behind in 9th place was Sinead Kiely who has had a great season in her first year cross country running. Next home for the Ard Scoil were Elma Nugent and Julia Buest with their combined score of 36 points they took the team title from Colaiste de hlde, Tallaght . The team was completed by Niamh O'Riordan (14), Jenny Hurley (17) and Stacey Lyons (21).

In the Senior event, Sinead Crotty ran her best race ever to finish in 2nd behind the Munster Champion, Sara Flavin was in great form also and finished 5th and with Aisling O'Connell (8) and Jenny Mulcahy (9) they easily took the team title. Other members of the team were Colleen Hayes (10), Kim Coates

(11) and Mary Ryan (18). World Bronze Medalist presents medals

The highlight of the day for the Ard Scoil girls was their meeting with David Gillick who was a member of the Irish Men's team who took the bronze medal in the 4x400m relay at the second World Championships

Best of luck to Shona

Staff and students all wish Shona Curran the best of luck as she competes for Ireland in Scotland next weekend.

CAMOGIE

Last Monday, our Junior Camogie team beat Loreto, by one point to advance to the semi-final of the league. Well done to Ms. Pickering and her team.

BADMINTON

A group of 12 students travelled to Loreto, Clonmel, with Ms. Neylin for a set of friendly matches. A good time was had by all. Badminton is available after school on Wednesdays in the

TY PUBLIC SPEAKERS

Good luck to TY speakers Mary Ryan, Maeve Simons and Deborah Whelan who travel to Croke Park on Thursday to contest the All Ireland Final of the "Dear Hector" competition. The forum was transferred to Croke Park as the EU Presidency is using the State Rooms of Dublin Castle. Full report next week.

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

SOUTH EAST HOCKEY U-14 CUP SEMI-FINAL St. Declan's 1

Kilkenny College 2

the cup last Friday when we day trip in Kilfinane after the travelled away to Kilkenny. From the whistle we adapted quickly to the astro-turf and played a very good game. Both teams had equal possession with ing, rock-climbing, ab-sailing, Kilkenny College opening the orienteering, archery, team score with a superb shot from challenges etc. top of the circle. Two minutes later a long ball from Joyce Lawlor to Lisa Power found Roisin Hickey to score from an acute angle on the left wing to equalise.

The second half was a tough battle from two very good sides, nothing between them. Excellent defending by J. Lawlor, G. Hayes, A. Kirwan and L. Power pumping plenty of ball up to our midfielders - C. Power, S. Casey and A. O'Connell giving us plenty of chances up front. Up front C. Cunningham was a huge threat on Kilkenny's defence getting in behind them on many occasions. In the dying seconds of the game Kilkenny College scored from a cross from the right winger for the centre forward to net.

An excellent game by two good sides and best of luck to Kilkenny in the final.

Panel: M. O'Connell, J Lawlor, L. Power, A. Kirwan, G. Hayes, A. O'Connell, C. Power, S. Casey, R. Hickey, R. Daly, C. Cunningham, L. Keane, J. Murphy, E. Brazil, M. Meares.

EQUESTRIAN

All-Ireland Inter Schools Show Jumping is coming up May 1st. Many students have come forward to represent the school and compete on the day. Anyone else who has interest please give in name a.s.a.p. as training will be taking place.

JUMP FOR JOY

4,000 has been raised for 'Our Lady's Hospital for Sick Children". After Easter all students who raised money for this worthy cause will take part in a treasure hunt and sports day around Kilmacthomas

RIVER CANOEING

Council enjoyed a days canoeing in Graiguenamanagh last Monday. Some students seemed M. de Paor (1-3), S. Aherne, D. to enjoy being out of the canoe more than being in!! Photos Subs: E. Houlihan, G. O'Donshould be available after Easter. nell, C. Hennessy.

TRANSITION YEAR **OUTDOOR PURSUITS**

A large group of T.Y. students We played the third round of will be taking part in a three Easter holidays. We leave Wednesday 21st early and return Friday 23rd in the evening. The trip will consist of: canoe-

MUNSTER SCHOOLS ORIENTEERING

All students involved in orienteering, it will take place 22nd April in Kilsheelan. Please ensure your name is on sports board. Only those who qualified in the Counties will be participating.

U-15 HURLING MUNSTER QUARTER FINAL

St. Declan's 4-6 Carrignavar 1-8

St. Declan's turned in another marvellous performance to win this quarter final game played at Youghal.

Missing Captain Tomas Casey, the Kilmac' side dug in deep and battled hard to deservedly reach the quarter fi-

St. Declan's played with the wind in the first half, and despite missing a number of chances led by four points at half-time thanks to goals by B. Power and D. Veale.

Against the wind in the second half St. Declan's showed their courage. Carrignavar thundered into the game but were kept at bay by an excellent defence led by goalie T. Condon and Captain D. Mooney. Eventually St. Declan's raised the siege, and broke away for opportunist goals by M. de Paor and P. Casey to make the game safe.

St. Declan's now advance to the semi final to play.

Best for St. Declan's: D. Mooney, C. Buckley, C. Casey, B. Power, M. de Paor and D.

Team: T. Condon, P. Morris-Our LCA class and Students sey, D. Mooney (0-1), E. Coffey, C. Aylward, C. Buckley, P. Kirwan, C. Casey, P. Cummins, B. Power (1-1), P. Casey (1-0), Veale (1-1), B. Gallagher (0-1).

Blackwater Community School Notes



Presentation to Vanessa Hannon on the forthcoming tour to New York by the Booley House - From Left John Heneghan, Vanessa Hannon, Brian Buckley, Thomas Hyland, Booley House and Principal Denis Ring



Pictured with school principal are those who will travel to New York with the Booley House tour are Claire Barry, Vanessa Hannon, Lisa Daly, Niall Ahearne and Maurice Geary.

Under 14 Hurlers triumph in Ring

Our under 14 Hurling side travelled to Ring this week to play the local school side in the hurling league. The Blackwater School team were always in command of this match and came away winners on the day with a final scoreline of BCS 10-12 Ring 1-0. Well done to all.

CIT Exhibition

The fifth and sixth year students travelled to CIT, Cork last week to visit an exhibition held by the Engineering department. The exhibition outlined all the various courses of study offered in the area of engineering.

Exam Practicals

Well done to our junior and leaving cert students who have of their certificate exams in the to all four students.

last week. The third years have completed practical work in Home Economics and Music while the sixth years had oral exams in Irish and French followed by practical exams in music.

Booley House Tour

Wishing best of luck to those students and staff of the school who will spend part of their Easter holidays in New York as part of the Booley House Tour. This renowned group depart next week to fulfil a number of engagements state-side and included amongst its performers are Claire Barry and Niall Ahearne 1st year, Vanessa Hannon 5th year and Lisa Daly 6th year. On Thursday Vanessa received a presentation from her fellow fifth year students and on Friday school principal Mr finished the practical elements Denis Ring made a presentation

The next disco will take place on Saturday, 17th April. Admission 7e. doors open at 8:30pm. Hall rules strictly apply. No alcohol and no smoking.

Birthday Greetings

Congratulations to Philip Noonan who celebrated his birthday last Saturday night with family and friends in Dunphy's Bar Kill. Wishing you many, many more.

St. Anne's Ladies Football Training

Every Saturday morning in the Dunhill GAA grounds at 11am sharp. All ages to attend.

Easter Ceremonies

Masses on Monday and Tuesday 5th and 6th at 9:30am.

Wednesday 7th in Saleen at 7:30pm. Holy Thursday Mass in Saleen at 7pm. Evening Mass of the last supper in Kill on Holy Thursday at 8:30pm. Good Friday - Stations of the Cross in Saleen at 3pm and Liturgy of the Passion in Kill at 8:30pm.. Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil Mass in Kill at 9pm. Easter Sunday -Mass in Saleen at 9:30am and Kill at 10:30am. Confessions before and after the celebrations on Holy Thursday and Good Friday. Fr. Callinan can be contacted at his home on 051-292212,

Confirmation

The boys and girls of Kill N.S. received the sacrament of Confirmation in the Church of All

Saints, Newtown on the 30th March. The weather stayed good for the occasion which made it a joyful experience for all. Bishop Lee assisted with the ceremonies by Fr. Bill Callinan C.C. Kill and Fr. Jack Callinan, Kilmacthomas. The following is a list of names who received the sacrament.

Kill N.S.: Patrick Bagge, Kate Boland, Nichola Boland, Damien Burns, Aoife Dunphy, Ciara Dwane, Lorraine Dunphy, Bill Gaule, Ciaran Hearn, Aoife Mooney, Tina Mulcahy, Caleb McDonagh, Ian Roche, Kieran

Kilmacthomas: Natalie Brown, Kavan Dee, Laura Dowdall, Rebecca Fitzgerald, Shauna Gal- Jack.

lagher, Laura Griffin, Jonathan Joy, Nathasha Joy, Patrick Kiersey, Bridget Murphy, Samantha Mansfield, Danika O'Connell, Ann Marie O'Reilly, Katie Power, Leanne Power, Martin Power, Rhyse Quinn, Amanda Walsh, Eoin Walsh, Niall Walshe, Lorna Whelan.

Newtown: Richard Crowley, Ann Dunphy, Jack Dunphy, Tom Hill, Patrick Kiersey, Caroline O'Brien, John O'Brien, Chloe O'Neill, Anita Veale, Declan Veale. Knockmahon: William Harney and Rebecca Whelan.

Congratulations

To Ray and Mags Hennessy on the recent birth of a baby boy,

Colligan Clean Up

Wooden Bridge at 10am on Easter Monday Morning

The Colligan Clean Up crew will get together on Easter Monday morning at 10.00am at the Wooden Bridge over the Colligan River. We'll be at it again for 2 hours.

The first year along the Colligan, we had 11 people. Last year the number built to 37. We were able to clean along the river walk, the forestry roads and on local roads as far as Colligan Church and Coolnasmear School. The Clonmel Road, the Kilgobnet - Coolnasmear Road and a number of other local boreens also got a good going over.

So far its been a right neighbourly get-together and surprisingly fun. A couple of hours in the morning sees a lot of good accomplished. Gloves and bags provided.

Please join us. For more information, contact Scott Simons at 058-44265

BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

Nire Valley Fisheries Associations A.G.M.

The Annual General Meeting of Nire Valley Fisheries Association took place the Oriel Lounge Bar, Ballymacarbry on Monday night, 29th March. There was a large attendance present, the meeting opened with Chairman Thomas Kelly welcoming all those present and thanking them for their support during the past year. Secretary James O'Loughlin gave a detailed report of the last A.G.M. of the club and a general report of the activity of the club during the past year which were few, the major event was the re-stocking of the Nire river, another event of the club was the Annual Walk which took place on June 27th where they took in a tour of the Highlands of the beautiful Nire valley. During the year some sad events took place with the passing of James O'Brien, St. Martin's Place, Dr. Jim Molloy, Tramore and Brian Jones, Knockaun the club wish to tender their sympathy to the families of the deceased, who were loyal members of the club. Beannacht de lena h-anam.

The club would like to thank Tony Doocey and his family for the use of his premises for meetings of the club, they also thanked the 'Dungarvan Leader' and the local reporter Tom Walsh for the space allotted to the club during the past year and to remind the public that their sponsored walk will take place on the 29th June. With all the officers thanked for their work during the past year, the election of officers for the coming year took place:

Chairman: Thomas Kelly; Vice Chairman: Joe Kennedy; Secretary: James O'Loughlin; Asst. Treasurer: Larry Fahey; Treasurer: Michael Prendergast; Safety officer: John Lafford; Youth officer: Michael Carey; P.R.O.: James O'Loughlin.

Sean Tracey Becomes Freeman Of Clonmel

Former Ceann Comhairle Sean Tracey, one of Clonmel's most distinguished citizens, was given the towns highest honour last week when he was conferred with the Freedom of the Borough. Twice Mayor of Clonmel and three times Chairman of South Tipperary County Council, the veteran politician now joins a select group of Freemen that includes Presidents of Ireland and other luminaries. And he received congratulations from a very famous figure when former US President Bill Clinton wrote personally to mark the occasion, having been alerted to the event by the U.S. Embassy in Dublin through Cllr. Niall Dennehy.

Mr. Tracey welcomed the then President to the Houses of the Oireachtas some years ago. Mr. Clinton said congratulations on receiving the Freedom of the Borough honour from the Clonmel Borough Council.

You can be proud of your contributions to the people of Clonmel, to Dail Eireann, and, indeed many years of distinguished public service. As you reflect upon your accomplishments and celebrate with family and friends, you can take personal satisfaction in what you have added to Ireland's history. Hillary and I wish you good health and every future happiness". That set the tone for last Thursdays ceremony in the Town Hall, Clonmel, with the Mayor, Alderman Phil Prendergast, saying the Freedom of Clonmel was being conferred on Mr. Tracey in recognition of his remarkable political contribution and his dedicated service to the state in his role of Ceann Comhairle. He had upheld the best and noblest traditions of the Premier county as a public representative, with unsullied public service. His remarkable career spanned five decades and he conscientiously represented his town, county and country with great distinctions the Mayor said.

Peaks Mountaineering Club

In lovely walking weather Tommy Carney led the 10:30am walk, they started from the Nire Car park and went into the Coumalocha and up the nose. After a little break it was on to the Sean Beann and Knockaunapeebra. Fas Coum was the next on the list and then on to Coumshingaun, Tommy then turned back for the Boolas and the Blind valley. Dropping to the track from the Nire to the gap it was a nice walk back to the cars. All the walkers enjoyed themselves in lovely walking weather. Kevin Bowen led the 12:30pm walk, starting from Boolabrien he led his charger, on to the open mountain. With 19 walkers and a pleasant day, Kevin went from spot height to spot heights, keeping the Nire to his right. When they reached Lacknafrankee, they turned towards the town and Longhill. Working his way to the Lodge and Glenary stream and back to the cars, he had covered a distance of 14 kilometres in a time of four and a half hours. On the walk they came across the mixed herd of Deer containing Sika and Red Deer. There were about fifteen deer in the herd. Congratulations to the club members who completed the second part of the Mountain skills course last weekend. Nineteen members are undergoing training at present, and will be tested on the 8th/9th May on the mountains by independent assessors Gerry Tracey and Greg Kenny who have done trojan work in running the course which is one of the best

Easter Church Ceremonies

Easter Church ceremonies at St. Laurences Parish Church, Fourmilewater.

Holy Thursday ceremonies at 8pm.

Good Friday Stations of the Cross at 3pm and 8pm.

Easter Sunday ceremonies at 8pm.

Fourmilewater Hurling Club 45 Results

1st 9 games: Nellie Nugent and Leis Doran, Newcastle; 2nd 8 games: Jimmy Quinn and Billy Carroll, Clonmel.

Lucky games: Jim Cliffe, Tourancena and Paddy (Tyler) Walsh, Ballymacarbry; Jocie O'Gorman and Sean Barrett, Ardfinnan.

No card game on Good Friday night. Cards again Friday, 17th April.

LOTTO

Numbers drawn 1-7-10. One winner – Philomena Byrne, Newcastle. Jackpot this week €300

Jobs Shock At Fair Oak Foods

107 workers were laid off by Fair Oak Foods, the Clonmel Meat factory in a shock announcement last Friday. The company announced what it described as the seasonal shutdown of its slaughtering and deboning operations on Friday with immediate effect. The directors of the company said in a statement that the shutdown was likely to remain in place until the beginning of the peak, slaughtering season in mid-August.

"The annual shutdown was initiated due to reduced cattle availability and resultant slaughtering over capacity in the Irish beef irdustry" they added. Nicholas Parker of S.I.P.T.U. the union which represents 55 of the workers at Fair Oak Foods said that workers were extremely angry at the way the news had been communicated to them with no notice. S.I.P.T.U. did not accept that the company didn't know about the closure before Friday, he said. The last time the plant shut down for a seasonal period, workers were given the option at travelling to Fair Oak Foods plant in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow, but that choice was not on offer this occasion. Fair Oak Foods said 107 staff, 42 of them non nationals and 36 of them contractors would be affected by the shutdown, 17 staff would be retained in order to ensure an orderly start up in

Kilmanahan Are Crowned Champions

On Sunday last Kilmanahan United F.C. became a Division 2 T.S.D.L. League champions when they played a 0-0 draw wit Saint Michael's (Tipperary) in Kilmanahan in front of a large crowd of supporters. Richard Power of the T.S.D.L. presented the cup to Kilmanahan's captain Bobby Power.

Main Guard Opened By Minister

Tom Parlon, T.D., Minister of State at the Department of Finance, with special responsibility for the Office of Public Works visited Clonmel on Thursday evening, 1st April to perform the opening of the main chamber of the Main Guard. The hands of the Main

EASTERWISHES

To the many readers of the 'Dungarvan Leader at home and overseas, we wish them a holy and a happy Easter. Also to the Editor and staff and to my kind neighbour who takes the Ballymacarbry news to the office each Monday.

— Tom Walsh (Ballymacarbry Correspondent).



It is with deep and sincere regret we record the death of Mr. John Conran, Baron Park, Clonmel which sad event took place at St. Theresas Hospital, Clogheen recently. His passing has created a void in the hearts of his loved ones. His wife and close knit family are devastated by their loss. A hard working family man, he was a wonderful husband and father.

Born in Graiguenamanagh, Co. Kilkenny, son of Jack and Bridie Conran, he was one of seven children, four girls and three boys. He joined the Army in 1940, he was subsequently stationed in Clogheen, where he was billeted in Shanbally Castle, which had been taken over at the time by the Minister of Defence. While in Clogheen he fell in love with Mary McGough whom he married in 1944. After the emergency he was transferred to Kickham Barracks, Clonmel, but he continued to reside in Clogheen, cycling back and forth each day. He moved to Clonmel in 1949 and they resided in William O'Brien Street for a few years before settling more than a half a century ago in Baron Park where they reared a family of thirteen, eight girls and five boys.

According to his daughter the Army was John's life, he loved it and the camaraderie attached to it. An orderly room Sergeant, he was on the administrative side in Kickham Barracks. He did a stint in the Congo in 1960. Retiring from the Army in 1972 having given more than three decades of loyal service he continued to keep in close touch with his former colleagues and was an active member of the O.N.E. up to his illness three years ago. Soldering, too, rubbed off on his sons, three of whom one time, having served in the Army, John (Jnr) served in the Congo, Andy in Cyprus and Fran in the Lebanon.

On leaving the Army he was employed for a decade or so by the prestigious firm of O'Donnell's Wool Merchants who had a thriving business in Market Street, for them he was a truck driver up and down the country. He was also a bar attendant at the Hideaway and at Jerry Moynihan's at race meetings. A great family man he loved to take the children to the seaside in his old A40. He also visited Mount Melleray Abbey and called to the Cats where he enjoyed the session there.

A united couple John and Mary went everywhere together, the highlight of their travels being Rome where they celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary in 1994 and where they received the Papal Blessing in St. Peter's Square. Lourdes was very special to them and they made pilgrimages there on four occasions, the last one being in 2002.

A very religious person, John and Mary used to attend the 1pm Mass each day. He was a lover of sport and a follower of Clonmel town with whom his son Cyril won a F.A.I. Junior Cup medal. Some five years ago he had a set back in his health, but he continued to get out and about and enjoy a pint at Carey's.

Sadly following a stroke recently he was removed to St. Theresas Hospital, Clogheen where after some weeks there he passed to his reward. His remains were removed to S.S. Peter and Paul's Parish Church, Clonmel where they were blessed and received by Rev. Canon Nicholas Power P.P., S.S. Peter and Paul's. On the following morning, requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his soul, the celebrant was Rev. Canon Nicholas Power P.P. Guards of Honour 2ere provided by O.N.E. and the Army and his coffin was draped with the tricolour. The funeral took place to. St. Patrick's Cemetery where he was laid to rest. Canon Power P.P. officiated at the graveside in the presence of another large concourse of mourners, paying their final respects to a Christian friend whose memory they will treasure. To his wife, sons, daughters and his many relatives we extend our sympathy.

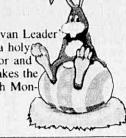
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SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to the McCarthy family, Graignagower and the Power family, Deerpark and the Kennedy family, Graignagower on the death of their cousin David Stapelton, Hymenstown, New Inn, the son of the late David Stapleton and Peggy (nee Donnelly), Glenagat, New Inn.

On Saturday evening his remains were removed to the Parish Church, New Inn and after a requiem Mass on Sunday he was laid to rest in the family plot in the adjoining cemetery.

A chroi ro Naomfa dean trocaire air.



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Away in the beautiful land, with God,

In a valley of peace so fair, Some day, some time, dear father.

I will find you waiting there. I will know your voice in the heavenly crowd,

And your steps on the streets of gold.

And the same sweet smile on your face.

I knew in the days of old. Your memory is my greatest

treasure. Deep in my heart you will live forever.

(Always loved and dearly missed by your son Michael, Mandy, Shauna and Jamie, also sons Seamus and Liam).



BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE - Of my dear father Pat "Foggy" Walsh, late of 3

Kilrush Park, Dungarvan whose birthday occurs at this time, R.I.P.

Those of you who have a father.

Love him while you may, I only wish with all my heart, That mine was here today, I don't tell people anymore,

Just what you meant to me, Instead I cry my tears alone, When no one else can see, You often used to say to me, You'll miss me when I'm

gone, Believe me, Dad, I never knew.

That heartaches last so long, When I am sad and lonely. And everything goes wrong, I seem to hear you whisper,

Cheer up and carry on, So please look around your

garden, Lord. For a gentleman with a smile,

For that's my wonderful father,

He must stand out a mile. (We love and miss you terribly Dad, love always your daughter Deirdre, partner Denis, and grandchildren Patrick and Kloe).



BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE

- Of my dear husband Pat "Foggy" Walsh, late of 3 Kilrush Park, Dungarvan whose birthday occurs at this time. R.I.P. Mass offered on Sunday 25th April at 10 am at St. Joseph's Hospital

Dear husband, Too young to die, Too precious to lose. Precious people are very few. That's why Pat, there was

only one of you, That awful morning you left

Is always on my mind, And though I try to reason

No answers can I find, God must have known how much I'd hurt,

The day he made us part. When he took away my lovely husband,

He surely broke my heart. He must have had his rea-

A mystery still to me, He must have had a special place.

That no one else could fill, I miss your sunny nature, Your smiling, happy face, And no one else in the world, Could ever take your place, You'll never be forgotten, Pat, I'm sure you know that's true. You can't forget someone you love.

As much as I love you. One special person, One special face, Pat, no words, no verse, Can really say, What I feel on this your birth-

I want to tell you something,

Pat. So there won't be any doubt, You're so wonderful to think

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dren Craig and Michelle).

WALSH - Birthday Remembrance of my dear father Pat

I laugh, I joke, I play the part, but behind my smile is a broken

I wish that I could go back home, and find you waiting

GRANDAD

God called our grandad to his rest, and we were told it was for

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(From your loving daughter Valerie, son-in-law Mike, grandchil-

"Foggy" Walsh, late of 3 Kilrush Park, Dungarvan.

I wish that I could see you, Dad, sitting in your chair,

But wishing gets me nowhere, and loving is in vain,

So I just hold you in my heart, until we meet again.

I hide my tears when I speak your name,

But the ache in my heart is still the same,

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Her cremated remains will be received at St. Mary's Church, Touraneena on Easter Saturday evening, 10th April at 6.30 pm. Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Easter Sunday, 11th April at 12 noon followed by interment in the adjoining cemetery.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

LATE MAISIE PALMER

5 Keating Street Dungarvan

The family of the late Maisie Palmer wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them on their recent sad bereavement; to all those who attended the rosary, removal, funeral Mass and burial; those who sent Mass cards or floral tributes; to all those who called to the house, neighbours and friends; to the doctors, nurses and staff of Waterford Regional Hospital; Dr. Higgins and staff of Abbeyside Medical Centre; to the priests of St. Mary's Parish, Dungarvan; also to Fr. Geoghegan, sacristan and altar servers. Our thanks also to Drohans Funeral Home for being so helpful: to Minnies and staff for the catering. To all those who took part in Maisie's Funeral Mass a sincere thanks.

The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all your intentions.

Maisie's Month's Mind Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, 13th April at 7 p.m. in St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan

LATE MICHAEL WADE

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The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for all your

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South Terrace Dungarvan

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Twenty-seventh Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear father, John Crotty, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1977. Anniversary Mass on Easter Monday, April 12th at 10 am in St. Joseph's Hospital. Gone from our home that smil-

ing face,

The cheerful happy ways, The heart that won so many friends.

In bygone happy days;

He never failed to do his best, His heart was true and tender, He worked and toiled for those he loved.

And left us to remember. (Sadly missed by his son Willie, Nellie and family.)

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

Falling tears and aching hearts, Are things I have to bear, But losing you the way I did,

Will always seem unfair. There's much more to this verse.

Than just the words you see, It's filled with happy memories, Of days that used to be,

There is a daughter who loved

In a house where you used to A daughter who wanted to keep

But God willed it not to be.

Will all my father's friends who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Never forgotten by his loving daughter Pearl and family.)

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

Last night as I lay sleeping I saw my Dad once more,

We were sitting side by side, Like so many times before. And when I said don't go Dad.

You smiled at me and said, I haven't really left you,

Nor have I travelled far,

I have only gone before you, And left the door ajar. Too dearly loved ever

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

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

We think of you in silence, And often speak your name, How we would love to hear your

voice, And see you smile again. You may be out of sight, We may be worlds apart,

But you are always in our minds, And forever in our hearts.

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

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

These last few years without

Are the saddest I have known, I treasure every thought of

When I am all alone. There will always be a heartache,

And often a silent tear, But forever precious mem-

Of days when you were here. I want to tell you something, So there won't be any doubt, You are so wonderful to

But so hard to do without. (Never forgotten by Ann, Joe and family.)

think of,

CROTTY - Twenty-seventh Anniversary - In loving memory of our dear father, John Crotty, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 9,

Will those who think of him

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by his son Joseph.)

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

We sat beside your bedside, Our hearts were crushed and

We did our duty to the end. Till we could do no more.

In tears we watched you sinking. We watched you fade away,

And though our hearts were breaking.

We knew you could not stay. You left behind some aching hearts.

That loved you most sincere. We never shall and never will,

Forget you, father dear. For many years the family

Was closely linked together, But, oh that chain is broken

The main link gone forever. The sunshine of our happy home,

Must always clouded be, But Thou, O Lord, has sent this cross,

We bear it all for Thee. (Sadly missed by his loving daughter Eileen, granddaughter Maria, grandson John Paul and greatgrandson Craig.)

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

Beautiful thoughts of a father so dear,

Cherished forever with love sincere.

Dear is your memory, sweet is your name,

Close to our hearts you will always remain Will those who think of him

today. A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by your loving daughter Breda, Paddy

and family.)

BURKE - Thirty-eighth Anniversary - In loving memory of Jim Burke, late of St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on April 6, 1966. On his soul dear Jesus have mercy. R.I.P. Will those who think of Jim

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

ing brother and sisters).



COLBERT - First Anniversary - In loving memory of Jimmy Colbert, Knockalara, Cappoquin who died 8th April 2003. Aged 75 years. Will those who think of him

today. A little prayer to Jesus say. (From his sister Alice and

family). COFFEY Seventh Anniversary - In loving memo-

ry of Kathy Coffey, Gates, Old Parish, who died on the 2nd April 1997. R.I.P. Just a prayer from the family

who loved you, Just a memory fond and true.

In our hearts you will live for-Because we thought the world

of you. (Loved and remembered

always, by your husband Jimmy, daughters Breda, Kathleen, Marian and Bernie and grandchildren Aoife, Fergus and Cormac.)

COLEMAN - Twenty-ninth and Thirty Second Anniversaries -In loving memory of our dear father, Ned Coleman, who died on April 6th, 1975 and our dear mother, Bridget who died on April 12, 1972, both late of 31 Caseyville, Dungarvan. Masses offered.

(Always remembered by their loving sons and daughters).



DONNELLY Seventh Anniversary - In loving memory of our dear mother Elizabeth Donnelly, late of 3 Cloneety Tce., Dungarvan who died on April 9th, 1997.

A special day, another year, A loving thought, a silent tear, A little prayer to keep in touch.

With one we loved and miss so much. (Always remembered by your loving family).

DUGGAN - First Anniversary In loving memory of my dear wife, Mary Duggan, late McCarthyville, 13. Abbeyside, Dungarvan, who died on April 10, 2003. R.I.P. There is a woman in heaven.

Who is loved beyond compare.

That woman is my wife, So precious and so rare.

And kiss her smiling face, For she is someone no one

I think of her in silence, I often speak your name, But all I have are memo-

Your life was one of kindly deeds, A helping hand for others

needs,

Beautiful memories you left

You gave us all you had to give,

The greatest gift of all. (Sadly missed, always remembered, your loving husband John-Michael X).

In loving memory of Mary Duggan, late of McCarthyville, Abbeyside who died on 10th April 2003. R.I.P.

You were the best this world could hold.

Two helping hands, a heart of gold.

the end,

You died as you lived, every

Deep in our memory, Sweet is your name,

Close to our hearts, You will always remain.

(Always remembered by her sisters-in-law Anne and Bernie and husbands Thomas and Paddy and families, London).

 In loving memory of Mary Duggan (nee McCarthy), late of 13 McCarthyville, Abbeyside, whose anniversary occurs on April 10th.

never forget, Our thoughts go back, as they often do,

To the great memories we have of you,

There is a place within our hearts, That is forever kept for

you. (Always remembered from your sister-in-law Mai and family).

DUGGAN - First Anniversary - In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Mary late Duggan, of McCarthyville, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, who died on April 10th, 2003. R.I.P.

pered low,

Come with me Mam it's time to

And memories were a lane, I would find my way to heaven, And bring you home again. For no one knows the heartache,

That lies behind my smile, No one knows how many times.

I've broken down and cried. I want to tell you something Mam,

You're so wonderful to think about.

But so hard to live without, Take care of her Lord, As she takes her rest,

For she was one of the best.

DUGGAN - First Anniversary - Treasured memories of a dear mother and grandmother, Mary Duggan, late of McCarthyville, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, who died on April 10th, 2003. R.I.P.

Memories of a lifetime, Mam, Are wrapped up in my heart, Of happy times not long ago, Though now we are apart. Although we sadly miss you, Mam.

I know I am not alone, For you are watching over me, From a place you now call home.

So always stay beside me, It helps to know you're there, I thank you for the memories, And the good times we all shared,

You were always someone special,

Always so good and kind, You will never be forgotten, Mam.

By those you left behind. (Sadly missed, always remembered, your loving daughter Olivere, Jim and family).

DUGGAN - First Anniversary - In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Mary Duggan, late of McCarthyville, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, who died on April 10th, 2003. R.I.P.

We lost a mother with a heart of gold, How much we miss her can

never be told, She shared our troubles and helped us along,

If we follow in her footsteps we cannot go wrong. No length of time can take

away, Our thoughts of you from day

to day, Time slips by and life goes on, But from our hearts you are

never gone And as each day dawns and starts anew.

And as each day ends we think of you. And in between no matter

where, Deep in our hearts you are

always there. (Always in our thoughts, your loving daughter Angela, James and Rachel).

DUGGAN - First Anniversary Treasured memories of a dear mother and grandmother, Mary Duggan, late of 13 McCarthyville, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, who died on April 10th, 2003. R.I.P.

We would give the world if we could see.

Our mother one last time. And to hear her laugh and see

her smile, To sit and chat with her awhile, It has been one year since that day.

You closed your eyes and went away.

You left us quietly and made no fuss, When you broke the hearts of us all.

A Mass and a prayer are all we can give,

These you shall have as long as we live.

(Loved and remembered always, your loving son Paul, Sharon, Seán and Conor).

DUGGAN - First Anniversary -In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Mary Duggan, late of 13 McCarthyville, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, who died on April 10th, 2003. R.I.P.

The angels sang Amazing Grace,

The Lord came down and touched your face, He held your hand and whis-

pered low, Come with me, it's time to

wide.

A special guest was on her way,

away. (Sadly missed, always remem-

DUGGAN - First Anniversary -In loving memory of a wonderful sister-in-law and aunt, Mary Duggan, late of McCarthyville, Abbeyside who

In heaven you rest, no worries.

Deep in our hearts you're always there.

It's locked in our hearts in letters of gold,

Missing you always, forgetting

(Always loved and remembed your sister-in-law Ann, nieces Jean and Mary, nephew Mark and families).

FLYNN - In loving memory of Eddie Flynn, Lacken, Affane, occurs on 19th April.

ries stay, Today, tomorrow, our whole life

We will always remember and love you.

(Always remembered by your Edward and Triona).



So fold your arms around her, Lord,

can replace.

And her picture in a frame.

Sincere and true in heart and

behind,

Gifts both big and small, But most of all you gave us

DUGGAN - First Anniversary

You never changed even at

one's friend.

DUGGAN - First Anniversary

No needs for words, we will

No matter what we do,

He held your hand and whis-

If tears could build a stairway,

So there won't be any doubt,

(Always in our thoughts - your loving daughter Marie, Michael, Molly and Hannah).

The gates of heaven opened The angels lined up, side by

> side. The day God took my Mum

bered, your loving son Richard. Donna and Jack).

died on 10th April 2003.

no pain, In God's own time we will meet again, And in return, no matter where.

Your memory is precious and never grows old,

Your presence we miss and memories we treasure,

Cappoquin whose anniversary Time may pass and fade

But silent thoughts and memo-

through,

son Danny, daughter-in-law Nora, grandchildren Tara.

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FLYNN - In loving memory of our son Martin Flynn, Lacken, Affane, Cappoquin whose anniversary occurs on 26th April.

God saw you getting tired, When a cure was not to be, He closed his arms around

And whispered "come with me"

(Always remembered by your loving parents Danny and Nora, brother Edward, sisters Tara and

FITZGERALD - Seventeenth Anniversary - In loving memory of Breeda Fitzgerald, late of Ballycoe, Dungarvan, who died on April 12, 1987.

Will those who think of Mam today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by Sean and family).



DUNNE - Fourth Anniversary In loving memory of Christopher (Christy) Dunne, late of 38 Silversprings, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on April 6th.

Memories grow deeper, As time travels on, We long for the smile, And the face that is gone, We think of your sayings, And picture your smile, We feel you are not lost, Just gone for a while.

(Remembered with love from your wife Theresa, sons Richard and Christopher and daughter Susan and grandchildren).

HEGARTY — Third Anniversary In loving memory of Mary Hegarty, late of Cabinteely, Dublin and Ballinaha, Tallow, who died on April 14, 2001.

To your grave I often wander, I can picture your face so

In silence I stand in sorrow, For a daughter I loved so dear, The flowers I place upon it, Will wither and decay, But the love I buried with you, Will never fade away, When I am sad and lonely, And everything goes wrong, I seem to hear you whisper,

Cheer up and carry on, I miss you calling on the phone.

For there is no one in the world like Mary,

Could ever take your place. (Always remembered by your loving Mam Babs).

KEANE — In loving memory of our father Patrick Keane, Ballymote, Tallow whose anniversary occurs on April 5th. R.I.P. Masses offered. Our Lady of Lourdes pray for him.

You are never more than a thought away,

Loved and remembered every-

(Always in our hearts, your loving family).

KEATING Second Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear sister Eileen Keating, (nee Morrissey), late of 52 Childers Est., Dungarvan who died on 5th April 2002.

Eileen you always had a smile to share,

A laugh, a joke, a time to care,

Today we know you smile on For love like yours is endless,

Our hearts though broken, still do share, That care, the kindness that

we know. Could only come from one

like you, Your life is a lovely memory, Your absence a silent grief, But now, you rest in God's

garden, Beside a rose called peace, Will those who think of her today.

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always loved and remembered by your loving sister Patricia, brother-in-law Terence, nephews Terence, Michael, Daniel and Dylan, nieces Vanessa and Carol).

KEATING Second Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear sister Eileen, 52 Childers Est., Dungarvan. R.I.P. Eileen, a special day, another

year, A loving thought, a silent tear, A little prayer to keep in touch, With one we loved and miss so much,

As long as our hearts are beating,

As long as our eyes shed

We will always love and miss you, No matter how many years,

Will those who think of Eileen today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Sadly missed, never forgotten from your sister Margaret, Barry and godson Luke).

McGRATH — In fond and loving memory of my dad, Maurice (Mossie) and granddad Denis, late of 6, Keating Street, Dungarvan, whose anniversaries occur about this time. Masses offered.

Shadows walk beside us, Forever by our side, Always there to guide us, Ever since you died. No matter how our lives may

change, No matter what we do,

There is a place within our

hearts. That is forever kept for the two

of you. (Forever in our thoughts and prayers, your daughter and granddaughter Bernadette, John Joe, Danielle, Rebecca and

Aisling).



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

April comes with sad regret, The day we lost you, Dad, We think about you always, We talk about you too,

We have some lovely memories.

But we wish we still had you.

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

McGRATH Ninth Anniversary - In loving memory of our granddad and great granddad, Denis McGrath, late of 6, Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died on April

We miss you from your fireside chair,

Your loving smile and gentle

Your vacant place no one can fill, We miss you granddad and

always will. (Love always and God bless you granddad - Anne, Ian, Hannah and Jamie).

McGRATH - Ninth Anniversary - In loving memory of my grandfather, Denis McGrath, late of 6, Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died on April 9, 1995.

Silent memories keep you near,

As time unfolds another year.

(From your loving grandson Seán, Lisa, Nathan and Lauren).



McCARTHY Anniversary - In loving memory of Tommy McCarthy, late of 12 Mitchel Tce., Dungarvan R.I.P. who died on 11th April 2000. Mass offered.

Will those who think of him today.

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by your sister Nell and Tom and family).

KELLY - Second Anniversary In loving memory of David Kelly, Kilwatermoy, Tallow, who died on April 6, 2002.

Parting comes to let us know, We love more deeply than we

Love in death makes us see, What love in life should really

(Always remembered by your loving family)

O'DONOGHUE - In loving memory of Kathleen O'Donoghue, Cappoquin, whose anniversary occurs on 8th April. Memories we keep one by

Things you have said, songs you have sung,

They bring a smile, sometimes a tear,

And always a wish that you were here.

(Always remembered by your daughter Nora, son-in-law Paddy, grandchildren Tara, Edward and Triona).

O'DONOGHUE -Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of Leslie O'Donoghue, late of Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin, who died on 9th April 1998.

Life is a mixture of sunshine and rain,

Laughter and tear drops, Pleasure and pain, All days cannot be right,

But certainly true, There is never a day passes, I don't think of you.

(Remembered always Chris).

O'DONOGHUE - Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of Leslie O'Donoghue, late of Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin whose 6th anniversary occurs on 9th April.

Your memory is precious and never grows old,

It's locked in our hearts with letters of gold,

Your presence we miss and memories we treasure, Missing you always, forgetting

vou never. (Sadly missed by your loving sister Marcia and brother-in-law Jimmy).

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

To have you as a brother was cause enough for pride,

No one could ever equal you,

No matter how they tried, Our hands cannot write what our hearts want to say,

We love you forever, And miss you every day. (Sadly missed by your loving brother Brendan, sister-in-law Pauline, nieces Lyndsey and

Donna and your nephew Owen).

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

No matter how life changes, No matter what we do,

A special place within our hearts, Leslie,

Will always be there for you. (Sadly missed by your loving brother Adrian and Claire).



O'DONOGHUE -Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of Leslie O'Donoghue, late of Crowhill Lower, Cappoquin whose 6th anniverary occurs on 9th April. Anniversary Mass, Melleray on Sunday 11th April at 12 noon.

No longer in our lives to share, But in our hearts you are always there,

Today, tomorrow, our whole life through,

We will always love and remember you. (Sadly missed by your loving

parents Mam and Dad).

O'GORMAN - Fifth Anniversary - In loving memory of Pat, late of Lismore and Cappoquin whose anniversary occurs on

April 9th. A shadow walks beside us, Forever by our side, Always there to guide us, Ever since you died, No matter how our lives may

change, No matter what we do, There is a place within our hearts.

That is forever kept for you. (Always remembered by Margo and your loving son Liam).

O'GORMAN Fifth Anniversary: In loving memory of my dear brother Pat, late of Lismore, who died on the 9th of April 1999.

Those of you have a brother, Love him while you may, I only wish with all my heart, That mine was here today, Five years have passed so

quickly Pat, It seems like yesterday, one minute you were here with

The next you're gone away, You fought your battle with courage,

The pain you tried to hide, I will never forget those last few days,

I was glad to be at your side. (Always in our thoughts and sadly missed your sister Siobhan, Kevin and niece Lauren XXX)

O'GORMAN Fifth Anniversary: In loving memory of my dear brother Pat, late of Fernville Lismore, who died on 9th April 1999.

We cannot bring the old days back,

When we were all together, The family chain is broken

But memories last forever, Each time I look at your picture Pat.

You seem to smile and say, Don't be sad but courage take, And help and love each other for my sake.

(Always remembered and sadly missed today and always, your brother Alan xxx)



O'GORMAN Anniversary - In loving memory of our dear son Pat, who died on 9th April '99, late of Fernville, Lismore and Cappoquin.

Dearer to us the words can

Was a son we lost and loved so well,

Deep in our hearts he is living yet,

We miss him too much to ever forget, We hide the tears when we

speak his name, But the ache in our hearts will always remain,

Dear Jesus in Heaven hear our prayer, Look after our son, with love

and care, Be a good shephard, don't

leave him alone, For this is his fifth year away from home.

(Always remembered and sadly missed your Dad and Mam XXX).

O'GORMAN - Fifth Anniversary: In loving memory of my dear brother Pat, who died on 9th April 1999, whose anniversary occurs at this time.

A special day another year, A loving thought, a silent

tear, A little prayer to keep in touch.

With you Pat, who we miss so much.

A little tribute, small and tender. Just to show we still remem-

ber. A heart of gold, a life so true, Loved and respected by all he knew

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

(Always loved and forever

remembered, your loving sister and close friend Jenny and Rudy) O'GORMAN -Fifth

Anniversary: In loving memory of my dear brother Gorman, Lismore/Cappoquin who died on April 9th 1999.

Five years ago I had to part, With the brother I loved with all my heart,

We shared some laughter and some tears, But the years we had were

great years I keep in my heart the love of

the past, There it is planted forever to

last. As time passes by, you are

still by my side, Ours was a love death can never divide.

(Always remembered by your Sister Liz, Graham, nephews-Darragh and Patrick.)

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O'DONOGHUE -Fourth Anniversary - Treasured memories of my loving wife Kathleen, late of O'Donoghue Tce., Cappoquin who died on 8th April 2000. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass at St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin on April 11th (Easter Sunday) at 11.30 am.

There's a road I call rememberance.

Where I walk each day with

It's a pleasant happy road, All filled with memories

true. Today it leads me to a spot, Where I can dream awhile, And in its tranquil peaceful-

ness. I touch your hand and smile.

There are hills and fields and budding trees, And stillness that's so

sweet, It seems that this must be the

place. Where God and humans meet.

I hope we can go back again,

And treasured times renew, And God go with you always,

Until the day we do. (Lovingly remembered by your husband Billy).

NAN - NAN

Some people are very special

They put people at their ease.

They do little things that comfort and please.

You were one of those people Nan-Nan,

Good, kind and true, This world of ours is a sadder

place,

Missing someone as special as you.

(Loved and remembered by your grandchildren and great grandchildren).

We have a book of memo-

But it's not upon a shelf,

It's deep within our hearts, And we keep the key ourselves,

We turn the key quite often.

And think of bygone days, We miss you very very

much. In oh so many ways,

There is a link death cannot sever,

Love and remembrance lasts forever.

(Always loved and remembered by your sons and daughters Mary, Billy, Nora, Rena, James and Noel, sonsin-law and daughters-in-law).



POWER Anniversary - In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Jack Power, late of Kilrush Park, Dungarvan, who died on April 12, 1992. Anniversary Mass in St.

Joseph's Hospital at 10 a.m. on Easter Sunday, April 11. Memories are precious,

They don't fade away, We think of you always, Especially today,

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

You know you never will. (Loved and remembered loving wife Bernie, sons, daughters and grandchildren).

POWER - Twelfth Anniversary In loving memory of Jack Power, late of 26, Kilrush Park, Dungarvan, who died on April 12,

Memories are something that no one can steal.

Death is a heartache that no one can heal.

Some may forget you, now that you're gone, But we will remember, no mat-

ter how long, Happy memories keep forever,

Of days when we were all together.

(Always remembered by his sister-in-law Mary, Michael and family).

POWER - Twelfth Anniversary - In loving memory of Jack Power, late of 26, Kilrush Park, Dungarvan, who died on April 12, 1992.

Every day in some small

Thoughts of you come our way.

Years may pass, tears may

But memories of you will never

Will those who think of Jack

A little prayer to Jesus say. Never forgotten by his sister-inlaw Joan, Austin and family).

POWER - Eleventh and Seventh Anniversaries - In loving memory of my father Jimmy Power, 2 Keating Street, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on April 4, R.I.P. Also my brother Martin Power whose 7th anniversary occurs on the 14th April. R.I.P.

A special day another year,

A loving thought, a silent tear,

A little prayer to keep in touch,

With ones we miss so very

(Always remembered Norah, son-in-law Michael and family).



POWER - Ninth Anniversary - In loving memory of Ellen Power, late of Knockeylan, Leamybrien, who died on March 30, 1995, aged 86 vears.

Will those who think of her today.

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by her son James, daughter Mary and grandchildren.)

QUEALLY - Sixth Anniversary In loving memory of our dear mother Margaret Queally, late of Woodbrush House, Ballyduff, Dungarvan who died on April, 18th, 1998. R.I.P.

Lots of things have happened Mummy,

Since you went away, Things you could have shared

with us.

If God had let you stay, We often lie awake at

night, When the world is fast asleep,

And take a walk down memory lane.

With tears upon our cheeks, It broke our hearts to lose you,

But you did not go alone, For part of us went with you,

The day God called you home. (Loved and missed by your lov-

ing sons Owen, Thoma, Shane and Jason and by your loving daughter Jackie XXXX).

QUEALLY - Sixth Anniversary In loving memory of our dear mother Margaret Queally, late of Woodbrush House, Ballyduff, Dungarvan who died on April, 18th, 1998. R.I.P.

A special person, a special face,

A special mother I can never replace,

I'd like to say so many things,

I don't know where to start, I only know I miss you,

From the bottom of my heart.

(All our love always, from your loving son Killian, daughter-inlaw Kay, Meagan and Jessica X

QUEALLY - Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear mother Margaret Queally, late of Woodbrush House, Ballyduff, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs at this time.

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 by your son Ted, daughter-in-law Marianne and baby Heather).



QUEALLY Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear wife, Margaret Queally, late of Woodbrush House, Ballyduff, Dungarvan who died on April 18, 1998. R.I.P.

Your memory is precious and never grows old,

It is locked in my heart in letters of gold.

Your presence I miss and memories I treasure, Missing you always forgetting

(Sadly missed by your loving husband John).

you never.

QUEALLY - Sixth Anniversary In loving memory of my dear sister, Margaret Queally, late of Woodbrush House, Ballyduff, Dungarvan who died on April, 18th, 1998. R.I.P.

A special day, another year, A loving thought, a silent tear, A little prayer to keep in touch. (Sadly missed by your loving sister Helen).

TERRY - Fourth Anniversary - In sad and loving memory of my dear brother, William Terry, who died 7th April 2000, late of Cathal Brugha Place. Dungarvan.

There never comes a day Willie.

That I don't think of you, Or an evening passed. That your face is not in

view, And when I'm feeling lonely, And tears come to my eyes,

I think of you at peace, And I know I should not cry,

So I take and hide my sorrow,

As you would want me to, And when I shed a tear Willie, No one knows but you.

(Very sadly missed today and always by your loving sister Mary and brother-in-law Eddie).

TERRY - Fourth Anniversary - In fond memory of my uncle Willie, who died 7th April 2000, late of Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan.

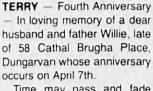
Along the road of suffering, You found a little lane, That took you up to Heaven, And ended all your pain,

The things we feel most deeply, Are sometimes hard to say,

But I your nephew loved you, In a very special way, So on this your anniversary, And we go to church to pray.

The candles we light and, The flowers we lay, Come from my heart on this

sad day. (Remembered forever by your nephew Eamonn, Colette, Darragh and Clodagh).



Time may pass and fade away.

But silent thoughts and memories stay, No length of time can take

away, Our thoughts of you today, Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Loved and missed always by your loving wife Maura, daughters Ann, Josephine and son Francis).

TOBIN — In loving memory of our dear father, James Tobin, late of Janeville, Tallow, who died on April 10, 1979. R.I.P. Mass offered.

These words are simple but very true,

We will always remember and pray for you. Will those who think of him,

A little prayer to Jesus (Always remembered by his



TOBIN Seventh Anniversary - In loving memory of Andy Tobin, 27 Cathal Brugha, Dungarvan who died on 9th April, 1997. Aged 36 years.

Put your arms around him Lord and kiss his smiling

For he is very special and can never be replaced, They say that time heals everything but we can't believe that he is gone.

You were a special person Dad. And will not be replaced, Since the day you left us, There has been an empty

space. We feel you still around us, You're always on our

minds. And when you,

It's always happy times, However, our lives change Dad Whatever we may do,

We will never forget those special years, The ones we had with you,

For as long as we live, We will always be glad, For the wonderful Dad we

were so lucky to have, But simple words but very true. We love you and always

remember. (Remembered always by Catherine, son Anthony, daughters Ashling and Laura).

McGRATH - Ninth Anniversary - In loving memory of my Granda Denis McGrath, late of Keating St., who died on 9th April 1995. R.I.P. Masses offered.

It does not take a special day. For us to think of you. Each Mass I hear, each prayer

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Is offered up for you.

(Always remembered by your granddaughter Eileen, Liam, Glenn and Greg).

O'CONNOR - Twenty First Anniversary - In loving memory of Mossie O'Connor, Mill St., Cappoquin who died on the 13th April, 1983. R.I.P.

Mossie you will always be in

our memories. Forever in our hearts, We know you are looking after

us, Every hour of every day. (Sadly missed by your loving wife Pat, sons Declan and Rory. twin daughters Mairead and



TROY - Second Anniversary - In loving memory of Martin Troy, late of Curragh, Ardmore whose anniversary occurs on April 10th.

Just a prayer from the family who loved you,

Because we thought the world

Just a memory fond and true, In our hearts you will live forever.

of you. (Lovingly remembered by your family).



YOUNG - Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear mother Ellen, late of 53 Murphy Place, Abbeyside, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on 10th April.

Put your arms around her Lord, And kiss her smiling face, For she is very special,

And can never be replaced, They say that time heals everything,

But we can't believe that's true, For the ache in our hearts is

still the same, As the day we lost you. (Always remembered by your loving son Eugene, daughterin-law Caroline and grandchildren Owen and Rachel).

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Dungarvan Toastmasters

We had three speeches at our hearsed it together several last meeting. Paddy Leahy's speech was a wonderful appreciation of his mother, and he told us that her life philosophy, which she had passed on to her children, could be summed up with the quote "The root of true achievement lies in the will to become the best you can become". Marita Collin's speech involved toasting a couple on their wedding day. Her toast was sincere and very personalised. John Foley and Dorothy Hughes, did a joint speech where they simulated a TV interview show, where Dorothy was the TV presenter and John her guest. Their speech was extremely professional, so much so that I thought they had re-

times. This was not the case. Susie Wingfield, Ann Power, Sadie Moynihan and Michael Clarke were our speech evaluators. Denis Begley was a most congenial Toastmaster, and Esme Dowdall, as Topics master kept us all on our toes with her choice of topics. Winston was our Timekeeper. Well done

The club would like to convey its sympathy to Ann Flemming on the recent death of her husband, and the club had a minute's silence as a mark of respect.

Our next club meeting will be held on Thursday, 8th April in the Park Hotel at 8pm. Guests are always welcome.

Dungarvan Camera Club

The March Outing turned out - accidentally - to be a twostage affair, with the first small group setting off from the Park Hotel to Colligan at the early hour of 8.00am, while most other members were still sleeping. Some excellent photographs resulted but then, according to opinions expressed on the club web-site, the leader - who shall be nameless - had feelings of guilt about both the departure time and the destination, and headed back to the same

From here a much fresher group headed off a few hours later to do some seashore photography and ended up in the Ballyvoile bridge area. Here, they not alone studied seabirds, rock formations and waves, in gale and showery conditions, but enjoyed an alfresco meal under the bridge in between the sunny periods! An adventurous lot these were!

Member Andrew Walsh is home once more after a repair job in a Kilkenny establishment. He was inundated with Dungarvan visitors, Get Well Cards and e-mails, we hear from cyberspace!

The March print competition saw a very large entry once again, despite reducing the number of entries per member to two. Ladies were very much to the fore. Results in next notes. Winning prints on club website

The club now has a membership stretching to distant corners of the county. Nevertheless new members are al-



Some of the Dungarvan Camera Club members at Ballyphilip Castle

on their recent outing to the Blackwater Valley area.



BUSY TIMES FOR PUPILS OF ST. MARYS PRIMARY SCHOOL

The following photos show:

- + St. Mary's pupils on their recent visit to **Dungarvan Post Office.**
- ◆ Steffi Power, sixth class, after her recent win in the Scottish **Indoor Athletics** Championships.
- ◆ Gabriel holds pupils spellbound with his display of soccer skills.
- + Senior Infant pupils enjoying Seachtain na Gaeilge celebrations recently.
- **+ Junior Infants** enjoying Declan Lucey's poetry reading.

BALLINROAD I.C.A NEWS

We had a very informative demonstration on Electronic voting from Martin Walsh and Tess o Brien at our last meeting - it has taken away the fear of the unknown from many of us and so our thanks to Martin

Well done to Bridget Drohan, Caren Hallahan and Pauline Enright who came in third place in the Birds Eye table quiz in Crottys, Lemybrien.

Ardmore I.C.A are holding

Hall over the May Bank Holiday in aid of the childrens playground in Ardmore and we would ask our members to please support.

Two dates for the diaries - our night at the dogs in Waterford -Thursday April 23rd price is 36 euro per head (dinner included). Money must be paid in advance so please bring to the

next meeting.
Our Arts Director Margaret Power is off to killarney and hopes to bring a full bus with her - she already has over 20 names so if you are interested (Bed breakfast and evening meal in the Gleneagle Hotel) the price is 86 euro per person sharing. Single supplement 15 euro. Also included is a trip to Muckross. Names and money at next meeting to Margaret. Departing Thursday 29th of april returning on Friday.

Last but not least we will be hosting a Bring and Buy sale at our April meeting. All proceeds will go towards the 200 year celebrtions of

Ballinroad Church and Flower Festival. We will have a great variety of tables - Home baking, books, white elephant stall etc. So please have a good root around the house and bring anything you think can be sold. The Dungarvan Flower and Garden Club will also host a table so there will be plants and bulbs aplenty. Everyone is welcome and your support is greatly appeciated by the Flower Festival committee.

All in all a busy month ahead for Ballinroad I.C.A. Next meeting April 14th 8pm.

Dungarvan Dramatic Club to stage "The Loves of Cass McGuire"



Two weeks to go.... sets to her life with her brother Harry build props to collect, costumes to organise, prompters to find...posters... tickets.... It's all hands on deck in the club for our upcoming production. The loves of Cass McGuire by Brian Friel, which opens on Wednesday 21st in the Ard Scoil and runs until Saturday the 24th. Performances start at 8 o'clock sharp.

The play follows the return of Cass (Trisha Kieily) to Ireland after 52 years in America. She is set to live out the rest of ets now.

and his family. However it soon becomes apparent that her boisterous nature and bouldy stories do not fit in well with her now genteel family. Unable to cope her family arrange for her to go into 'Eden House' a rest home for the elderly where the residents, often disappointed with reality, create their own.

This poignant and often hilarious story is unmissable, so be warned and book your tick-





Service Manager, Ann Wright and Lisa Conroy







Photo shows Eithne Walsh, checkouts, Christine Caulfield, Asst. Manager and Lisa Conroy, shop floor.

Garvey's Supervalu Food And Wine Fare A Marvellous Success

Last Wednesday, March 31 at 7.30 p.m. Garvey's Supervalu Dungarvan launched its first Food and Wine Fare for Garvey's Dungarvan at the Park Hotel. The purpose of this event was to raise the profile of Garvey's Supervalu by displaying a full, select range of quality products and exclusive wines available instore.

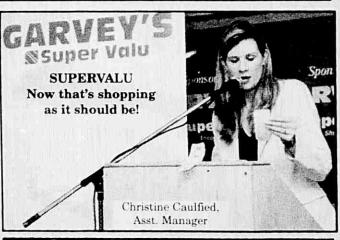
Garvey's also used this event as an opportunity to launch their wine club. Chef, Keith Colgan from the Mill Restaurant who was accompanied by Colm Drummy gladly gave up their free time to do a delightful cookery demonstration.

There were over 20 stands on the night providing food and wine samples. Complimentary goody bags were handed out courtesy of Garvey's Supervalu. There were raffles for a number of top prizes, a week-end away and a selection of Easter Hampers among them.

A fantastic night was had by all with a crowd that far exceeded expected numbers. All proceeds from the event went to three local charities — West Waterford Alzheimers Service, Deise Day Care Centre and South Tipperary Spina Bifida and Hydrocafalus Association.

(PHOTOS BY SEAN BYRNE)







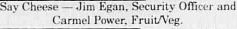


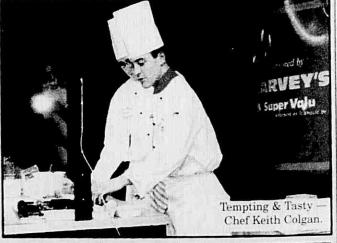




Photo shows Caroline McEvery, H.R. Garvey's, Liam Power, General Manager, Carmel Power, Off-Licence and Christine Caulfield, Assistant Manager.



litting The Bottle — Breda Lenihan, Checkouts, Marian Murphy. Checkouts, Mary Colbert and Maureen Gibbs, Checkouts





Enjoying The Craic — Breda Conroy, Checkouts, Carmel Power, Fruit & Veg. and Marian Murphy Checkouts.

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WANT TO BE A THOUSANDAIRE IN AID OF LOCAL SCHOOL?

Fundraiser For St. Mary's Primary School Launched

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KEVIN KIRRANE

Eight contestants will bid to become a thousandaire at the Park Hotel in a fundraiser event with a difference in aid of St. Mary's Primary School in Dungarvan next May.

St. Mary's Primary School launched the fund raising event 'Want to be a thousandaire?' last Tuesday night in front of large attendance. Based on the format of the worldwide hit game-show "Who wants to be a Millionaire?" contestants can win one thousand euros if they answer twelve questions correctly.

Contestants will be chosen on the night based on ticket sales. The tickets offer three choices allowing the purchaser to nominate themselves or someone else or to attend as part of the audience.

The show will be run by Pallas Marketing Services from Navan who initially set up the gameshow as a fundraiser for their own school.

"It was such a success," Catherine Coward of St. Mary's Parents Council said, "other clubs and schools asked for it, and so they set it up as a business. It's been very successful. And we're hoping it will be very successful for us too."

At the launch, Oliver Walshe, Chairman of the Fundrais-



David Reynolds, SherryFitzgerald Reynolds, presenting a sponsorship cheque to Marcella McGovern, Principal St. Mary's Primary School at the launch of the schools fundraiser, "Want to be a Thousandaire". (Sean Byrne)



At the launch of "Want to be a Thousandaire" a novel fundraiser by St. Mary's Primary School were (l. to r.) Marie Curran, Teresa Daly, Ollie Walshe, Catherine Coward, Kieran Veale, Joan Warren, Diana Walshe and Marcella McGovern, School Principal. (Photo:Sean Byrne)

ing Committee, welcomed David Reynolds of Sherry Fitzgerald Reynolds, main sponsor of the event, special guest WLR FM's Nicola Beresford and Tom Shanahan of Pallas Marketing.

Marcella McGovern, Principal of St. Mary's, thanked David Reynolds for coming on board as main sponsor and giving the fund a great start with his substantial contribution. She said it was greatly appreciated and the interest he had shown in the education of the children was most gratifying.

The night is an extremely attractive advertising opportunity for local businesses too; any advertising sold will be displayed on three large screens six to eight times.

"If any one is interested in buying an advertisement they can contact the school," Catherine said. "We mightn't be able to approach every business."

The night itself will start at 8 and finish at 11, and usually eight contestants go forward. Marcella added that: "it obviously depends on how far each contestant goes because if there are a number of people not getting very far then they'll be a greater number of contestants called."

And, while the night promises to be one of entertainment and enjoyment it's also all in a good cause.

"St. Mary's is a wonderful school as everyone knows. But we hope to upgrade our art facilities, to do up an art room that the children can get even more from. We also hope to upgrade our PE facilities, and the library." Marcella said.

"The very good thing about it is all the teachers, all the parents council and the board are all working together on it. That's a very positive aspect of it all."

Catherine added: "There are so many committees and different things in the school and they're all working as the one body for this major fundraising effort. Everyone is putting in the same amount. Nobody's getting away lightly. There's an awful lot of hard work in it. But, at the moment it's looking like it's going to be a major success."

Businesses, who haven't been approached by a committee member about the night are asked to phone the school at 058-41346 or they can call into the school itself on the Youghal Road. Tickets for the three hour show on Wednesday May 12th are now on sale.



At the launch of "Want to be a Thousandaire" a novel fund raiser by St. Mary's Primary School were (l. to r.) Ollie Walshe, Chairman Fundraising Committee, Nicola Beresford, WLR/fm, David Reynolds, SherryFitzgerald Reynolds (main sponsor) and Marcella McGovern, School Principal. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

QUESTION

I believe the cost of a passport has increased. What does it cost now?

ANSWER

A number of changes to the availability and cost of passports have been introduced. From the 1st March:

Children under the age of 18 will no longer be issued a ten year passport. Children under the age of 3 will get a three year passport while children aged 3 or over will be issued a five

A replacement passport (e.g. where a passport has been damaged) will no longer be issued. You will have to apply for

People aged 65 years and over will be issued a ten year passport at a reduced cost of 25e. Previously, they could have a three year passport for 12e or a ten year one for 57e.

There is an 'urgent fee' of 50e for adults and 25e for children, payable in addition to the appropriate passport fee, where an application is made in person and the passport is required on the same or next day. Proof of travel is required.

The new rates of passport fees are as follows:

Standard passport for people aged 18-64 75e (was 57e) Standard passport for people aged 65 and over 25e Large passport for very frequent travellers 100e (was 69e) Three year passport for children under age 3 15es Five year passport for children aged 3-17 25e Counter Urgent Fee 50e (adult) 25e (child) Emergency Service Administration Fee 100e (adult) 50e (child) (out of hours emergency service)

The standard and large passports are valid for ten years. Application forms are available from your local Garda Station and from Post Offices. Also available from your post office is a 'Passport Express' service which guarantees receipt of a passport within ten working days where applications are completed correctly with proper documentation. The additional fee for this service is 6.50e per application.

Further information is available from the Citizens Information Centre.

This column has been compiled by Dungarvan Community Information Centre which provides a free and confidential service to the citizens at the Courthouse, Dungarvan, office hours 11a.m. - 1p.m. Monday to Friday. Tel. 058-44633.

KNOW YOUR RIGHTS Local Director Practices What He Preaches!

lan & Caroline O'Sullivan Head For Vietnam

O'Sullivan, will be rolling up his sleeves to volunteer in a soup kitchen in Vietnam this April. Ian runs a Dungarvan based company called i-to-i, which specialises in sending Irish volunteers abroad to help others. lan's reasons for running such an organisation are evident by his commitment to helping the needy.

'It's always an amazing experience to travel the world and have a positive impact on the lives of other less fortunate people. I have even roped my wife into donning an apron for

Ian and his wife Caroline will travel to Ho Chi Minh City to provide food to the poor who cannot afford their own. This project is funded by local donations and relies almost entirely on volunteer support. The couple will work with local volunteers in all aspects of food preparation and delivery, from chopping vegetables to handing out the food.

This is one of i-to-i's most fulfilling projects that lets volunteers use their initiative and enthusiasm. In keeping with i-

Local company director, Ian to-i's philosophy, the project allows volunteers to experience Vietnamese culture not through visiting local sites but working alongside locals.

This is the third volunteer project that lan and Caroline have undertaken. Previously, the pair have taught in a school and conserved turtles in Costa Rica and worked in an Elephant orphanage in Sri Lanka.

Volunteering in a new environment has never been what I expected, at first we just want-ed to go home! When we got settled in though, we didn't want to leave. The experience was something I will always be thankful for.'

i-to-i send volunteers to 24 countries across Asia, Africa, Latin America, Australia and Europe. The best news is that you don't even need to be a carefree student on your summer holidays; they cater for all ages between seventeen and seventy. In fact, half the volunteers sent by i-to-i are students and the other half is made up of career breakers and retirees.

So there you have it, every one is doing it, volunteering is the new package holiday!



A PRAYER TO THE BLESSED

VIRGIN (Never known to fail) -O most beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine, splendour of heaven, blessed Mother of the Son of God. Immaculate Virgin assist me in my necessity. O Star of the Sea help me and show me herein you are my mother. O Holy Mary Mother of God, queen of heaven and earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succour me in this necessity there are none that can withstand your power. O show me herein you are my mother. O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times). Holy Mother ! place this cause in your hands (3 times). Holy Spirit, you who solve all problems, light all roads so that I can attain my goal, you who gave me the divine gift to forgive and forget all evil against me and that in all instances of my life you are with me. I want in this short prayer to thank you for all things as you confirm once again that I never want to be separated from you in eternal glory. Thank you for your mercy towards me and mine. The person must say this prayer on three consecutive days. After three days the request will be granted. This prayer must be published after

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 - G. M.

PRAYER TO ST. JUDE (Never known to fail) - O Glorious Saint Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue and rich in miracles, near kinsman of Jesus Christ, powerful intercessor for all who invoke you, special patron in time of need, to thee do I come with my earnest request and beg of you to whom God has given such great favours to help me now in my urgent need (state request) I will never forget the graces and favours you have obtained for me and I will do my utmost to spread devotion to you. Amen. St. Jude pray for me and for all who honour thee and invoke thine aid. (Repeat three (Publication promised).

11TH WATERFORD BEAVER, **CUB, SCOUT UNIT**



Pictured above shows beavers, cubs and leaders from the 11th Waterford Unit before the St. Patrick's Day Parade recent ly. Front row are beavers: Kealon Coward, Thomas Wall, Feidhlium Murphy, Conor Hayes, Aidan Ryan, Jack Duggan, Aidan Kirwan, Luke Rossiter, Micheal Cullo, Diarmuid Gallagher, Geroid McGrath, Fintan O'Reilly, Kealon Duggan. Middle row, cubs: Joseph Allen, Andrew Earley, Aaron Wall, Adam Houlihan, Darragh Coleman, Christopher O'Donnell, Kyle McCarthy, Denis Kirwan, Jordan Nugent, Shane Duggan, Scott Moynihan, Ronan Cregan. Also included are leaders Stephanie McCarthy, Ruth Bennett, Louise Veale and Susan Kennedy.

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DUNGARVAN MUSEUM NOTES

Our next lecture takes place on Tuesday 20 April. This is an Illustrated talk by Kieran Heffernan and William Fraher on "Waterford Country Houses". So make a note of this date in your diary, as this will be a lecture not to be missed.

THANKS

Our sincere thanks to Billy Devine and Lismore Dramatic Society for the help they recently gave to Dungarvan Museum. It was very much appreciated.

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Are you interested in preserving the history of your town, village or locality? Join Dungarvan Museum's local history outreach initiative. If you are interested in joining this program please contact William Whelan at 086 2748377 Email:

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Local Museum Contacts

Anyone wishing to donate photos, postcards, documents, billheads or artefacts of interest from their local area can con-

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ABBEYSIDE CASTLE

Our notes this week has been taken from a rare booklet, which the Museum has just acquired titled "Abbeyside Castle A Historical and Descriptive

Sketch by Edmond Keohan" published by Waterford News

The fall of the Castle of Abbeyside is an event, which cannot be dismissed with a passing reference for the venerable structure, was bound up with the histories and associations of the Abbeyside and Dungarvan people. It was the most interesting landmark and distinguishing features of the landscape. A considerable portion of this ancient building has collapsed and this is much to be regretted. The preservation of these old ruins is one of the cases of native governments in very colonised countries and if we had a Home Rule Government in Ireland it would not have been allowed to fall. The front portion of the castle, which has been demolished for some considerable

time, was connected with a portion of an ancient wall that now lies in a leaning position beside the roadway. The masonry is the same and the old portion points to the angle of the castle giving unmistakable evidence that it was formerly portion of the building. The castle was regarded as a heritage of Abbeyside. It was availed of on many occasion by daring spirits for the celebration of notable events and bonfires blazed on its summit to celebrate the victory of Frank Hugh O'Donnell over Henry Matthews in that memorable local parliamentary elec-This was when Dungarvan had a Member of Parliament of its own. And again at the time when there were universal illuminations for the declaration of the doctrine of the Immaculate Conception the Abbeyside boys were not backwards for they had tar-barrels blazing on the summit of the castle, a favourite feat of daring on suchlike occasions. (To be continued next week)

OPENING HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 10 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. and 2 p.m. to 4.45 p.m. daily.

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DISABILIT **AWARENESS**

Epilepsy

WHAT IS EPILEPSY?

Epilepsy is a neurological disorder, which is caused by brief disturbances of the brain's electrical activity. For people that are affected by Epilepsy, it means that they are prone to recurrent attacks (also known as seizure's or fits). A seizure is caused by a temporary change in the way the brain cells work. The brain consists of a vast network of nerve cells called neurons, billions of electrical messages are sent between cells, controlling every thing we think, feel or do. During an epileptic seizure an upset in the brain chemistry causes the messages to become scrambled, and the neurons fire off faster than usual and in bursts. It is this disturbed activity that triggers off a seizure. During an attack, these discharges can cause twitching of the muscles, tingling on one side of the body or an awareness of a strange taste or smell, and loss of consciousness.

WHAT ARE THE SYMPTOMS AND TYPES OF EPILEPSY?

Epileptic seizures are classified into two broad groups, there are 'Generalized seizures and Partial seizures. The general seizures will cause loss of consciousness, and affects the whole body and may occur over a broad area of the brain. Whereas Partial seizures are usually caused by damage to a more limited area of the brain and are divided into simple seizures and complex seizures. In simple partial seizures, the person remains conscious but experiences some twitching and tingling sensations that can last several minutes. In the complex partial seizures, the person may behave oddly, and appear dazed and fail to respond if addressed.

There are certain causes that can trigger off an epileptic fit, such as alcohol, stress, patterns of light (such as T.V. or playing video games), lack of sleep, illness, hormones and food.

If epilepsy is suspected a medical professional will usually do tests such as EEG (Electroencephalogram), brain scans and blood tests to make a diagnosis

TREATMENT FOR EPILEPSY

The goal of modern neurological research is to develop safe, well-tolerated drugs that control seizure. Basic research has brought some of the now more commonly prescribed anticonvulsant drugs to the market. Scientists are also developing ways to

test new and better drugs in patients. **OUTLOOK FOR PEOPLE WITH EPILEPSY**

Epilepsy is usually treated with medication prescribed by a specialist. There are a number of anticonvulsant medications and the choice of medication depends on the type of epilepsy. Some children affected by epilepsy will grow out of the disability, with no apparent long-term effects. Many people with the disability lead normal lives and have no symptoms between seizures.

(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).

Action Need On Driving Test Waiting Lists In Dungarvan And Waterford

"Recent figures which show that Dungarvan has the longest waiting time for a driving test in Europe are completely unacceptable and place a heavy financial burden for

those paying insurance on provisional licences," the Labour representative for Waterford, Deputy Brian O'Shea

"Learner drivers in Dungar-

An Taisce National Spring Clean in Gaeltacht na Rinne

Everybody is invited to pitch in for An Taisce National Spring Clean, which takes place in the Ring Gaeltacht on Saturday 17th of April.

There will be three separate locations at the Cunnigar, Baile na nGall, and Helvick. So if you wish to join in the clean up of the area you use most then the choice is yours.

The Ring peninsula is an area of wonderful natural beauty, with a beautiful piers, coves, cliffs and beaches, and the Cunnigar sand-spit which is home to a vast array of exquisite flora and fauna and brilliant birdlife.

The Spring Clean has proved to be a wonderful experience in the past for people of all ages who love the outdoors, so we invite you to join us at 11:30 am at one of the three locations at the Cunnigar Beach Car Park; Baile na nGall Beach Car Park or Helvick Pier Car Park. Gloves and plastic bags will be provided by the Environment Section of Waterford County Council to all volunteers who pitch in to help keep our county crystal clean.

van and Waterford have to wait 62 and 61 weeks respectively on average before being able to sit their driving test. It is completely outrageous that these waiting times are the longest in Europe. Despite the Minister's attempts to reduce driving test waiting lists, it has been a shambles. The lists are getting

'The Government's promised Driving Testing and Standards Authority is still onhold until the appropriate legislation is brought before the Oireachtas. This body would take on responsibility for conducting driving tests and will have more flexibility to respond to the variations in demand. This is clearly needed in Waterford. Currently there are only 13 driver testers working in the South East region covering 10 test centres.

"I have raised this in Dail and was informed by the Minister that he expects the text of the Bill to go to the Government soon. His unsatisfactory and evasive answer is simply too vague. It is clear the Minister has failed in his assurance to revamp the driving test system. These measures must be brought forward immediately. I will continue to push this issue in the Dail."

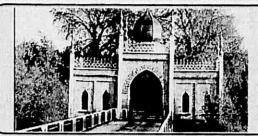
O'Higgins Says Thanks

Mai O'Higgins would like to thank Tom Keith and the St. Patrick's Day Parade committee for the kind invitation to join them on the parade reviewing stand on our national patron saint's day. To Mr. Jim Veale for his beautiful presentation of Waterford Glass on behalf of the St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee.

Also a special thanks to Kieran O'Connor, Glanbia; John Walsh and Tom Keith for organising her CD launch for "Songs Of Old Ireland".

Thanks to Deputy Mayor, Billy Kyne; Fr. Jackie Power OSA; Paddy Joe Ryan, County Chairman GAA and Councillor Nuala Ryan for their kind words of praise and encouragement on the night.

Special helpers Ann Ryan, Cait Keating, Mary and Rita Giblin, Mary Hickey and Joan Bailey for their input into organising the event. The Old Dungarvan Ceili Band with singer Michael Ryan helped to make the night one to remember.



WEST WATERFORD NOTES

CLASHORE/ KINSALEBEG GAA NOTES Lotto

No winner of last Monday night's lotto jackpot. Numbers drawn were 8-11-18-24. 15 euro to each of the following: Sergei Quinn, Piltown; Kevin Quinn, Ballyhane; Vera Murphy, Knockanore; James Maher, Ballinameela and Ellen O'Brien, Kereen. Results of draw held on Monday 5th for a jackpot of 3120 euro will be in next weeks notes.

Speedy Recovery

Everyone in the club wishes a speedy recovery to Eoin Riordan who is currently in the Mercy Hospital, Cork.

Last Weeks Results

Co. Hurling League Division 4 Clashmore 1-11 Ballydurn 2-

This Weeks Fixtures

U-21 A Football Western A Semi Final Clashmore v Ballinacourty on Saturday at 2.30 pm in Football League on Easter Monday at 2.30 pm in Clashmore.

WEST WATERFORD PONY CLUB

Our three weekly sessions of riding lessons at Tim Beechers, Tallow were most successful. Riding tuition was given by Tadgh Beecher and Josh Hanrahan. The following members attended - Jill O'Gorman, Lucy O'Hanrahan, Niamh O'Sullivan, Pauline Dahill, Claire Mc-Cauliffe, Danielle Murphy, Grace O'Keeffe, Ellen O'Keeffe, Kristy Connell, Jonathan Burke, Ashling McCarthy, James Noonan, Laura Fitzgerald, Sally Ann O'Grady, David Murphy, Christina Toomey, Orla Murphy, Nancy Hanrahan, Patrick Coughlan, Stephen England, Paul O'Brien, Sara Frost and Mary Frost.

INFORMATION NIGHT

An Information Night is planned for Tuesday, April 15th at 8 pm in St. Patrick's Hall, Tallow. Also a bring and buy sale of unwanted club items such as ties, club jumpers and surplus items of horse wear. A video is planned with guest speaker. This meeting is open to interested parents and children. Entrance is free.

EASTER EGG RIDE

Our Easter Egg Ride will be held on Wednesday, April 17th at Lismore Amenity Centre Dump. This is always good fun and there will be lots of Easter Eggs to be found this year.

WOULD BE EVENTERS

Flat work demonstration and lessons with Mary O'Connor will be held at Marie Hennessy's on April 24th at 3 pm. A club rally will also be held in conjunction with this event so do bring along your ponies.

GAMES

A mounted games rally and demonstration will be held at Dahill's Glencairn on May 7th at 7 pm. Members and parents please note that it is essential to arrive 20 minutes before the start time as all events will start

on time

For any information on any of the events please contact our D C Marie Hennessy 021 4667432 or Secretary Oonagh O'Keeffe 058 56701, Treasurer Catherine O'Brien 058-56527.

CLASHMORE-PILTOWN EASTER CEREMONIES 2004

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lords Supper, Piltown 7 pm (Mass will be followed by Adoration at the Altar of Repose until 10 pm). Clashmore 8 pm Mass (Mass will be followed by Adoration at the Altar of Repose until 11 pm). Good Friday Celebration of the Lords Passion Piltown 3.30 pm Clashmore 8 pm. Confessions after the Ceremonies Stations of the Cross Clashmore 2.30 pm Piltown 7 pm. Holy Saturday Easter Vigil Piltown 8 pm Clashmore 9 pm. Easter Sun-day Piltown 9.30 pm. Clashmore 11.00 pm.

COMMUNITY GAMES

County Finals of Community Games Art on Saturday April 17th the County finals of Community Games takes place at St. Augustine's College in the Friary, Dungarvan, starting at 11 am sharp. All first and second prize winners may compete in the County Finals with the exception under 6's, who do not compete at County Level.

IN HOSPITAL

Our thoughts and good wishes are with Eoin O'Riordan, presently a patient in the Mercy Hospital, Cork. Family and friends all join in wishing you a full and speedy recovery Eoin.

HAMPER DRAW This Saturday

Parents and pupils are asked to return all cards and money to any member of the Clashmore Parents Association for the Annual Easter Hamper Raffle. The draw for which takes place on this Saturday, April 10th. Along with a Monster Easter Hamper, there are some great runner up prizes and there is still time to purchase a line and be in with a chance to win. The proceeds of this draw will help fund extracurricular speech and drama classes which are presently available to all pupils in the

ANNUAL DUCK DERBY Clashmore – Easter Sunday

Easter is coming and the ducks are getting fast. Or so we are told by the Clashmore Enterprise Co-op. As tensions once again built up in anticipation of the Annual Clashmore Duck Derby which takes place on the River Greagagh in Clashmore on Easter Sunday, which is held in aid of the restoration of the Old Church. The first race takes place at 3 pm and a great day's family entertainment is promised. To secure your duck for this years race just purchase a ticket from any member of the enterprise co-op and you could win a portable colour TV, 2nd prize 100 euro, 3rd prize bottle of whiskey, 4th prize tin of bis-

CLASHMORE 45 DRIVE

Let's begin by reminding all our players at the Clashmore 45 Drive it's cards as normal next Easter Bank Holiday Monday night, starting at 9 pm sharp.

Last Monday nights winners were Michael and Mairead Fahy, Mary Dower and Nell Foley. Both sets scoring seven games each. Third prize was split four ways with Nell and Paddy Foley, Ned Hynes and Jim McGrath, Mary Fleming and John Cliffe, Davy Murray and Jimmy Roche all scoring six games each.

Best of the last five went to John Quinn and Assumpta Dalton, Paddy Lynch and Jack Douris. The lucky last game winners were Liam Curran and Tomas Allen, Roger Hynes and John Hynes. Well done all.

GEALTACHT SCHOLARSHIP

Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan is the venue for this years Gaeltacht Scholarship Exam and it takes place on this Easter Saturday, April 10th. Entry forms for the summer 2004 scholarship are now available from the Clashmore/Kinsalebeg GAA Club and can be obtained from Tim O'Keeffe's Mace in Clashmore.

UI DOMHNAILLS POKER CLASSIC

Ui Domhnaill Poker Classic tonight and every Wednesday night at 9.30 pm sharp.

CLASHMORE KINSALEBEG GAA Lotto Draw

3250 euro is this weeks lotto jackpot and it could be yours this Easter when you match four numbers in the Clashmore/Kinsalebeg lotto draw. Last week Dean and Marion, c/o the Decies, Wm. Quinn, Cappagh, Paul Daly, Cappagh, John Bradley, Piltown and Geraldine Cunningham each won 15 euro consolation prizes. Well done to them. The numbers out last week were 6-10-21-22. A very happy Easter to all our supporters and thank you for all your continued sup-

Next weeks draw takes place at the Old Still, Clashmore on Easter Monday night, April 12th.

RING TOURNAMENT IN AID OF WEST WATERFORD HOSPICE

All the qualifying rounds in the Ring Tournament, at Beresford's, the Rising Sun were completed last weekend with the following joining those already qualified from the previous nights. Friday night it took the Cork man, Pa McCarthy to score the ones to get his team, Paddy Hurton, Patrick (Axle) Foley and Anna Fleming Foley through to the next round.

On Saturday night Paul Marks (with a little coaching from the more skilled Pa McCarthy) and team mates Tom (Cooper) Cunningham, Joe Russell and Marian Ryan going through as did Tom Kelly, James Flavin, John Quinn and Kitty Kelly.

On Sunday night the final team to qualify for the present

competition were Gerry Keane, Tom (Tucker) Cunningham, John Beresford and Sheila

Budds.
Once again score keeping was under the very vigilant Seamus Troy. Next weekend players take some time out for Easter and get a little practice in before the second rounds which begin on Friday, April 16th. Commiseration to those who did not manage to qualify, your support was very much appreciated.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthday greetings to Davy Foley, Clashmore who celebrated his birthday last weekend. Good wishes to you Davy from all your friends.

PILTOWN AMBUSH COMMEMORATION COMMITTEE

March and Wreath Laying

On this Easter Saturday night. April 10th the above committee will commemorate the Piltown Ambush with a march led by pipers from the Cork Hill Pipeband, starting at 6.30 pm. From Piltown Church to the Joseph Mary Quainn Monument where a wreath lying ceremony will take place, wreaths will be laid on behalf of the committee. West Waterford brigade, IRA Memorial Association, Fianna Fail and Sinn Fein, prominent guest speakers Denis Lahiffe and Ollie Wilkinson T.D. will address the

FUNDRAISER AT THE OLD STILL

The commemoration will be followed by a fund rising night which takes place at the Old Still, Clashmore, (Salmons). Music will be provided by Side Kicks and there are lots of spot prizes to be won.

PROGRESS TO DATE

The Piltown Ambush Commemoration committee having applied for Planning Permission to erect an appropriate monument to commemorate the Piltown Ambush are presently working hand in hand with Waterford County Council, on a suitable position to erect the monument on the revised realignment of the N25 at Piltown Cross. We are confident this development will commence early in February 2005. Fund raising to date is making steady progress and thanks to your continued support we hope to have the necessary funds to erect an appropriate monument to mark the site of the Piltown Ambush as soon as the site becomes available on the relined N25 at Piltown

JUVENILE GAA EASTER EGG DRAW

Just a reminder to all our Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Juvenile GAA members to make a special effort this week to promote our giant Easter Egg draw before the raffle this weekend. All promoters are asked to return cards and money on or before Thursday please.

DAFFODIL DAY IN LISMORE!



'Babe' Tierney and Cassie Hyland were recently working hard in the sunshine outside the Lismore Hotel on Daffodil Day collecting donations for the Waterford Hospice. This year 'Babe' and Cassie raised just over 500 euro for the hospice. The pair, who have been collecting annually for the hospice for several years, are seen here offering some fresh Daffodils to Helen Moore of Deerpark.

Left to right - Cassie Hyland, Babe Tierney and customer Helen Moore.

DEVONSHIRE DAY GUIDED TOUR!

Visitors to the recent Immrama Festival fundraising 'Devonshire Day' held in Lismore Castle and Gardens, enjoy a guided tour of the Castle Gardens, given by Castle Head Gardener, Chris Tull (Centre)

Modeligo Parent and Toddler Group Notes

We finished the Easter term last Friday with an Easter Egg hunt, and would like to extend a big thank you to Carmel and all in the Modeligo Development Committee who provided the Easter Eggs

At time of going to press, our adult meeting is yet to be held to decide on next term's activities, and there will be an update on this next week. And the final weigh-in for the Slimathon for Meningitis Research Fund will have taken place. Small prizes in 4 categories will be sponsored by the Group, and details announced early next term. The 9 Mums taking part should return their sponsorship monies directly to the Meningitis Research Foundation as soon as possible after 11 April, and no later than May 30.

A date has been provisionally set for the Barnardos Big Toddle for Friday 30 April. We hope all our parents can come with their tots to raise money for Barnardos. And, of course, buggies are welcome for those who cannot walk. There will be a further update on this after 15 April.

We are on our Easter break until Friday 23 April and meet every Friday at the Community Centre from 10.30am to 12 noon. Contacts are Loretta O' Shea at 058 47983 or Ann Fetton at 087 7841719. A poor turnout from the brave lads last week, but we hope that the fine weather and the prospect of using the field to exercise the kids will encourage more Dads to come along next term. The summer terms ends on Friday 25 June, and weather permitting, we hope to get the kids outdoors as much as possible.

For any member who missed the sessions when the registration and assessment forms were given out, please see Loretta next term. And continue to read the local paper notes, as it's often hard to be heard above the sounds of lively tots when trying to give updates!

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BRIDEVIEW UNITED A.F.C NOTES

Red House League -**Brideview Shock Lismore**

It's hard to believe but United trounced Lismore on Sunday morning last. Usually this local derby is won by the odd goal but on Sunday morning last United won 6-0. Cup fever is hitting the club at the moment. We have three teams in cup finals and one team in a semi final. Our junior team are in the Tony Bolger cup final while our U14 team and U18 team are also into cup finals while our U16 side are through to their cup semi final.

Results Premier Division - Lismore 0 **Brideview Utd 6**

This shock defeat for the homeside was enough to see Ardmore clinch the league title. Lismore were never up for this game and it was over as a contest at the break as United led 5-0. These goals were scored by John P. Grey from the penalty spot after just 1 minute. Michael Keating scored number two after 10 minutes with Michael Curley adding the third after 18 minutes. Michael Keating scored his second and Uniteds fourth after 30 minutes while Terence McSweeney grabbed the Tallow side's fifth goal in the 43rd minute. Michael Curley added goal number six from the penalty spot after 56 minutes and after this United were happy just to play out the time. We now just have two league games left.

United: B. Sheehan, G. O'Neill, D. Martin, J.P. Grey, S. Barry, M. Curley, W. Murphy, J. Doyle, B. Donnelly, M. Keating, T. Mc-Sweeney.

U16 Cup Ardmore 3 Brideview Utd 3

This cup was run on a league McDonalds. Need we say more.

basis and United topped their group with seven points. Ardmore took the lead but our lads fought back and a great cross by Kevin Henley was volleyed home by Kieran

Kevin Henley grabbed United's second goal while Graham O'Neill rounded off United's goals when he scored from the penalty spot. Well done lads.

United: S. Ahearn, O. Condon, G. O'Neill, K. Kearney, J. Hampton, E. Hickey, S. Power, K. Geary, K. Henley, J. Owens.

Res: J. Power, T. Ryan used. U14 Cup Semi Finals Cappoquin 1 Brideview Utd 4 See schoolboys notes for match

report. Well done lads Lotto Jackpot 6,450e.

Last weeks numbers were 2-16-19-20. No winner. Match 3 winners were Michael Casey and Pauline Power. Draw this Saturday night at 6:00pm in the Corner House.

Schoolboys Draw All tickets to be handed in to Liam Fraser before 8pm this Thursday evening

Birthday Corner Happy birthday to Pat Joe Collins who celebrated his birthday last week. A little bird told me this Pat. Not forgetting Seamus Hurley who celebrated his birthday on Friday last. Christopher Oakham also cele-

brated his birthday last week Trip To Waterford

We can say well done to our boys and girls who acted as ballboys on Friday night last in the R.S.C. A great night was had by all and while Paul McGrath was missing on the night, John Frost (a great favourite with the kids) stood in for a photo while the night ended with a visit to

A very important committee meeting takes place in the Gym at 9:00pm on this Wednesday evening. All committee members are asked to attend.

Republic Of Ireland v Czech

Republic
A big number of local fans (including the females) attended this game on Wednesday. Indeed Jury's Hotel was the meeting place for all locals. Some came home on Friday while some did not return until Sunday. It's well for some. By any standards the result was brilliant and the game itself had a competitive edge to it which was terrific for the fans.

Fags And No Fags

Last Monday saw the no smoking

signs go up and to be fair nobody broke the law. The sand buckets outside the public houses doors are full. It is a bit funny to see four or five people outside smoking. Many people are glad as they have cut back on the fags. It has to be said that the pubs are looking a lot cleaner inside.

Fixtures For Sunday,

Gortroe v Brideview Utd. Kick

and girls 5-8 years, 11-12noon. players will be notified.

PRESENTATION OF CHEQUE TO MATERNITY UNIT SUPPORT GROUP

A very pleasant function was held in St. Patrick's Parish Hall, Tallow on Monday evening, 29th March. Our Parish Priest Fr. Michael Farrell had extended an invitation to a group of nurses from Waterford Regional Hospital to join us in the Hall. The occasion marked the handing over of a cheque to the Maternity Group within the hospital. The cheque of 2000euro represented a collection taken up during the Carol Service held in Tallow Church on Monday 22nd December 2003 coupled with private donations from Parishioners over the Christmas period.

Agnes Cooney Lee accepted the cheque from Fr. Farrell. Speaking project. Such endeavours improve the quality of life for those in need and this is always to be applauded.

It seemed fitting that the Carol Service was comprised of children aged seven to seventeen who enthralled all present with their renderings before Christmas. On Monday evening some children were present and the others were represented by their teachers from the various schools. Organist Mairead Cullinane, representatives from the Melleray Folk Group, members of the Parish Choir, Eddie Cunningham, Mary Mangan, Sacristans Ann Delaney and Benny O'Hara and the church warden

Photograph includes Very Rev Fr. Michael Farrell P.P. Tallow presenting a cheque, on behalf of Tallow Parishioners, to Agnes Cooney Lee, member of the Maternity Unit Support Group in Waterford Regional Hospital. The cheque total of 2000euro was collected in Tallow during a Carol Service and from donations from parishioners during the

NOTES FROM SCOIL MHUIRE, TALLOW Holy Week is here and this always heralds the Easter Holidays. In ac-

cordance with the standardised school holidays all schools closed on Friday 2nd April giving pupils and teachers alike a longer than usual break at this lovely time of the year We bad a busy term. Our ten week series of Swimming Lessons in Fermoy ended on Wed. 24th March. The children really enjoyed the sessions and their swimming skills certainly improved. Mile Buiochas to the Dads who came and supervised in the boy's dressing room. Thank you also to O'Brien Buses, Tallow and to their driver Richie Pratt who got us there and back safely.

On Tuesday 2nd March 34 pupils from fifth and sixth classes received the Sacrament of Confirmation from Most Rev. Bishop William Lee. It was a joyous occasion in the parish. All of the children to be confirmed participated in the various ceremonies in one guise or other and their singing during the Mass was highly acclaimed.

Winners in the Creative Writing and Poetry Competition, sponsored by Blackwater Community School, Lismore were Michelle Power, Edith Whyte and Sarah Ryan. Our Spring Garden, planted by the children from Junior Infants to Third class in the Autumn was a joy to behold all Spring. All of their snowdrops, crocuses, hyacinths, daffodils, narcissi, tulips, grape hyacinths, tulips and anemones are now in full bloom and little fingers didn't pick or damage even one!

Girls and boys, coached by Mr. Sheehan, continue to participate in hurling and camogie primary school leagues. We continue to have the affable Denny Cunningham as hurling coach for all classes on Wednes-

Pupils in Fourth, Fifth and Sixth classes participated in Table Quizzes in Knockanore, Ballyduff and most recently in Tallow Credit Union quiz in Tallow where they had considerable successes.

We had a lot of activity as Gaeilge for the duration of Seachtain na Gaeilge leading up to St. Patrick's Day. Bhíomar go leir ag caint as gaeilge i rith na seachtaine. Pupils in Ms. Keever's class staged a performance of Irish Music and Irish Dancing while Mr. Sheehan's children did a Drama Beag to the delight of all the onlookers. We have purchased a new digital camera for the school and the paisti now have instant proof of their abilities during any kind of activity!

Some of our students walked the ramp on March 18th in the Walter Raleigh Hotel, Youghal. The Parent's Council, under the chairmanship of Yvonne Beecher staged a highly successful Fashion Show to raise funds for the school. Our pupils were the Stars of the night!

A Jumble Sale, in aid of children in a school in South Africa was held in the school two weeks ago. It was organised by the pupils themselves and raised over 300euro. This was a credit to the children and to their parents. Well done!

We have a good tradition in the school of making a special effort to support Trocaire's Lenten Appeal and this year was no exception. Thanks again to children and parents alike.

On Wed. 31st March sixteen children in Second Class received their First Penance from Rev Fr. Michael Farrell P.P. during a ceremony in the Church. This ceremony is specially suited to the children's age and all went well. These children will receive their First Holy Communion on Saturday 15th May which will be a very special family day.

We have been collecting tokens from the Irish Independent for the past 3 months and hopefully have sufficient to qualify for the television and video which is the Guaranteed prize for 126 books of tokens.

Side by side with these extra curricular events life continues from day to day in a happy academic, safe and healthy environment which is always our priority in Scoil Mhuire. Caise shona daoibh go leir.

April 11th

Red House League - Premier Division

off 11:30am.

Saturday Academy

Continues on Saturday next. Boys Girls U12 12-1pm; Boys U12 perhaps on Friday at 12noon but

The Carol Service was held in aid of the Bereavement Room in Waterford Regional Hospital. This is a project which was pioneered by nurses in charge of the Maternity Unit. They saw a great need for the provision of a special room where parents of stillborn babies or parents who suffer miscarriages could grieve in private and have members of their families with them. This dream is now a reality and many families use the facility which includes privacy, comfort, counselling and support in their hour of need.

on behalf of her colleagues Olive Hearne, Mary Crawford, Nora Gahan and Mary Lonergan, all of whom were present, Agnes thanked all who contributed so generously to the collection. The group have already made an Angel's Plot available in Waterford cemetery and are in the process of purchasing a similar plot in Dungarvan. The total cost of the projects is 36,000euro. They received some money from the South Eastern Health Board but the shortfall is made up of private donations such as the generous cheque from Tallow Parishioners. Fr. Farrell said he and his parishioners were happy and proud to be associated with the

Sean Burke were also in attendance.

BRIDEVIEW UTD SCHOOLBOYS SOCCER NOTES

Brideview Boys Reach Final. U14 Cup Semi-final; Brideview Utd (5) V (0) Cappoquin.

Despite the rain and a poor playing pitch Brideview advanced to the cup final with a comprehensive win against Cappoquin last Saturday.

Playing against the wind in the first half it was difficult to play free flowing football and the game was scrappy for a while. Several missed chances early on by Brideview didn't stop the boys pushing forward at every opportunity. Kieran Geary went close twice while at the other end Ross (the cat) Livingston pulled off a fine save from a Cappoquin free-kick which he pushed the ball over the bar when it looked certain to hit the net,(anything Celtic's goalie can do so can the cat).

On 23mins another Brideview attack ended in a goalmouth scramble

which saw the ball rebound off William Cashman into the net, 1-0. This goal settled our lads and before half-time Kieran Geary broke from mid-field through any Cappoquin tackle like Moses parting the red sea to send a shot to back of the net,2-0.

Positional changes and substitutions for the second half helped keep Brideview on top although Cappoquin did cause trouble at times but Hallahan, Pratt, Aherne, Curley held firm. In midfield Collins, Geary, Cashman and Cunningham worked tirelessly to supply Owens and Ryan.

A typical John Owens run and pass let in Ryan on 12mins to make it 3-0, John went close himself later. Philip Cunningham now playing wide on the right sent in a super ball across the goal area to Joey (birthday boy) Power who almost capped his special day with a goal but was denied only to see Sean Long follow up to tap home, 4-0. Next up it was Power who passed to Cunningham who evaded tackles to send another pass across the area to Ryan who dummied the defender to slot home number 5.

This was a bruising encounter with non-stop attacking football despite the conditions and our lads did well to come out on top.

Team - R. Livingston, S.Aherne, D. Pratt , K. Hallahan, K. Curley, W. Cashman, K.Geary, B. Collins, P. Cunningham, T. Ryan, J. Owens. Subs all used: S. O'Sullivan, J. Power. S. Long

Captain: Kevin Curley. Man of the Match: Keith (the Boneshaker) Hallahan. Birthday Boy - Joey (I nearly scored) Power.

C.L.G. Tulach an Iarainn

Sponsored by Tallow Area Credit Union Tallow G.A.A. Lotto - supported by Kearneys Restaurant. 22/3/04 Nos. Drawn: 5, 8, 9, 13. No jackpot winner.

Consolation prizes[€25]: Mary Cashman, Liam Mulcahy, Nicole Maguire, Pat Leahy. Promoter: Fiona Crowley.

29/3/04. Nos. Drawn: 6, 11, 14, 18. No jackpot winner. Consolation prizes: Kitty McDonnell, Ber Malone, Peter Kennealy, Aidan, Paul & Ken Kearney, Promoter: Margaret Feeney. 5/4/04. Jackpot 4450. Results next week

First League Game Cancelled At Short Notice

The sequencing of events surrounding the cancellation of our first league, match against Mt. Sion, at a days notice, confirms the confused state of administration and communication in Waterford G.A.A.

The game was originally scheduled for Sunday 4th but at the behest of Mt. Sion was switched to Saturday 4th. Tallow players and management made plans accordingly. One of our players flew home for England for the game. Others travelled from different parts of Ireland while many more took time off work. Underage fixtures and training were rejigged or relocated to ensure the Tallow field would be available. Refreshments and sandwiches were ordered from Michael Kearney for our visitors.

Not for any pedantic exercise do I list the above but to give you an idea of how many people were affected by the thoughtless decision to cancel despite the fact that both clubs wanted the game played.

At some stage ,prior to last weekend, Justin McCarthy committed Waterford to a very worthy charity game against Limerick in Killmallock. The idea was to use players not currently on the county panel. The fact that the u21 hurling championship was played Saturday further limited selection options. At a very late stage a trawl of the clubs was undertaken. Players were contacted lunch time Friday and asked to travel to Kilmallock next day. To facilitate this, some genius decided that the Tallow vs Mt. Sion game should be cancelled. A Tallow clubman received a phone call at 5 30p.m. Friday to this effect. I might add it was not through what should be normal G.A.A. channels of communication i.e. county secretary to club secretary. We wanted the game regardless of whether we had players in Kilmallock or not, which we didn't.

The bottom line here is that the we had but two fixtures this year so far(the other was a Sargent Cup game)and both were changed despite assurances given by the county Chairman at the beginning of the year. Last weekend was set aside as a club weekend and it was not honoured. Listen we don't want the whole cake. All we want is a tiny slice now and again but we need to know it is our slice.

About the only people happy in Tallow Saturday evening were the customers in Lukies when the Mt. Sion sandwiches arrived in. Some-body forgot to cancel. Next time we should order them through the

Fixtures

Senior Hurling Championship: Sunday May 2nd. Tallow vs Bally-gunner in Dungarvan. (I will lay odds this fixture will not go ahead as planned.)

Junior Hurling Championship (second strings): Tallow vs Stradbally in Abbeyside. 7 30. 30/4/04. Referee Pat Moore. Junior Football: 16/4/04. Tallow vs Tourin. 7 15 p.m. in Lismore.

24/4/04. Tallow vs Old Parish . 7 30 p.m. in Cappoquin. Minor "B" Hurling: Cois Bhride vs Naomh Deaglain 5/5/04. 7

00p.m in Cappoquin. Minor B Football: 1st game : Coisbhride vs Affane 2nd game: vs Ardmore. 3rd game: vs St Olivers. No dates fixed as yet.

U21 Hurling Championship — The four semi finalists are: Formile-water, Colligan, Abbeyside and Tallow. No easy games in that lot, that's for sure. Draw was made at Monday nights meeting. If I have it in time I will include later in the notes

Challenge Game

Cunni pulled out all the stops to salvage something from last week ends debacle when he arranged a challenge game at short notice in Botharleathan. And those boys giving you "stick" Cunni. At least the lads got a bit of a work out. Further games agaist Moycarkey- Borris, Easter Monday in Tallow at 11 30 and the following week-end against Botharleathan, again in Tallow. Training Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 7 30 p.m. Players will be informed by group txt. of any changes.

Duirt Siad

"Are we opening a garden centre or a new hurling field."-Renowned local wit, Tom McSweeney, on observing the yellow field of flora.

Under Age Summary
Thanks to Denis and Anne Tobin for their generous sponsorship of the indoor tournament .Cois Bhride committee meeting will take place on Thursday 15th April at 8 30 in the Shamrock Inn. In minor hurling we play Ardmore on May 5th in Cappoquin. Dungarvan were far too strong for our u14s in Tallow last Sunday. Thomas McGrath improving with every game. This game was followed by a thrilling encounter between Cois Bhride u8s and Killeagh. Young O Mahony, Tallow Hill, caught the eye in this one - one for the future. u12s play Killeagh in Knockanore at 11 00 on Monday .Frank has full details in the Cois Bhride notes. Letter To America

Dear Kieran - Try as I may I have not been able to find anybody back home who can remember you hurling for Tallow. Do not be dismayed as I can assure you we will leave no stone unturned and I know the Chairman has taken a personal interest in the matter and is on the case. Kind regards to all our friends in Woodlawn. Yours sincerely, Seymour. Cairde Thar Saile

Barely 17, and as green as cabbage when I first landed in Kennedy in the Spring of '74. Some old haunts revisited this time round, many old friends no longer their. Much as changed in that great metropolis but the warm welcome of our fellow countymen remains steadfast. Waterford hurlers will field in the senior ranks of the New York championship this year but are finding it increasingly difficult with immigration almost at a standstill. Due to improved economic circumstances at home and the tightening of immigration procedures and secu-

People like Mike Prendergast, Jimmy French and Johnny Phelan have spent a lifetime promoting gaelic games and flying the Deise flag in New York. The "old guard" are still in the thick of it. We will talk about them and others we met on the trip, next week.

rity in the U.S., New York is not the attractive option it once was.

Tallow Traders & Business Association

The next meeting of the Tallow Traders and Business Association will take place on Wednesday, 7th April at 9:30pm in the Devonshire Arms

St. Patrick's Parish Hall, Tallow

Progressive 45 Results March 31st.- 1st: Jack Fraser and Mossie O'Brien; 2nd: Phil Daly and Mick Pratt; 3rd: Jack Cotter and Linda McCormack. Table prize Mary Statkam and Nan Kelly. Raffle winners Kitty McCarthy and Phil Daly. Cards ever Wednesday at 8:30pm.

CAPPOQUIN NOTES

CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE GAA CLUB NOTES

At the Blackwater House on Monday, March 29th the numbers drawn were 1, 15, 18, 19. There was no jackpot winner, consolation prizes of 20 euro went to each of the following, Sharon Mangan, Melleray, Albert Corcoran, Affane, Susan and Martin, Sunlawn, Virginia Dransfield, Ballinwillin and Tom Fitzpatrick, Affane.

This weeks draw was held in Fawltys on Monday last, April 5th and the jackpot prize stood at 8,200 euro. Results will appear in this section next week

Deise Development Draw

The first of this years Deise Development monthly draws took place last Friday, tickets can be had for the remaining draw from club drawn coordinator James Morrissey and from all the usual draw promoters. Tickets are for 10 euro a

Results 1st 12,00 euro Eddie Meaney, Colligan; 2nd 3,00 euro Gerry Whelan, Newtown, Ballyduff Erins Own GAA; 4th 1000 euro Paul Walsh, Stradbally GAA; 5th 500 euro Sam Power Genor GAA; coordinators prize N. Heffernan, Ferrybank and Paudie Kirwin, John Mitchell.

County Hurling League

Cappoquin traveled to Ferrybank on Sunday last to play their first game in the county league, Cappo-quin started well and led at the break by six points in the second half with the wind at their backs Ferrybank came more into the game as Cappoquin seemed to tire, to eventually come out on top by three points on the scoreline 1-15 to 1-12. Those who played well for Cappoquin were Donal O'Rourke, Tomas Mansfield, Tim Looby, Richie Scanlan and Patrick Morrissey

Remaining County League Fixtures

Round 2 (Date to be fixed). Cappoquin v. Geraldines in the Sportsfield.

Round 3 Saturday, May 8th

Cúrsa Spioradálta do

Ghaeilgeoirí 1954-2004

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Bhí paidreacha dúchais, seanchas, am pearsanta, abhair machnaimh,

sos ó'n ngnáth saol, béiltí breátha agus caidreamh idir eadrainn go léir.

Chuireamar ar gcáirde atá ar Shlí na Fírinne i gcuimhne go minic, agus

Fuaireamar litreacha tacaíochta ó Ab Chnoic Mhellerí, ó Phríomh Ab

na Cistersigh sa Róimh, ó Easpag Phortláirge agus Lios Mór Liam Ó

Laoi, agus bronnadh beannacht ó'n Phápa orainn le haghaidh an ocáid

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Clár taitneamhach a eagrú agus le lucht freastail an chúrsa. Go mbeir-

CAPPOQUIN KARATE CLUB

Last week saw Kanazawa in the country for his bi-annual course and

seminar, which took place at venues in Dublin, Cork and Clonmel.

Over a five day period the course was followed by a black belt grading

which took place in Mayfield, Cork on Sunday morning last at which

Carly McLaughlin, was successful in obtaining a first degree black belt

(Shondan) this is the result of hard work and dedication so well done

Carly. In the clubs 25 years history Carly is only the fourth girl/woman

to reach this standard, her predecessors were Colette Fitzgerald, Louise

Hogan and Bridget Coffey but I'm happy to report with the high stan-

We would also like to congratulate Eddie O'Donnell (Mitchelstown) who

reached the very high standard 5th Dan. Eddie who still competes at na-

tional and international level is a dedicated exponent of Shotokan Karate,

on Wednesday 14th April Eddie will be guest instructor at the Cappoquin club so we will expect 100% turnout especially from higher grades.

Annual Easter Commemoration

Will take place on Easter Monday evening. Assemble at 7 p.m. at the Square and march to the Republican Monument on the Melleray road.

Function afterwards in the Sportsman Inn. Music by the Highland Pad-

WEST WATERFORD DARTS

Cheoil who beat Deckies in the final by five games to one. Also Tig an Cheoil were unbeaten in the league. They played 15 games, won thir-

teen, drew two. So congratulations to Tig an Cheoil who play in the A

League next time round and believe you me you won't get it so easy up

Hard luck to Deckies on the night, you will be back, also well done to

Mick Walsh of Tig an Cheoil who chalked out on a 141. Mick was pre-

sented with lovely piece of Waterford Crystal sponsored by Pat Troy of

Red House, when Pat was asked at the A.G.M. would be sponsor some-

thing for the highest check out in the B League he did not hesitate and

In the A league Lukies beat Lindseys by 5-3 so the A final is between

Morrisseys of Cappoquin and Lukies of Tallow. This has the making of

a good final. The final will be played in Paddy Macs of Ardmore on

Friday 16th at 9 o'clock. John O'Shea of Morrisseys still has a 139

check out., The draw for the singles will be made in the next week.

said no problem, and what a sponsor, well done Pat.

What a draw if Tig an Cheoil and Morrissey A drew.

Well we have completed the B League, congratulations to Tig an

dard in club at the moment we hope this will increase shortly.

dies, all are welcome. K. Balfe 087-7509303.

there ha ha.

imid beo, má fhágann Dia an sláinte againn, ar an am seo aris.

chúrsa, a dtuairimí dúinn ar sliochteanna ó soisceal Eoin.

na baill atá breoite agus iad nárbh fhéidir leo bheith linn.

fáiltíodh go mór rompu agus ar na ceannairí orthu.

spéisialta seo. Míle buíochas leo siúd.

Cappoquin v. Dungarvan in Dungarvan at 2.30 p.m.

Round 4 (Date to be fixed) Cappoquin v. Colligan in Cappo-

Round 5 (Date to be fixed). Cappoquin v. St. Saviours in Cappo-

Round 6 (Date to be fixed). Cappoquin v. St. Mollerans in

Carrickbeg Round 7 (Date to be fixed). Cappoquin v. Mt. Sion in the

Tour Of Duty

Sportsfield.

Best of luck to club players Shane Coughlan who goes on a tour of duty to Kosova this week. Shane has been one of our top players over the last few years and will be sorely missed.

Speedy Recovery

The Cappoquin/Affane club would like to wish club players Keith and Paul Landers a speedy recovery who are both out injured at present. Keith would be lining out this evening with the Waterford minor hurlers in the Munster Championship against Cork.

U.21 Western Hurling Championship

With almost practically a minor side Cappoquin U.21 hurlers put in a wholehearted spirited performance against Ardmore losing on the scoreline 1-7 to 2-11 in Tallow last Saturday. Those to shine were Tim and Kevin Looby, JJ Devine and Brendan Scanlon.

Team: Johnny Cunningham, Jamie Dalton, Donal O'Keeffe, Eoin Landers, Donal McGrath, Kevin Looby, Tim Looby, JJ Devine, Cathal Wilkinson, Gearoid Coughlan, Brendan Scanlan, Dan Drainsfield, David Sheehan, Pat Devine, Paul Barry, David Kett.

U.14 Western Footbal Championship

On Monday last in the Sportsfield, Cappoquin U.14 hurlers had a good win in a lively contest with Cois Bhride in round one of the Western Championship.

Panel: Darren Curran, Ray Hallisey, Shane O'Rourke, Mikey Devine, David Calitane, Colm Looby, Ian Fitzgerald, Pat Fitzgerald, Liam Coffey, David Cahill, Finan Murray, Evan McGrath, Brian Crotty, Ivan Cliffe, Derek Cahill, Ross McLaughlin, Conor Murray, David O'Brien, Brian Crotty, PJ Curran, David Cahill, Philip O'Rourke.

Remaining Fixtures Round 3, Monday 12th April, Cappoquin v. Dungarvan in the

Sportsfield at 6.45 p.m. **U.16 Football Western**

Championship

Affane U.16 footballers took on the Nire in Ballymac 9on Friday last in Round one of the Western Championship and lost out by a point 2-5 to 2-6 on a controversial scoreline, when some thought ut was a draw in an entertaining game. Team: David Leahy, Shane

O'Rourke, Shane Fives, Mikey Fenton, Joe Kett, Killian Denn, Daithi Wilkinson, Shane Power, JJ Devine, Ian Mason, Pat Fitzgerald, Darren Curran, Mikey Devine.

Next Fixture

Round 2 this Sunday, April 11th at 11.30 a.m. Affane v. Dungarvan in the Sportsfield

Three To Answer

1. When was the last year that both captains in a Munster Senior Hurling Final had the same surnames'

2. What year did Waterford hurlers change their jerseys from royal blue to all white with blue

3. What secondary college did Waterford Minor hurling trainer Brendan McKeogh play for?

Answers will appear in this section next week.

Last Weeks Answers

1. Eire Og St. Lachtains, John Lockes and Erins Own have all won county senior hurling titles in Kilkenny.

2. Gerald Spellman, Daragh Coen, Mark and Alan Keane play for Galway club Clarenbridge.

South Libertries (Limerick) and Sixmilebridge (Clare) were both beaten by Mt. Sion in Munster Club Senior Hurling Finals and Blackrock, Cork went defeated by Ballygunner in a Munster club senior hurling final.

Blast From The Past 7th December 1947 **Minor Football County Final**

Cappoquin 0-3, Mt. Sion 0-1 at Lismore. Ref. V. O'Donoghue.

The attendance was on the small side due to the adverse weather conditions, the game provided a contrast in styles as Mt. Sion were the most scientific but the splendid manner in which the Cappoquin lads combined gave the city lads no chance on developing any fancy play. The greasy ball was entirely against any good football and the first time kicking policy proved the better in the long run.
Jo Meara and Billy Conway had

points for Cappoquin in the first half and J. Flannery scored a point for Mt. Sion, Conway had a point off a free for Cappoquin the second half and to the cheers of the Cappoquin supporters the full time whis tle was blown leaving them worth

12th October 1947

Minor Hurling County Final Cappoquin 5-1, Mt. Sion 6-8 at Dungarvan. Ref. P. Ryan

Cappoquin: Joe Flynn, Paddy Fraher, Dick Doocey, Pat O'Donnell, J. Curran, Vincent Walsh, J. Fives, (3-0), Billy Conway (1-1), Mickey O'Connor, Michael Kelleher (1-0), Mick Quinn, Michael Brown, M. Hickey, J. O'Keeffe.

Mt. Sion: P. O'Brien, M. Morrissey, P. Murphy, P. Durand, Matt Morrissey, Philly Grimes, E. Fanning, N. Gaffney, W. Power, J. Flannelly, Mick Flannelly, T. Gallagher, E. Walsh, S. Power, J. Hay-

Cappoquin Community Development Company Ltd Lotto Results

Lotto results for April 5th, 1,100 euro, there was no winner.

Consolation prizes went to Grainne Mernin, James Nagle, Yvonne Harrington, Mano Greanco's Take Away, Helen Buckley, Martin Power. Next weeks lotto jackpot will be 1,200 euro and will be held on Tuesday, April 13th.

CAPPOQUIN FLOWER CLUB OPEN NIGHT

Boathouse Tuesday 30th at 7.45 pm. Spring is in the air - time to shake off the winter blues. Our Easter Demonstration is being given by the very talented Rose Hickey from Conna Flower Club. Rose has given classes to our club in the past and is always inspirational. Now is your chance to benefit. All welcome.

Remember - the Boathouse Tuesday 30th March at 7.45 pm.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Peter Allen and family, Shanbally on the death of his father Robert in Glas-

CELEBRATED 21ST Congratulations to Sharon O'Re-

gan, Cook St., who celebrated her 21st birthday in the Central Bar on Friday night last. A great night was had by all.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Tom and Amanda Mansfield, Kilclogher on the birth of their second child

BON VOYAGE

Best of luck to Shane Coughlan "Santa Maria", Ballyhane who is on his way to Kosova with the Irish peacekeeping forces.

CAPPOQUIN A.F.C. **CLUB NOTES**

UNDER-11

So on Saturday afternoon last we travelled to Fermoy for a vital league fixture. The importance of a panel came in to play as we were missing a couple of players. From the start we took the game to the home side and took an early lead through Brian Crotty. The second half saw an improvement from the Fermoy but we held firm and indeed wrapped up the 3 points when Evan McGrath scored our second. This win leaves us with maximum points from four games and with four remaining every game will be a cup final. Blackstone and Ardmore also have maximum points and we must all play each other. Interesting finish in prospect.

UNDER-14

At the same time at home our U-14 squad exited the Cup tamely, to Brideview. All year this squad have been short players in every game. A core of dedicated players never fail to turn up but they have been left down by others that only come when it suits or when there is nothing else on. That is not team work. Well done to the ones that missed no game all year, and the remainder should make up their mind whether they want to play soccer or not. The final score was 5-0 to Brideview. Not bad considering we only had 10.

Youth

The eagerly awaited league decider goes ahead next Sunday at 3 pm versus Mogeely at home. A point from this fixture secures the title for us but this will be a daunting task. We must field without Stephen Kett, Mossie Collins, Keith Landers and Eamon Nugent. Injury double also hangs over Kevin Power. All five have been regulars on the team but our panel is strong and we can call on some very talented younger players. We appeal to all the club members, parents, friends and girlfriends to come along to the Cappoquin club ground next Sunday at 3 pm to support the lads. See you then.

Does your boy or girl fit that category. If so soccer coaching has begun at our club grounds on Monday evenings from 6.30 to 7.30 pm. Six adults were present on Monday last for coaching children, which gives an excellent coach to child ratio. Later in the summer we will enter U-8, U-9 and U-10 leagues, but for now it's all coaching and fun. Not to say the league will not also be fun, just organised fun. All are welcome go bring along your boy or girl on Mondays at 6.30 pm. Any queries ring Michael Looby at 087-2513983.

RAILWAY ATHLETIC F.C. NOTES

Uunder 11 Cup Semi Final Villa 1 Railway Athletic (AET) 2

History was created on Wednesday evening last, March 31st as Railway Athletics U-11 qualified for the Cup final after an absolute titanic struggle against a very well organised Villa side. This is a just reward for a bunch of lads who have put in a huge effort over the last two years and on the night in question we thoroughly deserved our win.

The game started at a very fast pace and we attacked the Villa at every opportunity in the opening minutes. Shane McGovern was very unlucky early on when he was put through by Patrick O'Connor but shot narrowly wide. Villa pinned us back for a period after that but any effort they had was well dealt with by Killian O'Sullivan in the Railway goal. We took the lead midway through the half when we won a free kick out on the left. Quick thinking by Kieran Lynch found Jamie Glavin just inside the area and his first touch set him up for a fine shot that was worthy of winning any game as he blasted high into the roof of the net. Five minutes later we were nearly two up. A fine ball from Jason O'Keeffe put Jamie through again but the keeper made a fine save from close range then five minutes before the break disaster for us, we got caught in possession just outside our area and as the ball was played into our area we were caught ball watching and Villa's striker gave Sully no chance in the Railway goal at half time it was all square at 1-1.

In the second half we started very nervous and at an early stage it looked like Villa were the ones who were taking control of the match. It was at this stage that Railway started to panic a little and began to make some silly mistakes. However some substitutions and switches to come to terms with the pace of the games again. Try as we might we couldn't get the goal to finish the game and so it was to extra time. This is when the character of this bunch of lads began to shine through. We dominated extra time but had to wait until two minutes to go before we got the winner. Some great work by O'Keeffe, Hurley and Robson set up Glavin and he hit the back of the net to send the Railway players and supporters wild. As I said in the beginning history was made on Wednesday night when the final whistle went as this will be the clubs first ever Cup final at underage level. Hard to believe with all the fine teams we have had over the years that this will be our first final in the twenty four years that we have produced underage teams.

Team: Killian O'Sullivan, Brendan O'Dwyer, Kieran Lynch, James Ryan, Gary Hurley, Shane McGovern, Patrick O'Connor, Padraig Prendergast, Terence Robson, Jason O'Keeffe, Jamie Glavin. Res. Michael Hamill, Stephen Halley, Ivan Lynch, Kieran Kelly, Paul Wright, Josh

Cup Final

The date for the Cup final has been fixed for Saturday 8th May. We will be hoping for a very big turnout on the day from parents and junior players so come on lads give these young boys your support on the day.

Cappoquin Macra News

New Members
The club would like to welcome Donal McGrath, Caroline Murray, Pat Devine and Denis Byrne.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will take place next Thursday at 9pm. Will all members please attend.

Club Night Out The club are going to the Curaheen Park dog track on Saturday night

17th April. Could all members interested please bring a deposit of 10 to the next meeting.

Four Regions Night

18 members of the club went to this event in the Walter Raleigh Hotel in Youghal. A great night was had by all

LISMORE NOTES

C.L.C.G. LIOS MÓR

U21 Championship Our opening game of this years championship took place on Saturday afternoon when our under 21 hurlers played Fourmilewater in Cappoquin. Fourmile got off to a very good start and from the outset our lads seemed to be trailing. However, it was a well contested game with some lovely scoring chances availed of. On the day, luck was just not on our side with the final score reading Fourmilewater 1-14 to Lismore's 1-6. Panel: Colm Bennett, James Shanahan, Brian O'Connell, John O'Donnell, John Heneghen, Michael Walsh, Brendan Bennett, Shane Bennett, Mattie Prendergast, Robert Lineen, Chris O'Gorman, Brian Doocey, Sean Ormonde, Terence Walsh and Michael Coleman. Subs Used: K. Leahy for Ormonde, E. Nugent for O'Connell.

County Hurling League Our first game of the 2004 Hurling League took place on Sunday afternoon in Roanmore. It was a well contested game in wintery conditions. Both sides gave it their all with Lismore running out victorious on a final scoreline of 2-15 to 1-14.

2003 Hurling League Final

The final of the 2003 Senior Hurling League is due to take place on Easter Monday in Fraher Field, Dungarvan at 2.00 p.m. Our opponents in this game will be Ballygunner.

Senior Hurling Championship The opening games for this years Senior Hurling Champi-onship have now been con-

firmed and we are playing Stradbally on Saturday 1st May in Fraher Field at 7.00 p.m.

Club Membership

Just a note to remind everyone that Club Membership is now overdue. Anyone who has not yet paid, please contact Tom Hannon as soon as possible. Membership fee for players is €25 and €10 for non-players. Players please note that you are not covered by Insurance if membership is not paid.

Gaeltacht Scholarships

Application forms are now available for the GAA scholarships to Ring for this summer. The interview/exam for same is taking place on April 10th in Lawlor's Hotel at 2.00 p.m. Application forms are currently available from Liz Foley on

Congratulations

The club would like to congratulate County Chairman Paddy Joe Ryan on his election to Munster Council at Monday night's County Board Meeting. This vacancy occurred due to our own Jimmy O'Gorman being recently elected as Vice-Chair of the Munster Council. We hope that Paddy Joe has as long and successful a time with the Munster Council as Jimmy has had

Lotto

The numbers drawn in Monday night's lotto were: 1, 12,

There was no winner of the €2500 Jackpot. Next week's jackpot is € 2650.

The €15 winners were as fol-

John Jackson, Ballyduff Paddy Lawton, Townspark Mary Russell, Deerpark

Brian Shanahan, Parks Road. We would ask that all patrons support the club lotto as this is one of the mainstays behind club finances and all support is greatly appreciated. All funds raised from the Club Lotto go directly back into development work in the field and Community Centre.

C.L.C.G. na nÓg Lios Mór/Baile na Saggart

Membership

Just a reminder that the membership fee for all juvenile grades up to Minor is €5 subject to a maximum of €10 per family. For insurance purposes, all players must be registered club members. Players are asked to pay membership immediately to their team men-

Diary Dates

Some dates for your diaries, the Ber Ryan Tournament for under 11's will take place on 1st May and the Paddy Whelan Tournament for under 14's will take place on Saturday 8th

LISMORE MOCHUDA **LOTTO DRAW**

Super Jackpot Draw € 5100.00. GSTW. No winner Bonus Jackpot Draw € 150.00. BJST. Winner: John J. Scanlan, Ballinwillin.

Consolation Prizes €15.00 each to:- Ann Pollard, Chapel St. Lismore - Judith Connolly, Ballysaggart, Lismore -James Claxton, Ballyin, Lismore - Ann Shanahan, Tal-

Next Draw April 6th 2004, Rose's West End Bar. Super Jackpot € 5250.00

LISMORE GOLF CLUB

Results: Saturday 3RD & Sunday 4TH of April 18 Hole Stableford Easter Hampers sponsored by Willie Roche Centra Lismore. 1st Seamie Daly (22) 42 Pts B9, 2nd Paddy O'Leary (10) 42 Pts, 3rd Larry Kiely (18) 39 Pts B9. CSS 37 PTS

Fixtures: Tuesday Bacon, Thursday 8th & Friday 9th Open 18 Hole Keniry Qualifier. Saturday 10th, Sunday 11th, & Monday 12th of April, Gents Open 18 Stableford sponsored by Lismore Hotel Timesheet 058-54026. Last Card 1pm on Monday followed by Open 9 Hole Ladies and Gents from 3pm.

We had our Easter Hamper Competition Sponsored by Willie Roches of Lismore this weekend in what were wet blustery conditions yet again but as usual we had a handfull of players who made light of the elements led by Ballyduff's Shamie Daly (22) who is one of life's eternal triers, his excellent 42 pts setting a target that looked good enough to do the business it was the last man out on the course who hit his best form in a while that took it to the wire but alas his 42 pts was nt quite good enough to dislodge Shamie from his lofty perch the man in question being Competition Secretary Paddy O'Leary (10) who succumbed to a superior back nine holes, in third place also due to having a superior last nine holes was Larry Keily (18) his 39 pts edging out recent Club Captain Paddy Aherne (13) We staged The Blackwater Farmers Society outing on Thursday and it was a great success despite it being a wet old day. This coming Thursday and Friday we see the start of our popular Open Qualifier sponsored by Keniry's of Tallow, followed by our Easter Open Weekend kindly sponsored by Lismore Hotel. Last Card on Monday @ 1.pm followed by open 9 hole ladies and gents from 3.pm. Our Tuesday Bacon will have commenced this Tuesday and every subsequent Tuesday from here until September. Come along and enjoy the craic. Presentation of all outstanding prizes will be held in the clubhouse on Monday night the 12th of April @ 8.00 pm sharp.

All prize winners are requested to attend.

GREEN FINGERS TIDY SCHOOLS

COMPETITION

Any budding Gerry Daly's amongst us ---nows your chance to prove yourselves. Come along this Wednesday evening April 7th at 6.30p.m. to the grounds of Bun Scoil

Bothar Na Naoimh. Bring yard brushes, sweeping brushes, paint brushes, left over cans of paint anything you may think would come in useful for the brightening and

cleaning of the grounds and premises for the tidy schools competition. We hope to make this venture a weekly workout ---- both of body and brains!!!!! so get those old

clothes out, bring along a friend or two, even the children can help out. So no excuses get up and go, lets start climbing that ladder to greater things. Check in again soon for an update.

THE BALLYRAFTER CENTRE, LISMORE

SPRING SHOWJUMPING LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS

was the order of the day at the Spring Showjumping Championships for ponies at The Ballyrafter Centre, Lismore last Sunday. Eight of the twelve championships stayed at home amid very strong opposition from all over the South, top class jumping resulted, enjoyed by an enthusiastic audience throughout

From Tallow Fiona Beecher no stranger to winning all over Europe produced the goods in "Loughnatousa Bart" to take the feature Odon Horsewalkers 148 AB Championship. A customary big and unusual track for this championship meant some very unlucky preliminary rounds but among the tension, four girls found the key and they in turn produced a super jump-off. Chloe Quinlivan (Kanturk) and the European pony "Clover Riot" returned to competition this year after three foals jumped back to her old form and came home in 48.18 Chloe not unduly asking too much this early in the mares comeback. Next in, the relatively new partnership of Ciara Flynn (Colligan) and "Ballyclough Castle Storm" were in wonderful harmony and they simply glided round in 43.86 jumping the 1.25m course with ease and when Maura Counihan (Tralee) with her lovely bay "Derravaragh Craic" despite some great turns returned in 44.38 Ciara could relax but not for long. Fiona Beecher had won two qualifying rounds with "Bart" but this was the one she wanted and putting all her experience to full use she never let her concentration go for even an instant and her winning round of 42.23 was foot per-

Just previous Ciara's sister Aisling Flynn with "Bailey Street" had an unexpected win in the Magner Family's 138AB when her one error at fence two after a tight turn meant a score of three faults but it proved the winning round when the other four in the jumpoff had the misfortune to knock a pole. Hannah Bendon (Glandore) with her six year old "National Eighteen" was quickest and Peter Moloney (Colligan) and "The Brother" took third. The Gain Horsefeeds 148BC Championship was a brilliant final when 12 jumped superbly to reach the jump-off. Rosanna Lonergan (New Inn) on "Golden Snitch" had not put a foot wrong during the qualifiers and she set the target in 41.37. Gillian O'Meara (Cork) with "Cry Freedom" were also in top form and she took the chance of the tight angle to the ducks to lead in 39.64. However Kevin Kiely (Cappagh) who has quietly produced "Lonesome Dove" was waiting in the wings and knowing the same turn had to work found another bit extra to win a great class in 39.17.

Declan Spillane of Spillane Trailer Services in Cork was on hand to present the winning trophy for the 138BC to Sean Hennessy (Cappagh) yet another local winner with "Dawn Dusty". Peter Moloney and David Walsh's "Misty Day's" had clocked 37.03 and then Sinead Dalton (Clonakilty) rode a scorching round in 31.69 on "Kilfalney Mist" but Sean left nothing to chance and flew through the start to complete in 30.92 and take the coveted

The Cork Tack Room 128 ABC was full of surprises and a thrilling competition. Nikki Murphy (Waterfall) the Leading Open Rider of the League having won all nine qualifying rounds in this class started hot favourites but as in racing it does not always work out. From the eight that jumped clear in the preliminary round Nikki unusually just had her Bucas leading pony "Greybrook Polo" through. It could have been another Flynn sister to win but drawn first Niamh and "Jumping Jazz" were unfortunate to touch off one pole in 29.46. 10 year old Katie Sweetnam (Timoleague) in her first season went clear with "Magboy" in 37.47 and then Lynne Ryan (Thurles) on "Tullibard's Bungi" jumped super to clear 35.70. Eimear O'Connell (Watergrasshill) and Kathryn Keating's brilliant "Mighty Mervyn" having been very close to

Tense, exciting and thrilling competition Nikki on several occasions chose the perfect timing to fly round with complete confidence and huge cheers in 33.43 which proved unbeatable. Nikki and "Polo" were as competitive as ever but luck deserted her when a tight turn to fence 8 didn't work out but she collected her Bucas awards

Seamus Condon (Araglen) and the diminutive connemara "Sceilig Hally Bop" never allowed anyone else an opportunity in the Century Homes 138CD. Dominic Bryan from Century Homes was treated to a really exciting jump-off when 15 did battle for the honours. Seamus left absolutely no spare space on the floor when taking the tightest of angles to stop in 32.88. Halfway through he did get a threat from Niamh Barry (Knockraha) with "Ashford Star" storming round but 34.29 left her runner-up ahead of the Bucas winner last to jump Aine Hickey (Killeagh) and "Dreamcatcher"

There was wonderful drama in the Novice Pony Championships when amazingly Claire O'Donnell (Cork) on "Black Bronte" and Noreen Quealy (Ballinamult) on "Barracree Bluebell" clocked identical times of 32.91 in the Magner Family 148 D and shared the honours. Fiona Beecher and "Loughnatousa Louise" were closest to both in 37.34 but Noreen made it a double when winning the last class of the evening the 148CD with the Bucas leader "Barracree Bracken". 10 went against the clock and Fiona was there again in 31.81, then Tom Hearne (Stradbally) and Jimmy Ivers "Shaft's Golden Eye" jumping perfectly flew in 31.70 but Noreen now having a win already secured was happy to take every chance and 'Bracken" responded beautifully in 29.88 to give her a well deserved double. James Bendon (Glandore) and the Bucas leader "Scarthy Samson" won the 138 D in 33.97 with John Michael Foran (Kill) on "Tia Lusso" a very close second in 34.10

The earlier novice classes which, had started the day, saw great jumping from such inexperienced partnerships. Nine year-old Sarah Dowley (Carrick-on-Suir) scooped the Leading Novice Rider Award and Jeremy Sweetnam (Timoleague) took the Noel Devereux Trophy for the Leading Under 10 Rider. Sarah-Kate O'Donovan (Dungarvan) was the first winner of the day with "Kiltilane Robbie" winning the 128D in 35.84 from Niall Madden (Castlemartyr) and "Van Nistleroy" 37.88. Mary Frost (Dungarvan) and "Flying Leap" had a great week-end when third. Paul Kiely (Cappagh) had provided the first part of the family double when winning the 128 CD on the beautifully named "Puddle Puss" 36.92 and Katie Sweetnam started her day well on the 4 year old "Silver Spartagus" taking second in 42.79 and eight year old Dean Hennessy (Waterford) a great third on "Skip Around Sky

Lynne Ryan (Thurles) rode Glencairn owner Joan Dahill's "Glencairn Pebbles" to win the 128 BCD in 33.17 after a fine battle from Colin Fives (Cappoquin) on "Duplicate" who flew round in 35.54. Niall Madden picked up another prize for third.

Friday evening was also final night and Paul Kiely started as he meant to continue with a win in the 128 D for "Puddle Puss" ahead of Mary Frost and Danielle Murphy (Tallow) on "Sally Sal". Sean Hennessy scored a fine double with "Rathdrum Bobby" and "Bawn Royale" in the 128CD and 138 D respectively. Christine Morrissey (Cloyne) and "Beechcrest Blaze" got within striking distance in the 128 and Kelly Dwane (Kilrossanty) was runner-up twice on "Springhill Twinkle". Vincent O'Donoghue (Araglen) beat her for the 138 CD title with "Flash Away". Fiona Beecher had a double in the 148's with "Loughnatousa Kylie", Claire O'Donnell suffering defeat in the 148 D with Niamh Tobin (Clonmel) third on "Baby Bop". Fiona beat Miriam Cashman (Kanturk) in the CD final with Grace O'Keeffe (Tallow) third on 'Lady Divine"

The Horse Championships take place at Ballyrafter over Easter Week-End and are well worth a visit with fabulous horses qualified for

BALLYDUFF NOTES

ALL-IRELAND

Ballyduff Drama Group has completed its commitments on the Three-Act Drama Festival Circuit with Marina Carr's "On Raftery's Hill" with victories in the Tipperary and Enniscorthy Festivals. Allied to its previous victory in Kilmuckridge, the group has, well and truly, qualified for the Open Finals in Athlone in May where it will hope to better its third-placed finish of last year with Sophocles "Antigone". Directed by Brendan Dunlea, "On Raftery's Hill" made a major impact on the circuit and finished in the top three in all of its six Festival performances.

Along the way, there were also many other technical, production and acting awards with the major sweep of victories at the Enniscorthy Festival where, along with Best Play, it won Best Set (Donie Feeney & Noel Sheehan), Best Lighting (Ed Cashman), Best Actor (Richie Walsh), Best Supporting Actor (Kevin McCormack), Most Promising Young Actress (Kate Canning) and Best Moment of Theatre (Sile Heneghan). Qualification for Athlone means that there will be further local performances but the dates for these will not be announced until the draw and dates for Athlone are known.

Along with Ballyduff. Charleville, Carlow and Kilmeen have also qualified for the Open Finals and, with Brideview and Silken Thomas qualifying for the Confined Finals in Warrenpoint, it leaves no less than six of the groups which competed in the West Waterford Drama Festival qualifying for their respective Finals. This is a record for the Festival and is the highest number of qualifiers from any Festival in the country. With Palace Players, in particular, but also Brewery Lane, Conna and Boolavogue picking up a number of awards and high-placed finishes around the circuit, it indicates the quality that this year's Festival had. For those of you who haven't seen "On Raftery's Hill", keep an eye out in the Press for the dates of the new performances over the next couple of weeks. Ballyduff Soccer Notes

LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

KILWORTH 1 - 3 BALLYDUFF

Last Sunday we travelled to Fermoy to take on Kilworth in the final game of the league. After a very tough game we won on a scoreline of 3 goals to 1 and as a result we won the league by 2 points from Kilworth. Patrick Molumphy accepted the cup on behalf of the team and thanked everyone involved especially the 2 managers: Brendan Cotter & Brendan Boldger. Team: D. Flynn, P. Molumphy, J. Scanlon, M. Drislane, K. Barry, S. Feeney, T. Molumphy, S. Molumphy, B. Kearney, J. Twomey, B. Hannon, Subs. G. Donovan for S. Feeney, K. Mac, C. Hannon, S. Cunningham, S. Hannon.

We are still left in the Fitzgearld cup where we are drawn to play Brideview B in the quarterfinal. At present no date has been fixed for this match.

BUTTERFLIES PLAYGROUP

The committee wishes to give a very big thank you to everybody who helped with our recent cake sale and raffle. To everybody who bought tickets or cakes your support was much appreciated.

Many thanks to our generous sponsors, Glanbia, Lismore Books, River Action Restaurant, East Cork Oil, Kay McCarthy Beautician, Amber Oil, Cahill's, Lismore, Dairygold Co-op Stores, McGrath's Chemist, Toymaster, Derek Dowd Fruit & Veg, Theresa Noonan Quick Pick, Roches Centra, Lismore, Maura Lindsay, The Log Cabin, Irwin's Megavision, Irene's Hair Salon, Tallow, Diamond Cuts, Tallow, Ballyduff Drama Group, Flynn's Hardware, Ballyduff, Phillip Mahon, Glencairn. The following were the lucky winners in our raffle.

Raffle prize winners: 1st hamper Richard and Anna, Dangerfield, Tournado, Ballyduff. 2nd Easter Cake Bernadette Whelan. 3rd Fruit Hamper Derek Dowd, Fruit & Veg. Hugh Geary, Lyrnaglough, Ballyduff. 4th C.D. Player Tom Hyland, Coolisheal, Ballyduff. 5th Ellease Sports Gear, Ml. Barry, c/o Maura Lindsey. 6th Doll and Buggy Akram Hanna, Lismore. 7th Yellow Digger Catherine Hickey, Ballinamult. 8th River Action Voucher and Winner the Poo Toy Lena Martin, Toornageeha, Ballyduff. 9th McGrath's Pharmacy Voucher and Teddy Cian Leamy, Coolibheal, Ballyduff. 10th Kay McCarthy, Beautician Voucher and Toy dog Caroline Dunne, Lismore. 11th Diamond Cuts Hair Voucher and Cuddly Toy. Liza Carroll, c/o Micro Bio. 12th Irene's Hair Voucher and Cuddly Toy Shane Casey, Toor, Ballyduff. 13th Lismore Books Voucher Mary Kenneally, Shean, Ballyduff. 14th Easter Egg Mary Sheridan, c/o A.I.B., Dungarvan. 15th Bailey's Irish Ceam Hannah Higgins, Ballyheaphy, Araglen. 16th Paddy's Irish Whiskey, Bart O'Donoghue, Tallow. 17th Esater Egg and Cuddly Toy David Ahearn, Sheanmore, Ballyduff.

18th Easter Egg and Cuddly Toy Peter McGrath, Tourin, Cappoquin. 19th Ellesse Gear and Cuddly Toy, Eoin O'Brien, Shean, Ballyduff. 20th Petrol Voucher and Cuddly Toy Jack Kirby, Ballyduff Village.

BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY COUNCIL.

The fundraising auction which had been scheduled for April 18th has been deferred. A new date will be decided at our next monthly meeting.

We would like to wish The Booleyhouse well in their trip to New York, and well done to the local drama group who have qualified for the All Ireland's in May.

STRADBALLY NOTES

Church News

The Parish draw held in Ballylaneen Community Centre resulted in the first prize of 150e going to Liam Buck, Leamybrien with his sister Peggy Carey the promoter. Prizes of 25e each were won by the Burke sisters, Bartnakill; Alice Walsh, Shanakill; Helen Power, Hillside Crescent, Kilmacthomas; Wendy Dee, McGrath's Cross and Tomas Coleman, Curraheen. The promoters were Mary Power, Nellie Casey, Mary Barry and the promoters prize went to Tony Reynolds, Ballyvoile.

Sympathy

Sincere sympathy is extended to Horace Gentle, Seapark, Abbeyside, Dungarvan on the death of his wife Susan Isobel Mary which took place on Saturday, March 27th at her residence. The remains were received at St. James Church of Ireland on Wednesday morning. March 31st by Rev. Jenny Crowley assisted by Rev. Tony Whitting and Fr. Michael Enright. The readings were shared by her son Barrie and Rev. Whitting while Rev. Jenny Crowley in her first officiating at a funeral gave an eloquent and inspiring address on the life f Mary, gentle by nature also Gentle by name. Mary is also survived by her daughter Yvonne Van Jensen and sons Will and Lennox who were unable to attend. Sincere sympathy is extended to Mandy Kett, Sheskin on the death of her

aunt in England and to Mary Casey, Faha Bridge on the death of her mother Maureen Barron who was buried in Butlerstown on Thursday, April

Holy Week Ceremonies

The arrangements for the Easter Tridium are as follows -

In Stradbally there will be evening Mass of the Last Supper on Holy Thursday, April 8th at 8pm followed by silent adoration until 10pm. All organisations are invited to be represented at this Mass and take part in the offertory procession.

Good Friday, April 9th is a day of fast and abstinence and the Liturgy of the Passion and Death of Jesus will be at 3pm with Stations of the Cross at

On Holy Saturday, April 10th evening Mass of the Resurrection and Paschal Virgin will be at 8pm. In Faha, Mass on Holy Thursday will be at 7pm. On Good Friday the ceremonies will be at 4pm. On Holy Saturday Paschal Vigil and Mass of the Resurrection is at 7pm.

In Ballylaneen Mass on Holy Thursday will be at 8pm on Good Friday the ceremonies will be at 4pm with Stations of the Cross and Confessions at 8pm.. On Holy Saturday the Paschal Vigil and Mass of the Resurrection will be at 9pm. Easter Sunday Masses Faha 9am, Stradbally 10am and Bal-

BONMAHON NOTES

News From Hayses

Last weeks dart winners: Tina and Ken; runners up: Paddy and Tony (poor runners up). Congratulations to Nicholas Fitzgerald who was last weeks bonus lotto winner. Congratulations to Conor Coffey on his victory in the Grand National. Olivia Dwane was first to fall along with Gary Weldon and Denis Flynn. Set dancing on Wednesday night.

Best Wishes

To Fr. Brendan Crowley. Hope to see you out and about

St. Anne's Ladies Football Training

Every Saturday morning in 11am sharp. All ages to attend.

Easter Ceremonies Masses on Monday and Tuesday 5th and 6th at 9:30am. Wednesday 7th in Saleen at 7:30pm. Holy Thursday Mass in Saleen at 7pm. Evening Mass of the last supper in Kill on Holy Thursday at 8:30pm. Good Friday - Stations of the Cross in Saleen at 3pm and Liturgy of the Passion in Kill at 8:30pm.. Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil Mass in Kill at 9pm. Easter Sunday - Mass in Saleen at 9:30am and Kill at 10:30am. Confessions before and after the celebrations on Holy Thursday and Good Friday. Fr. Callinan can be contacted at his home on 051-292212.

A Great Job

Over the past number of weeks new street lighting has been installed from the village down to the car park. This is a great addition to the area as it will light up the foot paths between the caravan park and the village, and it will make our place much brighter during the long winter months. Well done to the local County Council on this installation.

Fashion Show

The fashion show which was held in memory of the late Roberta Devereux nee Whelan, formally of Ballinsisla which took place in the Park Hotel last Thursday night was a great success. Thousands of tickets were sold and hundreds of people turned up for the show. MC for the night was Nichola Beresford of WLRfm.

In attendance was Roberta's family, Mr. O'Connor of Waterford Regional Hospital. Everyone that attended was treated to a cheese and wine reception, also there was some great raffle prizes. The show itself was run by Noel Devereux and members of Waterford Ladies Football. When the show was over a bank account containing 13,000e was presented to Mr. O'Connor for his use in the care of patients in Waterford Regional Hospital. This was truly a fine tribute to Roberta Devereux R.I.P.

KILROSSANTY NOTES

WHIST
Whist this Wednesday night in the Hall at 8.15 pm. CLEAN UP

Don't forget the Clean up of the Comeragh's on Easter Monday. All taking part in the Clean Up be at the Mace Superstore at 10 am. There will be no skips the year, rubbish will be collected from the roadside in black plastic bags. Refreshments will be served in the Hall after the coan up. The draw will take

place in Crotty's Inn at 9 pn EASTER CEREMONIES

Wed, night in Fews Church Penetential Service at 7.30 pm. HOLY THURSDAY

Mass in Kilrossanty at 7, 30. Fews at 8,30 pm.

GOOD FRIDAY Stations of the Cross in Kilrossanty at 3 pm. Lords Passion in

Fews at 7.30. HOLY SATURDAY

Easter Vigil Mass in Kilrossanty at 8 pm. Masses as normal on Easter Sunday.

CHILDCARE

Waterford County Childcare committee have advisd that grants are available for childminders who mind children in their own home. This is for the purchase of safety equipment, play materials and toys. Contact Rosemarie Cusack at 056-43601 for details

RESULTS OF SCHOOL DRAW

1ST prize went to Jimmy Doocey, Kilminion Easter Hamper sponsored by Parents Committee. 2nd prize went to Jason O'-Donnell, Springfield sponsored by Walshes, Leamybrien, 40 euros petrol/diesel voucher 3rd prize went to Ellen Lonergan, Leamybrien, bottle of brandy, sponsored by K. H. Engineering, Kilrossanty, 4th prize to Thomas Fennell, Killaneen, bottle of whiskey sponsored by Micilins. 5th prize to Padraig Quinlan, Ballykilmurray 25 euro Sports Voucher sponsored by Parents committee. Thanks to all who supported the school draw, your generosity is greatly appreciated.

I.C.A. A large crowd attended the LC.A. meeting last Monday night. Guest speaker for the night was Catherine O'Brien who spoke on plants etc and brought along some of her display. Also helping her on the night was N ola Minihane. Tea was served by Ann Phelan and Brigid Curin. Raffle winners were Margaret Riordan, Mairead Coffey, Kay Veale, Kathleen Whyte, Mary Coffey, Mary Cusack had the nicest decorated egg.

Big draw results 1st prize Easter Hamper. Ciara Crotty, Kilrossanty; 2nd prize went to Marcella Fitzgerald Meat Voucher; 3rd prize went to Ken Hickey Jnr. Kilrossanty, Easter Egg. Thanks to all who bought tickets, our AGM will be held at the next meeting, 10th May. The best decorated paper hat will be the competition.

EASTER

Happy Easter to all my readers.

KILROSSANTY GAA NOTES

Deise Draw - The club had one winner in the Deise Draw last Friday night. Mary Hennebry, Curraheen, Rathgormack was the lucky winner of 200 euros. Well done Mary.

SENIOR FOOTBALL

Kilrossanty play Saviour's in Senior Football League next Monday in Leamybrien at 7 pm.

UNDER 16 FOOTBALL

On Sunday last our under 16 footballers played Ballyduff Upper in our second league match in Leamybrien with a full squad. Our lads overcame a Ballyduff team. They were short a few key players. Final score 6-10 to 0-2.

Team: Dwayne Kirwan, Owen Power, Garry O'Donnell. Jamie Collender, William Raher, Michael Geary 0-1, Tommy Prendergast, Niall Kennedy, Conor Foley 1-2, Colin Ryan 0-1, Paudie Barron 1-1, David Prendergast 3-2, Wayne Power 0-2, Eoin Houlihan, Jamie Crotty, Jimmy Fraher.

Training this Friday at 6.30 pm.

The next match is in Bohadoon this Sunday at 11.30 am. Bus will leavel at 10.30 am.

Clotto

Numbers drawn last Sunday night 7-20-21-26. 20 euros each to the following: Sean Casey, Knockeylan, Anne Marks, c/o Micilins, Una Keating, Gortnalaght; Garry O'Donnell, Robertstown. Sellers prize went to Pa Walsh, Glendaligan and Ml. Veale, Glendaligan, joint sellers. Next weeks jackpot is 4,600 euros at Micilins. Easter Eggs will be given out on the night.

Scholarship —Gaeltacht Scholarship available through the club. Interviews will be held this weekend.

Junior Football

Kilrossanty will play first round of the Championship on Wednesday, April 14th against Stradbally. They play a challenge this Wednesday night against Brickey's in the field at 7

Under 14 Hurling

We beat An Gaeltacht and St. Oliver's in the Western Championship last week.

Panel: Dwayne Kirwan, James Whyte, Maurice Power, Owen Houlihan, Richard Purcell, Lenny Kirwan, Alan Quinn, Paul Whyte, Darryl Ryan, Mark Mulhearne, Darren Foley, Niall Walsh, Sean Power, Patrick Cunningham, Michael Raher, Paul Keating.

Under 14 Hurling Training on Thursday night at 6.45 pm. Hurling — Junior hurling training this Saturday at 4 o'clock would like to see more numbers turning up for training. Easter — Happy Easter to all my readers.

DUNGARVAN UNITED .F.C. NOTES

2ND ANNUAL SCHOOLBOYS TOURNAMENT

On Sunday 2nd May at 10am, we will host our 2nd Annual Schoolboys' Tournament. It is aimed at holding an event which caters for schoolboys/girls schools in the surrounding areas. Last year surpassed all expectations as regards being successful and we are hoping to build on that this year. The following are some of the rules:

1. 5-a-side and 2 subs; 2. Cost 5e per player; 3. Each team to be accompanied by an adult.

All entries to be posted to Francis O'Brien, 52 Childers Estate, Dungarvan by Friday, 28th April. Entry form can be obtained from all local schools or contact Francis O'Brien at 087-7769125 or Edwin Egan at 087-6489251

SCHOOLBOYS FIXTURES

Wednesday 8th April at 6:15pm.

Under-11 League - Dungarvan v April

Saturday 10th April at 10:30am.

Under-12 League - Dungarvan v Villa

Saturday 10th April at 11:45am.

Under-14 league - Dungarvan v Villa **SCHOOLBOYS RESULTS**

Under-11 TSB Cup Semi Final

Seaview 1 v Dungarvan 6.

Under-12 TSB Cup 3rd Round

Dungarvan 1 v Ferrybank 0

Under-16 League

Bohs 1 v Dungarvan 2.

CONGRATULATIONS

To our near neighbours Railway Athletic who have reached their very first schoolboys Cup final in the Under 11 section. Since forming in the 1980's this is a major achievement for all in the club. Well done.

PEPSI SUMMER

Our first time in playing host to the Annual Pepsi Summer Camp which is run by the Football Association of Ireland will take place from 16th - 20th August. Application forms have been handed into schools in the locality so please don't hesitate in picking up one, they will also be available in the Astro Turf hut in the club in Kilrush from 6-9pm each evening. Also contact Francis O'Brien at 087-7769125 for further help.

SATURDAY JUNIOR ACADEMY

With the dark clouds hovering over us on Saturday, we were doubtful of completing our regular session. Thankfully that wasn't the case as we came through very well indeed. Our 5-7 years old section had an excellent turnout this week with the numbers increasing compared to other weeks. Also our 8-10's put in an excellent evening's work which will in the long run show in their performances on the pitch. Highlight of the day was taking photos for the paper and giving of the Easter Eggs. Thanks to Gary, Seamus, Martin, Fran and Edwin. We won't have any Saturday Junior Academy next week as same coaches are not available. We return on Saturday, 17th April at the usual times. 1e per child. Why not bring yours along!!

SPONSOR A BLOCK

Our new project of developing up to date changing rooms is well underway at this stage and with favourable weather the project should be completed well on time. As was stated previ-

ously this is an ambitious project on behalf of the committee which will make all the facilities we have first class. We are looking for the pubic and ex players to get behind us on this venture. At the completion of the changing rooms we will hold a draw with all the prizes being sponsored by Ben O'Neill. Further enquiries can be made at 087-7769125.

COMMITTEE MEETING

Our next committee meeting will be hold on Wednesday, 7th April at 8:30p m. All members are asked to attend.

EASTER GREETINGS

On behalf of all within the club we would like to wish players and parents alike a very Happy Easter.

JUNIOR RESULTS

Premier - Dungarvan 3 v Waterford Crystal 3

UNDER-16 SCHOOLBOYS LEAGUE

Poor Display By Blues

Bohs 2 Dungarvan Utd 1

This was always going to be a tricky game at Ben Wadding. We found ourselves a goal down after 6 minutes due to some real bad defending. Not learning from our mistakes we found ourselves a second goal down 2 minutes later and that's the way it stayed for the remainder of the first half.

In the second half we made some changes and the Blues came out roaring, going close on many occasions with chances from Whelan, Lannon, Wall, Flynn and Murphy but just couldn't find the net. 2 minutes from time the ball broke for Wall who hit the shot from all of 40 yards to put the ball in the bottom corner of the net. That's the way the score stayed. We will have to put in a much better performance if we want to stay in the cup next week

Team: Corcoran, Sexton, Norris, Power, Cowming, O'Driscoll, O'Heir, Wall, A. Murphy, Lannon, Whelan.

Subs: Flynn, M. Murphy, R. Barton, Walsh all used. Man of the match - Shane Whelan.

DUNGARVAN UNITED SCHOOLBOYS U11 CUP SEMI FINAL

DUNGARVAN REACH **CUP FINAL**

SEAVIEW 1 DUNGARVAN 6

Dungarvan U11's reached the final of the cup with a brilliant display against a tough Seaview side. The first 10 minutes were nervous and it took until the first goal to settle down. That goal

came when a corner reached Eric Duggan and his shot deflected off a defender and into the net. This goal settled us down and we began to play the football that we've played all year. 20 minutes into the first half Johnny Barry volleyed home from a tight angle to put us 2-0 up. Just before half time Damien Coward scored a bullet from 20 yards and Maurice Connors scored a lovely goal to put us 4 up at half time.

The second half started well and two further goals from Johnny Barry and Maurice Connors finished off the game. To their credit Seaview battled away and got a goal with a few minutes left. So 8th May is the date for the final at 10:00am so hopefully a lot of parents will come and support this fine

Next game tonight, 6:15pm against Waterford Crystal.

Cappoquin

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RESULTS FROM SATURDAY APRIL 3RD

Under-14 Cup Semi Finals - Pinewood 6 Blackstone 2 Cappoquin 0 Brideview 5

Under-11 Cup Q/F - Blackstone 3 Ardmore 1

Under-12 Cup Semi Final in Inch — Clashmore 4 Castlebridge 1

Under-15 League — Inch 4 Castlebridge 5 Under-11 League — Fermoy 0 Cappoquin 2

Under-16 League Cup — Ardmore 3 Brideview United 3

Last weekend saw some very important games take place with Brideview United and Pinewood Rangers qualify for the u14 Cup Final. These two sides have also finished first and second in the league so a great final is in prospect. Brideview were too strong for a young Cappoquin side but in the second semi final Pinewood had to come from behind to beat Blackstone who were hampered by the loss of their goalkeeper when

In the first of the u12 Cup semi finals Clashmore eventually got the better of Castlebridge to book their final spot. In the u11 Cup Blackstone had better luck as they advanced to meet Pinewood in the semi-final by virtue of a 3-1 win over a gallant Ardmore side.

In the u15 league Castlebridge staged a remarkable last ten minute comeback to turn what looked like certain defeat into a 5-4 win as they trailed 4-2 with ten minutes left

In the u16 League Cup Brideview also came from behind three times to snatch a draw with Ardmore. Brideview and Ardmore now advance to the semi finals with Brideview keeping top spot. They will meet the runner up in the other group in the semi final.

In the only ull league game to take place Cappoquin kept their unbeaten record with a fine win in Fermoy. This league will go right down to the wire with the top four sides yet to play one another

FIXTURES FOR SATURDAY APRIL 10TH

Under-12 Cup Semi Final at Inch

Ballybridge vs. Valley Rangers 3.30.pm. Johnny McMahon

Under-11 Cup Semi Final in Cappoquin

Pinewood vs. Blackstone 2.00.pm. Paul Marks **Under-15 League**

Cappoquin vs. Pinewood 3.30.pm. Paul Marks

Under-11 Cup Semi Final in Valley Rangers Castlebridge Celtic vs. Cappoquin 2.00.pm Eamon Cusack **Under-15 League**

Castlebridge Celtic vs. Blackstone 4.00.pm Eamon Cusack MONDAY APRIL 12TH

Under-15 League

Ardmore v Castlebridge Celtic 3.30.pm Maurice Condon Under-11 League

Ardmore v. Castlebridge Celtic 2.00.pm Maurice Condon

Under-15 League Blackstone vs. Inch 3.30.pm Eamon Cusack

Under-13 League

Blackstone vs. Ballybridge 2.00.pm. Eamon Cusack

LEAGUE TABLES

| UNDER-14 LEAG | GUE | | | | |
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| Brideview United | 8 | 4 2 | 1 | 3 | 13 |
| Blackstone | 7 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 7 |
| Cappoquin | 8 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 3 |
| Gaeltacht | 7 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 3 |
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| Ardmore | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Cappoquin | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Castlebridge | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 10 |
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FRIDAY APRIL 2ND 2004

Honey Rose Broke Like A Rocket

April showers were very much in evidence at last Friday nights fixture were it bucketed down all night. The card comprised of four second round heats of the Michael Gater Construction Unraced stake, four first round heats of the Texaco Retailers Confined 29.40 stake and two graded races. In the opening graded event of the session the Three To Do Syndicate owned and Pat O'Neill trained Gallows Ruby (Rio Riccardo-Ferbane Spiral) set out to make all the running from trap four and leading early on 2/1shot Gallows Ruby kept on well to beat Active Duke by one and a half lengths in 29.43.

Portlaw owner Gregory Barry and trainer Tony Ryan combined to capture a 300 yard sprint as Fallon Factor 2/1 an August 2002 son of Droopys Vieri and Tiger Babs trapped in front of Katsarmar Girl and maintaining a steady gallop up front Fallon Factor opened his account by five and a half lengths from Ballyphilip Jack in a decent 16.57

In heat one of the Texaco stake the Kathleen Beirne owned Beirns Jamella (Jamella Prince-Knockanore Lady) beat a number of better-fancied runners when scoring at odds of 4/1 in a career best time of 29.41. Making a swift exit from trap two Beirns Jamella was joined on the back stretch by Ballyroan Tycoon but beating off that challenge Beirns Jamella came home one and a half lengths clear of a running on Wilcox Jet

The Bryan Cunningham owned Sheeraghs Fletch (Jamaican Hero-Sheeraghs Flash) 3/1 made full use of his early pace to capture heat two in 29.32. Outpacing his rivals to the first turn Sheeraghs Fletch enjoyed his Friday night romp up front before dishing out a four lengths beating to the 6/4 favourite Ardera Hope . The remaining four runners in this heat were all involved in first bend crowding.

The punters rowed in with Lemon Charmer 5/4 in heat three and bounding clear from trap two this lady appeared well on her way to winning her fourth race but the always well placed Sober Rampage 5/2 came with a storming late run up the home straight to beat a running on Boherash Rebel by a length with the long time leader Lemon Charmer just behind in third. The winner who clocked 29.42 is a May 2002 son of Toms The Best and Trionas Pride and campaigns for Kilkenny

Heat four also went to a County Kilkenny trained runner as the Owen McEntee owned Bangor Warrior (Larkhill Jo-Bangor Eva) made light of a long absence to oblige in 29.20. Led for a long way by the early paced Windgap Whitey Bangor Warrior 4/5 turned on the style up the home stretch coming with a flying late run on the fence to outstay Windgap Whitey by a length.

Heat one of the Michael Gater sponsored unraced event produced a very close finish with the Tom Henebery owned and Jimmy Scully trained Ballybrazil Zulu (Droopys Vieri-Tycoon Kay) obliging in 29.56. Threerocks Jet made a bold bit to lead all the way but with the leader tiring over the final two bends Ballybrazil Zulu hit the front off the third bend coming through to defeat Brothofaboy by three quarters of a length.

The Davy and Michael Power owned Honey Rose (Droopys Vieri-Knockmoylan Rose) 5/2 broke like a rocket in heat two to run out a convincing trap to line winner in a smashing 28.98. With Honey Rose gone beyond recall Enlightened View the warm 4/5 favourite was always going to play a minor role and staying on well Enlightened View moved to within two lengths of the progressive Honey Rose at the winning line.

The John Carolan owned and Paul Kiely trained Garig Abu (Droopys Vieri-Soviet War) the red hot 4/7 favourite elected to take the scenic throughout heat three before obliging in 29.34. A fast starting Oh So Precious led to the home turn but on straightening out in the home stretch Garig Abu finished with a rattle on the wide outside to come through for a handy two lengths success over Oh So Precious.

Impressive first round winner Minglers Dream (Deenside Equity-Minglers Mist) was a warm order at 4/6 in heat four and James Moore's home bred did not disappoint winning out in a pleasing 29.24. Fedon Glass broke well from trap six but Minglers Dean was soon in control of matters on the fence and lengthening his stride Minglers Dean galloped on to a cosy five lengths win over Fedon Glass.

SEMI FINAL DRAWS

The trap draw for next Saturday night's semi finals of the Michael Gater Construction Unraced Stake are as follows.

First Semi Final

- Ballybrazil Zulu
- Fedon Glass 3
 - Brothofaboy
- Mustang Shiraz Honey Rose

Minglers Dean Selection — Honey Rose

Dangers — Minglers Dean, Mustang Shiraz.

Second Semi Final

- **Enlightened View**
- **Duffry Comet**
- Garig Abu
- Commons Jo
- Wilcox Dream
 - Oh So Precious

Selection — Enlightened View

Dangers — Duffry Comet, Oh So Precious

TEXACO RETAILERS CONFINED 29.40 STAKE-SATURDAY APRIL 10TH

First Semi Final

- **Bangor Warrior**
- Boherash Rebel
- Rally On Girl
- Sober Rampage
- Sheeraghs Fletch
- Ballyroan Tycoon

Selection — Bangor Warrior

Dangers — Boherash Rebel, Sober Rampage

Second Semi Final

- Beirns Jamella
 - Windgap Whitey
- Ardera Hope
- A Slave Princess
- Wilcox Jet Lemon Charmer

Selection — Windgap Whitey

Dangers - Wilcox Jet, Lemon Charmer NO RACING

There is no racing in Kilcohan Park on Friday next as its Good Friday.

SATURDAY APRIL 3RD

Cooldevane Ash **Impressed**

For the second week in a row the Anne Keating owned Cooldevane Ash (Mustang Yank-Florida Time) produced a solid performance to lift her semi final of the Backgraders 550 yard event winning with ease in a fast 29.82. Getting the better of an early battle with Bay City Smokie a rails running Cooldevane Ash moved into top gear on the back straight stretching well clear for an easy five and a half lengths defeat of a running on Ballyneale Black.

The Lois Davies owned and bred Almost Pushy (Joannestown Cash-Almost Amazing) also heads into next Saturday nights final with an unbeaten tag in this competition having captured the second semi final in 30.04. Well adrift on the run to the first bend as Killag Stove and Orema Classic contested the early lead Almost Pushy moved to the outside at the first bend to go in pursuit of the leaders. Almost Pushy came through into the lead on the rails at the penultimate bend and despite the best efforts of a wide running Orema Classic Almost Pushy won out by three and a half lengths.

Despite attracting little or no support in the opening novice contest the Bridge Street Syndicate owned and Declan Byrne trained Whaah (Toolibuk-Marlfield Spice) 3/1 absolutely sluiced up in a fast 28.96. Dashing straight into an early lead over a tightly grouped pack Whaah had this contest in the bag a long way from home breezing in all of fourteen lengths clear of To

The husband and wife combination of Perry and May Aylward struck in the second contest courtesy of a fast starting Mays Sara (Top Honcho-Jeffys Sara) this 5/2 shot making every yard of the

running for a convincing 29.05 victory. Taking a flyer from trap two it was all Mays Sara throughout and despite a late surge by Cooleen Blossom the lightly campaigned September 02 whelp Mays Sara opened her account by two and three quarter lengths.

The Tom O'Neill owned Noreview Prince (Jamella Prince-Catsrock Breeze) posted back-to-back victories when capturing the third contest in 29.47. Displaying sound early pace from trap six Noreview Prince was always in command of matters up front. After a rough passage around the opening turn Lilac Slipper ran on to fill the runner up spot albeit six and a half lengths in arrears of Noreview Prince.

The William Barry owned Movealong Marty (Knockeevan Star-Movealong Molly) 3/1 made maximum use of his early pace to capture the fourth contest in a red hot 28.67. When a prominent Premiership Live eased off having sustained an injury Movealong Marty went clear down the back stretch and while Blue Eyed Escort and Monamolin Swank were closing the gap in the home stretch Movealong Marty prevailed by three quarters of a length from Blue Eyed Escort with Monamolin Swank a head further back in third.

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Local owner Seamus Hennessy enjoyed a welcome change of luck in the fifth contest as his rails seeking Atlanta Larry (Vintage Prince-Commet Hill) posted a narrow win in 29.15. Motoring into an early lead over Ritas Lady Atlanta Larry was pushed all the way in the closing stages by Tontos Express and in a ding dong duel the length of the home stretch Atlanta Larry came out on top from a gallant Tontos Express who also filled the runner up spot at Kilkenny on Friday night. Atlanta Larry's winning margin was half a length.

Races six and seven were semi finals of the Gain/O'Dwyer Dog Food confined 41.40 marathon stake. Annaroe cut an early dash in the first semi final from McCarthy's Boy but the latter lost ground when checking at the pick up point on the first circuit. As the long distance event wore on however the Niamh Murray owned Sorrento Belle (Vintage Prince-Lady Sorrento) 3/1 wore down the leaders and staying on strongly up the rails Sorrento Belle finished with a flourish to outstay Annaroe by one and a half lengths in 41.26.

In the second qualifier Dance Cliff made a flying start from trap three to lead from Interloper and Ardera Delight the evens favourite. Having barged his way past Interloper at the second turn Ardera Delight struck the front on the rails between the third and fourth bends. Like McCarthys Boy in the previous qualifier Dance Cliff lost ground when easing off at the pick up point and while regaining his momentum Dance Cliff was forced to settle for the runner up spot two and a half lengths in arrears of Ardera Delight in a respectable 41.01. The winner a March 2002 son of Top Honcho and Staceys Delight is owned by Willie Brennan.

The concluding 550 yard contest was full of incident with victory going to the Maeve Phelan owned and Jimmy Frisby trained Torcan Joey (Staplers Jo-Robins Rebecca) 3/1 in 30.44. Boher Max broke well but moved over to the rails in the first hundred yards and found himself in all sorts of bother rounding the first bend while at the rear of the field a slow starting Woodside Molly hit the plastic running rail and took a crashing fall in the process. Meanwhile up front Torcan Joey made the long break for home from Evesham Bristow and with this order of running remaining unchanged Torcan Joey went on to win his third race from just four outings by one and three quarters of a length from Evesham Bristow.

POST RACE ENTERTAINMENT

The post race entertainment on Saturday night next is provided by Paddies Pride.

GAIN/O'DWYER DOG FOOD **MARATHON FINAL (730 YDS)**

Trap Draws

- Interloper
- 2 Sorrento Belle **Dance Cloff** 3
- Ardera Delight
- 5 McCarthys Boy (W)

Annaroe (W) Selection — Ardera Delight

Dangers — Dance Cliff, Sorrento Belle

BACKGRADERS CONFINED 30.50 STAKE (550 YDS)

- Almost Pushy
- Nikkis Tillie
- 3 Jo Nell
- 4 Cooldevane Ash
- Orema Classic (W)
- Ballyneale Black (W)

Selection — Cooldevane Ash

Dangers — Ballyneale Black, Almost Pushy

WEST WATERFORD GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB NOTES

BRICKEY GAA GOLF CLASSIC AND JUNIOR SCRATCH CUP TO KICK START THE 2004 **GOLFING YEAR AT** WEST WATERFORD

Bookings are now being aken and timesheets posted for the BRICKEY GAA GOLF CLASSIC which takes place from Thursday 8th to Saturday 10th April. This event promises to be one of the success stories of the 2004 golfing calendar as the main driving force behind the scenes is loyal club member Brian Hilliard who will leave no stone unturned to ensure its success. It is a team of four Stableford and teams may be gents, ladies or mixed and the entry fee is Euro120.00 per team of 4 players. The format is a champagne scramble (no drink involved!) which has proved extremely popular in the past. The format requires each player to tee off, the best drive is then selected and each of the 4 players finishes out the hole from thereon, with the teams best 2 scores to count on each hole

JUNIOR SCRATCH CUP

Waterford Crystal is kindly sponsoring the Junior Scratch Cup competition this year. It takes place on Easter Monday 12th April and is an 18-hole Stroke event with handicap range of 5 to 11. The timesheet is filling up quickly for this prestigious event and prompt reservation of your tee-time is advised. To make your reservation please telephone West Waterford on 058-43216 or

COMPETITION RESULTS

Friday 2nd, Saturday 3rd & Sunday 4th April. Club Competition, 18-hole Stableford -1st Ger Murray (11) 44 pts; 2nd Pat Collins (18) 41 pts; Gross Mark Shanahan (+1) 39 pts; 3rd Mike Daly (16) 40 pts; Paul Flynn (20) 39 pts; CSS. 37 points.

Result from Wednesday 31st March — 1st Adrian Yellop (11) 32 pts; 2nd Justin Spratt (12) 31 pts; 3rd Ray Buckley

(16) 30 pts; 4th John Keane (15) 29 pts; 5th Sonny Landers (15) 29 pts.

FIXTURES

Tuesday 6th April - High

Wednesday 7th April - 13hole Stableford. This is the final Easter 13 hole competition for the season. Competitive golf on Wednesdays will resume with the Failte House Open Qualifier Series, which starts on Wednesday 5th May.

Thursday 8th, Good Friday 9th & Saturday 10th April -Brickey Rangers GAA Easter Golf Classic, team of four Stableford, gents, ladies or mixed, champagne scramble.

Easter Sunday 11th April -Club Competition, 18-hole Stableford, timesheet applies.

Easter Bank Holiday Monday - Junior Scratch Cup sponsored by Waterford Crystal, 18-hole stroke competition with a handicap range of 5 to 11.

HIGH HANDICAP NEWS

The High Handicap competitions recommence for 2004

season on Tuesday evening the 6th April at 6pm. These competitions are extremely popular especially with a great number of our newer members and also many seasoned campaigners who look forward to the weekly banter and competition. They will take place on Tuesday evenings right throughout the summer.

Tuesday 6th April. First High Handicap competition this year.
FAILTE HOUSE OPEN

QUALIFIER

Our first Wednesday Open will take place on Wednesday 5th May. This weekly competition generates huge interest year on year, with this year's event promising to be the most successful to date. This Open Qualifier is a keystone of the golfing calendar at West Waterford Golf and Country Club and Failte House are delighted to be associated with the event. For each and every Wednesday throughout the summer, there will be a timesheet in operation for the Open Singles and to reserve your tee-time, simply telephone the Clubhouse on 058-43216 or 058-41475. For those lucky enough to qualify, the final will take place this year on Sunday 17th October, a week in advance of the Bank Holiday weekend. Many thanks to the sponsors Fáilte House. (www.failtehouse.com)

Time sheets apply for all club competitions. Please put up you're name and those playing with you for your place on the Tee. A full list of our fixtures and other information is available on the club Website:

FIXTURE BOOKLETS

Our fixture booklet for the 2004 season is now available in the club office. All members are urged to pick up a copy in order to make themselves familiar with the up-coming events of what promises to be an extremely busy golfing year at West Waterford Golf and Country Club. The booklet also contains general notes on timesheets, course etiquette,

local rules and care of the course. It is in everyone's interest that we become familiar with, and abide by this information

CARE OF THE COURSE

Repairing of pitch/plug marks on greens, replacing of divots on tees and fairways and raking bunkers are all-important aspects of care of the course. Numerous visitors to our club in recent months have been complimentary on the quality and appearance of our golf course, please do your best to keep it

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Subscriptions for the 2004 season should all now be paid in full, all persons who haven't as of yet paid in full are requested to submit the appropriate amount to the office, by post or in person at their earliest convenience.

WEST WATERFORD GOLF CLUB - LADIES BRANCH

Results - 13 Hole on going 1st: Jenny Sweeney (14) 30pts; 2nd: Vera Nugent (16) 28pts; 3rd: Tess Reynolds (11) 27pts.

Home Alliance Co-ordinators prize - Sunday, April 4th, 2004. - 1st: Tess Reynolds (11) 36pts; 2nd: Joan Sheehan (15) 34pts; Gross: B. Twomey (16) 29pts; 3rd: Marie Curran (36) 31pts; 4th: Mary Spratt (28) 30pts. Category A: Phil Byrne (12) 26pts. Category B: Joan Curran (24) 29pts. Category C: Marian Hilliard (36)

Fixtures — April 11th or 15th – Easter prizes – 18 Hole Stableford – sponsor Eurold

April 18th - 18 Hole Stable-April 22nd or 25th - 18 Hole

Stroke Medal - G.O.Y. April 29th - 18 Hole Stable-

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Manchester United Supporters Club WATERFORD BRANCH

Ruud Saved For Cardiff - May won't be a quiet month after all. United defended stauntly and scored a fabulous goal through Scholes. Chants of 'Treble' winners, you're having a laugh' were welcomed from the United section of Villa Park.

Yours truly had the pleasure of 40 Arsenal fans in Arklow for company on route to a wedding. But how sweet a feeling it was to be in a silent pub when the final whistle went. Not many gave United a chance without Van Nistelrooy but it spurred everyone else onto performing the way they did.

Cup Final Tickets - At the moment we have no idea as to how many tickets we will receive for the final. Any members interested contact the secretary a.s.a.p. on 086-3925677.

Countdown To Leicester — The wait is nearly over and everyone is really looking forward to the trip now.

A.G.M. - This years A.G.M. will take place in Lawlors Hotel on Friday, April 16th at 8 p.m. sharp. It will be preceded by the final meeting of the current committee at 7.30 p.m. It is hoped that a large attendance will be present as you never know who might be there! See ye all in Manchester.

WEST WATERFORD JUVENILE ATHLETICS NOTES



Photograph of Irish teams that competed in the Schools International Cross Country — Front row: Junior girls with Shona Curran second from right. 2nd row Junior boys with Ferdia O hAodha first on right. 3rd row Inter girls Mary Ashe, first on right (team manager) Back row: Inter boys with David McCarthy third from right.

Well Done David, Shona & Ferdia

West Waterford athletes arrived home from their trip to Scotland with silver and bronze team medals. Representing Ire-

NATIONAL AND COMMERCIAL **CLUB NEWS**

SNOOKER

The Droeilin Glass sponsored snooker tournament continues with more great games, and some surprise results. The topside of the draw is now complete. Tournament favourites Joe Riordan beat Michael Ahearne. Surprise packet Colin Houlihan defeated Tony Wright (Jnr) before going on to beat Joe Riordan in a real cliffhanger of a game. In the bottom half of the draw Paddy Riordan put an end to the dreams of Joe McGovern on a re spotted black in the final game. Aidan Landers eliminated another good player Paddy Keohan from the competition. The semi final stage is almost complete and on what we have seen to date young Houlihan will take some beating and he has been installed firm favourite to land the beautiful glass trophy but further surprises cannot be ruled out

POKER CLASSIC

The third and final poker classic of the season will be hold on Good Friday night at 8:15pm. The first two games were very enjoyable and a good number of poker players are expected to play this week.

PROGRESSIVE 45

Last weeks winners were Helen McGovern and Mike Donovan. Runners up were Kathleen Collins and Hannah Foley. Lucky tables: Eleanor McCarthy, Hannah Flynn, Maisie Drohan, Teresa Hourigan, Mark Cummins and Deckie Hourigan.

Cards continue every Thursday at 8:30pm and all are welland in the Schools International Cross Country is the highest honour a schools athlete can aspire to and the West Waterford trio represented their schools and county with distinction. England as usual dominated this underage event but the battle for second and third was keenly contested in all the age groups. In the Junior girls event Shona Curran improved on her performance in the Irish Schools Championship and was the third finisher for Ireland coming home in 14th place and helping Ireland to the bronze medal in the teams event. This was Shona's first international and I'm sure from the way she ran last weekend it will not be her last. Finishing just ahead of Shona in the Junior girls race was Scottish athlete Eilish McColgan, daughter of Liz McCol-

In the Intermediate boys event both David McCarthy and Ferdia O hAodha were members of the Irish Boys team that took the silver medal just ahead of Scotland. From the start David tried to go with the leaders but the pace was just too fast for him and though he came through strongly in the end, he had to settle for 8th position. He was the leading Irish finisher in this race. Ferdia showed improved form on his run in Belfast to claim the sixth scoring place for Ireland. Well done

TRAINING CONTINUES

For all those young athletes aspiring to follow in the footsteps of Shona, Ferdia and David, training continues over the Easter holidays on Wednesday and Friday at 6:20pm (expect Good Friday). All

CUNNIGAR PITCH & PUTT CLUB NOTES

each were D. Tutty, Mary Donnelly, M. Walsh. So this weeks jackpot will be a big 3,700e. Please support our lotto, who knows it could be you.

Membership — We are now open for membership. Here is a list of membership fees - Adults 55e, Over 60's 30e, Juveniles 25e, Families 80e. Pitch and Putt is a game that can be enjoyed by all the family so why not join today and give it a go. We will be delighted to see you and give you all the help we can. You can talk to Martin or Colin for advice on coaching and on how to join. Just to remind all our players that membership and registration fees are now due.

Ladies News - Last Wednesday's results: 1st nett: Bridget Broderick; 1st gross: Joan Curran. It is great to see so many ladies joining our club and I heard there is more on the way. would like to wish all the ladies taking part in the Munster qualifier in Ashgrove on the 18th of April the very best of luck.

Fixture — The National Gents and Ladies Matchplay championship entry forms are now posted in the clubhouse. Entries close this Wednesday, 7th April. Finals at Deerpark, Killarney on the 5th-7th June. Regional Qualifying rounds on the 10th-14th May in Waterford Crystal Pitch and Putt club. - Shout Fore

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC NEWS

THE 22ND ANNUAL PARRISH BAR DUNGARVAN 10K

O'Connor Takes Title

The 22nd annual Parrish Bar Dungarvan 10k road race took place last Sunday afternoon with a large field of 140 finishers on a dry but blustery day. It was encouraging to see such a large field and with the new course for this years race the feed back from those who took part was very positive all round. The winner of this year's race was from the Rathfarnham Club in Dublin, Gearoid O'Connor, in a fine time of 32.52. Gearoid took the race to the others at the one mile mark, running into a very stiff head wind he opened up a substantial lead on a group of four who were later to battle it out for the minor placings. O' Connor was never in any danger of being caught and at five miles 26.02 he had a lead of some 200 metres on these four and increased his lead right up to the finish of the race. A great battle ensued for second with anyone of four athletes capable of taking the runner up place but on the day it was West Waterford's Mark Langford, whom gave one of his best road running performances of his career to date, coming home in 33.50 just pipping Pat Heffernan Fethard third in 33.53 and East Cork's Denis McCarthy fourth in 33.55 just five seconds separating all three at the finish. East Cork's Martin Drake just fell off the pace over the final 200 metres but held on to take fifth place in 34.06. The Masters mens over 45 went to Larry Kennedy, Waterford AC, in 35.29. The over 50 title to John Harty, Thurles 37.15, Michael Roche, West Waterford the over 55 in 43.09 and young Sean Stillwell, K.C.K., the Junior title in 36.49

LADIES TITLE FOR MARY O'LEARY

Mary O'Leary , Grange/Fermoy, on her first visit to Dungarvan took the ladies race in a time of 38.20. Mary, who now resides in Frankfurt, is home on a short holiday and made the trip down to Dungarvan for the race. She had just eight seconds to spare over St. Joseph's athlete Sinead Cummins 38.08 with Jackie Carthy, Kilmore, third in 38.35 and West Waterford's Joanne Jackman was fourth in 39.36. West Waterford's Eilish Ni hAodha won the ladies over 40 title in 42.24 and Helene Hayes won the over 45 in 56.29 with Terri Gough winning the over 50 in 58.46, all West Waterford.

FOR WEST WATERFORD AC

In the team awards local club West Waterford had a clean sweep winning all five titles. Ladies senior Diane Behan, Corinna Walsh and Norma Wall. Mens senior: Trevor Mason, Johnny O'Connor and David O'Loughlin. Over 40: Martin Mc Carthy, Davy Wade and Eamonn Phelan. Over 45 Colin Lyons, Anthony Dwyer and Tony Shalloe. Over 50 Con Kelleher, Martin Sandford and Michael Deegan.

The beginners mens title this year went to Luke O'Brien who is making great strides in a short time involved in running, and the ladies beginners winners were Joanne Dunford, Lisa Mulcahy and Grainne Earley all now regular Colligan

League runners. Well done to

MIKEY ROCHE MEMORIAL TROPHY

The Mikey Roche Memorial Trophy presented by the Power family, Mitchell Street in memory of their late uncle was won this year by West Waterford's Joanne Jackman as the first lady club finisher of the race. Also up for grabs was the Friends of West Waterford Dunabbey Trophy for the first local Master to finish the race and this for the third year in succession was won by Martin McCarthy.

RACE ORGANISATION

West Waterford Athletic Club wishes to thank the Lynch family and staff of the Parrish Bar for their kind sponsorship of the Dungarvan 10k last Sunday. To the Power family for presenting the Mikey Roche and the Seamus Power Trophies. Thanks also to the Dungarvan G.A.A. club - Paddy, Kieran and Joanne and all at the club for putting their fine facility at our disposal for the race, this was very much appreciated. To the Gardai for their help and to all the stewards, time keepers, those who looked after the entries and results who were all efficient as usual. Thanks to all the ladies who looked after the refreshments after the race, those who made sandwiches and Kathleen and Bernie made sure nobody went home hungry. Finally, well done to all who ran in the race,



Johnny Lynch, Parrish Bar (sponsor) presents first prize to winner of the Dungarvan 10k last Sunday Gearoid O'Connor, Rathfarnham. Also included is West Waterford's Mark Langford who finished second.

DUNGARVAN 10KM ROAD RACE RESULTS

1 G. O'Connor (Rathfarnham-WSAF) 32:52; 2 M. Lankford (West Waterford) 33:50; 3 P. Heffernan (Fethard, M40) 33:53; 4 D. McCarthy (East Cork) 33:55; 5 M. Drake (East Cork, M40) 34:06; 6 P. Duggan (St Josephs) 34:59; 7 T. Mason (West Waterford) 35:11; 8 L. Kennedy (Waterford, M45) 35:29; 9 P. O'Sullivan (Clonmel) 35:39; 10 J. Brunnock (Clonmel) 35:50; 11 F. Walsh (Waterford) 36:06; 12 B. O'Reilly (Thomastown) 36:33. M40: 4 J. Dalton (Waterford)

M45: 2 C. Lyons (West Waterford) 38:18; 3 A. Dwyer

(West Waterford) 40:29. M50: 1 J.J. Harty (Thurles Crokes) 37:15; 2 C. Kelleher (West Waterford) 39:00; 3 J. Walshe (East Cork) 41:00.

M55: 1 M. Roche (West Waterford) 43:09; 2 D. Mitchell (Epsom & Ewell) 43:39; 3 F. Nolan (Waterford) 50:32.

MJ: 1 S. Stillwell (KCK) 36:49; 2 S. Power (West Waterford) 37:24

Women: 1 M. O'Leary (Grange-Fermoy, F35) 38:20; 2 S. Cummins (St Josephs) 38:28; 3 J.Carthy (Kilmore) 38:35; 4 J. Jackman (West Waterford) 39:36; 5 D. Behan (West Waterford) 41:36; 6 H. Doyle (Kilmore) 41:52; 7 E. Ni Aodha (West Waterford, F40) 42:24; 8 C. Walsh (West Waterford) 42:43; 9 N. Wall (West Waterford) 44:17; 9 A. Dunford (West Waterford, F35) 44:29.

F50: T. Gough (West Waterford) 58:46. (See full list of West Water-

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Lorna Daly and Jordan Daly presenting the Seamus Power Memorial Trophy in honour of their late grandfather Seamus to winner of the Parrish Bar Dungarvan 10k Road Race last Sunday, Gearoid O'Connor, Rathfarnham.



Pictured relaxing in the sun after running the Parrish Bar Dungarvan 10k last Sunday are Alban O'Donoghue and Noel Drohan, both West Waterford.

MICHAEL ROCHE
CARPETS
SPRING SERIES

Sunday's race was the fourth and final race in the Michael Roche Carpets Spring Series. A full report on this series will appear in next week's notes as restrictions on space this week will not allow for same.

Johnny Lynch, Parrish Bar (sponsors), presents his prize for the Parrish Bar Dungarvan 10k Road Race last Sunday to winner Mary O'Leary, Grange/Fermoy. Also included are Sinead Cummins, St. Joseph's (2nd) and Jackie Carty, Kilmore (3rd.)

DIVISION WS 1

West Waterford Athletic News

COPY TYPE COLLIGAN HILL RUNNING LEAGUE

One Two For Hugh

way stage of the four week Copy Type Hill Running League was held last Wednesday evening and another great turnout of runners were present. Most runners improved their times from the first week and already the improvement in fitness is noticeable.

First home in the two lap league making it two wins on the trot, (pardon the pun) was Hugh Collender in 19.50, 19 seconds faster than last weeks effort. Second place was also unchanged with Billy Coleman coming home in 20.28 again an improvement of well over a minute on the previous week. Other noticeable performances were had by Aisling O'Connell 21.12, Sheila O'Sullivan 21.48, Pascal Proctor 22.50, Nuala Aherne 23.45, Carol Whelan 24.47 and Michael Burke who took over two minutes off his best time

PLEASE NOTE

All divisions are now set. Total scores from four nights count (miss a night score will be total who ran plus one). And you must compete a minimum

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| | 1 | 227 COLLENDER, Hugh | 00:19:50 |
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| | 3 | 262 MCGRATH, Danny | 00:20:53 |
| | 4 | 228 KAVANAGH, Liam | 00:20:57 |
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| 1 | 6 | 263 MULCAHY Jenny | 00:21:37 |
| | 7 | 270 O SULLIVAN Shelia | 00:21:48 |
| | 8 | 225 MOORE, Liam | 00:21:55 |
| | 9 | 274 FOLEY Billy | 00:22:18 |
| | 10 | 273 FOLEY Timmy | 00:22:20 |
| | 11 | 234 PHELAN, Alan | 00:22:27 |
| | 12 | 259 DUGGAN, Thomas | 00:22:28 |
| | 13 | 230 COFFEY, Brigid | 00:22:30 |
| | 14 | 265 PROCTOR Pascal | 00:22:50 |
| | 15 | 275 COATES, Kim | 00:23:06 |
| | 16 | 243 WELDON, Aisling | 00:23:10 |
| | 17 | 238 NAGLE, Colm | 00:23:12 |
| | 18 | 253 EARLEY, Grainne | 00:23:19 |
| | 19 | 269 POWER Niall | 00:23:44 |
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| | 21 | 258 AHEARNE, Nuala | 00:23:46 |
| | 22 | 271 WOLFE Amy | 00:24:18 |
| | 23 | 272 PIERCE JASON | 00:24:20 |
| | 24 | 242 THORNTON, Teresa | 00:24:28 |
| | 25 | 250 COLLINS, Siobhan | 00:24:32 |
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| | 27 | 232 WHELAN, Carol | 00:24:47 |
| | 28 | 264 O BRIEN Noreen | 00:24:53 |
| | 29 | 266 COLLINS Margaret | 00:24:55 |
| | 30 | 245 POWER, Onra | 00:25:01 |
| | 31 | 255 RYAN, Rosanne | 00:25:06 |
| | 32 | 254 WHYTE, Mary | 00:25:19 |
| | 33 | 246 SHANLEY, Alice | 00:25:23 |
| | 34 | 240 BILLAL | 00:25:39 |
| | 35 | 231 TOBIN, Deirdre | 00:25:41 |
| | 36 | 252 SHEEHAN, Betty | 00:25:49 |
| | 37 | 241 HARNEY, Mary | 00:25:57 |
| | 38 | 261 MCDONALD, Teresa | 00:26:08 |
| | 39 | 226 COLLENDER, Mary | 00:26:14 |
| | 40 | 249 BYRNE, Gerry | 00:26:24 |
| | 41 | 224 POWER, Eileen | 00:27:02 |
| | 42 | 229 DE PAOR, Una | 00:27:31 |
| | 43 | 239 CLANCY, Rayleen | 00:27:32 |
| | 44 | 235 SALMON, Liz | 00:27:55 |
| | 45 | 223 BURKE, Michael | 00:28:18 |
| | 46 | 247 MCGRATH | 72-13/12 |

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of three nights. Anyone who forgets their number this given a 10-point penalty.

Johnny Brunnock King Of The Hill

Competing for the first time in this year's league Johnny Brunnock took stage two of the big one. The 5 miler on the hills, in a fine time of 29.49, the first athlete so far this year to break the magic 30 minute barrier in Colligan. Sean Stillwell finished second 30.09 and was the most improved athlete of the night from the first week when he ran 36.04. Third home was Johnny O'Connor 30.34 (another p.b. from Johnny) who just got in ahead of John Kearns 30.46. All fine performances all-round, like the 2.8 mile run we saw big improvements from many athletes last-Wednesday evening. Jason Travers 33.33, Pat Dunford 34.01, Shay Young 35.17, Luke O Brien 35.00, Marie Dwyer 40.51 and Triona Wall 44.11 just to mention a few of the many who improved from the previous weeks run.

Tonight's run starts again at 6.15 sharp with sign on from 5.30. Keep up the good work and bring a friend.

MINNIES TO SPONSOR 3.5 MILE SUMMER LEAGUE

The 2.7 mile runners from the Winter Leagues and the 2.8 mile runners from the Colligan League will have another series to look forward to which will keep them fit and active over the summer months. Thanks to the O'Brien family of Minnies Bar, Abbeyside who very kindly are sponsoring the event we will now have a 3.5 mile summer league at St. Augustine's College (by kind permission).

The League will be held on Tuesday nights at 7 p.m. starting on May 4th and it will be a progression distance wise on the other two leagues.

In taking part in this series, the organisers will be urging the participants to aim to take part in the Nike/Ger Wyley Sports Summer Series 5k runs in Touraneena and the Butlerstown and in the 5 mile runs in Clashmore, Dromana, Glaxosmithkline, Ballymacarbry and Ardmore in July and August.

Now, that you have started there is no going back. Just Do It.! Trial runs over the distance on Tuesday April 20th and 27th at 7 p.m. each evening see you there.

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| | Times recorded for Week 2 | | | | | | |
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| 1 | 809 BRUNNOCK Johnny | 00:29:49 | | | | | |
| 2 | 807 STILLWELL, Sean | 00:30:09 | | | | | |
| 3 | 731 O CONNOR, Johnny | 00:30:34 | | | | | |
| 4 | 811 KEARNES John | 00:30:46 | | | | | |
| 5 | 792 POWER, Shane | 00:31:33 | | | | | |
| 6 | 747 LYONS, Colin | 00:31:58 | | | | | |
| 7 | 783 DWYER, Michael | 00:32:00 | | | | | |
| 8 | 790 DWYER, Dermot | 00:32:39 | | | | | |
| 9 | 773 KELLY, Finbar | 00:33:24 | | | | | |
| 10 | 812 O DONOGHUE Alban | 00:33:28 | | | | | |
| 11 | 801 TRAVERS, Jason | 00:33:33 | | | | | |
| 12 | 797 RUSSELL, Kieran | 00:33:35 | | | | | |
| 13 | 735 SANDFORD, Martin | 00:33:59 | | | | | |
| 14 | 748 DUNFORD, Pat | 00:34:01 | | | | | |
| 15 | 759 FEENEY, Des | 00:34:33 | | | | | |
| 16 | 778 WRIGHT, John Joe | 00:35:00 | | | | | |
| 17 | 737 O'CONNELL, Will | 00:35:03 | | | | | |
| 18 | 727 YOUNG, Shay | 00:35:17 | | | | | |
| 19 | 775 WALSH, Corinna | 00:35:18 | | | | | |
| 20 | 769 KENNEDY, Padraig | 00:36:21 | | | | | |
| 21 | 740 SCANLON, Tom | 00:36:50 | | | | | |
| 22 | 757 WALL, Norma | 00:36:56 | | | | | |
| 23 | 816 DWYER Antony | 00:37:13 | | | | | |
| 24 | 752 FOLEY, Maurice | 00:37:20 | | | | | |
| 25 | 814 CAHILL Kieran | 00:37:26 | | | | | |
| 26 | 781 HAYES, Martin | 00:37:32 | | | | | |
| 27 | 749 DUNFORD, Ann | 00:37:38 | | | | | |
| 28 | 780 COLLINS, Brian | 00:37:52 | | | | | |
| 29 | 787 CURRAN, Martin | 00:38:02 | | | | | |
| 30 | 730 CONDON, Tom | 00:38:32 | | | | | |
| 31 | 733 TUTTY, Vincent | 00:38:32 | | | | | |
| 32 | 788 MORONEY, Kevin | 00:38:33 | | | | | |
| 33 | 738 TUTTY, Pat | 00:38:34 | | | | | |
| 34 | 815 POWER Ritchie | 00:38:37 | | | | | |
| 35 | 729 STREET, Paddy | 00:38:44 | | | | | |
| 36 | 774 CLIFF, Mark | 00:38:52 | | | | | |
| 37 | 746 O'BRIEN, Luke | 00:39:00 | | | | | |
| 38 | 776 TUTTY, George | 00:39:28 | | | | | |
| 39 | 741 SETFORD, Alan | 00:39:37 | | | | | |
| 40 | 732 MORRISSEY, Pat | 00:40:13 | | | | | |
| 41 | 784 DEEGAN, Michael | 00:40:17 | | | | | |
| 42 | 799 EARLEY, Pat | 00:40:19 | | | | | |
| 43 | 786 O GRADY, Thomas | 00:40:43 | | | | | |
| 44 | 744 BANNON, Aisling | 00:40:48 | | | | | |
| 45 | 782 DWYER, Marie | 00:40:51 | | | | | |
| 46 | 779 DUNFORD, Joanne | 00:40:55 | | | | | |
| 47 | 753 O'MAHONEY, Siobha | | | | | | |
| 48 | 756 CURRAN, P.J. | 00:41:50 | | | | | |
| 49 | 804 VEALE, Brid | 00:42:22 | | | | | |
| 50 | 785 UI CHUIRRIN, Josie | | | | | | |
| 51 | 742 COLEMAN, Kieran | 00:42:49 | | | | | |
| 52 | 800 LENNON, Pat | 00:43:25 | | | | | |
| 53 | 813 SANDFORD Liam | 00:43:26 | | | | | |
| 54 | 777 POWER, Richard | 00:43:31 | | | | | |
| 55 | 817 DONNELLY Brendan | | | | | | |
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| 59 | | 00:45:26 | | | | | |
| 60 | 728 POWER, Ray | 00:47:27 | | | | | |

WOMEN'S SHORT COURSE LEAGUE TABLES AFTER TWO NIGHTS

1 230 COFFEY, Brigid 7 13

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| 3 | 253 EARLEY, Grainne | 14 | 18 | 32 |
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| 5 | 250 COLLINS, Siobhan | | 25 | 38 |
| 6 | 232 WHELAN, Carol | 19 | 27 | 46 |
| DI | VISION WS 2 | | | |
| 1 | 267 O'CONNELL Aisling | 41 | 5 | 46 |
| 2 | 242 THORNTON, Teresa | 23 | 24 | 47 |
| 3 | | 21 | 26 | 47 |
| 4 | 263 MULCAHY jenny | 41 | 6 | 47 |
| 5 | | | 7 | 48 |
| 6 | 236 HUNT, Brenda | 4 | 47 | 51 |
| DI | VISION WS 3 | | | |
| 1 | 233 HOGAN, Laura | 6 | 47 | 53 |
| 2 | | 22 | 32 | 54 |
| | 275 COATES, Kim | 41 | 15 | 56 |
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| 5 | | 27 | 30 | 57 |
| 6 | | 25 | 33 | 58 |
| DI | VISION WS 4 | | | |
| | 226 COLLENDER, Mary | 20 | | 59 |
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| | 251SHEEHAN, Anne | 15 | | 62 |
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| | 228 KAVANAGH, Liam | 3 | 4 | 7 |
| 4 | 262 MCGRATH, Danny | 12 | 3 | 15 |
| 5 | 259 DUGGAN, Thomas | 5 | 12 | 17 |
| DIV | ISION MS 2 | | | |
| 1 | 225 MOORE, Liam | 11 | 8 | 19 |
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| 5 | 273 FOLEY Timmy | 41 | 10 | 51 |
| 6 | 265 PROCTOR Pascal | 41 | 14 | 55 |
| DIV | VISION MS 3 | | | |
| 1 | 269 POWER Niall | 41 | 19 | 60 |
| 2 | 272 PIERCE JASON | 41 | 23 | 64 |
| 3 | 249 BYRNE, Gerry | 31 | 40 | 71 |
| 4 | 240 BILLAL | 39 | 34 | 73 |
| 5 | 223 BURKE, Michael | 38 | 45 | 83 |
| 6 | 247 MCGRATH | | | |
| | (TAL), Danny | 40 | 46 | 86 |

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| 1 | 775 WALSH, Corinna | 20 | 19 | | 39 |
| 2 | 757 WALL, Norma | 24 | 22 | | 46 |
| | 749 DUNFORD, Ann | 32 | 27 | | 59 |
| 4 | 782 DWYER, Marie | 47 | 45 | | 92 |
| 5 | 779 DUNFORD, Joanne | 48 | 46 | | 94 |
| 6 | 753 O'MAHONEY, S. | 51 | 47 | | 98 |
| DIV | ISION WL 2 | | | | |
| 1 | 744 BANNON, Aisling | 60 | 44 | | 104 |
| 2 | | 41 | 64 | | 105 |
| 3 | | 56 | 49 | | 105 |
| 4 | 785 UI CHUIRRIN, J. | 57 | 50 | | 107 |
| 5 | 767 MULCAHY, Lisa | 50 | 64 | | 114 |
| 6 | 758 WALL, Triona | 65 | 56 | | 121 |
| DIV | VISION WL 3 | | | | |
| 1 | 789 MURPHY, Nicola | 59 | 64 | | 123 |
| 2 | 806 HICKEY, Ann Marie | 70 | 57 | | 127 |
| 3 | 771 DEE, Nicola | 67 | 64 | | 131 |
| 4 | 754 HAYES, Helene | 71 | 61 | | 132 |
| | 755 O'SHEA, Aisling | 69 | 64 | | 133 |
| | 796 SHEIL, Jacinta | 72 | 62 | | 134 |

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| 2 | 792 POWER, Shane | 3 | 5 | | 8 |
| 3 | 747 LYONS, Colin
783 DWYER, Michael | 6 | 6 | | 10
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| 4 5 | 790 DWYER, Dermot | 7 | 8 | | 15 |
| 6 | 797 RUSSELL, Kieran | 9 | 12 | | 21 |
| 7 | 807 STILLWELL, Sean | 19 | 2 | | 21 |
| 8 | 759 FEENEY, Des | 8 | 15 | | 23 |
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| 1 | 773 KELLY, Finbar | 14 | 9 | | 23 |
| 2 | 801 TRAVERS, Jason | 12 | 11 | | 23 |
| 3 | 748 DUNFORD, Pat | 13 | 14 | | 27 |
| 4 | 735 SANDFORD, Martin | 15 | 13 | | 28 |
| 5 | 778 WRIGHT, John Joe | 16 | 16 | | 32 |
| 6 | 737 O'CONNELL, Will | 17 | 17 | | 34 |
| 7 | 727 YOUNG, Shay | 21 | 18 | | 39 |
| 8 | 769 KENNEDY, Padraig | 25 | 20 | | 45 |
| DIV | ISION ML 3 | | | | |
| 1 | 752 FOLEY, Maurice | 26 | 24 | | 50 |
| 2 | 780 COLLINS, Brian | 28 | 28 | | 56 |
| 3 | 733 TUTTY, Vincent | 27 | 31 | | 58 |
| 4 | 781 HAYES, Martin | 36 | 26 | | 62 |
| 5 | 729 STREET, Paddy | 29 | 35 | | 64 |
| 6 | 740 SCANLON, Tom | 44 | 21 | | 65 |
| 7 | 750 O'HALLORAN, Sear | | 64 | | 66 |
| 8 | 730 CONDON, Tom | 37 | 30 | | 67 |
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| 1 | 751 SALMON, Joe
774 CLIFF, Mark | 5
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| 2 | 746 O'BRIEN, Luke | 34 | 37 | | 71 |
| 4 | 787 CURRAN, Martin | 42 | 29 | | 71 |
| 5 | 788 MORONEY, Kevin | 39 | 32 | | -71 |
| 6 | 738 TUTTY, Pat | 40 | 33 | | 73 |
| 7 | 743 COONEY, Michael | 10 | 64 | | 74 |
| 8 | 802 TRAVERS, Damian | | 64 | | 75 |
| DIV | ISION ML 5 | | | | |
| 1 | 809 BRUNNOCK J. | 74 | 1 | | 75 |
| 2 | 811 KEARNES John | 74 | 4 | | 78 |
| 3 | 736 FLEMING, Jim | 18 | 64 | | 82 |
| 4 | 741 SETFORD, Alan | 45 | 39 | | 84 |
| 5 | 784 DEEGAN, Michael | 43 | 41 | | 84 |
| 6 | 812 O DONOGHUE A. | 74 | | | 84 |
| 7 | 798 O'CONNOR, Gerry | 22 | | | 86 |
| 8 | 734 BURKE, Ray | 23 | 64 | | 87 |
| | ISION ML 6 | | | | |
| 1 | 776 TUTTY, George | 49 | 38 | | 87 |
| 2 | 799 EARLEY, Pat | 46 | 42 | | 88 |
| 3 | 732 MORRISSEY, Pat | 53 | 40 | | 93 |
| 5 | 805 VEALE, James
772 DEE, Michael | 30 | 64
64 | | 94
95 |
| 6 | 816 DWYER Antony | 74 | 23 | | 97 |
| 7 | 739 SHANLEY, Tom | 35 | 64 | | 99 |
| 8 | 814 CAHILL Kieran | 74 | 25 | | 99 |
| Lui E | ISION ML 7 | | | | |
| 1 | 786 O'GRADY, Thomas | 58 | 43 | | 101 |
| 2 | 756 CURRAN, P.J. | 54 | 48 | | 102 |
| 3 | 794 ROCHE, Michael | 38 | 64 | | 102 |
| 4 | 742 COLEMAN, Kieran | 52 | 51 | | 103 |
| 5 | 815 POWER Ritchie | 74 | 34 | | 108 |
| 6 | 777 POWER, Richard | 55 | 54 | | 109 |
| 7 | 800 LENNON, Pat | 62 | 52 | | 114 |
| 8 | 745 CURRAN, Ray | 64 | 58 | | 122 |
| DIV | ISION ML 8 | | | | |
| 1 | 770 CURRAN, Stephen | 61 | 64 | | 125 |
| 2 | 803 HANSBURY, Paul | 66 | 59 | | 125 |
| 3 | 793 LAMBDEN, Eamonr | | 64 | | 127 |
| 4 | 813 SANDFORD Liam | 74 | 53 | | 127 |
| 5 | 728 POWER, Ray
817 DONNELLY Brendar | 68
n 74 | 60
55 | | 128
129 |
| 7 | 791 MCGRATH, Albert | 73 | 63 | | 136 |
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NEXT BIG LOCAL EVENT

The 12th annual Marine Climb, race one in the Nike/Ger Wyley Sports Summer Series, which will be held on Friday April 23rd at 7 p.m.

West Waterford Athletic News

West Waterford Athletic Club finishers in the Parrish Bar Dungarvan 10k Road Race last Sunday

| | Bar Dungarva | an 10k Road | Race las | st Sund | lay | |
|----------|---|--|------------------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|
| Piace | Time Name | Team | Race Age Category | min mile | No. | Place |
| 1 2 | 0:33:50 LANGFORD, Mark
0:35:11 MASON, Trevor | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Senior Men
Senior Men | 05:26.6
05:39.6 | 73
3 | 7 |
| 3 | 0:36:57 O'CONNOR, Johnny | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 05:56.7 | 23 | 14 |
| 4 | 0:37:08 O'LOUGHLIN, David | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 05:58.4 | 888 | 16 |
| 5 | 0:37:19 MCCARTHY, Martin | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/40 | 06:00.2 | 79 | 18 |
| 6 | 0:37:24 POWER, Shane
0:37:37 DWYER, Michael | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Junior Men
Senior Men | 06:01.0
06:03.1 | 29
910 | 19
21 |
| 8 | 0:37:55 DWYER, Dermot | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 06:06.0 | 43 | 22 |
| 9 | 0:38:03 O'LOUGHLIN, Michael | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 06:07.3 | 887 | 23 |
| 10 | 0:38:18 LYONS, Colin | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/45 | 06:09.7 | 70 | 25 |
| 11 | 0:38:55 MURRAY, Conor
0:39:00 KELLEHER, Con | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Senior Men
Men 0/50 | 06:15.7
06:16.5 | 57
891 | 30 |
| 13 | 0:39:15 BARRY, Keith | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 06:18.9 | 879 | 33 |
| 14 | 0:39:19 WADE, Davy | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/40 | 06:19.5 | 80 | 35 |
| 15 | 0:39:36 JACKMAN, Joanne | West Waterford A.C | Senior Ladies | 06:22.3 | 74 | 36 |
| 16
17 | 0:39:38 DUNFORD, Pat
0:39:40 PHELAN, Eamon | West Waterford A.C.
West Waterford A.C. | Senior Men
Men 0/40 | 06:22.6
06:22.9 | 14
890 | 37
38 |
| 18 | 0:39:44 O BRIEN, Tom | West Waterford A.C. | Senior Men | 06:23.5 | 10 | 40 |
| 19 | 0:39:48 O'DONOGHUE, Alban | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/40 | 06:24.2 | 49 | 41 |
| 20 | 0:40:29 DWYER, Anthony | West Waterford A.C. | Men 0/45 | 06:30.8 | 87 | 44 |
| 21 | 0:41:01 HICKEY, Dermot
0:41:02 MCGUIRE, Billy | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Senior Men
Men 0/40 | 06:35.9
06:36.1 | 47
881 | 46
47 |
| 23 | 0:41:08 SANFORD, Martin | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/50 | 06:37.1 | 84 | |
| 24 | 0:41:18 FEENEY, Des | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 06:38.7 | - 77 | 50 |
| 25 | 0.41:22 KENNEDY, Padraig | West Waterford A.C. | Senior Men | 06.39.3 | 78 | 51 |
| 26
27 | 0:41:36 BEHAN, Diane
0:41:37 WYLEY, Ger | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Senior Ladies
Men 0/40 | 06:41.6
06:41.7 | 9
914 | 53
54 |
| 28 | 0.42.02 YOUNG, Shay | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 06:45.7 | 8 | 56 |
| 29 | 0:42:24 NI AODHA, Eilis | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/40 | 06:49.3 | 19 | 58 |
| 30 | 0:42:43 WALSH, Corinna | West Waterford A.C | Senior Ladies | 06:52.3 | 48 | 60 |
| 31 | 0:42:44 0 RIORDAN, Eoin
0:42:46 SHALLOE, Tony | West Waterford A.C. West Waterford A.C. | Senior Men
Men 0/45 | 06:52.5
06:52.8 | 65
63 | 61
62 |
| 33 | 0:42:50 FRAHER, Gearoid | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 06:53.5 | 68 | 63 |
| 34 | 0:42:54 FLYNN, John | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 06.54.1 | 892 | 64 |
| 35 | 0:42:55 VERLING, Mick | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 06:54.3 | 38 | 65 |
| 36
37 | 0:42:57 WADE, Michael
0:42:58 FOLEY, Maurice | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Men 0/40
Men 0/40 | 06:54.6
06:54.8 | 36
76 | 66
67 |
| 38 | 0:43:00 TUTTY, Vincent | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 06:55. | 11 | 69 |
| 39 | 0:43:09 ROCHE, Michael | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/55 | 06:56.5 | 67 | 70 |
| 40 | 0:43:12 MOONEY, Paul | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/40 | 06:57.0 | 60 | 71 |
| 41 | 0:43:32 MASON, Darren
0:43:43 DROHAN, Noel | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Senior Men
Senior Men | 07:00.2
07:02.0 | 2
92 | 73
75 |
| 43 | 0:44:14 0'HARA, Brendan | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 07:02:0 | 901 | 80 |
| 44 | 0:44:17 WALL, Norma | West Waterford A.C | Senior Ladies | 07:07.5 | 17 | 81 |
| 45 | 0:44:19 VEALE, Martin | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 07:07.8 | 912 | 82 |
| 46
47 | 0:44:25 COLLINS, Brian
0:44:29 DUNFORD, Ann | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Men 0/40
Female 0/35 | 07:08.8 | 41
13 | 83
84 |
| 48 | 0:45:30 CURRAN, Martin | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 07:09.4
07:19.2 | 94 | 86 |
| 49 | 0:45:54 MORRISSEY, Pat | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 07:23.1 | 51 | 88 |
| 50 | 0:46:02 DEEGAN, Michael | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/50 | 07:24.4 | 81 | 89 |
| 51
52 | 0:46:10 SCANLON, Tom | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/45 | 07:25.6 | 62 | 90 |
| 53 | 0:46:47 TUTTY, George
0:46:48 MCCARTHY, Mick | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Men 0/50
Men 0/45 | 07:31.6
07:31.8 | 885
880 | 92
93 |
| 54 | 0:46:50 O'BRIEN, Luke | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/40 | 07:32.1 | 95 | 94 |
| 55 | 0:47:11 EARLEY, Pat | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 07:35.5 | 45 | 95 |
| 56 | 0:47:22 SETFORD, Alan | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/50 | 07:37.2 | 24 | 96 |
| 57
58 | 0:47:26 DUNFORD, Joanne
0:48:16 CLARKE, John | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Senior Ladies
Senior Men | 07:37.9
07:45.9 | 56
883 | 97
99 |
| 59 | 0:48:35 DWYER, Marie | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/35 | 07:49.0 | 911 | 101 |
| 60 | 0:48:56 VEALE, Brid | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/40 | 07:52.4 | 21 | 103 |
| 61 | 0:49:26 KAVANAGH, Aine | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/35 | 07:57.2 | 18 | 104 |
| 62
63 | 0:49:28 KEATING, Paul
0:49:46 LENNON, Pat | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Men 0/50
Senior Men | 07:57.5
08:00.4 | 42
96 | 105
106 |
| 64 | 0:49:47 POWER, Richard | West Waterford A.C | Men O/45 | 08:00.6 | 884 | 107 |
| 65 | 0:50:11 UI CHUIRRIN, Josie | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/40 | 08:04.4 | 99 | 108 |
| 66 | | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/40 | 08:05.7 | 889 | 109 |
| 67
68 | 0:50:22 O'MAHONEY, Siobhan
0:50:42 HANRAHAN, Judy | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Female 0/40
Senior Ladies | 08:06.2
08:09.4 | 100
90 | 110
112 |
| 69 | 0:50:48 COLEMAN, Kieran | West Waterford A.C | Senior Ladies Senior Men | 08:10.4 | 98 | 113 |
| 70 | 0:50:53 DONNELLY, Brendan | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 08:11.2 | 97 | 114 |
| 71 | 0:50:58 HOGAN, Laura | West Waterford A.C | Senior Ladies | 08:12.0 | 894 | 115 |
| 72
73 | 0:51:04 DRUMMY, Michael
0:51:10 MULCAHY, Lisa | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Senior Men
Senior Ladies | 08:13.0 | 913
16 | 116
117 |
| 74 | 0:51:51 MOORE, Liam | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/45 | 08:13.9
08:20.5 | 7 | 120 |
| 75 | 0:52:01 MURRAY, Ray | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/50 | 08:22.1 | 898 | 121 |
| 76 | 0:52:41 WALL, Triona | West Waterford A.C | Senior Ladies | 8:28.6 | 28 | 124 |
| 77
78 | 0:52:43 O'DROMA, Seamus
0:53:26 CASEY, Davy (Skerries) | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Men 0/45
Senior Men | 08:28.9 | 58
59 | 125 |
| 78 | 0:53:26 CASEY, Davy (Skerries)
0:54:23 RYAN, Martina | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/35 | 08:35.8
08:45.0 | 61 | 126
130 |
| 80 | 0:54:46 KIRWAN, Jenny | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/40 | 08:48.7 | 893 | 131 |
| 81 | 0:55:32 HENNESSY, Pat | West Waterford A.C | Men 0/55 | 08:56.1 | 916 | 132 |
| 82 | 0:56:00 HICKEY, Ann-Marie | West Waterford A.C | Senior Ladies | 09:00.6 | 896 | 133 |
| 83
84 | 0:56:29 HAYES, Helene
0:56:34 O'SHEA, Aisling | West Waterford A.C
West Waterford A.C | Female 0/45
Senior Ladies | 09:05.2
09:06.0 | 89
82 | 135
136 |
| 85 | 0:56:45 SHEIL, Jacinta | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/40 | 09:07.8 | 64 | 137 |
| 86 | 0:57:46 MCGRATH, Albert | West Waterford A.C | Senior Men | 09:17.6 | 27 | 138 |
| 87 | 0:58:46 GOUGH, Terri | West Waterford A.C | Female 0/50 | 09:27.3 | 886 | 139 |

Well Done To The Ard Scoil Na nDeise Girls

Belated congratulations to the young athletes of local secondary school Ard Scoil Na nDéise and their coach Mary Ashe on their recent success in capturing not one but two All-Ireland mountain running titles. Held in St. Columba's College, Dublin, two weeks ago, the school took the junior team title in the morning and in afternoon it was the turn of the senior girls and they likewise took top honours. Both teams consisted mainly of West Waterford juvenile athletes.

Footgage Analysis

A Nike Footgage Analysis Day will be held in Dungarvan on Saturday 24th April, and the Nike trial van will be available for athletes to try Nike running shoes at the Marine Climb race the day previous on the Friday night 23rd. Anyone who missed out on this free service the last time round can contact Wyley Sports at (058) 42059 to book a time for the Saturday on a first come first served bases. The Nike foot analysis expert will be available on the day to give advice on proper footwear for each individual runner. This free service provided by Wyley Sports and Nike proved to be very popular with all who were present on their last visit and gives very interesting information to the athlete. Get your name in early and don't be disappointed this time.

WHAT'S YOUR TIME FOR THE MILE

Have you ever ran the mile on the track? What's your time for the mile? Do you know how many laps of the track for a mile race? Well 50 years ago Roger Banister was the first man in history to run under 4 minutes for the mile on May 6th 1954 and to mark the anniversary of that great sporting moment Waterford Road Runners and West Waterford Athletic club are coming together on Thursday May 6th, when a festival night of 1 mile track races will be held at the R S.C. Waterford. These races will cater for all levels of runners and will be a night not to be missed by all. Bobby Coady, Waterford and Tony Ryan, West Waterford, are the local co-ordinators of the event - more later! Stick the date in your diary.

DUNGARVAN MAN SPONSORED RUN IN THE DUBLIN CITY MARATHON RAISES €7,778.22c



Pictured above is the Conor Murray, who ran the marathon, with his son, Jack presenting the cheque to David McCarthy, President Waterford & Lismore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Conor would like to thank everyone who collected and contributed to the fund.

(Photo: Sean Byrne)

TRACK & FIELD FIXTURES 2004

Munster Junior, U/23 and Masters — Sun May 30th, Castleisland, Kerry.

Munster Senior — Sunday June 6th, Cork I.T.
National Junior and Under-23 — Sun July 4th, Tullamore.
Mazda League Rd 1 — Sun July 18th, T.B.A.
National Senior — Sat/Sun July 24/25, Morton Std, Dublin Mazda League Rd 2 — Sunday August 1st, T.B.A.
National Masters — Sunday August 8th, Tullamore
Mazda League Final — Sunday August 15th, Tullamore
Waterford Championships — T.B.A., R.S.C.

INTERNATIONAL MEDALS FOR OUR JUVENILES

Congratulations go this week to three of our young juvenile athlete who were in Scotland last weekend on international duty for their schools, St. Augustine's and Ard Scoil Na nDéise at the Schools International Cross Country in Ayr.

David McCarthy in the intermediate boys had a fine run to finish first Irish athlete in 8th position with Ferdia O hAodha 20th and the 6th scoring Irish team member. Both boys did their bit for the team here when Ireland took the silver team medals. In the girls junior race Shona Curran was the sole representative from these parts and finished a great 14th overall and scored as 3rd girl on the Irish team who took bronze medals. Well done to all. Mary Ashe was Irish team coach for the trip.

CASTLEMARTYR '4'

(In association with East Cork AC and Ballycotton Running Promotions)

DATE: Thursday April 15th 2004. TIME: 8:00pm. VENUE: Castlemartyr School Hall. Prizes — First five individual men. First three M40. First two M45. First M50. First M55. First two MJ. First two teams of three (outside of above winners). First five individual women. First F35. First F40. First F45. Plus spot prizes! Entry Fee €5, taken on the night

SPEED WORK

The clubs speed work sessions will continue from Wednesday night April 21st at St.Augustines college, Duckspool.if you want to improve your time over the shorter distances this is for you with the Ger Wyley Nike summer series looming now is the time to get prepared if you want to beat your old rival over the 5k, 5 mile and 10k distances and this is the answer, speedwork with coach Ryan every Wednesday night at the Friary starting 21st April, be there.

Dungarvan G.A.A. Club Notes

JUVENILE HURLING

Coaching continues every Tuesday night in the Sports Centre from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. for the 4 & 5 year olds and on Saturday mornings in the field at 11.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. for the rest.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS HURLING

St. Joseph's Primary School had a comprehensive win over Abbeyside National School in the first round of the Primary Schools Hurling Championship, which was played last Friday in the School field. Best of luck to the boys in their remaining matches which will be played after the Easter holidays.

MINI SEVEN'S HURLING

St. Joseph's seven-a-side hurling team have qualified for the semi finals of the Mini Seven's competition, which will be played on Thursday 22nd April in the Club Grounds.

UNDER- 13 HURLING COACHING

The Waterford Coaching and Games Development Committee have organised coaching sessions in Cappoquin G.A.A. grounds this Wednesday at 1.30 p.m. for under 13 hurlers. Our representatives are Kenneth Moore, Eoin Healy, Tomas Cleary, David Houlihan and Craig Flynn.

UNDER-14 WESTERN HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Dungarvan Under-14 Hurlers recorded their second win in the Bord na nOg Western Championship against Cois Bride last Sunday morning. The lads proved to be too strong for a young, but gallant, Cois Bride side and ran out convincing winners at the final whistle. Our thanks to Cois Bride for rescheduling the game for Sunday morning and to the infamous Jim Joe Landers for his excellent handling of the game. By the way Jim, I thought you retired wears and

thought you retired years ago!
U.14 Panel – David Moore,
Tomas Cleary, Adam Sheridan,
Luke Egan, David Crotty, Neil
Fitzgerald, Tony Walsh, Eoin
Healy, Liam Ryan, Eric Duggan, Sean Duggan, Colm Curran, Kenneth Moore, Cormac
Curran, David Brophy, Craig
Flynn, Craig Shead, Craig
Kiely, Sean Ryan, Kevin Sheehan, Jimmy Harty, Jamie Coward, Shaun Crotty, Darragh
Power, David Houlihan.

Next game is against Cappoquin on Monday evening 12th April in Cappoquin at 6.45 p.m. The winners of this match go through to the Western Final so best of luck to the lads.

JUVENILE COMMITTEE MEETING

Next meeting on Tuesday 13th April at 7.30 p.m.

ADULT SCENE UNDER 21 HURLING

The Under-21 Hurlers were not to be out done by the football counterparts last Saturday when they produced a workmanlike performance against what has to be said was a very young Clashmore team, to progress to the second round of the Championship. The early exchanges saw a brace of points from the lively Johnny Lynch and three un answered points from play from the Man in form Jonathon Regan. Two points from Clashmore midway through the first half were quickly cancelled out by an opportunistic goal from the hurl of young John O'Keeffe. To their credit Clashmore battled away and were rewarded with a couple of "Silly Frees" conceded by our defence and they were duly converted. Points from Jamie Nagle and Regan saw out the first half on a score line of Dungarvan 1-7 Clashmore 0-4.

The game was over as a contest 45 seconds into the second half when Regan broke through the Clasmore defence and rattled the net. The lads opened up a bit then with some excellent long-range scores from Nagle, Lynch, Regan and Radley. Last score of the game went to Brian Bannon who was probably the youngest Dungarvan man on the field at the tender age of 17. Breeding is a wonderful thing they say and certainly in Brian's case. The goal was well marshalled by Jamie Hallahan who didn't put a foot wrong for the hour. The full back line held its own, but only just. At centre back John Paul Tutty was colossal, flanked on one side by Justin Houlihan and the everimproving Darren Hamilton who was flawless throughout. At centre field the partnership of the hard working John O'-Donnell combined with the stylish Jamie Nagle proved to be too strong for Clasmore. Up front all the lads did enough to warrant selection again but Lynch, Bannon and Regan in particular stood out.

A feature of the game was the display of all our lads who were on either the Colaiste na nDeise team or the County Minor Hurling panel whose training over the winter has stood to the lads enormously.

What is absolutely inexcusable is the fact that Jonathon Regan has been omitted from the final Minor Panel who play on Wednesday night. With a personal tally of 2-6 from Saturday's match all I can say is that there must be some talent in the minor team to say that Jonathon can't even get on the panel. I have been reliably informed that the minor selectors have retained the services of 15

1938 COUNTY FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS



The recent death of Ned Power prompts us to feature the above photo this week of the 1938 Dungarvan team which won the county football championship of that year. Ned was a prominent member of the team. In the picture are, at back: Pinchers Duggan (Bagman), Jimmy Mountain, Mickie Fraher, Paul Russell, Jimmy Waters, Jack Phelan, John Begley, Dick McAllister, Jimmy McCarthy, Christy Moylan, Dec Sullivan, Ned Power, Mick Fives. Front row: Tom Carberry, Paul Lannon, Paddy Dwyer, Dec Goode (captain), Jim Ryan, Willie Barron, Sonny McGrath, Tommy Parsons.

and 16 year olds to give them experience for future years. What kind of a message is this sending out to fellows on the age? The wrong one in my opinion.

All that said we wish the minors the best of luck and we are still represented by Jamie and John Paul.

Dungarvan Under-21 Team – Jamie Hallahan, Sean Houlihan, Eddie Fitzpatrick, Aidan Connolly, Justin Houlihan, John Paul Tutty, Darren Hamilton, Jamie Nagle, John O'Donnell, Brian Bannon, Keith Radley, Johnny Lynch, John O'Keeffe, Ricky Tobin, Jonathon Regan. Subs. Kealon Flynn for O'Keeffe.

Scorers – Regan 2-6, Nagle 0-4, Lynch 0-1, Bannon 0-2, O'Keefe 1-0, Radley 1-1

UNDER 21 FOOT-BALLERS

Training in the field next Wednesday night. The match against St Mary's is fixed for Saturday next at 2.00 p.m. in the Brickey's pitch. Please come along and support the lads.

INTERMEDIATE HURLING

The adults played their first league game last Sunday evening against the Geraldines and came away with a narrow win on a score line of 2-7 to 2-5. An unconvincing performance that can be attributed partly to a number of absentees and otherwise to poor conditions the mentors realize that they have their work cut out for the up and coming championship. The team was P. Ahearne, J. Flynn, C. Murphy, A. Harney, M. McLoughlin, T. Galvan, Damien Power, K. Curran, G. Nagle, G. Cusack, Damon Flynn, D. Mears, J.

Regan, D. Burke, A. Harty. Subs S. Houlihan for A. Harty. INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

Training next Thursday night at 7.00 p.m. All are welcome!! The next league game is on Monday night next against Bonmahon in Bonmahon.

WEEKLY LOTTO

No winner this week of the main prize of €1,350. Next week it goes up to €1,500. Numbers drawn were 5, 7, 13, 18. Their were two winners of €35 Josie Flynn Comeragh Crescent and Brendan Crotty Congress Villas.

COUNTY DRAW

The draw took place last Friday night but unfortunately for all our members we didn't have a winner. Hopefully we'll have more success next month so "keep the faith".

MEMBERSHIP

Now that most of our teams both at juvenile and adult level have played a game or two I assume that all the players involved have paid up their membership. Membership is also available to non-playing adults and if you are interested please contact any committee member.

RECENT DEATHS

The club would like to extend its deepest sympathy to Ann Galvin and family on the recent death of her sister Kathleen. Ar dheis de go raibh si.

Camogie

Fixtures

Community Games Art Finals

The County Art Finals will take place in St. Augustines College, Abbeyside on Saturday April 17th at 11am. All the usual rules will apply, competitors will get 3 hours to complete their pictures which must have a Community Games theme. Judging will

then take place and results will be announced. Crown Paints are very kindly sponsoring this event again this year. Again please take note of new venue this year.

INDOOR SOCCER.

All our Indoor Soccer Finals are now complete. Victory going to Ballyduff in both the girls and boys U.13 events. Lismore were runners-up in the girls final and Clonea/Rathgormack finished runners-up in the boys final with Ballymacarbry taking bronze. In the boys U.15 final Stradbally/Bally/Faha beat Ballyduff. Thanks to Tom Kearney for all his work here and indeed thanks to all the areas concerned for their co-operation in getting this event finalised so quickly. In the outdoor soccer scene everything is progressing very well thanks to Declan Barron. A number of games have already been played and finals are due shortly.

SWIMMING

The County Finals will take place in Tramore on Saturday April 24th at 6pm.

COUNTY BOARD MEETING

At Monday night's meeting of the Waterford County Board, Paddy Joe Ryan, County Chairman defeated Anthony Walsh, Western Board Secretary, by 40 votes to 22 for the vacant post of Munster Council Rep., replacing Jimmy O'Gorman who is no the Council Vice-Chairman.

This Weeks Junior Senior League St. Annes v Ring,

Tramore v Lismore,

king, Ballyduff Upper v Portlaw ismore, St. Saviours v Gall Tir Ardkeen v Butlerstown

Under 14 A Championship Ardkeen v Lismore,

Under 14 B Championship Tramore v St. Saviours Butlerstown v Gall Tir

ABBEYSIDE/BALLINACOURTY **G.A.A. CLUB NOTES**

JUVENILE COMMITTEE MEETING

nile committee will take place on Tuesday the 13th of April at 8.00pm at the club grounds.

DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

We had 3 prize winners in the first instalment of the latest monthly Deise Development draw, which took place last Friday night at Lawlors Hotel. 3 hits out of 25 prizes available is not so bad. We know there will be more to follow. The club would like to express its gratitude to all of those loyal supporters who have gone out of their way to support the club through the Deise Development draw. This is a very valuable fundraiser for the club and without the loyal support from all of those who dug into their pocket the club could never survive and be as successful as it is currently. A huge thanks to those who have paid and a big plea to those who pledged their support but still have to pay. It's not to late because there are 7 more monthly draws left and with a first prize of €12,000, second prize of €3,000, third prize of €2,000, fourth prize of €1,000, fifth prize of €500 with 10 prizes of €200 and 10 prizes of 100. Our winners this month were Chrissie Terry €200, (promoter Bernard Shields), John Green €100 (promoter Frank Sweeney) and Roisin Hurney €100 (promoter

Pakey Hurney). SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

A reminder to all our supporters that the first Senior Football Championship game of the season will be played in Leamybrien on Friday the 16th of April at 7pm. Please put this in your diary, as we need all the support we can get to cheer on the lads

UNDER 21 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

The season is well and truly on the way. Our under 21 footballers will be out in their second championship game next Saturday in Ring at 2pm. We take on a tough opponent this time as we play Clashmore. Once again we would ask all supporters to turn out for this mighty bunch of lads. They need your support so please don't be shy and turn up in Ring. We wish the Captain Rick Hanrahan and his lads and their mentors Greg Fives. Bernard Shields an Hurney the very best of luck

UNDER 21 HURLING

Our under 21 hurlers had their first outing last Saturday against Ballyduff Upper at Lismore. This was the teams first outing without popular selector Noel Fleming. A minute's silence was held before the game and if our boys needed motivation this was certainly motivation, which Noel would have been proud of. The lads were out of the blocks very quickly but they did not get things all their own way. Ballyduff were up for it and hurled very well. The first half was very exciting with Mark "Flatch" Fives getting us off of the mark with a well-taken point after a pass from his brother Decky. This was followed by the first of two

frees in the first half from stones would have sent lesser James O'Mahoney gave great Decky Fives. It is true to say that Decky's hurling with the UCD Freshers is paying dividends for the player himself and the club. John "Shapes" Hurney playing a real captains part throughout the game scored a long-range goal when the Ballyduff keeper was unsighted. From the puck out Shapes got the sliother and drove forward to score a mighty point. Peter "Fifi" Phelan then followed this up with a superb long-range point. Mark Gorman pointed after taking a pass from Shapes who then followed up with a pass to his brother Patrick "Pudge" Hurney who dully put the ball over the bar. Decky took a pass on the run from Mark Gorman to score a point. Flatch not to be outdone by his brother went on a marvellous run and finished with a strike, which gave the goalkeeper no chance. John Hurney got on the end of a marvellous passing movement between Decky and Mark Fives to score a point. The score at half time was Abbeyside 2 goals and 9 points to 1 goal and 2 points. At the turn over John Hurney scored a goal which was followed up by two Decky Fives frees and two excellent 65's. The game was finally finished with another goal from John Hurney after a great run, which gave the goalkeeper no chance. So our lads march on to the next round but fair play to Ballyduff Upper they never gave up the ghost and kept working to the end with some very good performances. The team was Pat Enright, Brian Scanlon, Rick Hanrahan, Seamus Lavin (who seems to have forgotten to go back to Wales), Joey Mullen, John Kindregan, Aonghus Murray, John Hurney (Captain), Patrick Lynch, Peter Phelan, Mark Fives, Mark Gorman, Declan Fives, Simon Hanrahan and Patrick Hurney. Substitutes used were Seanie Kiely, Liam Briggs, Seamus Shields, Thomas Cashin and Eoin Enright. Waiting the call on the line were Sean Byrnes, Eddie Casey, David Moloney, Stephen Power, Ronan Fleming and David Ferncombe. We wish a speedy recovery to Tiarnan Tots" Murray who was injured for this game. Also it was great to see "Tucky" Organ on the sideline in his Abbeyside colours

SENIOR HURLING LEAGUE

We played our first game of the division two senior hurling league away to Portlaw last Sunday the 4th of April. Although short a few lads because of injury, under 21 hurling championship the day before and county commitments this was a very worthwhile workout. It would be sure to say that match practice was what was badly needed here and some more before our senior hurling championship game against De-La -Salle on the 2nd of May. Even though we went down on a scoreline of 2 goals and 9 points to 8 points the lads showed great commitment and determination. The elements were not conducive to good hurling particularly in the first half when a shower of hail

men to head for the dressing room. But it was the same for both teams and Portlaw were never going to roll over and die on there own patch. This was a good work out and certainly shows the lads that we still have work to do. The team was as follows Daryl Ryan, Owen Hayes, Gavin Breen, Brian Hayes, Rick Hanrahan, Shane Briggs (Captain), Damian Cliffe, John Hurney, Patrick Lynch, Paul O'Brien, Laurence Hurney, Eoin Murray, Mickey Enright, John Foley and Jonathon Moore. Substitutes used Paul Breen, Joe Walsh, Sean "Hiker" McGrath and Mick Collins. Rested from his excellent exploits the day before in the under 21 championship was Brian Scanlon. Also we wish a speedy recov-ery to Alan "Chunky" Ryan still on the side lines after his injury which was received against Lismore in the Sargent

COUNTY MINOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

We are honoured to have 5 players and 1 substitute lining out for Waterford in the Munster Minor Hurling Championship against Cork. This game will be played in Walsh Park next Wednesday the 7th of April at 6.30pm. John "Smiley" Kindregan lines out at centre back, Joey "the whippet" Mullen plays at mid field, Mark "Flatch" Fives will be at wing forward while the Gorman brothers Mark the older and John will line out as the corner forwards. Patrick "Pudge" Hurney who is captain of the county minor football team will be on the bench waiting the call. We wish all the lads the very best of luck and look to all club supporters to turn out and shout for Waterford and our lads.

UNDER 16 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP Our under 16 Footballers had

their second outing on Sunday morning last the 4th of April at Ring's well presented grounds and came away with another win. Due to the strong winds and heavy showers it was a championship match that required enormous work rate and commitment. These two characteristics were going to be crucial and we got plenty of both from both teams. Playing against the elements in the first half our six backs of Stephen Slater, Brendan Walsh (Captain), Stephen Lanigan, Donal Henley, Eoin Brackett and John O'Driscoll were very sound. Each one supported each other in combined play, which was very important against a strong wind. With ten minutes gone in the game the Gaelteacht were awarded a penalty. The penalty was well struck but this didn't phase Stephen Enright on goal. He launched himself full length across the goal line to his right and saved brilliantly. This gave the whole team a lift and five minutes later after a good build up from our midfield which saw the ball played through our forwards, corner forward Ciaran Mitchell was on hand to finish the move to the net. Our Midfield of Sean O'Hare and

assistance to our hardworking defence. Sean on more than one occasion demonstrated the skill of the two handed block down to great affect. The two midfielders also played intelligently with low ball played into the forwards. Our forwards were Eoin McCullagh, Jason Healy, David Power, Jamie Ryan, Billy Ryan and Ciaran Mitchell. To their credit our forwards didn't waste much of the supply of the ball. We were ahead at half time by I goal and 6 points to 1 goal and 1 point. An Gaelteacht to their credit came at us in the second half with all guns blazing but with the wind at our backs we held out for a 1 goal and 10 points to 1 goal and 4 points victory. Five of the starting forwards actually scored with the odd man out being Jamie Ryan. But fair play to Jamie he was involved in every move that scores were delivered from. Conor Moloney and Richie Ryan were introduced in the second half and both can be very pleased with their performances. Well done to all concerned. Our next championship match is at home against Clashmore. This game will be played at 6.30pm on Tuesday the 13th of April at 6.30pm having being switched from Sunday the 11th due to the Easter weekend.

ADULT TRAINING

Adult training will now change to 7.30pm on Tuesday evenings and will continue at 9pmn on Fridays until further

SYMPATHIES

The club would like to express our deepest sympathies to Mrs Maureen Fives on the death of her brother Paddy Barry in Dublin. Also to David Walsh on the death of his father Willie. To Mrs Josephine Mullen on the death of her mother Mrs Maureen Barron who was grandmother to Joey Mullen. Ar dheis de go raibh a

PLAYING FIELD

A reminder to all that permission granting use of the field can only be received from our Club Secretary Bernard Shields who can be contacted on 058-41467. The re-sodding of the goals is currently to schedule and the expectation is that the field will be available for us, weather permitting by the end of March.

E-MAIL AND CLUB **NEWS CONTACT**

Don't forget the e-mail address for the club is dunballin@hotmail.com. Anything you want to add to the notes not matter how trivial or funny please either e-mail or contact club PRO Mike Briggs on 058-45101 or 087-6993827.

G.A.A. **Fixtures**

Top Oil Senior Hurling Championship Fixtures SATURDAY MAY 1ST

At Cappoquin at 7 pm Ardmore v Ballyduff Upper (T. O'Sullivan)

At Fraher Field at 7 pm Lismore v Stradbally (P. Moore)

SUNDAY MAY 2ND

At Walsh Park at 2 pm Ballyduff Lower v Waterford Institute of Technology (T. O'Byrne)

3.30 pm Abbeyside v De La Salle (B. Power) At Fraher Field at 2 pm Fourmilewater v Roanmore (D. O Murchada)

3.30 pm Ballygunner v Tallow (J. Hunt) 7 pm Mt. Sion v Comeragh Gaels. (P. Walsh)

Lawlor's Hotel Senior Football Championship Fixtures FRIDAY APRIL 16TH

At Cappoquin at 7 pm Stradbally v Ardmore (T. O'Sullivan) At Lemybrien at 7 pm Ballinacourty v St. Saviours

(D. O Murchada) At Walsh Park at 7 pm Tramore v Kill (D. O'Leary)

At Fraher Field at 7 pm Rathgormack v Nire (P. Moore)

SATURDAY APRIL 17TH

At Kill at 7 pm John Mitchells v Kilmacthomas (T. O'Byrne). **SATURDAY APRIL 24TH**

At Fraher Field at 7 pm Clashmore v Kilrossanty

(P. Walsh).

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DIARY DATE MONDAY APRIL 12TH

Granville Hotel Co. Hurling League Division 1 (2003)

At Fraher Field at 2 pm Ballygunner v Lismore (P. Moore)

Weekend Results

Under 14 (B)

Portlaw 3-8

Junior Senior League Portlaw

Ardkeen 4-0 Butlerstown 5-5 Lismore 3-8

Tramore 0-0

Ring 1-0 Tramore 2-5 Gaultier 4-5 St. Annes 2-6

St. Saviours w/o Cappoquin

BALLYDUFF JUVENILE G.A.A.

UNDER-16 HURLING Liam Power will manager our

U16 hurling team this year. Best of luck to Liam and his

U10 ANNUAL DAVID WALSH TOURNAMENT

The annual David Walsh sponsored U10 Hurling tournament will take place on the 29th May and the 5th June.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Interviews for scholarships to An Gaeltacht will be held on April 10th. For information contact club secretary Greta Kearney. Open to club mem-

bers or children of club members only.

AZURRI SUMMER HURLING CAMPS

The Azzuri Waterford G.A.A. Summer Camp will visit Ballyduff from 12th to 15th of July. Cost 45e per child, this includes new special edition Azzuri Waterford G.A.A. kit. Limited edition gear bag. 18 hours of coaching by qualified coaches. Application forms from Greta Kearney.

WATERFORD MINOR **HURLERS**

Jamie Kearney and Adrian Power are currently training with the Waterford Minor team.

WEST WATERFORD UNDER-16'S

Shane Hannon and A. Power are currently training with the West Waterford U16 squad

MINOR TRAINING

With an extra hour of eight outdoor training will continue at 7pm on Fridays. Players are encouraged to keep up the good attendance and effort at train-

Waterford Supporters Club In Dublin

Hard luck to the Waterford Footballers who narrowly lost out to Louth over the weekend. The best of luck to the Waterford Senior Hurlers who take on Limerick next sunday the 11th March in Walsh Park in the second phase of the Allianz Hurling League. Also best wishes to the Minor team who will start there campaign later on this month.

Brickey Rangers G.A.A. Club Notes

UNDER-21 HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

We travelled to Leamybrien on Saturday last to play Stradbally in the first round of the championship. From the start it was evident that the Brickey's were the dominant team and we now ran out winners on a score of Brickey Rangers 2-1 Stradbally 0-5.

Paidi Nugent, Raymond Landers, William Murphy.

HURLING LEAGUE

and a low scoring first half, we stepped up a gear in the second half and when the final whistle sounded the score read Brickey Rangers 0-11 Kilgobnet 1-5.

Cooney, P. McCarthy, Richard Tobin, Carthach 8th in Touraneena. Competition is very strong Shalloe, Shane McGrath, Ian McCarthy, Fergus in Scor na bPaisti as clubs seem to make a bet-Nugent, Conor Phelan, Vincent McCarthy, ter effort preparing the younger children who Austin Cooney, Mark Nugent, James Cooney, Shane Nugent. Subs: John Byrne, Tommy Lynch, Richard Halpin, Matt Kiely.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Park on our 3rd round of the league.

BRICKEY MINI LOTTO

on Thursday night last. Numbers drawn were the County final. 5-11-12. There was no jackpot winner. 20e winners were: Pauline Sheehan, Michael Whelan, Teresa Curran, Maureen O'Donoghue. This han, Clare Meehan. weeks draw will take place in the Tudor House each available from any promoter.

DEISE DRAW

The first draw in the new series began in Lawlor's Hotel on Friday night last. The club had two winners. Congratulations to John Mc-Carthy, Coolnagour who was a 200e winner and to Michael Donnelly, Glenmore who was a Meehan. 100e winner. Thanks also to all our draw members who supported the draw and a special Kealin Harty. thanks to our hardworking promoters. Your support is appreciated. The next draw will take place on the 30th April in John Paul's and is hosted by the Old Parish G.A.A. club.

GOLF CLASSIC

weekend 8th, 9th and 10th of April in West left to try and rectify this, and hope to be back Waterford Golf Club. Teams of 4, ladies, men, to full strength before our next game. mixed 120e per team. Excellent prizes and best score each day prize competition. Champagne scramble 2 scores to count on all holes. For timesheet phone 058-43216.

There will be a prize ceremony in West Waterford Golf club on Saturday night and a Carthy, Cian Kearney, Shane Kearney, Dara good night is assured by all.

SYMPATHY

The sympathy of the Brickey Club goes to the Barry and Fives families on the death of the late Paddy Barry, who died during the week in Dublin. The Barry family are synomonous with the Brickey club down through the years in the late forties and fifties.

Ar dheis de go raibh se.

BRICKEY RANGERS JUVENILE NOTES

Scor na bPaisti — Bushy Park has been a hive of activity over the past number of weeks as 35 children prepared for Scor na bPaisti. At this stage the first rounds and Western Final have taken place. In the first round we had three groups of figure dancers, three quiz Team: Michael Gee, Cian Shalloe, Austin teams and one recitation taking part. All com-Cooney, Johnny Cooney, Shane McGrath, petitors gave of their best and the three figure Carthach Shalloe, Dermot McGrath, Ivan Mur- dances qualified for the Western final. The phy, Conor Phelan, Tommy Lynch, Peter Queal- recitation and quiz teams were unlucky this ly, David Hickey, Thomas Landers, Shane time but are all very young and have two or Nugent, Conor McGrath. Subs: Eoin McCarthy, will have gained a lot of confidence performthree more years left in this competition, and ing on stage.

We went to the Western final on Sunday night last and what a delight to see 22 children We played our first match at home against competing in figure dance. All dancers gave Kilgobnet on Sunday last. After a slow start wonderful performances with groups A and B dancing The-High-Cap-Cap, and group C dancing the Fairy Reel. When results were announced we had qualified for the County Final in figure dance B. As there is only one figure dance in the East group A will also be dancing Team: Michael Gee, Jimmy Sheehan, D. in the County final, which takes place on May are always eager to participate in all sections. and what an amount of talent is on show. The support for these young children is excellent and wonderful to see. Great credit is due to our own parents, supporters and especially We play Clashmore next Monday in Bushy Shane who gives so much time in preparing the competitors.

Congratulations to all who took part and The lotto draw was held in Bridie Dee's bar good luck to those who will be competing in

Competitors: Figure dance A - Sarah Connor, Ashely Spratt, Sinead McCarthy, Kate O'Connor, Becky Healy, Chloe Halpin, Shauna Halla-

Figure dance B - Edwina Cooney, Naoimi and the jackpot will be 900e. Tickets just 1.50e Lyons, Clodagh Gallagher, Aisling Reynolds, Meabh De Burca, Emma McCarthy, Lorraine Wyley, Lisa Houlihan, Gina Gleeson.

> Figure dance C - Una McGrath, Kealin Harty, Tara Healy, Laura Connors, Aileen Gallagher, Kate Mulvill.

Recitation: Lisa Houlihan.

Quiz A: Sarah Connors, Kate O'Connor, Clare

Quiz B: Hannah O'Connoll, Carthach Barry,

Quiz C: Lisa Houlihan, Clodagh Gallagher, Meabh De Burca.

Under-16 Football - To date we have played two games in the U16 championship, away to Clashmore and Stradbally. We haven't as yet recorded a win, but were only narrowly Our annual Golf Classic will take place this defeated in both games. We have two games

Panel: David Curran, Ciaran Lane, Alan Curran, Raymond McCarthy, Conor Nugent, Colin McGrath, Liam Hansbury, Conor McGrath, Christopher Daly, Christopher Power, Mark Shalloe, Gavin Flynn, Philip Spratt, Kieran Gee, Ludwig Buest, Niamh McGrath, Stephen Mc-Shalloe, Mark Cummins.

Gaeltacht Scholarships — Application forms are now available for the G.A.A. scholarship to Colasite na Rinne. Any boy or girl between the ages of 12 years and 18 years and fully paid up club members may apply. Exam takes place on Saturday, 10th April at 2:00pm in Lawlor's Hotel, so get your application form as soon as possible from Jacinta Gee at 42499 or any committee member.

St. Olivers

UNDER 21 HURLING

St Olivers beat St. Mary's by point in the first round of this

UNDER 21 FOOTBALL

We are up against Ballyduff in the western semi-final on Saturday April 10th at 2 p.m. in Cappoquin

UNDER 16 FOOTBALL

On Sunday April 4th we travelled to Dungarvan to play the first round of the football championship.

This was a hard fought game in miserable conditions but we managed to come out on top with a win.

Our scorers were Kieran Mernin, Edward Walsh, Stephen Kenefick and Stephen

The final score was Dungarvan 2 goals 0 points St. Olivers 0 goals 11 points. The team line up was Shamus Ronayne, Damien O'Brien, David Phelan, Shane Flavin, Kieran O'-Sullivan, Jerome Maher, Kevin Barry, Stephen O'Brien, Stephen Kenefick, John Harrington, Edward Walsh, Conor Buckley, Kieran Mernin, Colm O'Connell and Brian Walsh.

Our next game is on Sunday April 11th at 11:30 in Aglish against the Nire. Training will be on Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. in Aglish. All players are asked to attend

UNDER 14 HURLING

St. Olivers under 14's played Fourmilewater in Aglish last Monday. Right from the start we were in trouble as Fourmilewater were much too strong, but credit to the lads, they kept at it and scored 3 goals and 3 points in this game.

Final score St. Olivers 3-3 Fourmilewater 7-7. Micheal and Ricky were injured during the match and we hope they make a quick recovery. Next game is against Ballyduff, in Ballyduff on Monday April 12th at 6:45 p.m.

COMMITTEE MEETING

There is a committee meeting this Wednesday April 7th in Ballinameela at 8:30 p.m.

Stradbally G.A.A. **Club Notes**

Stradbally under 14 hurlers recorded a good win away to Ballyduff Upper on Tuesday evening last. Final score Stradbally 1-11 Ballyduff 2-01.

UNDER-16

under 16 footballers had a well deserved 2-10 to 1-9 win over the Brickey's on Sunday morning last.

UNDER-21

Our under 21 hurlers made their exit from the championship on Saturday last following a heavy defeat by the Brickey's

DEISE DRAW

The first draw of the year was held on Friday night in Lawlor's Hotel. Paul Walsh of Carrigahilla was the lucky winner of 1,000 euro. Tickets are still on sale and can be purchased from any committee

FIXTURE

Senior Football League away v's John Mitchell's on Monday, April 12th. Check time locally.

Cois Bhride Juvenile G.A.A. Club Notes

The U-14 hurling championship got underway this year with two matches in the one week. On Monday evening last week, they travelled to Cappoquin to take on the locals, and despite putting in a great effort, were on the receiving end of a 2-7 to 1-1 defeat. Lining out without Bob McCarthy and Evan Sheehan, who are on the injured list, this was always going to be a tough assignment, and so it proved. Last Monday's fixture against Dungarvan was brought forward to Sunday at 12 noon in Tallow. Once again they were understrength with a couple more casualties, and Dungarvan. who were noticeably bigger physically, pressed home their advantage to romp home convincing winners. Their next and last match is fixed for Easter Monday at 6.15pm in Tallow against Abbeyside, but I understand that may be brought forward, so check with selectors first.

Panel; C. Sheehan, B. McCarthy, A. Pratt, D. Ahearne, D. O'Regan, T. McGrath, K. Hallahan, T. Daly, S. O'Sullivan, K. O'Brien, K. Curley, D. Mulcahy, S. Barry, D. Hennessey, P. O'Connor, E. Roche, R. Barry, J. Leahy, D. McIlroy.

UNDER--8 CHALLENGE V KILLEAGH

Our U-8's went outdoors last Sunday with a very useful match against Killeagh. Everyone got a game, and some of the U-7's also got a run. Killeagh led most of the way until a well-worked move between Paul O'Mahony and Jack O'-Donoghue ended with Jack firing over the equalising point. There is a very fine panel of lads at this age, the challenge for us is to keep them involved in G.A.A. to adulthood.

Panel - William Hogan, Adam Crawford, David Beecher, Colm Roche, Liam Smith, Paul O'Mahony, Jack O' Donoghue, Jake Beecher, Padraig Roche, Darren O'Neill, Matty Barry, Jack Tobin, Jordan Farmer, Colm O'-Donoghue, Dylan Mangan, Alan Buckley, Stephen O'Hara, David Tobin, Eimear O'Brien, Edward Hynes, John Paul

UNDER-12 HURLING

As part of their preparation for their first match versus Cappoquin in a couple of weeks, Our U-12's have a practise match against Killeagh/St.Ita's On Easter Monday at 11am in Knockanore. Everyone to be there by 10.30am please.

MINOR HURLING

The draw for Minor hurling has been made, and we are to play Ardmore on Wednesday the 5th of May in Cappoquin at 7pm. They will be a considerable challenge, and no longer can they be regarded as just a football club as they have made great strides, like the Brickeys in recent times, in under-age hurling. We will not be taking them lightly.

We have no dates for the minor football yet, it will be a round-robin set-up with Affane, St. Olivers, and Ardmore.

CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

Every parent should have their code of behaviour document at this stage, and we would be grateful if you would send them back fully signed to Runai Raymond McCarthy as soon as possible. Remember, the code and membership form are important if you are to avail of the G.A.A. scholor-

COMMITTEE MEETING

Our next full committee meeting will be on Thursday 15th of April, in the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore, at 8.30pm, not this week, as it is Holy Week. All members are asked to at-

UNDER-16 FOOTBALL

They had no match last week. This Sunday 11th, they are travelling to Ardmore. Throw in 11.30 am.

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WEST WATERFORD IN ACTION THIS MONDAY IN MUNSTER INTERDIVISIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

This Monday afternoon (Easter Monday) the West Waterford under 16 hurling team along with its mentors will make the relatively short journey to Carraigtwohill to play Cork divisional side Carraigdoun in the Munster Interdivisional Under 16 Hurling Championship.

Over the past few years although playing in division two West Waterford have performed well in this competition. This years team have only been together a short few weeks, however in the time they have been together the selectors along with coach Kieran O'Gorman have put in a great deal of work with the side and hopefully they will overcome the Carraigdoun challenge.

The game in Carraigtwohill on Easter Monday. Hopefully the side will be well supported as many of the players on the team will form part of the County Minor hurling panel and the Colaiste na nDeise team over the next two years.

MINORS DEFEATED

Commiserations to the County minor football team on their defeat at the hands of Cork in Lemybrien on Wednesday last. Waterford now have another chance through the play-offs to determine who will advance to the semi finals.

IN AUSTRALIA

Currently in Australia with the Irish Schools Gaelic Football team is Kilrossanty club player Stephen Prendergast. This is Stephen's second year playing with the schools team. Last year he was part of the Irish Panel that played against their Australian counterparts when they visited Ireland.

UNDER 16 FOOTBALL

This coming weekend sees the penultimate round of games in the under 16 football championship in the West of the County. Ballinacourty and Clashmore meet in Abbeyside on Sunday Morning in what should be a very entertaining game of football. Brickeys and An Gaeltacht meet in a local Derby game at Bushy Park, again this game could prove to be a very entertaining game of football where the result could go either way.

In group two St. Olivers and Nire meet in Aglish. just like the games in group one victory could go either way in this game. In Cappoquin Dungarvan should prove to be that little bit too strong for Affane, but as anybody who follows underage hurling or football in the county will know you can never write of a team wearing the colours of Cappoquin or Affane and more over so if a certain big man is around the

In division three Ardmore and Cois Bhride meet in Ardmore. The Tallow/Shamrock's I'm lead to believe have a very good panel of players to choose from and so should prove too strong for Ardmore here. Kilrossanty cross over the Comeragh Mountains to play St. Patrick's in Bohadoon. The visitors should collect the points in this game put things may be closer than some might think.

At the time of putting this weeks notes together it is not known if all games in the West of the county in the under 16 football championship will go ahead as planned. Some games may be called off due to the under 16 hurling Munster inter divisional hurling championship game between West Waterford and Carraigdoun in Carraigtwohill on Easter Monday.

UNDER 14 HURLING

The top clubs in the west of the county will be playing their last game in this years under 14 hurling championship this coming week. for clubs in division three this weeks round of games will be their penultimate game.

In group one Cappoquin and Dungarvan meet in Cappoquin. It is hard to see any other result than a win for Dungarvan here as the group of players they have to choose from have been hard to beat up along the age groups over the past few years. In the other game in group one Cois Bhride and Abbeyside meet in Tallow. Cois Bhride will be favourites to win here.

In group two in what should be the closest game of the weekend, Clashmore will be welcoming Naomh Brid to Clashmore. These are two very evenly balanced sides where victory could go either way. The winner of this game should stake a place in this years division two semi finals

with the losers knocked out of this years competition. Lismore and Brickeys meet in Lismore. Lismore should win this game but the outcome of the game could be closer than expected.

In division three Ballyduff and St. Olivers meet in Ballyduff. The visitors should prove to be the victors. Fourmilewater and Kilrossanty meet in Ballymacarbry. In the opening games Fourmilewater have put up very big scores and conceded very little. Kilrossanty have also been putting up some good results in their games to date. Fourmilewater will be favourites to win the game but Kilrossanty will be expected to push them all the way.

13 OR 15

Despite the fact that clubs have been told time and time again, many mentors still insist that games played in the lowest division of Bord na nOg Competitions be played as 15 a side. Some years back a motion was passed asking that all games in the lowest division of all Bord na nOg competitions be 13 a side. Most clubs abide by this ruling but one or two keep insisting that games be played at 15 a side.

Division three in divisional hurling and football competitions and games in division four of the county hurling championships are designed for clubs who may not have enough players to play in 15 a side competitions. Clubs who have large numbers of players to choose from and who want to play in 15 a side competitions should not ask to play in the lowest grade at the grading meeting's each year. Instead they should move up a division where they can play 15 a side which in the long run will prove best for both clubs and play-

ITEMS INCLUDED

Any club wishing to have details of club events published each week in Juvenile G.A.A. News from the Deise County can do so by contacting P.R.O. of West Waterford Bord na nOg Thomas Keane on 087 2919595.

GAELTACHT SCHOLARSHIPS

Interviews for this years Gaeltacht Scholarships at Colaiste na Rinne were announced recently. Interview forms can be contacting Anthony Walsh, secretary of the West Waterford Adult G.A.A. Board, or by asking your club secretary to contact Anthony for you.

To qualify for the scholarships, applicants must be between twelve and 18 years of age and most of all be a paid up member of a G.A.A. Club within the county.

This years Course will run from July 26th to August 17th. Interviews will take place in Lawlors Hotel on Saturday April 10th at 2-00pm.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS PUBLICATION

Reading the Primary School's G.A.A. Boards Notes in last weeks newspapers I noticed that that all schools in the county have been asked to supply information to the Boards P.R.O. Seamus Fitzgerald for an up-coming publication.

There is some tremendous work done by some of the teachers across the city and county in promoting hurling and football. Many teachers give up their lunch times or give up there time after school to coach hurling and football amongst their pupils. They also take time out to arrange transport to schools games played during and after school.

Any publication to highlight the work of these teachers who are amongst the unsung hero's of the G.A.A. should be supported by everybody. Hopefully when the publication come about it will be widely distributed across the city and

NO GAMES

As we are in Holy Week, clubs are reminded that at the West Waterford Bord na nOg Convention which was held in Lawlors Hotel last November, clubs were asked not to play any games on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Saturday. All clubs are asked to comply with this request.

RECENT RESULTS

| East Waterford Under | r 13 | Football Championship |
|----------------------|------|-----------------------|
| Kilmacthomas | 5-5 | St. Saviours 3-3 |
| Mount Sion | 1-4 | Dunhill/Fenor 1-3 |

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| Roanmore | | Mount Sion | 0-2 |
| East Waterford Und | er 16 F | ootball Champ | oionship |
| St. Saviours | 5-10 | Kilmacthoma | s 3-6 |

De La Salle 3-16 Dunhill/Fenor 0-4 Sacred Heart 2-6 Roanmore

West Waterford Under 16 Football Championship

| 17:1 | 2-8 | Ardmore | 0-8 |
|---------------|-----|--------------|------|
| Kilrossanty | 2-8 | Aramore | 0-0 |
| Stradbally | 2-6 | An Gaeltacht | 3-2 |
| Clashmore | 4-9 | Brickeys | 1-13 |
| Ballinacourty | 3-7 | Stradbally | 1-3 |

West Waterford Under 14 Hurling Championship

| Lismore | 1-10 | Clashmore | 1-3 | |
|-------------|------|--------------|-----|--|
| Brickeys | 3-8 | Naomh Brid | 2-0 | |
| Kilrossanty | 5-6 | An Gaeltacht | 3-3 | |
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Sunday April 11th - all games at 11-30am. West Waterford Under 16 Football Championship

Ballinacourty v Clashmore in Abbeyside: Referee Robbie Whelan

Brickeys v An Gaeltacht in Bushy Park: Referee Pat Moore

St. Olivers v Nire in Aglish: Referee J. J. Landers Affane v Dungarvan in Cappoquin:

Referee Pat Fitzgerald Ardmore v Cois Bhride in Ardmore:

Referee Donal O Murchu St. Patrick's v Kilrossanty in Bohadoon:

Referee Paddy Walsh

Monday April 12th Munster Inter-Divisional Under 16 Hurling

Championship West Waterford v Carraigdoun in Carraigtwohill

at 2-30pm. West Under 14 Hurling Championship - all games at 6-45pm

Cappoquin v Dungarvan in Cappoquin:

Referee Robbie Whelan

Cois Bhride v Abbeyside in Tallow: Referee J. J. Landers

Clashmore v Naomh Brid in Clashmore:

Referee Donal O Murchu Lismore v Brickeys in Lismore:

Referee Eamon O'Shea

Ballyduff v St. Olivers in Ballyduff:

Referee Pat Fitzgerald

Fourmilewater v Kilrossanty in Ballymac': Referee Tommy Sullivan

LEAGUE TABLES

West Under 14 Hurling Championship **Group One**

| Dungarvan | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cappoquin | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Cois Bhride | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Abbeyside | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Group Two | | | | | |
| Brickeys | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Lismore | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Clashmore | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Naomh Brid | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |

Division Three

| - | TITLE CO | | | | | |
|---|---------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Fourmilewater | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| | Kilrossanty | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| | Stradbally | 5 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| | An Gaeltacht | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 |
| | St. Olivers | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| | Ballyduff | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| | Ardmore | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 |
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West Under 16 Football Championship Group One

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| Ballinacourty | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Clashmore | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Stradbally | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| An Gaeltacht | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Brickeys | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Division Three | | | | | |
| Ballyduff | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Cois Bhride | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

| Division Three | | | | | |
|-----------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ballyduff | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Cois Bhride | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Kilrossanty | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| St. Patrick's | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Ardmore | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |

League Tables are drawn up from results to hand and do not show results of games played last weekend.

Waterford GAA Fixtures

Saturday April 10th Bridie Dee's West U-21 Football (A) Semi Finals

At Ring Ballinacourty v Clashmore (P. Casev). At Colligan Nire v An Ghaeltacht (P. Moore).

Albert McGrath Newsagents West U-21 Football B Championship Semi Finals

At Cappoquin Ballyduff v St. Oliver's (T. O'Sullivan). At Bushy Park Dungarvan v Sliabh gCua (M. Condon). All games at 2 pm.

Woochester Finance East U-21 Football Championship (A) Semi Finals at Fenor/Rathgormack v Gaultier (T. O'Byrne) At Kill Portlaw v St. Molleran's v Tramore (J. Power). (B) Replay at Portlaw Ferrybank v St. Mary's (F. Lonergan). All games at 4 pm.

Monday April 12th. Granville Hotel Co. Hurling League (2003) Div. 1 Final At Fraher Field at 2 pm Ballygunner v Lismore (P. Moore). Garvey's Super Valu Co. Football League Division 1

All games at 7 pm. Kilrossanty v St. Saviour's. John Mitchells v Stradbally. Tramore v Ardmore. Kilmacthomas v Nire.

Division 2 All games at 7 pm. De La Salle v Ballinameela. Bonmahon v Dungarvan. Brickey Rangers v Clashmore.

Ballinacourty v Gaultier. Division 3 All games at 2.30 pm.

Emmetts v Rathgormack (B). Sliabh gCua v Kilgobnet. Ring v Newtown. Geraldine's v Old Parish. Butlerstown v Shamrock's. First names team have home venue.

Waterford GAA Results

Pat McCarthy Car Sales East U-21 Hurling Championship

(A) Roanmore 2-5 Mt. Sion 1-6. De La Salle 2-13 Dunhill/Fenor 1-7. Ballygunner 6-12 Portlaw/St. Molleran's 0-8. Clonea 2-16 Erin's Own/St. Saviour's 1-8. (B) Tramore 1-6 St. Mary's 0-7. Passage 0-16 Ferrybank 1-3.

Sean Byrne Photography West U-21 (A) Hurling Championship

Abbeyside 4-13 Ballyduff 1-4. Fourmilewater 1-14 Lismore 1-8. Tony Morrissey West U-21 (B) Hurling Championship Ardmore 2-11 Cappoquin 1-5. St. Oliver's 2-11 St. Mary's 1-13. Brickey Rangers 2-13 Stradbally 0-5. Dungarvan 4-18 Clashmore 0-5.

Garvey's Super Valu Co. Football League Division 1: Ardmore 2-16 Kilmacthomas 0-7.

Granville Hotel Co. Hurling League Division 1 Lismore 2-15 Roanmore 1-13.

Ballygunner (B) 1-16 Erin's Own 0-10. Passage 2-10 Dunhill 1-6. De La Salle 0-20 Ardmore 1-10. Division 2 Fourmilewater 1-12 Shamrock's 0-4. Portlaw 2-9 Abbeyside 0-8. Division 3 St. Saviour's 4-8 St. Molleran's 1-14. Dungarvan 2-7 Geraldine's 2-5. Ferrybank 1-16 Cappoquin 1-11. Division 4 St. Mary's 3-13 Fenor 2-10.

Ring 1-7 De La Salle 1-4. Brickey Rangers 0-11 Kilgobnet 1-5. Clashmore 1-11 Ballydurn 2-7. Tramore 1-10 Ballysaggart 0-9.

Waterford Ladies Football Fixtures

Wednesday 7th Munster Minor Championship Rd1 Kerry v Waterford. Venue To be Confirmed

Saturday 10th Munster U14 Championship Rd1 -Clare v Waterford (1.30pm) Munster Championship U16 Rd 1 -Clare v Waterford (3.00 pm) Venue : Solahead Co Tipperary (TBC)

Saturday 17th Munster U14 Championship Rd2 - Waterford v Tipperary. Venue to be confirmed

Sunday 18th 1st Round Senior /Intermediate League 1st Round Junior A Championship

1st Round Junior B Championship Clubs with players involved on County Senior Panel should play their first round matches on week-end of 10th / 11th / 12th April as the National League Semi-Final is scheduled for 18th April.

FOURMILEWATER G.A.A. NOTES

U21 HURLING Fourmilewater 1-14 Lismore 1-6

Fourmilewater U21's had a brilliant win against Lismore in Cappoquin last Saturday on a scoreline of 1-14 to 1-6. This was a fantastic victory, and it helped to erase the memory of what happened in last years

championship. Shane Walsh opened the scoreline for Fourmilewater with a first minute point. Lismore equalised in the sixth minute. Liam Lawlor restored our lead with a point after a great solo run in the seventh minute. Seamus Lawlor had a point in the tenth minute. Shane Walsh scored our goal after 11 minutes. The first half was very close, with only a point in it at half time, 1-6 to 1-5. Our midfielder Seamus Lawlor suffered an ankle injury and had to go off. What's sad about this is that Seamus was due to play for Waterford minors tonight, but don't despair Seamus, your day will come, you have the talent.

The second half was nearly all one way with Lismore only recording one score to Fourmilewater's seven. Alan Lawlor was putting points over from all angles, and was in super form

All the team did the club proud, and showed their determination to win a title for Four-

Pa Walsh was errorless in goal. The fullback line of David O'-Gorman, Maurice O'Gorman and Pa Lawlor were solid throughout. Coffey played well at No.5, and Liam Lawlor showed why he is on the County senior panel. Michael O'Gorman cleared everything at midfield. The forwards all played their part, with Diarmuid Walsh and Alan Lawlor slowing up well. Simon Wall and Michael Moore did well when they came

Team: Pa Walsh, David O'-Gorman, Maurice O'Gorman, Pa Lawlor, Ian Coffey, Liam Lawlor, Michael O'Gorman, Thomas O'Gorman, Seamus Lawlor, James Gough, Diarmuid Wall, Alan Lawlor, Shane Walsh, Joe Gorman, Patrick O'-Gorman. Subs: Michael Moore, Oliver O'Gorman, Simon Wall.

P.S. Mike Guiry tried to sneak into goal again, but the birth certificate was produced, which found he was 17 years over age! THE BRAIN OF BALLYMAC

The Brain of Ballymac' quiz takes place on Thursday in Doocey's. All are welcome. Note the later starting time of 9:30pm, due to Michael Ryan coaching Waterford minors against Kerry (ladies). I hope there is no question about that match.

UNDER 12

Fourmilewater made their start to the present year, when they played St. Mary's Clonmel in the Mill Field on Sunday last. This was their first game of the year, and they put up a good show against a bigger team. Training starts now. Our first session is tonight, Wednesday at 6:30pm sharp. We ask all our panel to be there at least 10 minutes before.

The panel is Aaron Lonergan, Aidan Condon, Paul Brennan, Shane Ryan, Ian White, Charlie O'Donoghue, Marian Walsh, David Ryan, David Beehan, Jamie Barron, Finbarr Duff White, Aileen Wall, Ken Brazil, Conal Mulcahy, Sean Looney, Sean Cooney, Hayley Lonergan, Thomas Lonergan, Adrian Nor-

ris, Dean Guiry, Dean Power, The young Seamus Cuddy was and Clare. We now meet Limer-Barry Mulcahy, Neil Fraher, Stephen Guiry, Diarmuid Murphy, Siobhan Ryan, Lawrence Whelan, Conor Tierney, Brid Cooney.

Manager - Jim Fenton. Selectors - Tony Condon, Tom Doocey, Michael Carey, Pat Power.

INJURY

The club would like to wish Seamus Lawlor a speedy recovery after his ankle injury in the U21 match on Saturday.

STARRING IN U21

Fourmilewater played Ballyduff in an U21 challenge in Kirwan Park on Sunday, 28th March and starring in goal was Michael Guiry, yes the same Michael who's manager of the senior team. He's been trying since he was 15 to get on the U21 team and finally made it. also playing that day

UNDER14

Foumilewater Under 14's had a very impressive victory against St. Olivers in Aglish on last Monday, March 29th on a scoreline of 10-11 to 3-3. This was another great victory for this team, and they now head their group. After four victories, the training they have undergone over the last months or so has stood them well, and they musts now be contenders for honours this year. Billy Walsh, Liam Lawlor and Aidan Lawlor have done a remarkable job here.

INTER COUNTY

Waterford face Limerick in Walsh Park this coming Sunday in Round two of the National League. Waterford qualified by beating Kilkenny, Laois and Dublin, while we lost to Galway

ick on Sunday. We are away to Cork on Sunday week and away to Tipperary on the 25th of April, three very difficult games but three that we can win. We play Clare in the Munster Championship on the 16th May in Thurles, so we should be in good form by then.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Claire Ryan and Liam Byrne who got married last Friday in Fourmilewater. The happy couple are on their honeymoon in Cuba at present. Claire is a teacher in Ballymacarbry N.S. school, where she does great work for our games. She's also famous as a Waterford ladies footballer, but her main claim to fame is she introduced Bulmers Light to Ballymacarbry, isn't that right

PRIMARY SCHOOLS G.A.A.



Boys INTO/GAA Mini-Sevens played on Tuesday 23rd Sept 2003 at the Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty GAA Grounds. Modeligo N.S. Back row (left to right) Sean Duggan, Robbie Buckley, Michael Nugent, Patrick Walsh, Sean Hennessy, Sean O'Donovan; front row: Louis Queally, Stephen Lucey, Paul Wright, Mike Bumster, John Kearns.

PRIMARY GAME

It was agreed this year at the Munster Council meeting that there will be a Camogie primary game team and a boys football primary game team on the day of the Munster hurling and football 1st round games respectively this year. In the event of Waterford beating Clare there will also be a hurling primary game.

PRIMARY GAME CAMOGIE TRIALS

The Western Camogie trials will take place in Lismore G.A.A. field on Monday the 19th April @ 4.00p.m. it is the Monday after the Easter holidays. All schools should send 2 girls from either 6th or 5th classes. Anne-Marie O' Gorman will be the co-ordinator at this venue.

PRIMARY GAME BOYS' FOOTBALL TRIALS

The boys' football trials will take place in the Abbeyside club grounds on Wednesday May 5th @ 4.00p.m. All schools should send 2 boys from either 5th or 6th classes. Eddie O' Halloran and Padraig Breathnach will be the co-ordinators at this venue.

McDONALD'S LIFT AND STRIKE INITIATIVE

The launch of the McDonald's lift and strike initiative will take place in Walsh

Park on Wednesday the 21st of April @ 8.00p.m. The equipment will be available for all schools on the night and will NOT be sent to the schools this year. You can get an individual from another school to collect the equipment for your school on the night.

KNOW YOUR GAME

If a player from either side stands nearer than 13 metres to the player who is taking the side-line puck, the opposing team shall be awarded a free puck from where the foul occurred. True / False Answer: True

HURLING MINI SEVENS

The blitz was played on Tuesday 30th March at the Abbeyside - Ballinacourty G.A.A. grounds and on one section for the Far West was played in Lismore. The gualifiers were Dungarvan N.S., Modeligo N.S., Cappoquin N.S., and Lismore N.S. Lismore are very strong this year and are warm favourites to win out the county.

CAMOGIE MINI SEVENS

The blitz due to be played on Thursday 1st April was postponed due to weather conditions. The games have been refixed for Tuesday 20th April at 3.30p.m. The venues are the Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A grounds and Lismore G.A.A. grounds.

at Walsh Park

It is probably the biggest fixture of the season at a Waterford venue and it is certain to attract a huge crowd to Walsh Park on next Sunday.

It is an opening game in the play off section and a game that we just must win if we are to have a chance of staying in contention for a place in the league final.

On the following Sunday we play Cork in Paire Ui Caoimh and we meet Tipperary in Thurles on April 25th in the final game in this section. It is an extraordinary situation that no Leinster county has quali-

league which will be played out between five Munster counties and Galway. This has not happened before.

So with each of the five Munster counties each having three high powered matches in the run up to the championship, the quality of the fare in the championship in the Province is sure to be top class this year.

When Limerick and Waterford clashed in the Munster semi-final in Thurles last year, the game ended in a draw and

fied for this section of the described the match as a classic, but that the Munster champions (Waterford) were the unlucky ones. Later on the media recorded it as the outstanding match of the entire Munster Championship

Since then the Waterford team has undergone major surgery in that approximately one third of the side have retired. Gone are Fergal Hartley, Brian indiscipline. Greene, Brian Flannery, and Peter Queally . Eoin Kelly also fold and showing splendid form and is almost certain to be in-

Sunday next as is Ken Mc-Grath who is reported to be fully recovered from his knee injury. Replacements for the retired players include Paul and Dave O' Brien, Sean Ryan Michael Walsh and Jack Kennedy

Four of the players who retired, did so of their own accord and Eoin Kelly was dropped for

NO TEAM

Unless there is a major went but is now back in the change of policy on the part of the selectors, we are unlikely to have the line out in time for a on the following day, the media cluded in the first fifteen on preview. If we did get it would

likely be all changed when the players take the field, like in our last game against Clare in Ennis. We are not alone in trying to figure out what benefits result from such a practice. In this regard it might be interesting to note that on the three occasions this year in which the line out was the same as the team on the programme i.e. against All Ireland champions, Kilkenny, Dublin and Laois, we won in all cases and we lost the remaining two games.

There is particular interest in the line out on this occasion as with Ken McGrath and Eoin Kelly back, there are certain to be changes in the line up. Also, the news from inside tells us that several players on the team which played Limerick in a benefit match in Kilmallock on Saturday night may be considered.

With Ken McGrath and Eoin Kelly likely to be included, the matter of selecting the team will pose a big problem for the selectors. There are rumors that Kelly will be on the first fifteen and placed in attack, while Ken McGrath was being played as a defender before his injury forced him out of the game for five or six weeks.

In the end, this is going to be a difficult one to call, especially with so little between the counties on form. But all else being equal, home advantage must mean that little bit extra for Waterford and on that account I give them the vote to win.

SNIPPETS

While Limerick and Waterford have met on umpteen occasions in the leagues, their meetings in Munster champi-

These included two meetings in Munster finals.

In 1933 Limerick won by 3-7 to 1-2 and in 1934 when the Shannonsiders won by 4-8 to 2-5. When the counties met in the first round in 1920 in Cork. the embarrassing score was Limerick 10-3 Waterford 0-0.

Waterford made their own bit of history against Limerick in the 1929 championship when they defeated them by 4-4 to 2-4 in the first ever Munster SH semi-final at the Ennis Road grounds. The referee on that occasion was the late Padraigh O'Caoimh, later General Secretary of the GAA, and after whom the famous Cork venue is named. In the same year Waterford defeated Limerick in senior, junior and minor hurling championship.

The first Waterford man to win a senior hurling All Ireland medal was a guy named Willie Hurley. Working and living in Limerick he played with the county in the early twenties and was a sub on the Limerick team which defeated Dublin by 8-5 to 3-2 in the 1921 All-Ireland final.

"Green And White"

The magazine "Green And White" in considered to be "the very best of its kind" in Ireland (regular readers are Ronnie Delaney and Mick O'Dwyer, etc.).

In the current issue young Sarah Carey, daughter of Limerick team captain Ciaran Carey interviewed her father and in the course of the article she was told by her dad in response to a particular question "Don't rule out Limerick for onship number 30 including re- the double this year."



Kilrossanty Under 16 Football team (above) who defeated Ardmore (below) in their championship game at Lemybrien GAA grounds. —(Photos by Kiely Photography).



Limerick Defeat Waterford in **Benefit Game**

LIMERICK 3-18 WATERFORD 3-15

This benefit game that was in aid of a player who suffered a very serious injury, was played in Kilmallock on Saturday and as the line out shows, Waterford, as well as Limerick fielded a

It was a splendid contest and a huge crowd turned up.

Several of the players had earlier played under 21 hurling championship with their clubs and to their credit turned out again a couple of hours later. The players who were outstanding for Waterford included Eoin Kelly who contributed 2-10 of our total and his Mount Sion colleague Eoin McGrath who had 1-2 to his credit.

Also Sean Wall. Liam Lawlor and John Hurney were among those who impressed.

Waterford - Cathal Hennessey, Sean Cleere, Willie Kiely, Kevin Flynn, William Hutchenson, Andrew Kirwan, Liam Lawlor, Michael Frisby, Brian Wall, John Hurney, Eoin Kelly, Eoin McGrath, Sean Wall, Andy Heffernan, Shane O'Sullivan. Subs played Brian Phelan and Ian Regan.

Senior Hurling League Final In Fraher Field On Easter Monday

Ballygunner and Lismore are due to clash in the 2003 final of the Granville Hotel Division 1 hurling on Monday next in a game that will mark the reopening of Fraher field after its long rest after surface and drainage treatment.

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MINOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Waterford Outclassed By Cork At Leamybrien



The Waterford minor football team who were defeated by Cork in the Munster Championship at Leamybrien on Wednesday of last week. —(Photo by Kiely Photography).

NATIONL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Waterford's Spirited Display Not Enough LOUTH 1-17 WATERFORD 1-13

And so ended Waterford's 2004 National football league campaign at Drogheda on Sunday last. It was undoubtedly one of their better performances and obviously the return of Billy Harty (one of the stars of the Munster under 21 football campaign) was a factor in keeping the team in the game right up to the finish. A lot of fouling in the Waterford defence was also a factor in shaping the result as amazingly the eleven points scored by Louth's attacker Daren Clarke all came from frees. Considering that only 4 points separated the teams at the finish, this must have been a factor.

The home side, who like Waterford were still without a win going into the game, were in front by 1-8 to 0-5 at the break.

The refereeing of the game by M. Henry, Cavan was the subject of some controversy. Some of his decisions were difficult to understand including his decision not to send off a Louth player to whom he had issued two yellow cards.

Scorers: Louth - D. Clarke 0-11; P. Keenan 1-1; S. O'Neill N. Mc Donnell. 0-2 each; P. Mathews 0-1

Waterford; B. Harty 0-9, L. O Lonain 1-0; K. O'Keeffe, J. Coffey, C. Watt and P. Ogle 0-1 each.

Waterford: P. Houlihan, M. Crotty, E. Rockett, T. Dunphy, N. Hennessey, P. Queally, R. Hennessey, K. O'Keeffe, J. Coffey, C. Watt, L. O Lonain, P. Ogle, J. Power, B. Harty, T. Whelan. Sub. Connie Power.

Referee M. Henry, Cavan.

Throughout their seven matches, Waterford scored 6-56 and had 14-120 scored against them. It must also be said that throughout the league the selectors were beset with player problems. A loyal band of about 18 players stuck with the team, but little credit to a number who were in at the start only to pull out when the going got too much for them.

For their four away games the panel travelled further than any Waterford panel of footballers since the national leagues commenced.

With only weeks left before the start of the Munster championship, the selectors will have to sit down and review the situation before serious training commences.

This is a case where the final score tells the sorry story of a mismatch that saw the home team smothered out of this first round match by a powerful Cork combination at Leamybrien on Wednesday evening last. In fact there was such a disparity in standards that the signs looked ominous from an early stage and by half time it was all over as a contest with the scores reading, Cork 0-13, Waterford 0-1.

There were no adverse weather conditions or ground conditions to blame and as we faced the second half, there was little to give us hope of a recovery. It was going to be a continuation of a David and Goliath contest.

Cork did continue to dominate and added nine second half point thanks in the main to the outstanding Daniel Goulding who brought his first half total of seven scores up to a dozen.

Our first half point was kicked over by midfielder Michael O Toibin from a 23rd minute free and the same player kicked over our only score from play with an excellent point

which was also scored in the 23rd minute. Our other and final point was scored by Patrick Hurney from a free in the 26th minute. Roy Leahy was Cork's second highest scorer with a total of six points.

Waterford goalkeeper David Dennison brought off a splendid save from a penalty shot kicked by Goulding in the 8th minute

TRIED HARD

Despite the big gap in standards and being outclassed, full credit to the Waterford players who never gave up trying. Both teams kept at it 'hammer and

CORK 0-22 WATERFORD 0-3

thongs' right up to the final Carey, S. O'Donoghue, K. Harwhistle. rington, M. Sheils, E.

The reality of the matter was that our panel were set an impossible task in attempting to master this outstanding Cork outfit.

Scorers: Cork - D. Goulding 0-12, R. Leahy 0-6, P. Kerrigan, 0-2, A. Concannon, M. Sheils 0-1 each. Waterford - M. O Toibin 0-2, P. Hurney 0-1.

Cork - K. O'Halloran, R.

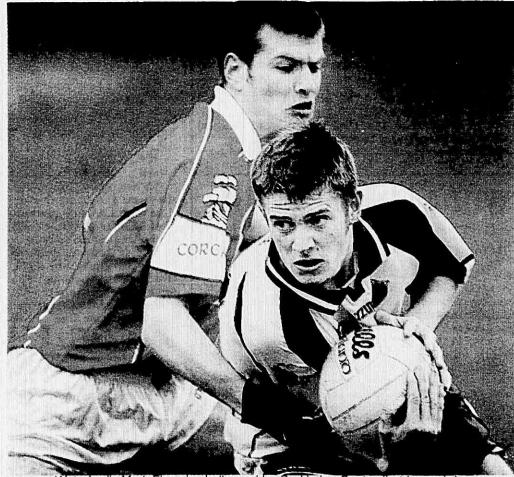
Carey, S. O'Donoghue, K. Harrington, M. Sheils, E. Cadeogan, S. Keohane, A. O'Sullivan, C. Keane, C. Callinan, D. Goulding, P. Kerrigan, R. Leahy, K. Canty, S. Bermingham. Subs. A. Concannon, D. McCarthy, D. Harrington, G. O'Shea.

Waterford - D. Dennison, C. Hayes, K. McBride, K. Dunne, T. Grey, S. Prendergast, I. Cantwell, J. Seward, M. O Toibin, D. Allen, M. Fives, K. O'Keeffe, J. O'Keeffe, P. Hurney, C. MacDonald. Subs played. C. Phelan, M. Moore, P. Nugent.

Referee: B. Tyrrell, Tipper-

MINUTE

This was solemnly observed before the game to honour the memory of both Doyle Walsh and the late Noel Fleming.



Naterford's Mark Fives is challenged by Cork's Ian Cantwell at Leamybrien —(Photo by Kiely Photography).

G.A.A. NOTES

Western Boar Junior Hurling "A"

JF Second Strings

Leamybrien 5/4/04

An Rinn, 17/4/04

Leamybrien,23/4/04

Fraher field, 23/4/04;

Bushy Park 17/4/04

Colligan, 23/4/04

field, 15/4/04

Park, 24/4/04

Stradbally v Kilrossanty at

Ballinacourty v Ardmore at

Nire v Clashmore at Fraher

Clashmore v Stradbally at

Kilrossanty v Ballinacourty at

Ardmore v Nire at Bushy

Kilgobnet v Geraldines at

Sliab Gua v Rinn O' gCua-

Geraldines v Sliab gCua at

Rinn O' gCuamach v Brickey

Rangers at Dungaryan, 24/4/04

nach 1 Abbeyside, 17/4/04

A full programme of minor hurling and football fixtures were made at a meeting of the Western Officer board last week but the publication of these has to be put on hold until after tonight's minor game against Cork in Walsh Park. The result of this match could change the programme.

The following junior fixtures were made

Junior Football "A"

Seana Phobal v Modeligo at Fraher Field 17/4/04

Tallow v Ballinwillin at Lismore, 17-4-04

Seana Phobal v Tallow at Cappoquin, 24/4/04

Modeligo v Ballinwillin at Lismore 24/4/04

Kilrossanty v Ballinameela at Dungarvan 1/5/04 Modeligo v Tourin at Lismore, 1/5/04

JH 2nd Strings

Clashmore v Dungarvan at Bushy Park 30/4/04

Colligan v Kilgobnet at Bushy Park, 1/5/04

An Rinn v Cappoquin at Colligan, 1/5/04 Ballysaggart v Shamrocks at

Tallow. 1/5/04

Stradbally v Tallow at Abbeyside, 30/4/04

Ballyduff v Fourmilewater at Cappoquin, 30/4/04

Under 21 Football Semi-Finals

All four semi-final matches will be played on Saturday and all going well the divisional board will be ready for their first championship final of the season by this weekend.

Ballinacourty v Clashmore

The county and divisional champions, Ballinacourty who scored a first round win against Ardmore, will play Clashmore at An Rinn venue. Clashmore beat Kilrossanty in their first round game and were quite impressive but still will have their work cut out to beat the cham-

Nire v An Gaeltacht

This game has the makings of a splendid contest when the sides meet in Colligan on Saturday

The Nire who were just pipped by Ballinacourty in the divisional final by a single point last year, look to be strong contenders for the title. They had a good first round victory over Brickeys in their first round.

An Gaeltacht who have enjoyed great success at underage over the past four years, line out here without having had a real test of strength because they received a first round bye following the withdrawal of Kilgobnet from this championship

It will be a good game with the Nire probably coming out on top in the end.

Under 21 Football "B" Dungarvan v Sliabh gCua

This is fixed for Bushy Park and should produce yet another close contest. In their opening game, Dungarvan just snatched victory from Stradbally in a very close finish in Leamybrien. Sliab gCua had a decisive win over Affane in their first round.

It looks here that Dungarvan will advance to the final.

St. Olivers v Ballyduff

Ballyduff defeating Shamrocks was the big surprise of the first rounds. It is now going to be interesting to see how the untried (they had a first round bye). St. Olivers will fare against them. This tie is fixed for Cappoquin.

All these matches will be played at 2-30 p.m.

BY "COMMENTATOR"



PRESENTATION TO KILROSSANTY GAA CLUB — Kill Agricultural Services presentation of set of jerseys to the Kilrossanty under 16 football team. Picture includes, front row (left to right): Patrick Fitzgerald, Paudie Barron, Niall Walsh, Jamie Crotty and Eileen Fitzgerald; back row: Jimmy Fraher, mentor, Pat Quinn, Under 16 Chairman, Pat Prendergast, Secretary Underage and Donal Fitzgerald, sponsor. —(Photo by Kiely Photography).

MINOR HURL

The first round clash between Waterford and Cork in the minor hurling championships takes place on tonight, Wednesday at 6-30 p.m. and is certain to attract a very big attendance following the exciting fare provided by the counties when they had to meet twice in 2002 to decide the issue, first at Waterford and then in Pairc Ui Caoimh .The selectors have left no stone unturned in preparing the panel. They have thrawled the county in search of the best players and have travelled far and wide playing practice and trial matches.

The selectors are hopeful that a couple of the players who picked up injuries when playing with their clubs over the weekend, will be fit to play.

WATERFORD TEAM

Darren Ryan (Mount Sion)

Michael Gaffney (Mount Sion)

Kevin Murran

(De La Salle)

Jason Seward (Clashmore)

John Kindregan (Abbeyside)

(Ferrybank **Tommy Power**

Damien Heffernan

(Ballygunner)

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Jamie Nagle (Dungarvan) Joey Mullen (Abbeyside)

Mark Fives (Abbeyside) A.N. Other

Mark Hoban (Mount Sion)

(Abbeyside)

John O'Gorman Mark O'Gorman (capt.) James Quirke (Abbeyside) (De La Salle)

Subs. J.P. Kearney, Ballygunner; J. P. Tutty, Dungarvan; D. Elard, Clonea; James Kearney, Ballyduff; P. Hurney, Abbeyside; Mathew Prendergast, Lismore; S. Lawlor, Fourmilewater; Paul Murray, Cappoquin; C. Moloney, De La Salle; J. Morrissey, St Patricks; K.Landers, Cappoquin;

Shamrock's GAA Club Notes

DIV. 2 CO. HURLING LEAGUE

On Sunday last we were away to Fourmilewater in the 1st round, but we had to travel with a depleted team and were well beaten, but full credit to our young team, as they tried hard and with a few more games should improve.

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL LEAGUE (DIV. 3)

On next weekend, we will be away to Butlertown, in the 3rd round. As we are not sure of the date for the game we would ask supporters to check with the board fixture list in the local papers during this week

CLUB LOTTO

On last Saturday night at the Shamrock's Inn, Knockanore, the numbers drawn were 6-7-15-19. There was no jackpot winner, 15 euro consolation prizes were won by Tom O'Riordan, Aglish; Mary

monde, Ballyhamlet; Maureen the usual promoters O'Mahoney, Ballintotis; Ruth Herlihy, Headborough, In next Saturday nights draw the jackpot will be 5625 euro and tickets at

Hickey, Kilcockan; Aine Or- 1.50 euro each can be had from **DEISE DRAW**

In last Friday nights draw at Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan, we

MUNSTER FIXTURES

The following fixtures were made last week.

In the minor football losers group, Limerick will play Clare and Waterford will meet the winners. If Waterford v Limerick the game will be an away match and if it is Clare the game will be in Dungarvan The ultimate winners will go into a draw for a place in the provincial semi-final with Cork, Kerry and Tipperary.

Donie Nealon Honoured

Retired Munster Secretary Donie Nealon was guest of honour at a special function organised by the Munster Council in Thurles on Saturday night last. It was a "This is Your Life" style presentation of his 27 years in office as Provincial Secretary and was attended by past and present members of the council.

U-21 HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

A full round of under 21 hurling championship matches was played in both over the weekend and there were at leat a cou-

Notably the result of the game between city rivals, Mount Sion and Roanmore. A win here for the underdogs meant that after a record six years as champions in the East, Mount Sion have bowed out in a first round. The winning margin was just 2 points after a hectic finish. (2-5 to 1-6).

Abbeyside 4-13 Ballyduff 1-4

With quite a number of their county championship winning minors on board, Abbeyside proved too strong for Ballyduff in Cappoquin

Fourmilewater 1-14 Lismore 1-8 A mild surprise. But not a shock. The Ballymac' based side

are strong in the grade this year and will not be easily beaten.

Under 21 Hurling

Dungarvan 4-18 Clashmore 0-5 This, by all accounts was a mismatch with Dungarvan dominating the game from start to finish, as the final scoreline indicates.

Brickey Rangers 2-13 Stradbally 0-5

This was an expected result as the Brickeys are known to be strong in the grade this year

Ardmore 2-11 Cappoquin 1-5

Ardmore who have already won a championship in this grade are getting strong again and will prove a handful for all comers in this championship.

St. Olivers 2-11 St. Marys 1-13

With only a point separating them at the finish this must have been a cracker of a game. The losers were a little unhappy about the final score as they had calculated a draw.

Willie "Doyle" Walsh

The popular Passage East man was the last surviving member of the county senior hurling team which brought Waterford their first Munster senior hurling title and also took us to our first senior All-Ireland. A crowd of 15,000 saw Waterford defeat Cork in the first round in Dungarvan before going on to defeat Clare by 3-5 to 2-5 in the Munster final in Cork. We next defeated Galway before losing to Dublin by 2-5 to 1-6.

For the record (and probably for the final time) we publish the 1938 SH team. Although it is now almost 55 years later, the names are still well remembered-

Mick Curley, Mick Hickey (capt.), Charlie Ware, Johnnie Fanning, Willie "Doyle " Walsh, John Keane, Jimmy Mountain, Christy Moylan, Sean Feeney, Willie Barron, Tom Greaney, Pa Sheehan, Jack Halpin, Locky Byrne, Declan Goode.

"Doyle," the name by which he was always popularly known, died last week and was laid to rest in Passage. The hurling tradition continued in the family and readers will have watched his grandson, Barry play senior hurling with the county. May he rest in peace.



Iomáint Buachaillí fé 15

This is our third year fielding combined teams with Coláiste Chathail Naofa in the Waterford Schools Championship. Tá na Sinsir tar éis imirt sa Pheil agus san Iomaint. Chaill na Peileadóirí Sinsearacha le cúilín amháin i bPáirc úí Shíocháin in aghaidh St. Augustine's. The senior hurlers have had better luck and beat C.B.S. Tramore at the same venue.

Beidh siad ag imirt i gcoinne Blackwater

Community College sa chéad bhabhta eile. Sa phictiúr thuas tá an fhoireann iománaíochta

water C.C i Lios Mór Déardaoin seo caite

rín, P. Ó Cuirrín. Bhí bua maith ag Lios Mór.

By the time you have read this the fate of our faoi cúig déag go leith a d'imir i gcoinne Black- Under 14 Footballers will have been decided.

On Tuesday, 30th March, in Páirc Uí Shíocháin. Ar an bhfoireann bhí T. Ó hUallacháin, L. they played the First Round of the Championship Breathnach, L. Ó Muiríosa, C. Ó Cuirrín, B. Ó h - and again our rivals are from Lismore. We are Ógáin, T. Ó Gealbháin, Niall Ó Muirí, S. Ó Cuir-fairly condfident that the presence on the panel of the triúr cailíní, Shauna Ní Cheallaigh, Cáit Ní Tar éis na Cásca beidh an fhoireann peile faoi Mhurchú agus Megan Simms will ensure a result 16 ag tasiteal go dtí an Trá Mhór chun cluiche a that the boys on their own could not get last week!

IOMÁINT IDIRMHÉANACH SRAITH IOMÁNA AN CHONTAE AN RINN 1-7 DE LA SALLE 1-4

Mar is léir ón scór, is beag a bhí déanta ag ceachtar den dá fhoireann ó thaobh na hiomána de, ach ba chluiche cruaidh, dian é. D'imir an Rinn leis an ngaoth sa chéad leath agus bhíodar 1-4 in aghaidh 0-1 chun cinn ag leath am an cúl aimsithe ag Eugene Ó Cuirrín ó phoc saor 30 méadar, na cúilíní aimsithe ag Darach Breathnach (x2), Mike Tóibín agus Tom Ó Cadhla.

Sa dara leath tháinig De la Salle go tréan le cabhair na gaoithe. agus le 15 nómant fágtha ní raibh ach dhá chúilín idir na foirne agus gach rud ag dul go maith dóibh. Ansin thug Shane Ó Ceallaigh inspioráid le dhá chúilín breátha agus le ceann eile ó Noel Ó Murchadha, sheasamar an fód faoi ionsaí síorraí chun bua tuillte ach deacair a ghnóthú.

Paddy Ó Catháin; Maidhe de Paor, Lorcán Ó Muirí, Éanna de Faoite; Noel Ó Murchadha, Pádraig Ó hArtaigh, Seán Ó hArtaigh; Cillian Ó Murchadha (0-1), Réamonn de Paor; Mike Tóibín (0-1), Darach Breathnach (0-2), Tom Ó Cadhla (0-1); Séimí Mac Craith, Dónal Ó Murchadha, Eugene Ó Cuirrín (1-0).

Ionadaithe: Shane Ó Ceallaigh (0-2), Dáithí Ó Condúin, Eamon de Paor, Brian de Paor, Eoghan Breathnach, Liam de Grás, Diarmuid Ó Meachair, Gearóid Breathnach.

An chéad chluiche eile: Sraith Peile, Luan Cásca 12.4.04, 2.30 sa mbaile v Baile Nua.

PEIL FÉ 21

Beidh na peileadóirí fé 21 ag cur chun páirce in aghaidh foireann na hUidhire Dé Satharn seo chugainn ag a 2.00i.n. sa Chuilleagáin.

BORD NA N-ÓG

Beidh a Cruinniú Chinn Bliana Bord na n-Óg ar siúl sa Halla Phobail Déardaoin ar an 15ú Aibreán ag a 9i.n. Tá an-obair déanta I rith na bliana mar is gnáth ag an mBord ach bíonn cúnamh ag teastaíl i gconaí agus gheobhaidh tú do sheans chun roinnt cabhair a thabhairt amach anseo ach a bheith I láthar.

Faoi cheann coicíse a bheidh an Coirmcheoil ar siúl in Óstán na Páirce ar Satharn Cásca (10ú Aibreán). Beidh díoltóirí ag siúl timpeall ó dhoras go doras le ticéid ach má bhíonn aon fhadhb agat ceann a fháil is féidir teangmháil a dhéanamh le Alison ag 087 952 9280.

CRUINNIÚ COISTE

Beidh an choiste ag teacht le chéile arís ar an 15ú Aibreán sa Halla Phobail ag a 8.00i.n.

COMHBHRON

Déantar comhbhrón le Muintir Uí Artaigh as Faha mar gheall ar bhás Tess. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

NÓTAÍ AN CHUMAINN

Iarrtar ar Bhainisteoirí, Roghnóirí agus daoine bainteach leis na bhfoirne ar leith eolas agus tuairiscí ós na cluichí éagsúla a chur ar aghaidh chuig Gearóid Mac Donncha (gearoid@nemeton.ie nó guthán 058-46499) nó Dónal Ó Faoláin (dof62@hotmail.com) chun gur féidir iad a chur i dtomhaill a chéile gach maidin Luan.

Geraldines G.A.A. Club

LOTTO RESULT

There was no winner of our Lotto Jackpot worth EUR500. The numbers drawn were 3, 19 and 20. The winners of EUR20 were Martin Colbert, Aglish; John Kearns, Modeligo; Warren Twohig, Aglish; John Longan, Keereen; John Corkery, Villierstown. Next weeks Jackpot will be EUR650 and the draw will take place in Maureen's in Aglish on Friday

COUNTY HURLING LEAGUE

We played Dungarvan in the first round of the County Hurling League. Again this was a match we should have won quite easily but ended up losing by a point. At half time Dungarvan led by 2 points on a scoreline of 1 - 5 to 1 -3 with our goal coming from Pat O'-Donovan. We had 80 percent of the play but couldn't convert this into scores. We led briefly in the second half by two points through a Nicky Ahearne goal. However Dungarvan attacked twice and scored 1 -1 with only a few minutes remaining. This left the final score Dungarvan 2 - 7. Geraldines 2 - 6. On the night we had good displays from Alan Cullen, Eamon Mernin and Pat O'Donovan.

FIXTURES

We play Old Parish in the next round of the County Football League. This match is due to take place on Monday 12th April at 2.30pm at the Old Parish grounds. All players to be at the venue no late than 2.00pm.

MEMBERSHIP

There is still a lot of players who have yet to pay their membership. With the League getting under way, anyone who hasn't got their membership paid will not be eligible to play in these matches as they will not be insured. It costs just EUR30 for the year for membership and can be given to our Membership Officer Dave Cullinane.

COUNTY WATERFORD COLLEGES U-151/2 **HURLING SEMI FINAL DUNGARVAN CBS 4-6**

Dungarvan CBS advanced to the final of the Waterford colleges U151/2 hurling championship with a comprehensive victory over De La Salle at Dungarvan club grounds recently. Dungarvan led by 2-5 to 0-1 at half time.

DE LA SALLE B 1-6

Dungarvan were still very much in control throughout the second half and deserving winners on the score 4-6 to 1-6.

Most impressive for Dungarvan were goalkeeper Edward Walsh, Killian O'Keeffe, Ger Dunphy, Derek Barry and Paul Horkan in defence. Evan Morrissey, Cian Kearney and Sean Fitzpatrick were the more impressive forwards. However, Dungarvan CBS will need much improvement to have a chance in the county final.

Scorers: Cian Kearney 2-0, Sean Fitzpatrick 1-3 (0-1 free), Cormac Curran 1-0, Evan Morrissey 0-2, Conor McGrath 0-1.

Dungarvan CBS: Edward Walsh (St. Olivers), Killian O'Keeffe (Dungarvan), Ger Dunphy (St. Mary's), Derek Barry (Dungarvan), Kealan Barry (Dungaryan) Paul Horkan (Fourmilewater), Conor Nugent (Brickeys), Kieran McCarthy (Modeligo), Jerome Maher (St. Olivers), Evan Morrissey (Fourmilewater), Conor McGrath (Brickeys), Capt. Christopher Power (Brickeys), Cormac Curran (Dungarvan), Cian Kearney (Brickeys), Sean Fitzpatrick (Touraneena). Subs: Martin O'Connor (Tallow) for Conor Nugent, David Moore (Dungarvan) for Cormac Curran, Pat Lehane (Gaeltacht), Shane Kearney (Brickeys), Paudie Kiely (Dungarvan), Thomas Dunphy (St. Mary's), David Curran (Brickeys), Diarmuid Walsh (Touraneena), John Power (Modeligo), Shane Flavin.

Deise Ladies Advance To Semi-Final After Thriller

WATERFORD 2-9 KERRY 1-11

There has been many thrilling games between the greatest of rivals Waterford and Kerry over the last 20 years and last Sunday's game, played in Beaufort provided another classic in the quarter final of the National League. In the end Waterford edged it by a single point and over the hour just about a victory that sets up another appetising clash with Mayo in the semi

This victory was achieved without key players Annalisa Crotty and Deirdre O'Rourke both out injured and the loss of outstanding defender Bridget Hannigan when the game was in the melting pot with 20 minutes remaining conditions weren't great. Heavy rain made the pitch slippery but both sides made light of that over the sixty minutes.

A good sized attendance, made up mostly of Kerry supporters were loud in the opening 4 minutes as Geraldine O'Shea shot two Kingdom points. However soon it was noticeable that Waterford were taking the game to Kerry and on 8 minutes Rebecca Hallahan, after a great run, set up Mary O'Rourke for Waterford's opening score and for the remaining of the first half Waterford proceeded to give Kerry a football

In the 11th minute Martina O'Ryan's drive beat Kerry keeper Andrea O'Donoghue for the first goal. Mary O'Rourke pointed a free and things were to get better a minute later when Aoife Murphy shot to the net. Martina O'Ryan pointed a long range free and Waterford piled it on as O'Rourke (twice) and Aoife Murphy shot points to leave them on a commending po-

Kacey O'Driscol for one got free of the shackles of the Waterford defence and drove to the net on the stroke of half time to leave Waterford 2-6 to 1-2 ahead with a slight breeze to face in the second half. Kerry began the second half with a bang and Geraldine O'Shea and Kacey O'Driscoll shot 4 points between them to narrow the defecit to 3 points.

Waterford's backs were really to the wall but they lifted the siege and Mary O'Rourke bagged the points within a minute. Miriam Liston and Marie Hogan both came on a Mary O'Rourke drive came back at the Kerry cross bar. Again Kerry rallied as O'Driscoll, O'Shea (twice) and Deirdre Carrigan landed points to reduce the deficit to a single point on 54 minutes.

A huge cheer greeted O'Shea's equaliser as the Kingdom seemed passed for victory. But there was one last twist in the tale. Cleona O'Keeffe won a high ball in midfield and found Rebecca Hallahan who ran 60 yards, before finding Michelle Ryan and then pass to Michelle McGrath saw the youngest player on the field drill the posts and restore Waterford's lead. The referee played 3 agonising minutes of injury time before calling it a day and Waterford were through.

This was a great team performance in which every single player played their part. Mary Hayes continues to improve with every game and produced a brilliant save in the 51st minute. Donna Frost, Elaine Power and Bridget Hannigan marked tightly in defence along with Julie Torpey and Deirdre Breathnach. Marian Troy had a fine game at centre back whilst Mary O'Donnell and Cleona O'Keeffe dominated midfield for the majority of the game.

Rebecca Hallahan had her best game in years, Mary O'Rourke kicked 6 great points, Michelle McGrath is proving a real find whilst Aoife Murphy, Martina O'Ryan and Michelle O'Ryan all contributed significantly along with substitutes Marie Hogan and Miriam Liston to the victory.

Waterford: Mary Hayes, Donna Frost, Elaine Power, Bridget Hannigan, Julie Torpey, Marian Troy, Deirdre Breathnach, Mary O'Donnell, Cleona O'Keeffe, Rebecca Hallahan, Martina O'Rvan (1-1), Michelle McGrath (0-1), Aoife Murphy (1-1), Michelle Ryan, Mary O'Rourke (0-6). Subs Miriam Liston and Marie Hogan.

SEMI FINAL

It's Mayo next in the semi final probably on Sunday week. Hopefully some of the injury problems will have cleared up. The game will be played at a neutral venue. This has been a topsy turvy league campaign. The early pace-setters, Kerry, Galway, Meath and Tyrone are all knocked out of the competition. In the other semi final Cork scored a deserved 0-8 to 0-6 win over Galway in Corofin to underline their creditials and the winners of Waterford v Mayo will have it all to do in the

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB GOLF NOTES

Congratulations to Lady Captain Ita Fahey on her runner-up spot at Cahir Park in the Captain's Prize of the Away Alliance. Also to Tom Burke on winning the Dungarvan Crystal Golf Society Captain's Prize (Jim 'Tuff' Walsh) at Gowran G.C. 'Tuff" himself was runner-up. It was Ballinacourty Cup Sunday for the men - from the blue tees - with a win in blustery and showery weather for our popular Chairman Jim Harty, a consistently good golfer who regularly plays to his handicap. Jim is in good company as the list of winners features many of the seasoned campaigners. Pat Morrissey won the cup three times; both Martin Lynch and the late great Dr. Pat O' Connell won it twice. And there's no stopping Kevin Stack, even off his new handicap of two; he took runner-up spot on Saturday with 39 points, following his great score last week of 63 nett

Men's Results

April 2nd 16H Open: Winner H. Gallagher, Fermoy (16) 35 pts; 2nd T. Deady. Doneraile (8) 35; 3rd E. Power, Dunmore East (15) 35; 4th P. O' Callaghan, Doneraile (10) 34; 5th K. Moroney (5) 34. Sat. 3rd April 18H Winner M. Furlong (10) 40 pts; 2nd K. Stack (2) 39; Gross P. Norris Jr (Scr) 35; 3rd K. Cusack (5) 39. CSS 38. Sun 4th Ballinacourty Cup, winner J. Harty (8) 69; 2nd M. Terry (18) 71; Gross: P. Norris Jr (Scr) 73; 3rd P. Fahey (12) 72 CSS 71Presentation of Prizes: The Men's Club will have a presentation evening for all April prizes on Sunday 25th. Details later.

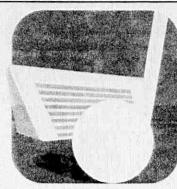
Men's Fixtures: Thur, 8th April Club Singles, Friday Open Fourball, Saturday Open Singles, Easter Sunday Open Fourball, B/Hol Mon. Open Singles.

LADIES RESULTS

Tues Mar. 30th Walsh Cup. winner B. Conway (36) 36 pts: 2nd K. Phelan (20) 36; Gross B. Hayes (14) 22; 3rd J. Mansfield (17) 35. Sat. 3rd April, winner M.A. Coffey (16) 40 pts; Class A: T. Baumann (11) 38; Class B: P. Donnelly (24) 32; Class C: M. Flynn (36) 37. Sat/Sun 27th/28th 9H P. Phelan (21) 19 pts: 2nd B. Conway (36) 19; 3rd T. Baumann (11) 19 pts.

April 3rd:Home Alliance Captain's Prize (Bernie Hayes) Winner M.A. Coffey (16) 40 pts; 2nd T. Baumann (11) 38; Gross E. O' Kennedy (12) 23; 3rd M. Flynn (36) 37. Past Captain: P O' Brien (18) 35; 4th J. Mansfield (17) 36; 5th B. Hayes (14) 34; 6th A. Morrissey (14) 34; 7th J. James (15) 34; 8th J. Melody (14) 33; 9th P. Donnelly (24) 32; 10th C. Terry (20) 32; Section Prizes: 1 M. Kyne (10) 31; 2: M. Phelan (21) 31; 3: T. Hayes (36) 32; 4: K. Deasy (19) 32; 5; A. Twomey (26) 31. Front 9 P. Phelan (21) 18; Back 9 M. Hofstede

(27) 19 pts. Ladies Fixtures: Tues 6th 18H



Stroke - Start of Season, Sat. 18 H Club Singles, Sat/Sun 10th/11th 9H, Mon. 12th Ladies Open Singles.

With a huge entry Bernie's Captain's prize was a great occasion; having congratulated the winners Bernie asked Mary Kyne to pose as Pat Crowley took snaps. There was a great buzz around the clubhouse as the ladies tucked into a lovely meal, followed by the AGM. This year's Home Alliance will start in October, with the same entrance fee. I've often heard of ladies shopping till they dropped; it seems that one of them on Saturday dropped till she was shopped! Ask Ita, Anne, Kathleen or Teresa for

Rules Corner

The following are the remaining three questions from the moderate section of the interactive quiz on the R and A web-

Water hazard stakes may not be moved even if they are physically movable. True or

The Committee may define a lateral water hazard as a water hazard. True or False?

A player may remove a score card lying in a bunker without penalty. True or False?

South-east League

Congratulations to our neighbours for topping Section A. beating West Waterford into second place. In section B Dungarvan G.C. fared very poorly. Competing with Fermoy, Harbour Point, Lismore and Mitchelstown, we gave best to Harbour Point and we were a bit behind in fourth place. Seen as an opportunity to try out pairs for the Jimmy Bruen and Pierce Purcell competitions, this league has an important function. However, I was interested to note the absence of the players who had scored consistently throughout our own Area League. When it comes to trials for the competitions mentioned. the hopes of the team managers is that those requested to attend will make the effort required. It would be nice to win a pennant for a change.

Answers: 1. False. 2. True. 3.

Heard around the Clubhouse...

I must ask Mary and Tish for the full story on Pat Breen playing from the ladies' tees last week: I trust it was a once off with no suggestion that Pat has a handbag handicap! I gather that a yarn from Tom Coffey's memoirs was aired on RTE for your support

Radio 1's 'John Creedon Show congratulations Tom. For those visitors who can't manage the eighteen there is a nine hole rate; just ask in the office or Pro shop. The annoyance of people on timesheets not turning up continues; with the season now started in earnest, members are asked to refrain from this practice. Bon's breakfast menu is very popular. There's no need to start a round on an empty stomach. Well done to Gregory Fitzgerald who had an eagle at a par 4 last week. That reminds me, I hear that another Fitzgerald did a 'John Deasy' in the clubhouse; a complete aberration" said Fitz, so Bar Manager Clagga left him off with a caution! Heard a nice one from author John Updike: "Golf appeals to the idiot and the child in us. Just how childlike golfers become is proven by their frequent inability to count past

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Winners on March 31st were Ita Fahey (24), Michael Twomey (22) and Denis Begley (24) with a scrambling score of 28 and 1/4. Mary Hofstede (27), Tony Wilson (24) and Peter O' Neill (14) were second with 28 and 7/8. Third were Mary Kyne (10), Jack Clancy (24), Sean Power (13) and Jack Elstead (14) with 29 and 11/12. Glad to hear that Mary Kyne is still talking to the club PRO who revealed some of her dark secrets, as is Tommy Keevers who was unaware that he had been slagged in the local papers!

Next competition is on Wed. 7th at 2 p .m.

Is it true that the men's senior section has been invited to get involved with the seniors in other clubs in the area? Watch this space.

After a week's break while the clubhouse was so tastefully decorated it was nice to see card players turning up again on Thursday. Tom tells me that the cards are so popular they will continue for a while. Winners last week were Tom Osbourne and Percy Hallahan. Joint runners-up were Jack Elstead/Don Brennan and Tom Coffey/Vincent Hayes. Rogie O' Connor and Frankie Ryan won the 'best of last five' and Phil Donnelly with Ann Morrissey won the 'lucky table' prize. See you all next Thursday at

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB MINI LOTTO

Week ending 04/04/04. Winnibg numbers: 2, 7, 21, 23 Jackpot Winners: No Winners

E15 Winners Des Baumann 4 Western Bay Joseph Lavan, Ballinacourty Michelle Sheehan Ballinamuck West

P.J. Maher Kileanavee, Kilmacthomas

Kathryn Keighery, Kilmacthomas This weeks Jackpot E6,000.

Next Draw 11/04/04 Thank you

GOLDCOAST GOLF CLUB NOTES

RESULTS

Mon to Fri 2nd April: 10 Hole Stableford. Jimmy O'Dwyer (8) 22 pts.

Friday 2nd April. Open 18 Hole Stableford. CSS 38 pts.

1st: Paul Cooper (11) 41 pts. Gross: Robert Murphy (6) 31 pts. Cobh.

Saturday 3rd April: 18 Hole Stableford. CSS 35 pts.

1st: Mike Kitson (7) 35 pts. Sunday 4th April: GoldCoast Cup Qualifier. Blue markers, 18 Hole Stableford. CSS 33 pts. 1st: Bernard Quirke (10) 37 pts. 2nd: John White (5) 36 pts. Gross: Conor Clancy (8) 27 pts.

3rd: Paul O'Sullivan (13) 35 pts. **FIXTURES**

Mon to Fri 9th April: 10 Hole Stableford. Friday 9th April: Open 18 Hole Stableford. Sat/Sunday 11th April: Club Foursomes. Kindly sponsored by Standard Life. Mon 12th April: 18 Hole Stableford.

COURSE GETS IT'S OWN BACK

What a day to return to Summer Golf? Blue markers, gale force winds, scattered showers, Matchplay qualifier, Golfer of the Year points available, and it wasn't April 1st. The CSS of 33 pts proved just how testing the conditions were and great credit to all who braved the elements and completed their 18 holes of golf. The top thirty-one players were to join Micheal White (last year's winner) in the draw for this year's GoldCoast Cup. All first round ties are to be played on or before 2nd May. The Draw is as follows: Micheal White v Pat Bagge, Anton Lannon v John Sinnott, Declan Kiely v Paddy Walsh, Thomas Larkin v Joe Meade, Paul O'Sullivan v Sullivan Doherty, Michael Ahearne v lan Pericho, Michael Whelan v Morrie Ferncombe, Kieran Cullinan v Conor Clancy, John White v Roddy Healy, Tom Landers v Martin Allen, Pat Crowley v Dermot Ahern, Brian O'Connor v Ivor Bagge, Ger Kelly v Michael P. Murphy, M. Fahy v Michael Ferncombe, Nicky Hayes v Tom White, Pat Power v Bernard Quirke.

MICK WHITE MEMORIAL **FOURSOMES**

The draw for this new competition has now been made and is posted in the kiosk. All preliminary rounds are to be completed by 18th April.

WILLIE BARRON MEMORIAL FOURBALL

The draw for this competition has also been made and all preliminary round matches are to be played by 25th April.

Why is John Hallinan learning French? Morrie is getting a satellite guidance system and a bag of sugar for Christmas. Great to see Tony at home again.

SOUTH EAST LEAGUE FINAL

This has now been fixed for Youghal Golf Club for Saturday 17th April at 11.00 a.m. and we will meet Harbour Point in the final. The team will be announced next weekend.

ABBEYSIDE/BALLINACOURTY G.A.A. GOLF CLASSIC

This highly popular annual event takes place in the GoldCoast from Thursday 29th April to Sunday 2nd May. There will be prizes for 1st to 7th and a special prize

for best Ladies team. As it is the first classic of the year, bookings are expected to be heavy and it would be advisable to book as early as possible.

STAKED TREES

For the protection of the young trees on the course: If a staked tree interferes with a player's stance or the area of his intended swing, the ball must be lifted, without penalty, and dropped in accordance with the procedure prescribed in Rule 24-2B. The ball may be cleaned when lifted under this rule.

LADIES NOTES

Away Alliance

The Captain's Prize of the Away Alliance kindly sponsored by Deirdre Hannigan was played at the Gold Coast Golf Club on Thursday 1st April and there was a very good turnout. A very enjoyable day was had by all competitors. Congratulations to the prize winners and

well done to all who

took part and contributed to such a successful day. The results are as follows:-Overall Winner:-Pat Murphy (26) 21 Points on count back - Tramore Golf Club. Senior:- Winner: Mary Purcell, Tramore G.C.(8) 21 points.

2nd: Vera Nugent, West Waterford G.C. (16) 20 points.

Junior:- Winner:- Ann McGrath, Gold Coast G.C. (23) 20 points.

2nd: Margaret Hartigan, St. Helen's Bay G.C.(23)19 points on count back. 3rd: Ann Kelleher (19) 19 points. Minor: 1st: Maureen Murray, Tramore G.C.

(31) 20 points. 2nd: Mary Fenton, Gold Coast G.C. (33)

12 points. Fixtures:-

18 Hole Stableford Competition now in progress kindly sponsored by Drawing Room will end on Sunday 11th April 2004. 13 Hole ongoing competition now in progress will end on Saturday 10th April

Round Robin Matchplay will end on Saturday 10th April 2005.

10 Hole ongoing competition commences on Sunday 11th April 2004

18 Hole one day Club Competition on Easter Monday. Draw for partners at 1.45

On going 18 hole competition starts Tuesday 13th April 2004.

CAPTAINS DRIVE IN

The traditional Captain's Drive will take place on Sunday 18th April at 3.30 p.m. followed by a fourball mixed scramble. This is the first scramble of the Season.

CONDOLENCES

We extend our sincere sympathy to Helena Fitzgerald and her family on the recent death of her mother, Maureen Barron - may she rest in peace.

PRESENTATION NIGHT

Presentation of all outstanding prizes on Sunday 18th April at 9 p.m. sharp at the Gold Coast Golf hotel. Members with prizes to collect please attend. Sunday and Bank holiday Golfer's please remember to put you name on Time Sheet in Golf Kiosk and please notify Kiosk in advance if you are unable to attend. Members please note that it is necessary to have completed three 18 competition cards to qualify to play in Captain's Prize.

HORSE RACING SNIPPETS BY MARK PHILLIPS

POWERS IRISH GRAND NATIONAL

The Powers Irish Grand National at Fairy-house on Easter Monday is the 133rd running of the event. One trainer hoping for a good show from his runners is Willie Mullins as the County Carlow based trainer has yet to taste success in this event.

TIMBERA OUT OF ACTION

After scooping poorly last week trainer Dessie Hughes decided against running Timbera in last Saturday afternoons feature event at Liverpool. The County Kildare trainer is hopeful however that this gelding has recovered sufficiently to take in the Irish equivalent.

BAD BREAK FOR RUBY

Ruby Walsh broke a wrist at Liverpool on the Friday of the Grand National Festival and he will be out of commission for a number of months.

LIVERPOOL HIGHLIGHTS

There was a great West Waterford success on the opening day as the Michael Ryan owned and John Queally trained Al Eile under Timmy Murphy came with a storming late run to score at the rewarding odds of 25/1.

Moscow Flyer atoned for his mistake at Cheltenham when scoring over two and a half miles in the Melling Chase on Friday. Moscow Flyer has now won all fourteen races that he completed the course in.

Rhinestone Cowboy ran a game race for his young rider JP Magnier to beat Rooster Booster on Saturday while Puck Out credited Mark Walsh with a nice win in the opening hurdle.

Hedgehunter ran a cracking race before falling in the latter stages of the Grand National and in a gripping finish Irish rider Graham Lee brought the Ginger McCain trained Amberleigh House 16/1 with a lethal late surge to beat Clan Royal who made a number of mistakes throughout this grueling event. Amberleigh House was formerly trained in this country by Michael Hourican.

MARK'S CLAIM REDUCED

When young Mark Walsh rode Puck Out to victory over hurdles at Liverpool last Saturday he had his claim reduced to five pounds.

ATTHERACES OFF THE AIR

Attheraces went off the air last week and it could be some time before a similar racing station is up and running.

THIS WEEKS IRISH FIXTURES

Wednesday — Gowran Park 3.00pm

Thursday — Thurles 4.15pm

Saturday — Cork 1.30pm, Down Royal 1.45pm

Sunday — Cork 2.15pm, Fairyhouse 2.30pm

FIVE MONTHS OFF

Irish rider Brian Crowley who is attached to the Venetia Williams yard broke a bone in his neck recently and faces a six months spell on the sidelines.

BAD NEWS FOR GORDON

Promising County Waterford apprentice Gordon Power has been forced to give up race riding after damaging his eye in an incident at Listowel races. A plastic rail damaged by a horse in front of him sprung back up and hit Gordon in the eye. Gordon basically has little or no sight on his left eye and it came as no real surprise to hear that he cannot ride in a race again. Gordon can still ride work however and rides out on a regular basis for County Carlow trainer Jim Bolger.

IRISH GRAND NATIONAL

The Irish Grand National is penciled in for Fairyhouse on Easter Monday next. Last years winner Timbera may not have the required good ground and one horse who should run well off a low mark is the Willie Mullins trained Ballyamber.

USA BOUND

Promising Irish amateur rider Derek O'-Connor has been offered the ride aboard the now fifteen-year-old young Dubliner in the famous Maryland Hunt Cup.



Pictured above at the presentation of the "The Jimmy Griffin Memorial Handicap Steeplechase" at the Tramore Races last Sunday were (I. to r.) Conor Griffin, Ken Whelan (jockey), Irene Griffin, Francis Flood, trainer of the winner "The Culdee" and Eamon Griffin, MD Intacta Print (sponsor). (Photo: Sean Byrne)



Pictured enjoying themselves at the Tramore Races last Sunday were (I to r) Kieran O'Connell, Cora Greene, Margie O'Connell and Godfrey Greene. (Photo: Sean Byrne)



Pictured above (I. to r.) Donal O'Regan, Oliver O'Connor with Mona & Vinny Kirwan at the Tramore Races last Sunday. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

POINT-TO-POINT FIXTURES SUNDAY APRIL 11TH.

Laois Foxhounds, Stradbally Hall, Stradbally County Laois, 2.30 pm

County Clare Harriers, Dromoland, Newmarketonfergus, County Clare 2.30 pm Westmeath / Longford Harriers, Carriglass Manor, County Longford, 2.30 pm

WEDNESDAY APRIL 14TH

Killeagh Harriers, Inch, Ballyanthony, County Waterford 2pm

HALLEY FAMILY WIN

JP Magnier wasn't the only Irish amateur rider to ride a winner for his mother last week as 23 year old Waterford rider Niall Halley gained his first success under rules aboard his mothers Boom Economy at Clonmel last Wednesday. Young Niall also has a point to point victory under his belt again for his mother Linda. Now trained by Paul Roche near Tramore Boom Economy stayed on well to beat Corston Jihthyne. Niall spend the best part of a year with John Joe O'Neill and he certainly showed the benefit of that stint in the UK last week.

TOM IN THE WARS

Jockey Tom Scudamore took a heavy fall from Shardam in the Aintree Grand National

damaging a bone in his hand and he faces a period of two weeks inactivity.

TRAMORE UPDATE

There were plenty of April showers around Tramore last Sunday and as a result the ground turned a good deal softer as the seven race card wore on. While jockeys Davy Russell, Conor O'Dwyer, Shay Barry and David Casey failed to complete the Aintree Grand National course on Saturday they all arrived safely on Sunday afternoon and all rode four rode a winner at Tramore with East Cork born Russell helping himself to a double.

All sixteen runners went to post for the featured Jimmy Griffin Memorial Handicap Chase with victory going to Lismore jockey Ken Whelan aboard the Francie Flood trained 12/1 outsider The Culdee who reveled in the underfoot conditions accounting for a running on Deep Serenade. The favourite Snowy Ford appeared held when coming down at the final fence.

Young Niall Madden gave the Noel Meade trained My Native Lad 4/1 a cool ride to capture the concluding bumper.

The next fixture scheduled for Tramore is on Saturday June 5th.

Ardmore Are Champions!

ARDMORE & VALLEY RANGERS QUALIFY FOR CUP FINAL

What a Sunday we had! So far games, but games of importance in Cup and League. Reigning champions Lismore were hammered at home by an understrength Brideview and this defeat ensured Ardmore are champions for the season with 2 games to play. So we congratulate Ardmore and as we have said so many times they are the best side in the league. So congratulations to all. In the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup (sponsored by Philip O'Flynn, Dungarvan). Ardmore easily defeated Gortroe, while Valley Rangers won the battle of the Rangers.

In the final game in the 1st division Ballyduff defeated Kilworth and won the title

In the final game in the 2nd division champions Castlebridge were defeated by Blackwater which ensured the Aglish side are promoted.

LISMORE 0 BRIDEVIEW 6

What an embarrassment and humiliation for the reigning champions to suffer such a defeat in their final game against an understrength Brideview side. This was a game Lismore had to win to push Ardmore, for the title but from what we hear Lismore struggled with a very weak team in such an important tie. Surely the club management will be asking questions.

The visitors opened the scoring in the first few minutes when J. P. Grey converted a penalty and after this the flood gates opened for the winners to run out very easy winners with Ml. Keating and Ml. Curley both scoring twice and Terence McSweeney the final goal.

BLACKWATER RANGERS 4 CASTLEBRIDGE 1

This game was played in Cappoquin and Blackwater knew a win and they were promoted, a draw and they were guaranteed a play off against Mogeely.

Castlebridge champions of the division, only had pride in this game and also to avoid defeat to finish with good statistics. After just seven minutes it looked as if the Castlelyons outfit would continue their very good season when Johnny Sullivan latched onto a very well directed pass from Kevin Cotter to open the scoring giving Roger Ronayne no chance in goal. Ten minutes later the home side were level when David Cullinane converted a penalty. Castlebridge then upped the tempo and forced 4 corners in 8 minutes but could not find the net. Blackwater were coming more into the game and all of a sudden we had a cracker of a game on our hands with end to end football.

With 2 minutes to the break, Jason McGrath of Blackwater collected the ball on the edge of the area and hit a terrific shot into the corner of the net giving Murphy no chance in goal.

Half time Blackwater 2 Castlebridge 1

The second half continued as the first with play ebbing from end to end.

With minutes remaining Ger Donovan scored for the home side and at this stage the Mogeely supporters in the crowd were leaving as they knew their chance of a play off was over. With just 4 minutes remaining Dermot Dee scored goal number four for the winners, who on the day were the better side and their hunger for promotion was quite evident from the kick off.

Overall a very enjoyable and good game of football by two

BALLYDUFF WIN 1ST DIVISION AND BLACKWATER ARE PROMOTED



sporting sides with referee Tommy O'Sullivan playing an excellent part in keeping the game flowing. Well done to all.

Blackwater Rangers – B. Ronayne, J. Healy, F. Cotter, G. Ronayne, K. McGrath, M. Ware, D. Cullinane, J. McGrath, C. Radley, D. Dee, J. Radley, Subs; G. Donovan, V. Lombard, J. Landers, J. Corkery, D. Cotter.

Castlebridge — E. Murphy, G. Leetch, C. Hegarty, C. Donnellan, Jim Turner, K. Cotter, P. McNulty, Jonathan Turner, D. Sexton, B. O'Connell, J. Sullivan, Subs D. O'Keeffe, B. Fitzgerald, P. O'Brien, P. Donnellan. Referee T. O'Sullivan.

So it's congrats to both sides on promotion to the first division and Chairman of the Red House League Ml. McBride presented Castlebridge captain Stephen O'Connor with the trophy. Michael congratulated Castlebridge on their season and wished them the very best in the next season.

KILWORTH 1 BALLYDUFF 3

In our match preview of this game we said this had the makings of a cracker with Ballyduff needing to win and Kilworth just a draw to claim the title champions of Division 1.

We were not let down by two very good sides, but unfortunately

a stiff wind made ball control difficult at times.

Playing into the elements in the first half Ballyduff attacked non-stop and forced too early corners.

After 16 minutes play the pressure paid off when in a goalmouth scramble Stephen Molumphy forced the ball over the line for the lead. 2 minutes later the homeside were almost level when a Ballyduff defender in trying to clear his lines healed the ball to his own goal only for keeper Flynn to tip over the bar for a fine save. But their equaliser came in the 33rd minute when Kilworth were awarded a free on the edge of the area and with the Ballyduff defense all over the place the face was quickly taken and Brian Gill gave Flynn a chance for the equalising goal.

However Ballyduff did not have long to wait to take the lead goal again. A wonderfully taken free against the wind by James Scanlon found the head of John Twomey who planted the ball in the top corner of the net. This was the score at half time. In the second half with the elements behind them Ballyduff were on top



Michael McBride, Chairman RHL, presents the Div. 2 Cup to the Castlebridge Celtic captain, Stephen O'Connor. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

and should have scored more, but some very good defending by Ger McCarthy and Brian Tobin, and some poor finishing by the Ballyduff strikers kept Kilworth in the game.

With just one minute remaining Ballyduff wrapped up the game and championship when substitute Gerry Donovan scored to give Ballyduff a 3 goals to 1 goal victory.

This game had a Cup final atmosphere but was played by two very sporting sides helped by some very good refereeing by Tom Griffin.

Best for Ballyduff were Tom and Pa Mulumphy. Brendan Hannon and John Twomey, but our man of the match was the very experienced James Scanlon who controlled the Ballyduff defence excellently and time and again thwarted Kilworth attacks. For Kilworth Ger McCarthy, Tobin, Donoghue and Seymour tried hard but on the day the better team won.

Kilworth — T. Drislane, B. Tobin, G. McCarthy, O. Walsh, L. Condon, G. Heskin, W. Donoghue, D. Tobin, L. Cotter, B. Gill, T. Seymour, Subs B. Lynch, G. Riordan.

Ballyduff — D. Flynn, P. Molumphy, R. Barry, J. Scanlon, M. Drislane, S. Feeney, B. Kearney, T. Molumphy, S. Mulumphy, B. Hannon, J. Twomey. Subs: K. McNamara, G. O'Donovan, G. Hannon. Referee Tom Griffin.

After the game Paddy Pollard on behalf of the RHL presented the championship trophy to Pat Molumphy. He congratulated both sides on their promotion to the premier and wished them well next season. Pat Molumphy suitably replied on behalf of Ballyduff.

VALLEY RANGERS 2 BALLY CELTIC 0

The visitors have the dubious honour of finishing the season pointless and if memory serves us correctly, the first side in the history of the league not to have managed even one point during a season.

This game was played on Saturday evening and Billy Carr (Snr) and Jim Hogan scored for the Conna side.



DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP SEMI FINAL

Ardmore Going For The Double

ARDMORE 4 GORTROE 0

Ardmore had a rather easy victory over East Cork side Gortroe in Inch on Sunday morning last. Good news reached them during the match when they got the word from Lismore that Brideview were defeating the homeside.

Word quickly spread through the good number of Ardmore fans on the line and also passed on to the players.

This game saw Ardmore well on top throughout although Gortroe did try hard especially in the early period of the second half to get back into the game.

The game was only 2 minutes old when Gortroe's John Barry cleared Anthony Aherne's shot off the line. At the other end a great run by Gortroe's Michael John Hennessey saw him shake off two defenders but his shot went wide. After 7 minutes Pierce Foley shot high and over for the EastCork side when perhaps he should have at least hit the target. After these early attacks by Gortroe the West Waterford side came more into the game.

Clinton Hennessey shot wide from close range in the 14th minute. A minute later Ardmore were in front when Paul Hennessey shot low into the net.

Clinton Hennessy shot wide after 18 minutes while Michael John Hennessey did likewise for Gortroe in the 20th minute. Leonard Byrne made a terrific tackle on Anthony Aherne after 25 minutes when it looked as if Aherne should score.

Aherne rose high in the 33rd minute to head down a great ball to James O'Donnell but the latters volley went across the goal and wide. Jason Lenane had a great shot saved well by Gortroe's keeper James Clohessey.

However, Clohessey could do nothing about Ardmore's second goal which arrived in the 37th minute. A corner kick by James O'Donnell saw Clinton Hennessey rise high above Gortroe's defence and head home to put Ardmore 2-0 in front and this was the scoreline at the break.

Gortroe tried hard to get back into the game in the second half. They put Leonard Byrne up front in the hope of pulling a goal back. However after 61 minutes the game was over as Ardmore stretched their lead to 3-0. A great shot by Cillian McCarthy was well saved by James Clohessy but the rebound fell to James O'Donnell whose delightful chip went all the way to the net.

A quick free taken by Michael John Hennessy went wide in the 66th minute. A powerful header by Gortroe's Dave Coleman was well saved by James Lenane in the 70th minute.

Both sides had chances before Ardmore's fourth and final goal arrived in the 80th minute. Paddy Gallagher who had come on early in the second half shot low into the corner of the goal giving Clohessy no chance.

So Ardmore now league champions must be favourites to bring off the double.

On Sunday last the Ardmore squad including Gallagher and Supple (both brought on) played some nice football despite the wind and rain. Without doubt they are the team to beat at the moment. This PRO cannot see this happening and now with the league title under their belt I feel the double is very much on the cards for Ardmore.

Ardmore — D Lenane, A. O'Donnell, M.Hennessey, W. Hennessey, C. Hennessey, J. O'Donnell, J. Lenane, C. McCarthy, A. Aherne, C. Hennessey, C. McCarthy, Res. M. Supple, P. Gallagher, A. Kinnear, J. Hennessey and J. Conway.

Gortroe — J. Clohessey, J. Barry, L. Byrne, B. Walsh, D. Beecher, P. Foley, P. Hennessey, M. J. Hennessy, J. Mason, A. Downing.

Referee Paul Marks. Linesmen; Willie Collins and Paul Pear-



Valley Rangers PINEWOOD RANGERS O Advance To Cup Final

In Modeligo on Sunday morning a very much understength Pinewood penned no match for Valley Rangers in a poor Cup Semi Final. The sides were scoreless at half time thanks to some very solid defensive play from Pinewood and Valley's failure to convert the many chances.

In fact it was 14 minutes before there was any shot of note
to trouble either defense. However the deadlock was broken
six minutes into the second
half when Terence Rumley
scored from a cross by Sean
Twomey, Billy Carr Jnr) increased the lead before substitute Gordon Bryan put the
game beyond Pinewood when
he scored twice.

Overall not the best of Cup games, as Valley dominated throughout and had the best player on the park in Alan Carr. Also to impress for Valley were Brendan Hickey, Jim Lane and Terence Rumley. For Pinewood whose defensive display was excellent up to the 3/4 mark, Ml. Doocey in goal, David Ryan, Joe Mangan and Mike Guiry tried hard but unfortunately they had no real striker to pull the ball in the back of the net, and being short so many players in a Cup Semi Final their chances of success were very slim.

Teams: Valley Rangers A. Dineen, B. Hogan, B. Hickey, Alan Carr, D. O'Farrell, C. Hogan, B. Barr (Jnr), J. Lane, T. Rumley, S. Twomey, J. Carr. Subs G. Bryan, P. Noonan, J. Lonergan.

Pinewood Rangers: M. Doocey, C. Ryan, N. Moore, J. Mangan, N. Ryan, S. Wall, M. Guiry, D. Ryan, P. Walsh, S. Phelan, M. Wall, Sub E. Sheehan.

Referee M. Hartnett.

Assistants N. O'Donoghue, T. Griffin.

Finally a word of thanks to the Modeligo Club for the ex-

cellent condition of the grounds and a very special thanks to Vince O'Donovan who had everything arranged excellently.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE RESULTS

Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup Semi Finals

Ardmore 4 Gortroe 0

Valley Rangers 4 Pinewood Rangers 0

Premier — Lismore 0 Brideview 6

Div. 1 — Kilworth 1 Ballyduff 3

Div. 2 — Blackwater 4 Castlebridge 1
Valley Rangers 2 Bally Celtic 0

Red House League Fixtures
SUNDAY 11TH APRIL

Premier -

Cappoquin v Ardmore at 11.30 am. (T. Griffin) Gortroe v Brideview at 11.30 am (G. Burke)



Congratulations

We congratulate one youth player, Maurice Collins, Glen View on being selected for a training session with the Munster Youths in Banshee last Monday night. The squad has been cut to 22 players and will again be cut to a final 18, so we are hoping Maurice will make the final cut. Regardless it is a great honour for the player and the Glenview club to have some one recognised at this level outside of the league. Hopefully he will make the Munster squad but as we all know competition for places at this level are at a premium. Still age is on his side and he should be on the team next season. But we all wish him well in Bansha.

Easter Greetings

We wish everyone seasons greetings from all in the Red

DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP

The final of the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup (kindly sponsored by Philip O'Flynn, Dungarvan) will be played on Sunday 18th April. At the time of penning these notes we do not know that venue for Ardmore and Pinewood Rangers, but the venue will have been announced at the delegate meet ing last Monday night

UNDER-18 LEAGUE

Title Up For Grabs In Cappoquin

On Saturday next Cappoquin are at home to Mogeely in a vital league game. A win for either side here will clinch the championship. It's a game that could go either way but maybe home advantage will swing it for Cappoquin. It has to be said that the homeside will be short some regulars due to suspensions and injury and this will not help their cause and may leave the East Cork side in for victory

U-18 CUP FINAL - NO DATE FIXED YET

The U-18 Cup final has not been fixed yet although it was hoped to have a venue and date sorted at last Monday's delegate meeting. With Cup fever now gripping so many clubs at both Junior and schoolboy level it's hard to find venues and dates suitable to everyone.

It has been suggested that a schoolboy Cup final takes place before one of the juniors and again this was been looked at on Monday night last

While a lot of business was down for Monday night last Chairman Michael McBride was saying on Sunday last that it was more than likely that the committee would have to meet on another night as he felt that not everything down on the agenda could be dealt with.

There is so much going on at the moment, stated McBride that it's almost impossible to keep up with it, continued the

We are trying to do so many extra things in the league at present that time is not with us. Our AGM is being brought forward by a month as well which also means we have to have the draw sorted out by then as well, stated McBride. That is why I think the committee will have to meet at least twice in the coming week or so if we are to complete our agenda, added McBride. So it looks like busy times ahead for the com-

UNDER-18 LEAGUE

Next Sunday April 11th — Cappoquin v Mogeely, kick off 3 pm. Ref M. Hartnett.

Red House League Tables

| | Pld | W | D | L | F | A | Pts |
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| PREMIER DIVISION | | | | | | | |
| Ardmore | 12 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 36 | 13 | 33 |
| Lismore | 14 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 28 | 20 | 30 |
| Accrington | 14 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 26 | 23 | 22 |
| Brideview | 12 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 26 | 19 | 17 |
| Valley Rangers | 14 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 31 | 31 | 14 |
| Cappoquin | 13 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 21 | 34 | 10 |
| Pinewood Rangers | 14 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 18 | 28 | 9 |
| Gortroe | 13 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 17 | 34 | 6 |
| 1ST DIVISION | | | | | | | |
| Ballyduff | 14 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 34 | 14 | 35 |
| Kilworth | 14 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 29 | 12 | 33 |
| Inch | 14 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 33 | 12 | 27 |
| Araglen | 14 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 28 | 18 | 24 |
| Ballybridge | 14 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 21 | 24 | 15 |
| Modeligo | 14 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 18 | 35 | 12 |
| Clashmore | 14 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 22 | 39 | 6 |
| Brideview | 14 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 13 | 44 | 4 |
| 2ND DIVISION | | | | | | | |
| Castlebridge | 14 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 42 | 16 | 32 |
| Blackwater | 14 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 31 | 10 | 31 |
| Mogeely | 14 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 36 | 18 | 29 |
| An Ghaeltacht | 14 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 38 | 34 | 20 |
| Affane | 14 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 29 | 34 | 19 |
| Glenview | 14 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 19 | 35 | 18 |
| Valley Rangers | 14 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 19 | 35 | 11 |
| Bally Celtic | 14 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 4 | 36 | 0 |
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ARDMORE SOCCER NOTES Ardmore

Advance To Cup Final

GORTROE 0

Ardmore qualified for the Cup final by virtue of a solid performance against Gortroe on Sunday last. We were well aware of the struggle we had to see off the same opposition in the league a few weeks back but on Sunday it was Ardmore who called the shots.

From the fourteenth minute when the excellent Anthony Aherne took a leaf out of Paddy Gallagher's book and scored a cracker there was only going to be one winner. James O'Donnell who had an excellent game, delivered a perfect corner for Clinton Hennessey to make it 2. Fifteen minutes into the second half after great work by Cillian McCarthy, the ball broke to James O'Donnell who chipped to the net from all of 30 yards.

With everything going to plan nobody could foresee what happened next. The management introduced three substitutes Paddy Gallagher, Mike Supple and Andy Olinnear and with fifteen minutes remaining

we saw the highlight of the game and maybe of the season. Paddy Gallagher sensing that Anthony Aherne's first strike may be as good as the goal Paddy himself scored a few weeks back, decided to take ac-

Paddy gets the ball out on the ring wing and as two defenders approached, Paddy with hip movement that a dancer would be proud of, sent both the wrong way, then cut inside the penalty area at great pace, and with the skill and beauty of a flying eagle duly despatched a great finish to score Ardmore's fourth. As Paddy turned away to celebrate all of us who travelled to Inch knew we had just seen goal of the season.

I would like to thank Paddy Gallagher for the above description of his goal.

After the game word came through from Lismore that the defending champions had been defeated by Brideview. This result gives Ardmore the Red House League title. Full report of our premiership title next

Waterford County Badminton Notes

WATERFORD **CLASS 4 REACH**

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2004 SUMMER SERIES

2004 Summer Series, which com- asked to be in attendance promptly. mences on May 5th, (did you spot the error last week?) now is the time to get into shape. With just a month to the evening spins, take the opportunity to head off on your own for a few miles, very popular Millstreet circuit, commencing at Master McGrath, climbing Colligan initially, and follows anti-clockto Ballinamuck. If you are a beginner cyclist, why not start training on Colligan hill between now and May. Pace yourself slowly on the hill, so that you arrive at the top ready to continue the on this critical section, you will not recover sufficiently for the remainder of the spin.

ENTRIES CLOSED FOR GOREY 3-DAY

With 190 riders confirmed for the race and the local bed and breakfast places filled, race organiser Sam Darcy has confirmed that entries for the Greenstar Gorey 3-Day have now closed. Dungarvan Credit Union Cy- Nissan Classic, will present an aweevent, led by Senior 2 racers Maurice tors expected to flock to the narrow Hickey and Justin Coonan. Ray Dwyer twisting road will witness up close and Lionel Harte take to the start line courage, anguish, determination, surin the veteran's category, while we will have two in the junior event, Eoin tion and most of all, suffering, as the Whyte and Brian Guiry. Also participating over the three days is former club member Henry Crowley, now cycling with Swords Cycling Club.

SPINS FOR THE COMING WEEK

at 6pm, Saturday from Kilrush at 9:30am, and Sunday from the Square at 9:30am. Please take note of time

moy, weather and wind permitting. moy, Lis-The weather last weekend was There will also be a Bank Holiday spin more

NEWCOMERS WELCOME

We will welcome along any others Le my who would like to join us on our regu- b r i e n lar Sunday spin, whether they be newcomers to the sport, or other existing members. Come along and have fun. Bridge Your fitness level will increase very the glory the wind and heavy showers for the quickly, and you will enjoy the experi- of ence. Summer spins leave the Square ning an layed until later in the afternoon, but on Sundays, and John Foley's Garage, Kilrush on Saturdays, at 9:30am on both days. Please take note that it is our intention that all spins leave exact-If you are intending to compete in the ly at the stated time, and you are

TOUGH CHALLENGES FOR FBD **MILK RAS RIDERS**

Almost thirty major mountain climbs, start, and Summer Time allowing for a marathon 181 kilometres from Charleville to Cahirciveen and a premier category mountain top stage finor join with any of our regular spins. ish in Carrick-on-Suir are the highlights Our Summer Series is open to all Club of a very challenging and demanding members, and to members of other cy-route, announced during the week, for cling clubs, provided you have a cur- this year's FBD MILK RAS 8 Day Interrent licence. If you are a beginner national Cycle Race, which starts from cyclist, you may participate initially for Dublin on Sunday 23rd May. The Nathree weeks, after which you will be re- tional Dairy Council and FBD Insurquired to take out a licence. Further ances again, for the 22nd year, details nearer the event. The route for sponsor the race. In a one thousand this year's competitive event is the kilometres anti-clockwise course around the country the top class field of over 150 riders from at least 10 countries will contest thrilling stage finwise to Millstreet, Modeligo, and re- ishes in Trim, Oranmore, Charleville, turning by the main Cappoquin Road Cahirciveen, Millstreet, Seskin Hill Carrick-on-Suir, Tullow and the grand finale in the Phoenix Park on Sunday 30th May.

In a rare break from the traditional town centre stage finish Seskin Hill, rest of the course. If you cycle too hard straddling the Tipperary/Waterford boundary less than two kilometres from the centre of Carrick-on-Suir, protype mountain top finish to Stage 6 on Friday 28th May. After 151 kilometres from Millstreet on mainly flat roads giving fast, attacking racing the 1.5 kilometre extremely steep Seskin Hill, made famous by the exploits of Sean Kelly and Stephen Roche during the cling Club will have six riders for this some finish. The thousands of spectarender to physical and mental exhausriders draw on their final reserves in a bid to win this historic stage.

When former RAS great, Bobby Power, as Stage-End Organiser, applauds the riders as they cross the fin-Tuesday and Thursday, from Kilrush ish line at Carrick-on-Suir golf course on Seskin Hill he'll be acutely aware of the tremendous effort each and everyone of the riders has made to win this day group are planning a trip to Fer- through Mallow, Castletownroche, Fer- an easy recovery spin.

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Regular cyclist, Vincent Tutty, pictured prior to a recent club outing

RAS stage may well be within reach of every rider as they reach the start of the climb in one big bunch. The stage honour may go to the best climber, or will one of the lesser lights prove the point that the victor will be not he who can inflict the most but who can endure the most.

The final stage in Dublin's Phoenix Park at 3pm on Sunday 30th May will once again be a spectacular, exciting stage as the riders race around a 2.7 kilometres circuit taking in the Main Road, Ordinance Survey Road and Furze Road. All the leading contenders will be acutely aware that any break in concentration could see a breakaway group gaining sufficient time for the race to be lost and won in the final kilometres in the Phoenix Park. Prior to the final FBD MILK RAS stage there will be a full programme for the future Men of the Ras when races for under 12, 14, 16 and 18 years will be promoted by Cycling Ireland's Under-Age committee. Check the website at www.fbdmilkras.com

MEMBERSHIP

If you are not currently a member, but are interested in cycling with us, please contact us for an application form. The secretary can be contacted vides the setting for an Alpe d'Huex at 43422. We would like to thank all those who have returned their membership forms, and remind others to do so as soon as possible. There is an option available to secure full insurance if you wish. Details arrive with vour licence

WICKLOW 200K

Aim for a long endurance spin of approximately 65 miles somewhere during your training this week. Add about five miles each week to this long spin. Put in a few hills along the way. Take a break every third or fourth week, by cycling only a short regular spin, and you will benefit from the rest. All of our members who have indicated that they are participating in the 2004 event on Sunday, June 13th were out over the weekend. If you are in a position to cycle on two consecutive days you will benefit greatly. A suggested format would be to cycle your long endurance change for weekend spins. The Satur- stage. After racing 150 kilometres spin on Saturday, and use Sunday as

Congratulations

We congratulate one youth player, Maurice Collins, Glen View on being selected for a training session with the Munster Youths in Banshee last Monday night. The squad has been cut to 22 players and will again be cut to a final 18, so we are hoping Maurice will make the final cut. Regardless it is a great honour for the player and the Glenview club to have some one recognised at this level outside of the league. Hopefully he will make the Munster squad but as we all know competition for places at this level are at a premium. Still age is on his side and he should be on the team next season. But we all wish him well in Bansha.

Easter Greetings

We wish everyone seasons greetings from all in the Red House League.

DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP

The final of the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup (kindly sponsored by Philip O'Flynn, Dungarvan) will be played on Sunday 18th April. At the time of penning these notes we do not know that venue for Ardmore and Pinewood Rangers, but the venue will have been announced at the delegate meeting last Monday night.

UNDER-18 LEAGUE

Title Up For Grabs In Cappoquin

On Saturday next Cappoquin are at home to Mogeely in a vital league game. A win for either side here will clinch the championship. It's a game that could go either way but maybe home advantage will swing it for Cappoquin. It has to be said that the homeside will be short some regulars due to suspensions and injury and this will not help their cause and may leave the East Cork side in for victory.

U-18 CUP FINAL — NO DATE FIXED YET

The U-18 Cup final has not been fixed yet although it was hoped to have a venue and date sorted at last Monday's delegate meeting. With Cup fever now gripping so many clubs at both Junior and schoolboy level it's hard to find venues and dates suitable to everyone.

It has been suggested that a schoolboy Cup final takes place before one of the juniors and again this was been looked at on Monday night last.

While a lot of business was down for Monday night last Chairman Michael McBride was saying on Sunday last that it was more than likely that the committee would have to meet on another night as he felt that not everything down on the agenda could be dealt with.

There is so much going on at the moment, stated McBride that it's almost impossible to keep up with it, continued the Chairman.

We are trying to do so many extra things in the league at present that time is not with us. Our AGM is being brought forward by a month as well which also means we have to have the draw sorted out by then as well, stated McBride. That is why I think the committee will have to meet at least twice in the coming week or so if we are to complete our agenda, added McBride. So it looks like busy times ahead for the committee.

UNDER-18 LEAGUE

Next Sunday April 11th — Cappoquin v Mogeely, kick off 3 pm. Ref M. Hartnett.

Red House League Tables

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| PREMIER DIVISION | | | | | | | | |
| Ardmore | 12 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 36 | 13 | 33 | |
| Lismore | 14 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 28 | 20 | 30 | |
| Accrington | 14 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 26 | 23 | 22 | |
| Brideview | 12 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 26 | 19 | 17 | |
| Valley Rangers | 14 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 31 | 31 | 14 | |
| Cappoquin | 13 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 21 | 34 | 10 | |
| Pinewood Rangers | 14 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 18 | 28 | 9 | |
| Gortroe | 13 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 17 | 34 | 6 | |
| 1ST DIVISION | | | | | | | | |
| Ballyduff | 14 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 34 | 14 | 35 | |
| Kilworth | 14 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 29 | 12 | 33 | |
| Inch | 14 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 33 | 12 | 27 | |
| Araglen | 14 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 28 | 18 | 24 | |
| Ballybridge | 14 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 21 | 24 | 15 | |
| Modeligo | 14 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 18 | 35 | 12 | |
| Clashmore | 14 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 22 | 39 | 6 | |
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| 2ND DIVISION | | | | | | | | |
| Castlebridge | 14 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 42 | 16 | 32 | |
| Blackwater | 14 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 31 | 10 | 31 | |
| Mogeely | 14 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 36 | 18 | 29 | |
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ARDMORE SOCCER NOTES

Ardmore Advance To Cup Final

ARDMORE 4 GORTROE 0

Ardmore qualified for the Cup final by virtue of a solid performance against Gortroe on Sunday last. We were well aware of the struggle we had to see off the same opposition in the league a few weeks back but on Sunday it was Ardmore who called the shots.

From the fourteenth minute when the excellent Anthony Aherne took a leaf out of Paddy Gallagher's book and scored a cracker there was only going to be one winner, James O'Donnell who had an excellent game, delivered a perfect corner for Clinton Hennessey to make it 2. Fifteen minutes into the second half after great work by Cillian McCarthy, the ball broke to James O'Donnell who chipped to the net from all of 30 yards.

With everything going to plan nobody could foresee what happened next. The management introduced three substitutes Paddy Gallagher, Mike Supple and Andy Olinnear and with fifteen minutes remaining we saw the highlight of the game and maybe of the season. Paddy Gallagher sensing that Anthony Aherne's first strike may be as good as the goal Paddy himself scored a few weeks back, decided to take action.

Paddy gets the ball out on the ring wing and as two defenders approached. Paddy with hip movement that a dancer would be proud of, sent both the wrong way, then cut inside the penalty area at great pace, and with the skill and beauty of a flying eagle duly despatched a great finish to score Ardmore's fourth. As Paddy turned away to celebrate all of us who travelled to Inch knew we had just seen goal of the season.

I would like to thank Paddy Gallagher for the above description of his goal.

After the game word came through from Lismore that the defending champions had been defeated by Brideview. This result gives Ardmore the Red House League title. Full report of our premiership title next week.

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regulars, and a lively group headed once again to Lismore. As is usual by now, some turn for home at this point, groups enjoyed a lovely April morning. Sunday turned out to be less welcoming, and only a small number braved the wind and heavy showers for the usual weekly club spin. Others de-Easily known April is here.

2004 SUMMER SERIES

2004 Summer Series, which commences on May 5th, (did you spot the error last week?) now is the time to get into shape. With just a month to the cyclist, why not start training on Colligan hill between now and May. Pace 30th May. yourself slowly on the hill, so that you on this critical section, you will not rethe spin.

ENTRIES CLOSED FOR GOREY 3-DAY

the Greenstar Gorey 3-Day have now Kelly and Stephen Roche during the closed. Dungarvan Credit Union Cy- Nissan Classic, will present an awecling Club will have six riders for this some finish. The thousands of spectaevent, led by Senior 2 racers Maurice tors expected to flock to the narrow Hickey and Justin Coonan. Ray Dwyer twisting road will witness up close and Lionel Harte take to the start line in the veteran's category, while we will have two in the junior event, Eoin Whyte and Brian Guiry. Also participating over the three days is former club bid to win this historic stage. member Henry Crowley, now cycling with Swords Cycling Club.

SPINS FOR THE COMING WEEK

9:30am, and Sunday from the Square the tremendous effort each and everyat 9:30am. Please take note of time one of the riders has made to win this

moy, weather and wind permitting. moy, Lis-The weather last weekend was There will also be a Bank Holiday spin more, mixed, but did not deter many of our from Kilrush at 9:30 on Easter Monday.

NEWCOMERS WELCOME

We will welcome along any others Lemy who would like to join us on our regu- b r i e n and others head on a bit further. Both lar Sunday spin, whether they be new- a comers to the sport, or other existing Mahon members. Come along and have fun. Bridge Your fitness level will increase very the glory quickly, and you will enjoy the experience. Summer spins leave the Square layed until later in the afternoon, but on Sundays, and John Foley's Garage, the showers just would not go away. Kilrush on Saturdays, at 9:30am on MILK both days. Please take note that it is our intention that all spins leave exact-If you are intending to compete in the ly at the stated time, and you are asked to be in attendance promptly.

TOUGH CHALLENGES FOR FBD MILK RAS RIDERS

Almost thirty major mountain climbs, start, and Summer Time allowing for a marathon 181 kilometres from evening spins, take the opportunity to Charleville to Cahirciveen and a prehead off on your own for a few miles, mier category mountain top stage finor join with any of our regular spins. ish in Carrick-on-Suir are the highlights Our Summer Series is open to all Club of a very challenging and demanding members, and to members of other cy-route, announced during the week, for cling clubs, provided you have a cur- this year's FBD MILK RAS 8 Day Interrent licence. If you are a beginner national Cycle Race, which starts from cyclist, you may participate initially for Dublin on Sunday 23rd May. The Nathree weeks, after which you will be re-tional Dairy Council and FBD Insurquired to take out a licence. Further ances again, for the 22nd year, details nearer the event. The route for sponsor the race. In a one thousand this year's competitive event is the kilometres anti-clockwise course very popular Millstreet circuit, com- around the country the top class field mencing at Master McGrath, climbing of over 150 riders from at least 10 Colligan initially, and follows anti-clock- countries will contest thrilling stage finwise to Millstreet, Modeligo, and re- ishes in Trim, Oranmore, Charleville, turning by the main Cappoquin Road Cahirciveen, Millstreet, Seskin Hill Carto Ballinamuck. If you are a beginner rick-on-Suir, Tullow and the grand finale in the Phoenix Park on Sunday

In a rare break from the traditional arrive at the top ready to continue the town centre stage finish Seskin Hill, rest of the course. If you cycle too hard straddling the Tipperary/Waterford boundary less than two kilometres cover sufficiently for the remainder of from the centre of Carrick-on-Suir, provides the setting for an Alpe d'Huex Friday 28th May. After 151 kilometres With 190 riders confirmed for the from Millstreet on mainly flat roads givrace and the local bed and breakfast ing fast, attacking racing the 1.5 kiloplaces filled, race organiser Sam metre extremely steep Seskin Hill, Darcy has confirmed that entries for made famous by the exploits of Sean courage, anguish, determination, surrender to physical and mental exhaustion and most of all, suffering, as the riders draw on their final reserves in a

When former RAS great, Bobby Power, as Stage-End Organiser, applauds the riders as they cross the fin-Tuesday and Thursday, from Kilrush ish line at Carrick-on-Suir golf course at 6pm, Saturday from Kilrush at on Seskin Hill he'll be acutely aware of day group are planning a trip to Fer- through Mallow, Castletownroche, Fer- an easy recovery spin.

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Tutty, pictured prior to a recent club outing

RAS stage may well be within reach of every rider as they reach the start of the climb in one big bunch. The stage honour may go to the best climber, or will one of the lesser lights prove the point that the victor will be not he who can inflict the most but who can endure the most.

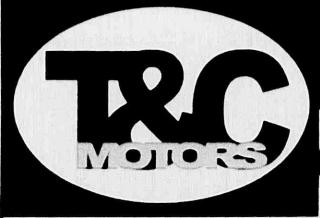
The final stage in Dublin's Phoenix Park at 3pm on Sunday 30th May will once again be a spectacular, exciting stage as the riders race around a 2.7 kilometres circuit taking in the Main Road, Ordinance Survey Road and Furze Road. All the leading contenders will be acutely aware that any break in concentration could see a breakaway group gaining sufficient time for the race to be lost and won in the final kilometres in the Phoenix Park. Prior to the final FBD MILK RAS stage there will be a full programme for the future Men of the Ras when races for under 12, 14, 16 and 18 years will be promoted by Cycling Ireland's Under-Age committee. Check the website at www.fbdmilkras.com

MEMBERSHIP

If you are not currently a member, but are interested in cycling with us, please contact us for an application form. The secretary can be contacted at 43422. We would like to thank all type mountain top finish to Stage 6 on those who have returned their membership forms, and remind others to do so as soon as possible. There is an option available to secure full insurance if you wish. Details arrive with vour licence.

WICKLOW 200K

Aim for a long endurance spin of approximately 65 miles somewhere during your training this week. Add about five miles each week to this long spin. Put in a few hills along the way. Take a break every third or fourth week, by cycling only a short regular spin, and you will benefit from the rest. All of our members who have indicated that they are participating in the 2004 event on Sunday, June 13th were out over the weekend. If you are in a position to cycle on two consecutive days you will benefit greatly. A suggested format would be to cycle your long endurance change for weekend spins. The Satur- stage. After racing 150 kilometres spin on Saturday, and use Sunday as



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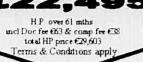
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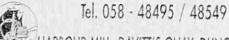
Although Indian Cuisine can often seem confusing to a newcomer, at the Indian Ocean not alone is excellent food always the order of the day, but they also offer helpful advice on the best dishes suited to your taste.

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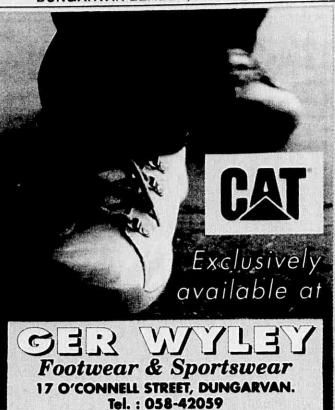


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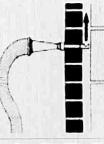


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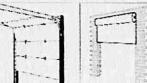
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