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Some members of Dungarvan Youth Band who became the South of Ireland Junior Band champions in Clonakilty recently. Photo shows back row (l. to r.) E. O'Mahony, L. Kavanagh, K. Fennell, J. Conway, R. Hayes. Middle row (l. to r.) G. Cummins, B. Dwyer, C. Power and A. Fraher. Front (l. to r.) R. Casey, T. Airde, C. Whyte and J. Nagle.

FURTHER HONOURS FOR DUNGARVAN BRASS BAND

Youth Bands Wins South Of Ireland Championship

Just over 12 months since its formation, the Dungarvan Youth Band was awarded the title "South of Ireland Junior Champions 2004" at the South of Ireland Band Championships in Clonakilty, Co. Cork.

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band's conductor, William Dee.
Performing fourth of five bands, the band played "Tower Trumpets" from The Old Castle Suite, "Abide with Me", "With a little help from my friends", and "Procession" from A Cathedral Suite. Including traditional, modern, and original band pieces, this great variety of music is something that the adjudicator would later remark

The performances from the five bands over, it was the turn of the adjudicator, Mr. Tony Neal, to make his summations. He didn't pull any punches,

pointing out mistakes various bands made, but also complimenting the good points. In the end he announced "there was one band that was clearly ahead, my only difficulty was deciding who came second". He awarded third place to the

(CONTINUED ON PAGE 63)

Objection To €52m Hotel And Holiday Home Development

RESIDENTS APPEAL PERMISSION TO AN BORD PLEANALA

KEVIN KIRRANE

Two local residents have appealed against the grant of planning permission for a 52 million hotel and holiday home development proposed for an 80,000 sq metre site at Ballinclamper in Clonea.

Ballinacourty residents, Carrie and Tim Foley, lodged an objection to An Bord Pleanala on July 1st against the plans.

The development is proposed by Dublin based developers, Greenbirch Ltd, and was granted planning permission recently by Waterford County Council subject to a number of conditions.

These included a reduction in the number of holiday homes and apartments by twenty-six.

The permission was for 90 single storey holiday cottages, a three-storey "Spa" 4/5 star Hotel, 39 apartments and a number of other on site developments.

The developers say the new hotel would cost in the region of 12 million euros to construct and claim it would create around 110 full-time and a further 43 part-time jobs.

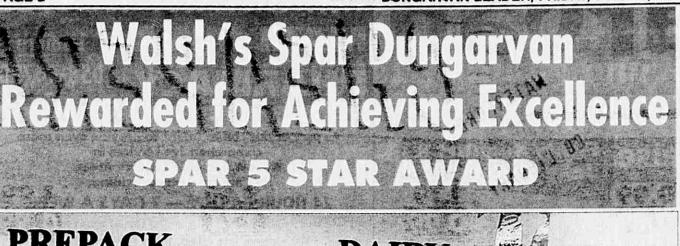
Speaking at the July meeting of Waterford County Council, Director of Services, Denis McCarthy confirmed that the developers have come to an arrangement with CIE to purchase part of a railway spur

that runs through the site.

He also said the overall objective of the conditions set down in the application is to improve access to the Ballinclamper car park and the



County Celebrates
Centenaries Of
Molly Keane And
Claud Cockburn
(SEE FULL REPORT ON PAGE 63)





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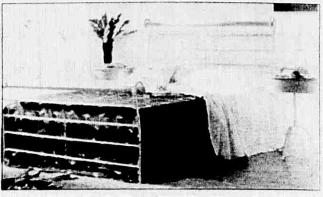
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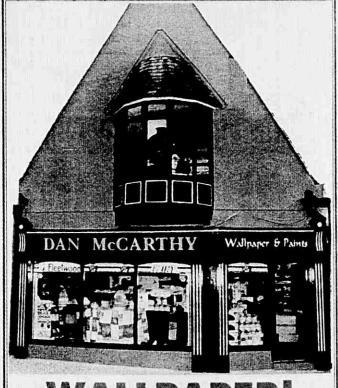
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Call for Improvements at Ballinacourty Pier

Newly elected County Councillor for the Dungarvan Electoral Area Damien Geoghegan has called on Waterford Co Council to carry out improvements at the pier and slipway located at Ballinacourty. Following a visit to the pier, where he spoke with harbour users, Cllr Geoghegan has been in contact with senior Council officials with a view to having the necessary work carried out. The work would include repairing the roadway in the vicinity of the slipway, the replacement of 3 ladders on the quayside which allow for easy access for boat users and the clearing of the slipway itself which has become covered in sand and shingle in recent months.

Cllr Geoghegan points out "this pier and slipway are quite popular with both local boat-owners and holiday-makers alike, but yet it would seem that the Council have neglected to maintain it to an acceptable standard. When we have facilities such as this, which are located in a such a picturesque setting, we should insist that they are not allowed fall into such disrepair. This area is used predominantly by pleasure craft owners and the finance involved in restoring this pier for such use is not enormous."

The Fine Gael Councillor goes on to say "over the past number of years there has been a noticeable increase in the number of pleasure craft users locally, with this particular location at Ballinacourty proving both popular and suitable for the type of activities involved, but yet these enthusiasts find it difficult to launch boats etc due to the problems that are in existence such as poorly surfaced roadways, haphazard parking etc.

In some cases cars and boat-trailers have been damaged. Now is the time for Waterford Co. Council to focus on this area and carry out the necessary repair work"

NEW PICNIC AREA BEING CREATED ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF LISMORE!

Isn't it strange how man made buildings or stonework can stay the same for years and years. Sometimes even for centuries and then in the blink of an eye, can disappear or be demolished by a JCB in seconds.

After many years of neglect, a mid 19th century, 10 feet high stone wall alongside the N72 in Ballyrafter ,Lismore which once encased outbuildings belonging to the old town gasworks company, has been drastically reduced in size, and a portion of this land behind, is now being developed by Waterford County Council as a small carpark and picnic area, nearby to where passers by often stop to feed the local duck population, which have inhabited the area for some years.

However, trying to feed or observe our web-footed friends





in the canal alongside the N72 can be quite a hazardous venture, especially for parents with young children, owing to the intermittent heavy traffic which passes from time to time, so the development of this area will be appreciated by many

The canal which runs alongside some of the N72 road from Cappoquin was built by a previous Duke of Devonshire, to ferry stone from Derbyshire in England to the castle, for extensive rebuilding work which took place there in the mid 1800's.

The N72 approaching Lismore provides spectacular views of the castle, as commented on by many a famous travel writer like Thackeray, who have visited the town over the last two centuries.

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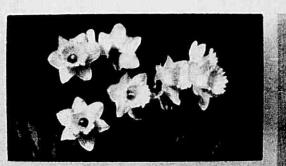


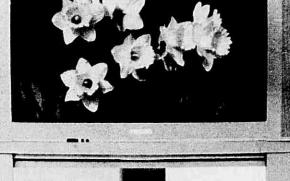
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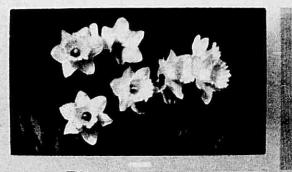
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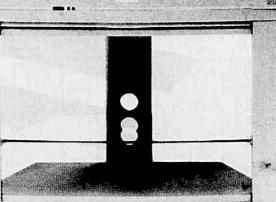
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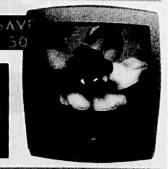
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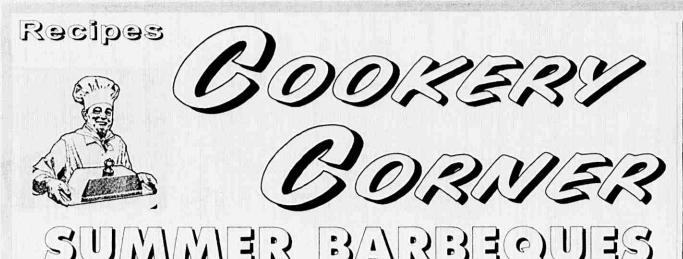


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As the weather hots up and the scent of smouldering charcoal wafts through the air, thoughts turn to outdoor cooking! A barbeque provides the perfect excuse for family and friends to get together to enjoy good food in a relaxed atmosphere. Here are a few tips to make your barbeque a healthy and enjoyable experience!

With a little care, barbequed food can be very nutritious. Choose lean meats and include heart-healthy oily fish such as salmon, mackerel or trout. Enhance the flavour of meat, fish and poultry by experimenting with different marinades and relishes. A combination of natural yogurt, garlic and curry paste makes a tasty marinade. Add a Mexican twist to burgers with homemade salsa made from peeled, chopped tomatoes, red onion, green chilli, garlic and coriander.

Boost vitamin, mineral and fibre intakes with plenty of fruit and vegetables. Create your own kebabs with peppers, mushrooms, cherry tomatoes and onion. Corn on the cob works well too, topped with a knob of melting butter. Fruit kebabs served with yogurt make a tempting, healthy treat for dessert. Eating four or more portions from the fruit and vegetable shelf of the food pyramid each day is associated with a healthier heart and digestive system.

Add calcium to the meal by topping burgers with slices of cheddar and crumbling blue or feta cheese into salads. Calcium-rich natural yogurt makes a great base for dips and sauces. Add chopped cucumber, mint and coriander for a tangy sauce to accompany barbequed meats. In addition to the well-established benefits for bone health, exciting new research shows the unique nutrient package provided by three portions of dairy products a day (3-a-Day) may reduce risk of obesity, high blood pressure, heart disease and diabetes. It is a common myth that dairy products are fattening and are 'off limits' to people trying to lose weight. Pioneering research from the US now proves that having 3 servings of milk, cheese or yogurt a day while dieting enables people to lose weight much more efficiently than those who avoid dairy products. Dairy products also protect the bones while dieting. To provide a balanced meal, serve plenty of carbohydraterich foods such as baked potatoes, rice or pasta salads and bread. Go for wholemeal and wholegrain varieties for extra

fibre - 77% of Irish adults don't get enough.

Refreshing smoothies are great, nutritious thirst quenchers! Simply combine your choice of soft fruit, such as banana, mango or strawberry, with milk, yogurt and a little fruit juice in a blender until smooth; a bone and tooth friendly alternative to fizzy drinks – best served chilled!

Food safety is an important issue to consider when planning a barbeque. Food should always be stored, handled and prepared in a hygienic manner. Keep raw and cooked foods separate to avoid food poisoning. Always make sure that meats, fish and poultry are thoroughly cooked – not just charred on the outside and raw in the centre!



Succulent steak in a beer sauce

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

Ingredients:

Serves 5-6
900g braising steak
Salt and pepper to taste
1 can beer
125 g flour
3 x 15ml sp oil
3 x 15ml sp brown sugar
1 can beef stock
4 lemon slices
1 x 15ml sp parsley
flakes
3 medium sliced onions
2 x 5ml sp thyme
2 clove minced garlic

FOR THE GARNISH: Green pepper slices Cherry tomatoes Fresh parsley

500 g cooked rice

Method:

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

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

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

Now combine the bouillon.

Now combine the bouillon, beer, sugar, parsley flakes, thyme, salt and pepper in a jug, and pour over the steak. Bake uncovered in a 325°F/160°C oven for about three hours. Serve immediately over cooked rice. Use 225g of noodles if you prefer. Garnish with the green pepper

slices, fresh parsley and cher-

ry tomatoes.

Butter biscuits with marzipan

The melt-in-the-mouth butter biscuits with marzipan are perfect to serve with a cup of tea in the garden.

Ingredients:
Makes 60
250 g plain flour
200 g butter
50 g icing suger
50 g marzipan
grated rind of 1/2 a lemon
1 egg yoke
castor sugar

Method: CREAM the butter and icing sugar together until light and fluffy.

Beat in the marzipan and lemon rind, then sieve the flour on to the mixture. Knead this well together. Divide the dough in three and form each peice into a roll about 4cm thick. Chill for 20

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minutes.

Lightly beat the egg yoke and brush over the rolls of dough.

Roll them in castor sugar, then cut into slices 5mm thick.

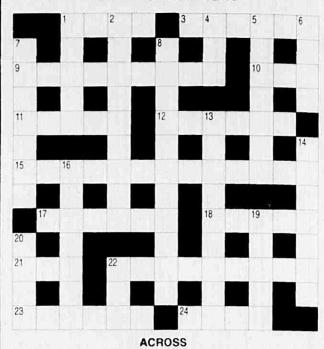
Place the slices on greased baking trays, leaving space between the slices, and bake in a pre-heated oven at 200°C / 400°F, Gas Mark 6 for 8-10 minutes, until lightly browned.

Allow them to cool on a wire tray and store in an airtight container.

TOP tip: The rolls of uncooked dough, without the egg yoke and castor sugar coating, may be wrapped in greaseproof paper, or cling film, and kept in the refrigerator for up to seven days.

Ceader Crossword

SOLUTIONS ON PAGE 18



1 Tease playfully (4)

3 A line marked on the ground, as for a particular game (6)

9 A fruit or a sound (9)

10 The body which stages the annual Chelsea Flower Show (1,1,1)

11 William Roache's actor son (5)

12 Colloquial name for a taxi driver (6)

15 An airborne messenger (7,6)

17 Mineral, in particular a red variety used as a precious stone (6)

18 Wooden shoe or clog formerly worn by the French peasantry (5)

21 British employers' organisation established in 1965 (1,1,1)

22 One of the brass instruments (9)

23 Name of an American Indian domed tent, often applied to the cone-shaped variety more correctly called a tepee (6) 24 A streak running through cheese (4)

DOWN

1 in Greek mythology, the leader of the Argonauts (5)

2 Roman soldier and Christian martyred by being shot with arrows (9)

4 Pretending to be shy or modest (3)

5 A type of rotary motor (7)

6 The thin covering of certain fruits or seeds (4)

7 An office or rank in the Christian Church (7)

8 Anagram of TETRASPORIC (11)

13 Archaic name for sulphur (9)

14 The science of physical structure (7)

16 Town in whose prison Oscar Wilde spent two years (7)

19 Snail in The Magic Roundabout (5)

20 A type of barge or yacht (4)

22 Militant organisation of Basque separatists (1,1,1)

Health Tips from "RemedieS"

Eat the Right Foods

An easy, basic rule to check whether something is going to be nutritious and good for you is to work out what it was when it fell off a tree or grew out of the ground. The longer it takes you to suss it out, the more processed and therefore less beneficial it will be. Rice is easy, rice crispies are slightly more complicated, marshmallow squares will take you about an hour to figure out.

Brown rice, which isn't nearly as bad as it's made out to be, especially if you use the short grain variety that cooks quickly and is easy to chew. This fills you up nicely, as well as carrying wastes out of your system efficiently.

Other grains, such as millet, quinoa, barley: these can be used to thicken soups and stews or as the base for curries and stir-fries.

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O'Shea Calls For The Empowering Of **Local Government**

By Kevin Kirrane

Labour Party spokesman on Community Affairs, Brian O'Shea, has called for local representatives and the councils and authorities in which they sit, to be given more powers.

Deputy O'Shea, speaking during a Dail debate on the Sustainable Communities Bill, said the bill - introduced by the Green Party - was worthy if "a little threadbare."

He said building sustainable communities involves a number of different factors and embraces different issues. In order for this to happen councillors and the council's and authorities they are members of must be given the power to make the necessary changes to transform our environment, he said.

"Its only a matter of weeks since the Local Government Elections. During that campaign the Labour Party sought to initiate a debate on what is the purpose and role of Local Government."

"Local stakeholders must be given more of a say in how their communities function. That, to me, is the key to creating more sustainable communities. To achieve this, local also be overhauled to allow public representatives to lead their communities imaginative-

He said local government, no matter how well equipped, cannot accomplish everything on its own. But Labour wants councillors to be able to give a lead, to determine the real priorities and to be in a strong position to advance the cause of their local communities, he continued.

"Ireland has the weakest system of Local Government in the European Union. At best, we have a system of Local Administration, through which unelected Managers make the executive decisions for our cities, towns and counties."

"We all want to influence the things that happen to our localities and neighborhoods."

"These are but a few of the issues we see as informing sustainable communities. There are others, traffic management, poverty, and healthcare are other examples."

"In conclusion, the public wants an influence over its local environment; over how neighborhoods are planned and



developed, the amenities that make local communities work, the schools which teach children, the hospitals and local health services, transport and traffic matters, policing, care of the young and of the elderly. the everyday issues that shape the quality of our lives.'

Calling for the bill to be supported, he said any piece of legislation that allow local communities have more of a say in shaping their local area merits support.

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Kilrossanty Notes

Kilrossanty G.A.A. NOTES SENIOR FOOTBALL

Kilrossanty beat John Mitchells in the senior football match last Friday night in Fraher Field, Dungarvan on the score of 0-13 to 1-3 just behind by a point.

The second half was much better for the lads, with them scoring eight points without reply from John Mitchells. Team: Alfie Kirwan, Kevin

Lonergan, Darren Mulhearne, Mark Prendergast, Jay Kirwan, Roger Power, Matt Kiely, Stephen Prendergast, Seamus Veale, Paul Hayes, Jacko Kiely 0-3, Joey Veal 0-4, Brian Lennon 0-1, Ciaran Keating 0-2, Bryan Kirwan 0-3.

Conor Hayes for Brian Lennon, Kevin Doyle for Ciaran Keating injured, Fintan Walsh for Seamus Veale in-

MINOR HURLING

Kilrossanty play Dungarvan in the championship this Wednesday night in Stradbally at 7.30. Bus will leave shop in Leamybrien at 7. Kilrossanty play Clashmore in Abbeyside this Sunday at 7.

SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy is extended to John Kett, Knockeylan and family on the death of his wife Margaret who died last week. May she rest in peace.

GAA

No winner in the CLOTTO 20 euros each to the following: Michale O'Brien c/o Crotty's, James Comyn, Leamybrien, John Ryan Comeragh, Rose Hickey, Kilrossanty.

Sellers Prize went to Brigid Casey Knockeylan.

Next weeks Jackpot is 6,000 euros in Micilins.

Numbers were 11,14,17 and

UNDER12 HURLING

Kilrossanty under 12 team were beaten by Butlerstown after a replay in the County Final 2-4 to 4-2. An exvellent

performance by all.

E Harty, K Keating R
Purchell, M Raher, P Keating G Hickey, K Power, C Morrissey, P Cunningham, P Whyte, P Veale, C Whyte, W Brazil, D Hogan, P Whyte, B Whyte, K

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DANCE

Crottys for wheelchair Association Dancing to Cupla.

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Whist this Thursday night in the hall at 8pm for Oncology Department Waterford Regional

DEATH

The death occurred at Waterford Regional Hospital last Sunday of Margaret Kett of Knockeylan on her 88th birthday. Margaret or Meg as she was known by, resided for most of her life in England with her husband, John, before coming home to reside in Knockeylan beside their daughter, Anna Kirwan. Meg was a very religious woman, loved gardening, cooking and most of all her family.

She was nee Houlihan of Knockacullen.

Her remains were removed from her residence on Monday evening last to Kilrossanty Church followed by a large cortege. Her remains were blessed and received by Fr. Richard Geoghgan CC Carrick.

Requiem Mass was offered for her soul on Tuesday morning by Fr. Richard Geoghegan and Fr. Condon. Kilrossanty Fews Choir rendered some appropriate hymns while her cousin, Sean Norris did some solo singing.

Reading were done by her daughters, Anna Kirwan and Mary Kett. Prayers of the faithful were read by her grandchil-dren, Lucina, Bryan, Tara, Emma and Alan.

Gifts to the altar by Mary and David Jones. Her coffin was Dance this Saturday night in carried to its resting-place by her relatives. She is survived by her husband, John, daughters, Anna and Mary, brother Patrick Houlihan, grandchildren, great grandchildren, sister in law, Mary Lynch, nephews, nieces,

relative sand friends. May she rest in peace.

ICA

A large crowd attended the ICA meeting last Monday night. One of our members, Ann Phelan, gave a talk on re-flexology and essential oils which was very interesting. The annual outing mystery one will take place on August 17th. Names to be in by 1st of August. If enough names are not in, it will be cancelled. Names to Breda Crotty or Kathy Murphy.

Raffle Winners: Bernie Hobbs, Brigid Curran, Pauline Desmondm Mary O'Donnell, Ann Phelan, Mary Cusack, Molly Casey, Margerat Rior-dan, Kay Veale, Joan Maher, Breda Crotty.

Tea was served by Kathleen Whyte and Mairead Coffey.

Coming Event

Miss Blue Jeans and Mr. Blue Jeans Competition will be hel in Micilins Bar on Friday 23rd July for West Waterford Hospice. Music by Mark Ansboro. To enter, the cost is 5 euros.

CLLR. DR. TOM

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President Mary McAleese and her husband Dr. Martin pose for photographs with some of the local people on her walk about in the Millenium Park Lismore recently. (Photo: Sean Byrne)



Finalists in the Knockanore Festival Queen selection on Friday night last. Standing l to r; Ann Smith, (Shamrocks GAA Club) Marcie Ware, (Shamrock Inn) Niamh Murphy, (Knockanore Set Dancers) and Patrica Draddy, (LFM Construction, Youghal) Seated l to r; Emer Power, (Knockanore Community Council) Jim Nicholson, Chairman Community Council, Catriona Tynan, (Walter Raleigh) Winner and Evelyn McGrath, (Usual Place, Youghal.) (Photo: Sean Byrne)



Pupils from Clonea Power NS who made their First Holy Communion recently with their teacher, Marie Forde. Front l to r; David Whelan, Aoife Cusack, Paul Murphy, Chloe Hamilton and Keith Murphy. Back 'I to t; Cutoline Murphy, Edin Dallon, Shannon McCormack and Sean Clancy." . " (Photo: Sedn Byrne)



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Phyllis Davis-McGuinness, hands over the Dungarvan Lions Club Presidents Chain to the incoming President, Eamon Moore. -(Photo: Sean Byrne)

Museum Notes

Our new publication "DUN-GARVAN HISTORIC GUIDE & TOWN TRAIL" priced at 10 Euro is on sale at the Museum, St. Augustine St., Michael Power's Bookshop, Mary St., Reader's Choice, Lower Main St., The Jones Art Gallery, Davitts Quay, Abbeyside

Archives and Lismore Heritage

Art Competition:

The prizewinners and other entries for our poster competition are on display in Dungarvan Library where they can be viewed until Friday 23 July and are well worth a visit to see the fantastic effort which the pupils put into those pictures

Book Sale

We are once again asking you to donate all your unwanted books to us for our annual book sale. These for which we will be most grateful, may be handed into us at the Museum.

Rev. Dr. Richard Henebry

As part of the Tionol an tSamhraidh organised by Waterford Co. Council and W.I.T., we have prepared a small exhibition to commemorate the Rev. Dr. Richard Henebry (1863-1916). Henebry was born in the townland of Mount Bolton near Portlaw. His parents were Ellen Cashen and Pierce Henebry. He was ordained at All Hallow's College in 1892. He spent a few years in England in Salford. In 1898 Henebry was offered a post in Celtic Studies at Washington University. In 1903 he returned to Ireland and served as chaplain to various religious institutions in Waterford. He was involved with the founding of Colaiste na Rinne and taught there at the Summer schools. His handbook of Irish music was published after his death. He was a great musician and his favourite instrument was the violin. (On display in the ex hibition is one of his violins). In 1909 Henebry was appointed Professor of Irish at U.C.C.. In 1911 he started a project recording traditional music. 130 wax cyclinders have been preserved at U.C.C.. These form the earliest known sound recordings of Irish music. He died in 1916 and was

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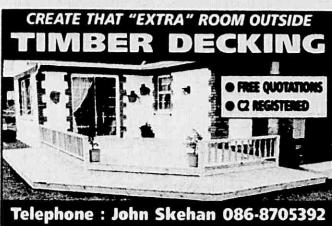
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Sunday, August 1st, 2 – 6pm. Entrance €7. Follow signs on Dungarvan – Clonmel Road.

Waterford Macra na Feirme News

Charity Fundraiser

Waterford Macra have made a special presentation of proceeds toward the People in Need Telethon 04 after the very successful charity cycle was held on Telethon day Fri 21st of May last Wednesday 7th of Jul before the Co.Executive meeting in the Park Hotel Dungarvan. Again the County Executive would like to thank those who participated in the cycle and for everyone,s support for this very worthy cause. Waterford Macra are delighted to be associated with such a worthy cause at present and may continue to do so in the future.

Anniversary
Preparations are well underway

for Waterford Macra,s celebrations for founding of Macra nationally with a special 60th Anniversary dinner dance taking place on Thursday 29th of Jul in Lawlors Hotel Dungarvan following the annual Efficency finals that are being held at the Dungarvan Show that day. Macra has come along way since its founding both at a local and national level encountering difficulties and overcoming them to become more aware of what young rural communities want with a wide range of activities for all its members not just in agricultural aspects but from community involvement to cultural exchanges with their counterparts in other countries across Europe. Those original founding members must be amazed at what their organisation as become in today,s society from its humble beginnings. To all our former Macra friends throughout the years in Waterford from past to present day clubs all are welcome to join us in celebrating 60 successful years in Macra and may it continue. Tickets can be obtained from club members and for more information contact Co.Chairperson Vincent O.Brien on 086-8255763 or Co.Secretary Therese Byrne on

Show

As stated already the Dungarvan Show takes place on Thursday 29th of Jul on the Phelan family farm in Cappagh on the Cappoquin Dungarvan road with all clubs participating in Macra,s an-nual Efficiency finals. This year sees a change in a number of com-petitions but will have old favourites as well and are PRO board, the woodchopper challenge, Tug-o-war and Sports ob-stacle course with new competitions whereby 2 teams from each club compete against each other and against the time such as Island hopping, pillow fighting and ladies bale push/race. Also each club will have their own little competition for public participation. So come along to the Macra site where there, s some-thing for everyone to enjoy. Results announced along with Club of the Year ,Club of the Show and Most Improved Club at the Awards night in Lawlors Hotel Dungarvan.More details to follow in the coming weeks.

Sports

Well done to Dungravan Macra who will represent the County in the Regional rounds of the 7 a side football competition in the coming weeks after winning the County round held on Monday 28th of Jun in Colligan.

Meeting

A Co. Officers meeting will be held also on Wednesday 14th of Jul at 9pm in the Park Hotel where among topics for discussion will be the Efficiency finals for the Dungarvan Show and the 60th Anniversary dinner dance incorporating Macra, sannual Awards night with all clubs getting ready for these finals. Also with regard to the anniversary anyone interested can contact officers of the Co. Executive committee for more information: Vincent O, Brien on 086-82455763 Co. Chairman and Therese Byrne on 087-2389079 Co. Secretary or any other members.

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ARIES Mar 21 to April 20

Keeping the peace is proving to be a delicate affair. A confrontation would | meditated. Make your judgements on clear the air so perhaps it is time to get things out into the open. Your name is linked with an amorous admirer but is that as far as it goes? A frank admission is quite a turn-up for the books. Respect such honesty and try not to react to old news. Telephone for more astrological news on love and luck. # 1550-920-257

LEO July 23 to Aug 22

Do you want to be a millionaire? You don't have to phone a friend or | your life or strong statements to othask the audience to know that what you really want is to be happy. Let your heart guide you and find focus. You are no longer content to drift through life and you have a new sense of ambition. Loving support makes all the difference and is there for you. Reach out and help will be given. **☎** 1550-920-261

SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 to Dec 23

Raising children may keep you humble and broke - but the result will make you proud and immeasurably rich! There is no generation gap when love fills every space. Someone brings a breath of fresh air into your life, with their sunny smiles and happy humour. Appreciate good company and avoid those who are down-putting. You need to be with those who brighten and lighten your **=** 1550-920-265

Someone's actions are evidently prewhat you know and be prepared to throw the book at a repeat offender. Be slow to dismiss ideas even if you can't see the sense in them. Remain open and flexible. A new professional opportunity is on the horizon but are you ready? Take one step at a time. Avoid taking on more than you can handle comfortably. **1550-920-258**

VIRGO Aug 23 to Sept 22

Trying to make radical changes to ers is not advisable. It would be better to wait until the start of the next month when it will prove easier to make decisions. Issues will become clearer as July progresses. In the meantime, practice some of that famous earth sign patience. Dreams can come true but not quite the way **☎** 1550-920-262

Romantically, you are at an important turning point and the next move is up to you. Professionally, take things slowly. A too fast move could land you on a hot spot. You are living in a state of organised chaos but you can more than muddle through. Perhaps it is time however to opt for more organisation and less mess! Remember too, there is no time like

CAPRICORN Dec 24 to Jan 20

the present. **# 1550-920-266**

GEMINI May 22 to June 21

Friends are fun to be with and on your wave length. It is good to have good company. A compatible companion really enjoys being with you and is supportive. Could this be love? Only you have the answer but it may be a question that you have been avoiding. It is time for some in depth analysing. Telephone for further astrological insights about this week and the rest **= 1550-920-259**

LIBRA Sep 23 to Oct 23

Your direct approach is making someone very nervous. Take the hint and cool it before you over step the mark. Rely on subtleties to get your message across. If job hunting or seeking backing for a new scheme, make your move now. Others are ready to listen to your proposals. You can charm the birds from the trees. Someone has a bigger hold on you that you ever imagined. **# 1550-920-263**

AQUARIUS Jan 21 to Feb 19

Take things for granted and they will be taken from you so learn to appreciate what you have. Sort out situations rather than gloss over them and don't be content with getting by. If you let someone get to you, your spirits will sink like a stone. Remain optimistic, regardless of unhelpful comments or sly remarks. Put plans into action. # 1550-920-267

CANCER Jun 22 to July 22

You can no longer keep a double life secret and it is time to come clean. Honesty is the best policy. Lay your cards on the table and you can stay in the game. Someone is far more forgiving and understanding than you might consider. New opportunities beckon but you need to sort out unfinished business before advancing. It is time to decide what you really want. # 1550-920-260

SCORPIO Oct 24 to Nov 21

Someone's moods are changing with every tide. Don't allow this to cause you to blow hot and cold. Offer a measure of constancy. A new idea excites you but be sure to check out all the details before you get too enthusiastic. This is an excellent time to resolve outstanding family issues. To enhance romance, wear pink. To promote luck, be open to options. **= 1550-920-264**

PISCES Feb 20 to March 20

This is a day when you surprise yourself, getting so much done in so little time. Friendships are important and someone special is set to stick with you through thick and thin. An important event is coming and an impromptu shopping spree proves enjoyable. Life has a festive flavour and you are looking forward to a special date. To promote love and luck, wear white. **# 1550-920-268**

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Dungarvan Leader - Gardening Messenger

The Garden Messenger for July 2004 is

'Summer Show' with yellow flowering species and varieties of Clematis, Climbing Roses and Lonicera



This is the time of year when in village halls and community centres across the country, keen gardeners are vying with each other as to whose blooms are the best. And this spirit of good-natured competition doesn't just prevail at flower shows. Proud householders put many hours and plenty of financial investment into making sure that their gardens are a credit to them and contribute to the collective sense of pride in the district.

Plants which allow you to put on your own 'Summer Show' whilst at the same time helping you to maximise the space you have available, or to screen unsightly garden features, surely deserve a closer look. These plants are of course climbers. The selection described here all offer exciting yellow flowers in varying shapes and sizes, right through the summer and into the autumn.

Clematis is a garden favourite and 'Bill Mackenzie' is an absolute star of the family, producing abundant, open bellshaped flowers, 8cm across. Clematis 'Golden Tiara' is a more compact variety producing slightly smaller flowers, reaching 2 - 3 m in height and spread this is a good choice where space is limited. Clematis rehderiana flowers through the same period, but blooms in this case are tubular and a paler yellow. Clematis tangutica produces yellow, bell-shaped flowers, 4cm long. Each of these is a vigorous climber and requires strong support in the form of some kind of trellis. Clematis need fertile, humus rich, well drained soil to thrive. Sun or partial shade positions are

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Climbing roses can help to bring garden features like pergolas and arbours to life. Great performers to look out for are Rosa 'Casino', which produces fragrant yellow flowers to 9cm across. Rosa 'Golden Showers' has glossy, dark green leaves and produces numerous, fragrant, clear yellow flowers to 10cm across. Both of these climbers reach a height of approximately 3m. For a shorter growing variety, go for Rosa 'Laura Ford', a miniature climber producing lightly scented yellow flowers. Each of these is fully hardy and prefers an open site in full sun. Soil should be humus rich, moist but well drained. Prune any time from late autumn to early spring, removing only dead or damaged wood. Once the plant has reached the desired shape, prune to maintain that.

No coverage of climbers would be complete without a mention of Lonicera. Three great honeysuckles which offer yellow flowers at this time are: Lonicera X americana. Lonicera periclymenum 'Graham Thomas' and Lonicera tragophylla. Each is fully hardy and vigorous. Lonicera peryclemenum particularly benefits from being pruned back to strong young growth annually after flowering. The others need only to be kept in shape and pruned to fit the space available. Most garden soils are suitable and full sun poses no problem.

Everyone has space for more climbers and for any homeowner with an ugly wall, fence or tank to mask, they are a great help. Plant any of these that we've looked at and enjoy a glorious splash of yellow each year around now.

Dungarvan Venturer Scouts Receive Their Bronze President (Gaisce) Awards



Members of the 11th Waterford Venturer Section who recently completed their Presidents Award, Back row (left to right): Brendan Coward (Group Leader), Shane Tobin, Michael Brennock, Donal Cregan, James Fraher (Assistant Venture Leader), Jonathan Hayes (Venture Leader), Tony Ferncombe, Jody Phelan (Waterford County Commissioner), Ruth Bennett (Cub Leader); front: Michael O'Shea, Brian Blake, David McGrath, Maurice Dunford, Jack Mahony, Missing from photo - James Corcoran.

General Liam Lynch Commemoration Ceremonies

Knockmealdown Mountains Goatenbridge July 25th 3pm By John J Hassett

Liam Lynch, Chief of Staff of Republican Forces in the tragic Civil War, fell mortally wounded on the slopes of the Knock-mealdown Mountains after an exchange of periodic gunfire as he and his staff attempted to avoid an encirclement move by Free State forces on April 9th, 1923. His death ended the will of Republicans to continue resistance and by the end of that month a dump arms call was issued by Frank Aiken who took over the role of Lynch as Chief of Staff. Today a magnificent monument marks the place where Lynch fell overlooking the scenic and historic villages of Goatenbridge and Newcastle.

On Sunday July 25th, 2004 at 3pm, commemoration ceremonies to mark the 81st anniversary of Liam Lynch's death are arranged by the Liam Lynch Memorial Committee. The occasion will be special as it always is, attracting the relatives of those from opposing sides in the war that divided families and the nation. Lynch though different from Collins in personality and style, having been shy, reserved and calm of temperament, like Collins he was admired and respected by all for what he gave to Ireland from the beginning of the War of Independence.

The presence of Dan Keating, the veteran freedom fighter from 1919 to 1923 who hails from Castlemaine, Co. Kerry, now in his 103rd year, will give the occasion that now rare living link with those who gave us the Ireland of today. Meda Ryan, well known author of books on Tom Barry and Michael Collins, will with Dan Keating be guests of the organising committee. The oration will be delivered by Mr. Liam Simpson, Cahir who has a long involvement in Cultural, Social, Historical, Sports and Commemorative Bodies, at local and national level. Liam and his family have upheld the Republican tradition that he brought with him from Fenian Crohane.

The occasion on the mountainside in the midst of honey rich purple heather, gazing across at the neighbouring rugged Comeragh Mountains that hides the Nire Valley to allow us concentrate on the landscape that has the Suir like a half drawn silver thread running through its patchwork. On a fine day it is a matchless vista to behold; a scene of equal beauty I have yet to experience. To be present on July 25th, 2004, to remember Liam Lynch and his comrades of the War of Independence and those who believing they were serving Ireland's best interests on both sides of the Civil War, is patriotic, mature and Christian for all Irish people to do.

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To those who have not been there before, it is a kilometre plus from the village of Goatenbridge to the Liam Lynch Memorial. The hard working Executive Committee includes Sean Nugent, Chairman, Dr. Patrick C. Power, Vice-Chairman, Kitty Harney, Treasurer, Nioclas MacCraith, John J. Hassett, Michael Kennedy, Patrick O'Donnell, Enda O'Riordain. Hon. Sec., John J. Hassett will preside at the ceremonies.

KILL NOTES

Race Night

Don't forget the race night being held by the Gaelach Gorm Theatre Group in Dunphy's Kill on Thursday, 22nd July. Enjoy all the excitement of a day at the races on the big screen. If you would like to nominate a horse and receive a theatre discount voucher contact 051-292274. Nominations close Tuesday, July 20th. Bring along your friends and have a flutter. Food will be served and a great night is assured. All proceeds will go to the Gaelach Gorm Theatre Development

Barbecue

The long awaited barbecue and two band dance session in aid of the South Eastern Cancer Foundation has finally arrived and will take place in Gardenmorris on this Saturday evening, 17th July, by kind permission of the Queally family. There has been a fantastic response to our appeal to support this charitable function and it is hoped to raise a considerable sum of money for the foundation, who do such wonderful work for cancer victims and their families. Due to the recent terrific demand for tickets, additional arrangements have had to be put in place to accommodate the expected very large attendance, and it is hoped that all patrons will have an enjoyable night out with a difference, with a touch of class, and in nice surrounds. It is advisable to come early, and avoid disappointment as food will be served only between 8 and 10pm. Early entertainment will be provided by local musician Christy Power, himself a former member of the Atlantic Showband and in recent weeks entertaining the many foreign tourists visiting Tramore and the locality. Later in the

Golden Trumpet Johnny Carroll and his all star band will take to the stage for a Showband special, with dancing till 2am. Full car parking facilities will be available adjacent to the festive area, but please come early to avoid any delay. All patrons who have booked tickets should collect them from their ticket sellers, as ticket only will apply on the night. Some are still available in the different areas as follows: Rathgormack - Buddy Drohan 646080; Kilrossanty/Durrow - Liam Brazil work 293178, home 291319; Newtown - Nuala Hubbard 292912; Ballyduff - Mags Kir-Butlerstown/Kilmeaden - John

Butlerstown/Kilmeaden – John Power 384159; Dunhill/Fenor – Bernie Queally 396427 and Michael Veale 396875; Dunmore East – Peggy Bambury 83188; Kill/Bonmahon – Mick Kirwan 292162, Martin Kennedy 292167, Michael Casey 396438; Kilmacthomas – Kirwans Pharmacy 2944256; Portlaw – Cotton Mill Bar 387843; Waterford – Sinnots 875622 or Clara Walsh 855590 or at the South Eastern Cancer Foundation Office on 590881. Thanks for your support and have a great night.

Birthday Wishes

Congratulations to Marie Whelan who celebrated her birthday last week. Wishing your many, many more.

Welcome Home

Welcome home to Nicky Whelan after his short stay in hospital. Nice to see you out and about again.

Great Win

Christy Power, himself a former member of the Atlantic Showband and in recent weeks entertaining the many foreign tourists visiting Tramore and the locality. Later in the evening, the man with the Congratulations to the St. Mary's U14's who had a great victory over the Gaeltacht on Sunday last. Wishing the boys and their mentors the best of luck in the final next week. Well done lads.



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The Mystery of Migration

Migrating birds probably find their way by using the Sun and stars as 'maps'. Young birds seem to know instinctively which direction to fly in. In older birds memory probably also plays an important part. Ornithologists (people who study birds) find out about migration by ringing birds. A bird is caught and a light aluminium ring is attached to its leg before it is released. If the same bird is caught in another country, its ring is identified and this information is recorded.

Why Birds Migrate

One of the main reasons for migration is the need to keep warm, so birds move to warmer places in the winter months, There is also less food available in cold weather but when the spring returns, the blossoms attract insects, while summer brings a wealth of fruit and berries so the birds can return to their breeding grounds.



Steering By The Stars

It is generally believed that migratory birds steer by the positions of stars and the Sun. They also sense the Earth's magnetic field which tells them in which direction to travel. They also use local landmarks when they are close to their destination. Young birds seem to know instinctively which way they should go, but it is believed that in older birds memory also plays an important part.

Great Distances Are Covered

Some birds fly very long distance when they migrate. The Arctic tern flies the greatest distance, from north of the Arctic Circle southwards across the equator to the Antarctic. Often these birds will cover a distance of 55,000 km (22,000 miles) to make the round trip. Perhaps even more remarkable is the journey from Alaska to Mexico made by the rufos hummingbird each year. The round trip is some 6,400 km (3,800 miles) and yet the bird is very tiny. Measuring less than 9 cm (4 in) long, it is the smallest of the migratory birds.

Not All Birds Migrate

Some mountain birds will migrate just a short distance to lower, warmer countryside and in some species, such as the European blackbird and the Swedish chaffinch, the males will stay behind when the rest of the flock migrate. It is thought that they do this to make sure they keep the best nesting places ready for when the females return in the spring.

Ceader Crossword

SOLUTIONS Questions on Page 8

ACROSS: 1 Josh, 3 Scotch, 9 Raspberry, 10 RHS, 11 Linus, 12 Cabbie, 15 Carrier pigeon, 17 Garnet, 18 Sabot, 21 CBI, 22 Euphonium, 23 Wigwam, 24 Vein.

DOWN: 1 Jason, 2 Sebastian, 4 Coy, 5 Turbine, 6 Husk, 7 Prelacy, 8 Triceratops, 13 Brimstone, 14 Anatomy, 16 Reading, 19 Brian, 20 Scow, 22 ETA.

Stradbally Notes

CHURCH NEWS Sympathy

Sincere sympathy is extended to the Connors family of Park House, Stradbally on the death of Jim Connors who died in Waterford Regional Hospital on Saturday July 3rd. Jim is survived by his wife Peg nee Clancy of Island sons and daughters, brothers Nicky of bellard, Stradbally and Mick Woodstown. Burial took place after concelebrated Requiem Mass in Holy Cross Church Stradbally on Wednesday July 7th in the presence of a large congregation. Sincere sympathy is also extended to the O'Brien family, Knockrour, and the Whelan family the village on the death of Cissie O'Brien nee Whelan, who died in Goresbridge, C. Kilkenny.

Just two weeks after he attended the ordination to full mInistry of his daughter Rev Jenny Crowley, Glen Stradbally the sad news of the death of Dean David Clarke brought sadness to those who knew him many years ago as Rector attached to St. James Church of Ireland in Stradbally. Burial took place in Warrenpoint, Co. Down on Tuesday July 13th.

Pattern

The annual mass for all those buried in the two graveyards in Ballylaneen will take place ion Monday July 26th at 7.30pm. The blessing off graves will take place after mass.

Video

The video of the bi-centenary celebrations of Faha Church has been selling well and extra copies are now on order. These will be limited to the people who order as soon as possible

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MODELIGO NOTES

PASTORAL CHANGES

pointed Parish Priest of Modeligo and Affane this is in addition

We extend a warm welcome to Fr. Kiely who has been ap-

We also welcome Fr Arthur, Cappoquin, who will be joining

us as well and we are indeed very fortunate and delighted that

Fr Hubbart will continue as Curate in the parish. We thank sin-

cerely Fr Francis, Melleray, who has been ever faithful in help-

We are the first parish to be joined with another in the dio-

cese, which shows how serious the effect the shortage of

Priests is beginning to cause in Waterford and Lismore. We

Changes must take place therefore to adjust to the extra

As from Saturday, 31st July and Sunday, 1st August the fol-

Saturday evening vigil Mass: Cappoquin 7:30pm, Affane

Sunday morning mass: Cappoquin 9:00am and 11:30am.

Sunday mass in Modeligo has been brought back to 10:15am

We trust that everyone will continue to give their support to

We also welcome Fr Hassett who will be taking up residence

in the Parish Priest house. We hope he will have many happy

LOTTO

jackpot for Saturday nights draw. A nice little sum for a holiday

in the sun perhaps? Get those tickets written up and ready for

€15 Winners: Seamus Walsh, Churchquarter; Kitty Walsh,

Boherwillin; Chrissie Walsh, Modeligo; Kay Flynn, Dungarvan

the draw. Good luck! Last weeks numbers were 3, 4 and 13.

No winner either last weekend, so we have €1,050 in the

Fr Kiely, Fr Arthur and Fr Hubbart and work with the neces-

Modeligo 10:15am. There will be no Sunday morning mass in

8:15pm. There will be no Saturday evening mass in Modeligo.

lowing changes in Mass times will take place, for a three

workload of having three churches and a bigger community to

by contacting Nellie Casey or Enda Farrell.

The men on the organising committee for the Faha bi-centenary celebrations came up trumps just like the ladies. They can be proud of their contribution to what was such a memorable occasion.

Monnie Foley played a number of roles in organising the feature on Faha Church as well as getting the banners which looked so well on the evening of June 3rd. Monnie also had a big imput into the plant and floral arrangements. In addition to all that Monnie escorted Dr. Martin McAleese to meet the people after Mass in the marquee. Enda Farrell had the task of organising the sound and vision side of things and he worked tirelessly to achieve that aim and the results speak for themselves, as there was much favourable comment especially on the relaying of the mass to the people in the marque who had an excellent view of the proceedings.

John Quinn was a tower of strength with his advice to the committee and he did great work behind the scenes organising the electricity, making sure that the insurance cover was in order and working closely with Nicky Butler and James Power to ensure that all matter relating to security were up to the required standard.

Thanks to all the volunteers who so hard and so pleasantly to make everyone welcome to Faha. Tom Gough organised the presentation for the President and it was a great idea to have such local input and also to

have the bowls crafted by leaving certificate student John Cummins. Billy Power with some of his work colleagues were always willing and able to make sure Faha was looking at its best and nothing was too much trouble to them. John Keane was the man responsible for keeping in contact with Joseph Anthony Barron and also with his wife Jenny. Both were a big hit with all who met them, and they too enjoyed the friendship and hospitality. John Power worked closely with Toddy Fennell to ensure the marquee was looking so well on the night and also to have proper toilet facilities. Other worth mentioning were Liam Connors, Michael Hurley, Eugene Casey, Michael Barron, who kindly donated the signs telling the world of the Faha celebrations, David Connors and Phil Cusack.

Many others helped in different ways but the men on the committee were there from start to finish

Tidy Towns News

The date of 28th July for the cross border competition "Pride of Place" has been confirmed. The Judges should arrive in Stradbally at approximately 12.30 pm having judged in Tramore first and then will travel on to Lismore in late afternoon for judging there.

The criteria for the competition will include aspects such as: Presentation of streets and buildings, greening of the area, social cohesion and co-opera-

tion and future planning.

There will be a presentation to run for 30 minutes before the adjudication. There will be time allotted of 2 hrs 30 mins for the visit. The tidy towns committee are pulling out all the stops to have Stradbally looking its best before the judges arrive. It is coming up to the final judging of the tidy towns competition.

The final judging of the council's Litter Challenge was put back due to the holidays. Judging will now take place this week. Stradbally is drawn against Ballyduff Upper in the village section. It is important to note that the Tidy Towns Committee would like the community to come out and welcome the judges for the Pride of Place on the 28th of July. The Judges want to get a sense of commitment and co-operation in the community when they ar-

Stradbally/Bally/Faha **Community Games Munster Finals**

Almost 80 kids travelled to University of Limerick on Saturday last to compete in the Munster finals. It was a super achievement to get this far but unfortunately it had to end here.

Girls U 16 hockey tea, were beaten in the semi-final by Limerick. Boys U15 indoor soccer beaten in the semi-final by Cork and the U16 Chess were beaten in the final.

Our Boys U10 Football were also beaten the previous week in the preliminary round by Limerick. Well done to all involved and particular that thanks must go to the managers of each team, who are Mick Kett, Aine Cummins, Collette Cullinane, Nicola Dunford and do so before that.

George Walsh. Thanks for giving up your time to make this possible for the kids taking

We appreciate also the support of those parents who travelled on the day. It was a shame that no other supporters travelled on the day even though places on the bus had been advertised in the previous weeks. Maybe next year?

Munster Fleadh Ceol in Roscrea

Fresh (or otherwise) after a week at the Willie Clancy summer school of music in Co. Clare, our own Clancy family of Bobby, Marian, Noel and Brendan together with Helena Hogan will head for Roscrea this weekend. July 16th to 18th to represent Waterford in the Munster Fleadh Ceol. We wish them all the best, but Marian has her hand in plaster after a mishap a few weeks ago. It would be a disappointment if this young lady had to withdraw from the event.

All these talented young musicians will be performing on the stage at Stradbally Cove 1st August (Bank Holiday weekend). We are fortunate to have so much talent in Stradbally at the moment. In the next few years these young people will move on to their own careers or travel the world to widen their horizons, while we have this talent we invite as many young musicans (and young at heart) as possible to join with them on stage at Stradbally Cove, and hopefully learn from them.

Ballysaggart Notes

Card Results

8th July 1/2 Stephen Cunningham and Dave Fennessy; Bertie Neville and Shelia Lonergan; 3, Nellie Devie and Mossie Power, Dan Howard and Finola Hynes.

Lucky Tables: Joan Bennett and Bride O'Brien; Mary and Ger Power; Ester Walsh and Cassie Hyland.

Raffle: Phil Duffy, Kathleen Coleman, Tony McGrath, Helen Cunningham

GAA County Hurling League

Our next game in the league is against Kilgobnet on next Saturday evening at home at 8

Lotto Results

The winning numbers in the lotto on Tuesday night 6th were 9-11-15-23. And the winner of the jackpot of 4.050 was Timmy Murphy. Congrats Timmy and enjoy your winnings. 15 euros winners as follows - Lena O'Brien, Cappoquin; Margaret Humphries, Lismore; Helen Fitzgerald, Jim O'Brien. We had also two juvenile Waterford jerseys and they were won by Paddy Roche and Paul Mulc-

Jackpot next week - 300

Graveyard Mass

On this Friday evening we have our annual graveyard mass at 8 o'clock. If anyone has not yet tended to their family grave we would urge them to



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Objections to the proposed temperary closures may be writing to the Director of Services & County Engineer, W. County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan so be re than 5 p.m. on Monday 19th July 2004.

Signed: John O'Flynn, Director of Services & County Engin Detect: 14th July 2004.

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RECENT

LATE TOM BROWNE



It is with feelings of profound regret we record the death of Tom Browne, a well known and highly respected member of the local farming community of Kilclogher, Cappagh which occurred on June 18th.

Tom will be sadly missed by the many friends he made through his deep interest and involvement with the G.A.A. and his great love of horse racing. Tom, however, was first and foremost a family man. A loving husband to Nora and a wonderful father to Claire, Aidan and Orla and it is here his loss will be felt the greatest.

Tom received his early education at Whitechurch National School and later at the C.B.S. in Dungarvan. Due to the death

Obituary Notices.

of his father at an early age, Tom was kept busy running the family farm with his mother and his brother John. He took time off however to study the technical side of his trade and attended Agricultural College at Athenry, Co. Galway.

At the young age of sixteen, Tom as a member of the local Ballinameela branch of Macra na Tuaithe won the Townsend Flahavan prize for best all round member of this association. Not satisfied with just one win under his belt, he went on the following year to represent Waterford in the Young Farmer of the Year competition. In later years he became a member of the Ballinameela branch of Macra na Feirme. Tom was interested in the many various aspects of farming and setting plants and shrubs being one of his favourite pastimes.

The happiest day of his life was the day he married Nora and the arrival of their three children Clare, Aidan and Orla filled him with great pride, joy and happiness. Tom's life was one that revolved around his family, farming and his big passion, the G.A.A. He served his beloved Ballinameela club faithfully as player, chairman, vice-chairman and treasurer. This loyalty to family and friends was evident by the large attendance at both his removal and burial.

The rosary to which Tom was so faithful was offered by Fr. Willie Kiely (a school friends) on Saturday, June 19th as his remains lay in repose in Walsh's Funeral Home in Cappoquin. Many, many people from far and near came to pay their last respects. Tom's re-

mains were then removed to St. James' Church in Ballinameela where they were blessed and received by Fr. Finbarr Lucey P.P. A guard of honour was provided by Ballinameela and St. Olivers G.A.A. clubs. On the following morning, requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his gentle soul. The celebrant was Fr. P. Fitzgerald P.P., a family friend, and he was assisted by Fr. O'-Donnell O.S.A. and Fr. Moran O.S.A. The first reading was read by Tom's nephew Padraig and his niece Anne read the second reading. Following a sincere and touching homily by Fr. Fitzgerald, the bidding prayers were offered by Mary Browne, Mary Massey, Rebecca Coll, Ronan Coll, Margaret Forrest and Breeda Browne. The offertory gifts represented some of the aspects of Tom's life. His brother John brought up the number 11 jersey - Tom played in the centre forward position in 1960 when Ballinameela won the Minor Hurling championship. Incidentally, John was one of the selectors of that team. Tom's son Aidan brought up one of his father's

His grandnephew Sean presented a medal that Tom won at the Cork show in 1966 for the best pedigree Hereford Bull. Michael Phelan Jnr, who was a good friend of Tom's, brought up a St. Oliver's jersey. Tom served as Chairperson of the St. Oliver's club since 1999. One of his old team mates, Michael O'Brien, presented a trophy which was presented to Tom in November last, commemorating the club's first great success in the 1960 Minor Hurling final. Jack Walsh, another loyal friend, brought the match programme from the Waterford-Tipperary semi final game, Tom and Jack were regular travelling companions for all the big matches. Tom's cousin Phyllis Queally presented a rosary beads, a symbol of his deep religious faith. Finally, Tom's daughters Claire and Orla brought the gifts of bread and wine.

old hurley's, still showing the

signs of old battles.

After Communion, a moving reflection was delivered by Phyllis. As Tom's coffin, draped in the Ballinameela and St. Oliver's colours, were taken from the Church, beautiful hymns were rendered by Aine Byrne, accompanied by organist Mairead Cullinane. Fr. Fitzgerald imparted the final prayers at the graveside and Fr. Lucey recited a decade of the rosary. Earnon Murphy, former Chairman of Waterford G.A.A. County board and lifelong friend gave an eloquent oration, a fitting tribute and a fond farewell to Tom.

Having laid Tom to rest, family and friends went to Modeligo Community Centre where members of the local community provided a fantastic meal. The family will be forever grateful to them for their wonderful efforts. Great thanks and appreciation also to Aidan Walsh, Funeral Director, Cap-

poquin. Chief mourners: Nora (wife), Aidan (son), Clare and Orla (daughters), John (brother), Breeda, Kathleen, Margaret, raries described you to me, as a Martina and Marie (sisters-in-

law), Pat and Tommy (brothersin-law), Edmond and Peggy Curry (father and mother-inlaw), Padraig Browne (nephew) and his wife Mary, Anne Fitzpatrick (niece) and her husband Paul, grandnephews, grandnieces, cousins and many

Funeral arrangements were by Aidan Walsh and Sons, Funeral Directors, Cappoquin.

The month's mind Mass for Tom will be celebrated in St. James' Church, Ballinameela at 7:30pm on Monday, July 19th.

Obituary Graveside Oration by **Eamonn Murphy**

Last Friday evening's phone call to me to tell me of your tragic and untimely passing has chilled me and indeed all of us who knew you and has left us

Waking yesterday morning and again this morning, the first thought to enter my mind was this cannot be true - but alas Tom, the dreadful reality is that you have gone from us.

When I called yesterday to offer my condolences to Nora and the children and when she told me of your wish to have me say a few words over you and for you, should anything every happen to you, was both equally an honour and a privilege as much as a terrifying

Last night was not a night for much sleep, and when I sat down this morning to put my thoughts together, I first wrote 'last" and my second word was to be Friday, but the word I wrote second had the same first three letters of Friday but strangely the last three ended in end, and the word looked back at me was Friend. And that is what you were certainly to me, but I would have put true before it to adequately describe what you truly meant to me.

I have not come here today to offer you for early canonization, Tom like all of us, you had your good points and your not so good, but again like all of us, the good in you far outshone the not so good and while I said earlier that it was both an honour and a privilege as much as a terrifying prospect to speak for you, with you and about you today, I take strength from the fact that you did likewise for me on many occasions when I know the difficulties that that presented for you, but that did not deter you.

It was through G.A.A. over 15 years ago our paths first crossed and kindled a friendship that has since endured. I never told you this before and I should have, what first struck me about you is what people down my way would describe as a solid man. You were a forth right, honest, honourable man. A man of principles and you were unwavering in those principles and if the issue came down to choosing between principles and popularity, principles was always the road you

In talking with your colleagues here in Ballinameela, they recall how when in the mid 50's the juvenile organisation was re-structured that you were, as one of your contempovital cog in the club, a role you

continued to play till last-Fri-

The formative years of club activity were with the Avonmore league. The club affiliated to the Western Board in 1957, won the Western Minor Hurling championship in '59 and went on to win the County title in

On the formation of Sarsfields in the 1960's, you were again at the core of things. In describing you as a vital cog in G.A.A. and community life here in Ballinameela is but giving due recognition to your life time of service to both. You fulfilled the role of treasurer, vice chairman, chairman and until your untimely death last Friday, you discharged the role of chairman of St. Oliver's.

Again in talking to your colleagues here in Ballinameela, but for a crucial intervention by you at a meeting in the early 70's, the club may well have gone out of existence. By that intervention you are credited with the survival of your beloved Ballinameela. Seeing a playing field here in the parish has long been your driving ambition and you have seen it come to fruition, an achievement of which you can be justifiably proud. You have represented your club down the years as delegate to Western Board and County Board. You were a current member of the Western Board Disciplinary Committee. You have served as selector on the Waterford Junior Football team. On my election as County Chairman in 1989, I asked you to serve on the County finance and development committee to address the deficit in our facilities brought on by the years of neglect. You served with distinction on that committee that over saw the improvements in our two County grounds at Fraher field and Walsh Park, raising millions of pounds for both club and County. For a life time of service to C.L.C.G. may I say on my own behalf thank you for your unstinting work.

But there was more to your life than G.A.A., your daily life as a man of the land was central to your being. You were a founder member of Macra na Tuithe here in Ballinameela. You gave years of service to Macra na Feirme. You brought honour and distinction to your family and community by wining the outright championship for Hereford Bulls at the Cork show in 1966. And show days

in heaven will surely find yourself and your friend Joe O'Brien at the stock ring casting a discerning eye over the entrants.

But you were first and foremost a family man. In speaking with Nora she told me of the immense pride you took in your family and their achievements. How proud you were of Claire, Aidan and Orla. Claire, your ever present smile, your winning the 2 gold and I bronze in the All Ireland Special Olympics brought him untold joy and immense pride.

Aidan, she told me of Tom's great joy at seeing you take the field for Ballinameela at adult level. I urge you to continue with the involvement and I know that those here in the club will support you in that.

Orla, your achievements at shows and as recently as last Wednesday night at Ballyrafter, was equally a cause for immense joy to him.

Nora, you have been his bedrock through his years, his untimely going I know is causing you immense grief and pain. On behalf of the whole community we sympathise with you and the whole family in your immense and tragic loss.

In John O'Donoghue's book, Anam Cara, I have come across a beautiful prayer "Beannacht do mbáis - A Blessing for Death". In a strange way I think it more than appropriate that I share it with you today.

"You had a blessing of being consoled and sure about your own death,

You knew in your soul there was no need to be afraid,

When the time came you were given every blessing and shelter that you needed. May there be a beautiful welcome for you in the home that your are going to.

You are not going somewhere strange,

You are going back to the home that you never left. Death came after a fulfilled

You were peaceful and happy in the presence of those who loved you,

Your going was sheltered and your welcome assured, May your soul smile in the

embrace of your Anam Cara.'

So my dear friend, as we take leave of you, may the beloved soil of your native Ballinameela rest gently on you. Go gCui Dia tú i gceart lar a láimh.

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DEATHS RECENT

Late John Plus Houlihan



Stunned is the only way one could describe how everyone, over a wide area felt as the news broke on Thursday evening, 24th June of the untimely death of John Pius (Johnny) Houlihan, 35, Pinewood Lawn, Abbeyside at the early age of 49 years.

Johnny's warm, cordial personality made him well known and greatly respected by all who came in contact with him. His life was a rich, full one in which he became a friend to

For many years Johnny was employed in the racing industry working with trainers such as Francis Flood, A.S. O'Brien, Tom Costello and M. Hassett operating as stable lad, jockey and horse box driver.

His love of horses was nurtured from the early age of ten by the Kiely family in Lisfennel and this same love for horses is evident to the fore in his youngest son Jonathan.

He continued his ties with racing as an active member on the point-to-point scene. Also as travelling headman for John Queally in his free time.

Ironically his finest hour came in the last few months when in November 2003 and March 2004 he had the privilege of leading the great 'Al Eile' into the winners enclosure in Cheltneham and Aintree. This by any man's standards was a great feat and one which will be treasured by his family for many years. Racing friends from all over the country, in particular Grange-con, Tipperary, Clare, even as far as Belfast turned out to pay their last respects to the man they knew as J.P.

Friends he made along his path were kept as friends for life, as he never lost contact refreshment. whether by phone or indeed by calling to see if the kettle was

It was only fitting that a man who loved keeping in contact with people should have spent the last 23 years of his life helping others to do so by his work in the P and T (Eircom). It didn't matter what day or hour of the day Johnny got a call, if anyone needed a helping hand, he was only too glad to help. He was a conscientious and considerate worker who could always be relied upon to have some joke or funny tale to tell when one would meet him as he went about his daily duties. It wouldn't be unusual for him to have a gang of his fellow workers with him if some neighbour or friends needed

too big for one man, such was the respect that J.P. was afforded by his fellow workers. He will be sadly missed by all who knew and worked with him in

A character is how people described Johnny. A member of the V.E.C. and Chairman of the Dungarvan Juvenile Hurling and Football club where I'm sure he got many pleasurable hours watching his sons David, Patrick and Adam turning out for Dungarvan and keeping up a long standing family tradition in the Houlihan family.

On the cycling front, Johnny was an active member of the Dungarvan Cycling Club and one of his greatest moments was winning the famous 'Yellow Jersey' in the Sweep Hill Climb. However, to use the old cliché it wasn't the winning for Johnny but the taking part. An added bonus for him was the fact that he was going head to head with his eldest son Paul on many occasions which they enjoyed together.

Johnny was no stranger to West Waterford Golf Club where he was a member. He loved his game of golf and especially the 'high handicap' which he played on Tuesday nights with three friends - Jack, Michael and Pat (whom he called Sevi Ballesteras). While Johnny was no Tiger Woods, I'm sure even the great Tiger would have enjoyed playing

From his early days in Western Terrace, Johnny was known to do a bit of home decorating, when anyone needed a bit of painting done, he was on the scene with his paint brush and has probably left his mark on a lot of houses of friends and family.

A man of deep religious conviction, John loved the church and all it stood for. With his family around him, he could be seen on a Sunday in his beloved Kilgobnet Church. And although never shy to tell a story, Johnny never preached his beliefs to anyone. They way in which he lived his life was example enough for anyone. Johnny never lost touch with the values he was brought up with. He was first and foremost a family man, his pride and joy were Bernie and the five boys Paul, David, Patrick, Adam and Jonathan. His home was a warm welcoming haven for family, friends, neighbours alike, one never left it without a cup of tea or some form of

He supplied all with produce from his garden, anything from bedding plants to his home made wine from the grapes in his green-house that he was so proud of. When he and which ever one of his boys that was with him, would visit his mother Birdie at St. Joseph's Hospital in Dungarvan, there was always time to stop and chat with nurses and attendants and residents alike in the Sacred Heart Unit.

When Johnny married Bernie, the Landers family took Johnny into their fold like a son or a brother and he duly played both parts with ease. Having come from a big family himself, he knew no other way. He built a good relationship with his fa- Directors.

help with something that was ther-in-law Tom and his brother-in-law David. It was many a pint they enjoyed together in Tommy Powers and the Tudor

As a former Boy Scout, Johnny would have been well aware of the famous motto "Bi Ullamh" (Be Prepared). I have no doubt that Johnny was prepared for anything except perhaps his untimely death. The world is a lesser place without

Ar dheis De go raibh sé. Removal took place from Drohan's Funeral Home on Saturday evening to St. Mary's Parish Church where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Keogh C.C. assisted by Canon O'Mahoney P.P., Fr. Kennedy P.P., Fr. Enright P.P., Fr. Cooney O.S.A., Fr. Lloyd P.P. and Fr. O'Donnell O.S.A. Music was provided by Tadgh O hUllachain and

Readings were by Lisa Kiely, Pat Cliffe and Bridget Kiely. Following funeral Mass on Sunday morning, celebrated by Fr. Keogh C.C. assisted by Canon O'Mahoney P.P., Fr. O'Riordan C.C, Fr. Callaghan O.S.A., Fr. McCarthy O.S.A., burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

Offertory gifts were brought to the altar by Pat Drohan (friend) and John's four sons. Prayers of the Faithful were read by Stefan Sadecki, Amy Power, Sarah Houlihan, Una Nugent and Alan Cliffe. Music was provided by Kilgobnet Choir with Neil Hurley, soloist and Dina Walsh. Guards of honour were provided by his colleagues at Eircom, Dungarvan Point-to-Point committee, West Waterford Golf Club, Dungarvan Juvenile G.A.A. club and Dungarvan Cub Scouts Parents Council but to mention a few.

Johnny is survived by his wife Bernie, his five sons Paul, David, Patrick, Adam and Jonathan, his mother Birdie, his five brothers Jim, Michael, Tony, Tom, Martin and five sisters Helen, Breda, Jacinta, Mary and Therese, mother-inlaw Alice, godmother Nellie, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law and extended family and friends. The huge attendance at the removal and burial leaves no doubt as to the popularity of

May he rest in peace.

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

Late Tommy Lyons

The recent passing of Tommy Lyons, Villierstown at Waterford Regional Hospital, was the source of deep regret and sadness especially in the parish of Aglish-Ballinameela where many knew of Tommy.

Sadly Tommy hadn't enjoyed the best of health for many years. Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home, following prayers on Wednesday last, the removal took place to Ballinameela Church for funeral Mass celebrated by Fr. Lucey P.P. The interment followed in the family plot in the adjoining

Funeral arrangements were by James Kiely and Sons, Funeral

Late Margaret Kett (nee Houlihan)



Sincere feelings of regret and sadness were expressed with the passing of Margaret Kett, Knockeylan, Lemybrien at Waterford Regional Hospital on Sunday, 4th July (day of her

Aged 88 years and a native of Knocknacullen, Comeragh, she was related to Pat and Thomas Keating who died in the ambushes on the Burgery and Coolnasmear during this country's fight for freedom. Like so many of her time, Margaret emigrated to England and was employed as cook in the many big houses in Fulham, Chelsea and Kensington.

In the early 70's herself and husband John returned to reside in Knockeylan. Her home and its gardens were her pride and joy, she tended to her shrubs, flowers and general layout with loving care. She was also gifted when it came to fruit growing and was also a corner stone in the activities of Kilrossanty Flower Club. Her grandchildren were all so special to her. Her passing is deeply regretted by the local community as she was held in high esteem and had the respect of one and all. We offer our deepest sympathies to husband John, daughters Anna and Mary, brother Patrick, sister-inlaw Mary Lynch, grandchildren Bryan, Lucinda, Tara, Emma, Alan Kirwan, great grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives and many friends.

Reposing at her residence, Very Rev. Fr. John Delaney P.P. offered Mass in her home on Monday morning while that evening Fr. Richard Geoghegan C.C. joined family and the large concourse present for prayers and later received and blessed Margaret's remains at St. Brigid's Church, Kilrossanty. Funeral Mass was offered on Tuesday by Fr. Richard with co-celebrant V. Rev. Fr. Eanna Condon P.P. Daughters Mary and Anna shared the lessons while her five grandchildren read the Prayers of the Faithful. The offertory gifts were brought to the altar by Mary Jones (niece) and David Jones (great nephew). Beautiful music was by Kilrossanty Parish Choir while cousin Sean Norris, Dunhill and a native of Keating Street, Dungarvan sang 'Ave Maria' and 'Panis Angelicus'. Gathering in the adjoining cemetery for final prayers and blessing, Margaret was laid to rest after life's labours.

Funeral arrangements were by James Kiely and Sons, Funeral Directors.

Late Claire Buckingham Clancy

July 3rd brought the sad news of the passing at Kingston Hospital, London of Claire Buckingham Clancy, Ealing, London and formerly a native of Mitchell Terrace, Dungarvan and was daughter of the late Denis and Mary Clancy.

Predeceased by her brother Kieran some years ago, Claire who was aged 61 years is deeply regretted by her husband George, daughter Karen, sonin-law Paul, grandchildren Tom and Sam, sisters Ursula Keating and Bernadette Clancy, her nephews Jack, David, Richard, Simon and her many other relatives.

Claire's remains arrived on Monday at Cork Airport and lay in repose at the Kiely Funeral Home for some hours before removal to St. Mary's Parish Church. Funeral Mass was celebrated on Tuesday morning with interment in the adjoining cemetery afterwards.

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

Late Alice (Allie) Hickey

Monday, 5th July brought the sad news of the passing of Allie Hickey at her residence in Bohadoon after a short duration of

Predeceased by her husband Jim in 1985, Allie herself was

in her 101st year. Our condolences we extend to Billy and Tony, Joan and Cait (daughtersin-law), grandchildren Jimmy, Ann-Marie, John, Maura, Declan, Bridget and their relatives at this time.

Fr. Kennedy P.P. was present for prayers on Tuesday evening last at the Kiely Funeral Home, with the removal later to Kilbrien Church. Fr. Kennedy P.P. assisted by Very Rev. Fr. Pat Butler P.P., Clogheen celebrated the Holy Mass in thanksgiving of Allie's long life.

On Wednesday morning she was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery following graveside prayers and blessing.

(Full obituary next issue) Funeral arrangements were by James Kiely and Sons, Funeral Directors.

Late John Clancy

With sadness we record the passing of John Clancy, Home Rule Street, Abbeyside and New York which sad event occurred on Wednesday, 7th

Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Thursday evening to Abbeyside Church. Following funeral Mass on Friday morning, burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To his brothers, sisters, and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

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

ST. MARY'S PARISH DUNGARVAN

Sunday: 11th July: Sixteenth Sunday of the Year. Readings Genesis 18:1-10 Lord do not pass your servant by. St. Paul to the Colossians 1:24-28 A mystery hidden for centuries has now been revealed to God's saints. Luke 10:38-42 Martha welcomed Jesus into her house. Mary has chosen the better part.

Cemetery Sunday: Will take place in this parish on Sunday 18th July. There will be Mass for the dead in the Parish Church at 3.00 p.m. Afterwards special prayers and the blessing of all the graves will take place in St. Mary's and Old St. Mary's.

Junior Liturgy - As you may be aware, during the past academic year at the Sunday 10.00 a.m. Mass we have had a special Liturgy of the Word for our primary school children. It ended for the summer on Sunday 20th June. It has worked well and the children who attended enjoyed it and indeed learned more about their special friend Jesus. With God's help we will begin again in September.

However there is a hitch - yes, we need more volunteers to help on a rota basis. The more helpers the less commitment of time

Our sincere thanks to all the teachers, transition year students and other adults for all the hard work with this Liturgical adventure. It is very much appreciated by the Parish Community.

Concern Emergency Appeal for Darfur in Western Sudan: Over one million people have fled their homes in Darfur following attacks by Sudanese government forces and militias. Concern needs our help to give people the vital resources they need to survive and in the longer term, to help them start rebuilding their lives. Concern: 52-55 Camden Street, Dublin 2.

Baptism takes place on the 1st Saturday of the month at 6.00 p.m. and the 2nd & 4th Sunday of every month after 12 noon Mass. Parents must take part in the preparation meeting - enroll at the Parish Office please.

Please note: Booking of Masses for St. Mary's Church can only be booked up to three (3) months in advance at the Parish Office. Parish Office is located in St. Mary's Church and is open Monday - Friday 10.00a.m. - 12 noon, and 2.00p.m. - 4.00p.m. If you want to book Masses or Baptisms call during these times. Phone

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FRIENDS OF ST. MARTIN

Social evening on Thursday, July 22. Bus leaves Square at 7.30 p.m. Usual pick-up points.

DUNGARVAN AGRICULTURAL SHOW

THURSDAY JULY 29th 2004

An event which has been running for 87 years commands respect and prestige and the Dungarvan Agricultural Show Committee are proud to be organizing the 88th running of our agricultural show scheduled for Thursday July 29th. This year the committee is under the Chairmanship of Alan Connors, a family synomous with Dungarvan Show. Over the years there have been a number of different venues and this is the second year when the show will be held out in Cappagh on the main N72 road between Dungarvan and Cappoquin. We are indebted to the Phelan and Buckley families for making their lands available to us and we are also indebted to our many sponsors without whose generosity it would not be possible to run the show.

SHOW HORSES

The 2004 show promises to be a big show. Prize money has been increased in all classes. The ridden hunter competitors will compete for the Bellard Cup while in the young stock classes, there are a selection of prestigious championships for the taking. In the breeding classes the Observer Cup is much coveted while, this year the show hosts a qualifying round for the All Ireland Thoroughbred Broodmare championship. In the open pony showing classes the standard is of the highest calibre when the champion pony is presented with the Ita Carroll Cup. Competition in the pony classes confined to Co. Waterford exhibitors is always fierce, but what a memorable occasion for the many young competitors competing in public for the first time.

SHOWJUMPING

This year there are four showjumping arenas. Arena 1, the main arena will host the final of the Gain Novice Championship Final which has now been running for 14 years and has produced some wonderful horses. This is a real show-case event for our top riders to show their potential stars. Dungarvan Show has always had top-class pony jumping and this year we are delighted to host the Park Hotel sponsored 148 A.B. Super League Final. Qualifying rounds are being held throughout the country. There will run throughout the day. is also a 130m Open competition plus a Millstreet Show Boomerang Qualifier. In Meet your friends for refresh-Arena 2 the amateur rider is well catered for and there will also be a Young Riders competition. Arena 3 will be awash with ponies and we can be guaranteed super jumping. Arena 4 also stages pony competitions, one of which is a Newcomers Pony competition which allows the less experienced young riders to compete.

CATTLE The cattle rings at Dungarvan show are renowned for the quality of the stock on exhibition. Again the Glanbia Super Cow competition will be keenly contested while the A.C.C. sponsored Friesian Junior Cow competition always attracts a good entry. The Beef Breeds i.e. Herefords, Simmentals, Charolais, Aberdeen Angus,

Blonde D'Aquitaine, and Limousin are all catered for and will compete for the unique Radley Engineering Spire Tro-

SHEEP

In the sheep section, this year there are no Department of Agriculture restrictions on the movement of sheep and the sheep rings will be full as exhibitors compete for the Boolat-

HOME INDUSTRIES

An agricultural show would not be the same without the Home Industries section. Under the secretaryship of Dinah Walshe, the competitions range from the Floral Section with classes for Floral Displays, Window Boxes, Hanging Baskets and Planter/Tub displays. There is a Fruit and Vegetable section and also classes for Eggs, Jams and Homemade Cakes and Pastries. The show will feature a qualifying round for The Kit your Kitchen Cook Shop All Ireland Home Baking competitions and most importantly children are catered for in all the Home Industries sections including the Arts and Crafts section.

Macra Na Feirme Effeciency Tasks Final: 2004 marks the 60th anniversary of Macra na Feirme and Co. Waterford Effeciency Tasks Final will be well worth watching. Competitions include Tractor Driving, Lady Driver competition, Sports Obstacle Course and the very popular Tug of War and Woodchopper Challenge.

SPECIAL EVENTS

The Dog Show is one of the most popular events at the show and this year it has been very generously sponsored by Redmill Feeds. This year there will be a Falconry display where you can see Birds of Prey being put through their paces. There have been a lot of enquiries about the Trade Stands section and there will be many interesting exhibits on display. We are delighted to welcome WLR/Fm who are doing an outside broadcast from the show field.

Do not miss Dungarvan Show this year. There will be a free bus leaving Grattan Square Dungarvan. The first bus will leave at 11.00 a.m. and the bus Come and bring the children to enjoy the unique atmosphere. ments in the Marquee. Let the children roam in the Kiddies Korner which will include a Bouncing Castle and Slide. So remember Thursday 29th July come out to the show - You will be part of a tradition which has been rolling along for the last 87 years!

Remember Entries Close -Friday July 16th.

For further Information: Contact the Show Secretary: Helen Ahearne, Show Office, Dungarvan Industrial Park, Dungarvan - Phone (058)

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Home Industries Section: Dinah Walshe, Master Mc-Grath, Dungarvan Phone (058) 42196

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Munster Vice-President at Waterford IFA County Executive Speaking to the monthly IFA

County Executive meeting, Munster IFA Vice President, Donal Kelly commended Waterford IFA for their diligent and sincere effort in meeting the local Co. Councillors and Minister Martin Cullen, impressing on them the grave significance of the EU Nitrates Directive.

Mr. Kelly stated that the measures proposed in the Government's initial Draft Action Programme to control and regulate farmers in regard to water quality are unnecessary, unworkable and unaffordable, and are totally at odds with the realities of Waterford farm incomes under pressure.

Mr. Kelly said it was of vital interest for the top 15,000 farmers in the country that only a workable directive is implemented and he emphasized the fact that water quality in Ireland is continuing to improve.

The IFA man also covered the CSO's over stated national farm income by 20%, IFA's modulation submissions, creditors protesting at Anglo Irish Bank Head Quarters in Limerick.

In conclusion, the Chairman Harry Gray thanked Donal Kelly for a very comprehensive and informative address.



Donal Kelly (right), Munster IFA Vice-President, draws out the winner's name for the Waterford IFA European Scholarship Draw. Included are Mary Flynn, Waterford IFA Secretary and Harry Gray, Chairman. -(Photo: Rory Wyley).

ICMSA Demands Reasonable **Notice Of Inspection**

Mr. John O'Leary, Chairperson of ICMSA's Beef and Cattle Committee, has called for a minimum notification period of 14 days to be introduced for Departmental and all other onfarm inspections. At present, farmers need not be given any notice of inspection at all, or they may, depending on the whim of the inspecting authority, be given notice of an inspection up to 48 hours before it is to be carried out. Mr O'Leary said that ICMSA has argued consistently that this system is wholly unworkable and penalises the increasing numbers of individuals forced to seek off-farm employment because of falling farm incomes.

The present optional notification period is completely unworkable. ICMSA has always spector can simply stroll into a farmyard and carry out an inspection without the farmer being present. Even if the inspectors do decide to give advance notice of inspection, the situation is hardly any better. Due to falling farm incomes, more and more farmers have had to seek full time off-farm employment at locations often many miles from their farms. These farmers are placed in a position where they can only give a matter of minutes or hours notice to their employers if they have to dash home to meet the inspectors at their farms. It is surely more sensible to give these individuals adequate notification time, so that the farmers concerned do not end up letting down their employers at short notice, or even In short, it, s simply not possijeopardising the off-farm job that is now subsidising their falling farm income. In the case of full time farmers the same pressures of scheduling apply, be it pressing farm work, child minding, elderly relatives, or any form of prior commitment.

ble to put every arrangement on hold, while an inspection takes place with little or no notice.

ICMSA is now calling for written advance notification of inspection giving the farmers concerned a 14-day period to arrange their schedules around the inspection. That period would not be considered excessive in any other business sector and ICMSA cannot see why farmers alone are expected to arrange their affairs in shorter time. The Department must introduce the 14-day notice of inspection to remedy this unfair situation.

opment Plan post 2006. The plan provides for co-funding for the four farm based rural development schemes, namely REPS, Compensatory Allowances (formerly Disadvantaged Area Scheme), Early Retirement Scheme and Forestry. Mr. Tommy Cooke, Chairperson of ICMSA,s Rural Development Committee said that any attempt to reduce funding for farm based schemes would meet with serious resistance from ICMSA.

"I am particularly concerned by proposals to make up to 20 per cent of the CAP Rural Development budget available for off-farm schemes. In the present scheme, there is €2.3 billion available for on-farm schemes. A 20% reduction in this would

concern at elements of the leaked EU Commission,s probe unacceptable. This would takes this into account. Furthermore, the current Afforestarejected the notion that an in- posals for a CAP Rural Devel- must be maintained on farms tion Grant and Premia Scheme where the greatest value for rural development expenditure is achieved. To circulate this money for rural development by any other means would be disastrous, as inevitably huge sums would be soaked up through administration and consultancy. ICMSA believes that farm based rural development is the most effective method of achieving sustainable rural development%c, said Mr. Cooke.

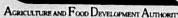
> Mr. Cooke continued: "A cut in the levels of Ireland's Disadvantaged Areas will not be tolerated. It is clear, given Ireland, s location at the periphery of European markets, that all of Ireland, s farmers are at a competitive disadvantage. ICMSA believes that it is im-

ICMSA has expressed serious take over •400 million away portant that the Commission should be maintained with an indexed increase in payment levels. Regarding the Early Retirement Scheme, ICMSA is of the opinion that the retiring age of 55 years must be maintained.

On a positive note, Mr. Cooke said that he welcomed the fact that provision was being made for the ongoing continuation of agri-environmental schemes such as REPS and he concluded by saying that the onus lay with Minister Walsh to monitor the situation and defend the rights of Irish farmers under the new CAP Rural Development Plan.

The bottom line is that funding for farm based schemes must be maintained at current levels%, concluded Mr. Cooke.





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- Justify why you need to feed meals.
- Do you know how much extra milk or weight gain you get per Kg of meal fed.
- Based on research results the response when grass is plentiful
- Every Kg of meal (cost 16 cents) gives 0.5 Kgs milk (worth 10.2 cents) from moderate cows.
- For high merit cows the response is 1.0 Kgs milk (worth 20.4 cents) per Kg of meal (cost 16 cents) fed.
- For calves, you need to feed 8 Kgs of meal (cost 128 cents) to get one Kg of weight gain (worth 100 cents). - Response is 4 to 1 in September.
- For store cattle, you need 13 Kgs of meal (cost 170 cents) to get one Kg of weight gain (worth 130 cents).
- Meal is rarely fed to cattle in July.

Prevent Mastitis, Lameness:

- Each case of mastitis costs 140 approx. and of course high SCC counts result in penalties
- Prevention is the best approach.
- Ensure the milking machine is at its best.
- Teat dipping is a must.
- Reduces the spread of mastitis by 50%.
- Lameness causes serious losses.
- Estimated at 170 per case. The target is less than 7% of cows affected per year.
- Prevention involves good feed management, maintaining good roadways and paddock entrances, foot-bathing, being able to cull cows who are prone to lameness.

Minimise Cows Not Incalf:

- The next 3 4 weeks are crucial to meeting that target.
- · A stock bull, being sure he isn't firing blanks, can be justified at this stage because there are so few cows bulling and it is easy
- But many farmers are successfully using all A.I. to save costs.
- Continued tail painting is essential.
- A chin-ball is essential if using a stock bull.
- A short gestation bull, Angus, is recommended.
- If using A.I., use bulls that are minus 4 or 5 days on calving interval
- A whole herd scan 3 4 weeks before end of breeding season has a lot of merit.
- Will identify cows not incalf.
- Will identify 'weak' pregnancies.
- With good advice, these cows who might normally be culled, will have one or two more chances of going in calf.

Minimise Silage Needs:

- This will reduce silage costs.
- If you now have enough silage for next winter, make an all out effort not to cut any more.
- Some few high quality bags have merit in that they can be fed to milkers in November and again maybe in February/March or even in August to extend the grazing rotation.
- The best way to reduce silage requirements is to have grass in November and again in February/March.
- The work starts now for this to happen.
- Sometime around the 15th -20th July, 'close up' 15% of the farm for a "3rd Cut-Graze".
- This involves, topping these fields after a grazing, slurry could be applied.
- Apply 50-70 units of Nitrogen.
- These fields should be grazed in early September.
- This amount of extra grazing will lengthen the grazing rotation by

13 Times Per Week Milking:

- This should seriously be considered, when milk yield is averaging 4.75 gallons (approx.).
- It will not result in any loss of milk or higher SCC counts.
- So, there will be no need to pay someone to milk cows if you want to go to a match or stay at the seaside on a Sunday
- Many farmers are doing it.



FARMING LEADER

FBD Young Farmer of the Future **Awards Launched in Waterford**



Pictured at the Waterford launch of the FBD Young Farmer of the Future Awards were (1-r): Harry Gray, county chairman of Waterford IFA; Vincent O'Brien, county chairman of Waterford Macra na Feirme; Alan Curran, Macra; Mary Walshe, FBD representative (Dungarvan); and Niall O'Brien, last year's county winner of the competition.

The 2004 FBD Young Farmer of the Future Awards, which is run by Macra na Feirme in partnership with the IFA, was launched this week in Waterford.

Speaking at the launch, Vincent O'Brien, county chairman of Waterford Macra na Feirme, said that it was important to highlight the positive aspects of farming. "Farming offers a varied and challenging work environment and is still a viable profession. It's vital that we acknowledge the many highly ed-

ucated young people that have FBD's success and young farmembarked on a successful career in farming," he said.

Harry Gray, county chairman of Waterford IFA, said: The competition has been a big success to date in terms of

recognising and rewarding our industry's best young farmers." Mary Walshe, FBD representative (Dungarvan), said that FBD Insurance were glad to sponsor the competition for the

sixth year in succession. "Farming is at the core of tion wins a travel bursary worth

ers are essential for the continued growth and development in this sector," she said.

The Waterford winner of the FBD Young Farmer of the Future Awards receives EUR100 and a specially commissioned commemorative trophy. This winning farmer then goes forward to represent the region in the national final, which takes place in early September. The overall winner of the competiEUR2,500 and EUR1,000 spending money.

Application forms are available from regional Macra na Feirme training officers, local IFA or FBD offices, and can also be downloaded from

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For more information please contact Cathal McCormack, Macra Training and Development Officer, or contact Macra na Feirme national office on 01

BACK TO A BIO FUTURE FOR CITING STUFF IN THE EU

FARM FEATURE By Paddy Smith

Sometimes there is little incentive to read an official report unless it holds out the likely promise of serendipity: discovering unexpected little nuggets of facts.

Such a serendipitous fact is contained in a recent report that I read. It stated in passing that he Furonean see market is worth 8.4 billion annually. Some day when I finally get my head around what exactly a billion actually is, I will probably marvel even more at it. But in the meantime 8.4 billion sounds like one of the biggest numbers I have ever heard. Except that it was surpassed threefold by the fact that Europe has a 28 per cent share of the 26.6 billion global agrochemical market. Further down the page there were even bigger numbers.

These facts are featured in Plants for the Future, a report presented to the European Research Commissioner, Philippe Busquin. This is a long-term vision for European plant biotechnology towards 2025 and it came from leading repre-

sentatives from research, the food and biotech industry, the farming community and consumers' organisations. Truly, the sheer scale of

things in the EU, as mentioned in this report, is astonishing. We have heard a lot of them before, but let's just roll some of these figures around in our mouths and taste the magnitude and enormity. There are nearly 7 million farms with an average size of 18.4 hectares employing nearly 15 million people in the 15 older EU Member States. With enlargement, the number of farms has more than doubled to 17 million and the proportion of farmers in the workforce has grown from around 4 per cent (in the EU 15) to nearly 8 per cent (in the EU 25). Livestock production in Europe consumes 400 million tonnes of feed (including grazing), of which 90 per cent is produced in Europe. The European food and drink industry is the leading EU industrial sector with more than 600 billion of production and 145 billion of added value. With 2.6 million workers it is the Union's third largest em-

agree. But what has it got to go with Plants for the Future? Well, for one thing, these figures of the grand scale of agriculture in the Union are used subtly to draw a comparison with the lowly amount of funding we devote to research and development. While US biotech firms spend 650 million a year on R&D, their EU counterparts invest only 400 million. No mention of billions

The vision paper calls for a European technology platform on plant biotechnology research aimed at, among other things, developing a strategic research agenda covering genomics, physiology, agronomy, ecology, bioinformatics and other emerging skills.

One of its most interesting sections is how it foresees the future (in 2025). In an era when the bio-based economy that has emerged has helped to confront some of the major challenges facing Europe and humanity as a whole, more of our economic prosperity then will be based on agricultural produce. Not only will farmers grow food for a

All very interesting, you'll larger population, but much of the economy will also be based on the raw materials they grow: new foods, biofuels and biomaterials. "They will become the gatekeepers of the bio-based economy," says the report.

The premium on agricultural land and exciting investment prospects in the valuable raw materials it produces will help reinvigorate the farming sector and provide new opportunities in an enlarged Europe, it says. With attractive careers and investment prospects, farming and its spin-offs will trigger a migration away from the cities and back to the countryside. This new agricultural class will make up the backbone of a prosperous and lively rural community away from the stress of urban life. Plant genomics may also have unlocked the secrets of how allergic reactions to plants - such as hay fever and food allergies - work.

All very exciting stuff. And Commissioner Busquin says the transition to a sustainable economy based largely on renewable resources - the 'biobased' economy - is as inevitable as it is desirable.

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We give them back to you, O God, For you gave them to us, And as you did not lose them in the

giving,
So we believe we cannot lose them

in their return, For life is eternal, and love is immor-

tal, And death is only a horizon,

And death is only a horizon, A horizon being just the limit, Of our human sight,

So lift us up, O God, That we may feel nearer our loved one.

Who is with you.



Husband, Liam and children Geraldine, Richard, Padraig and William would like to offer their sincere appreciation to all who sympathised with them at the untimely death of Josephine on February 22, 2004. Thank you for all the assistance you gave us during this difficult time - for your letters, Mass cards, flowers, telephone calls and countless gestures of good will. A special word of gratitude needs to be extended to the clergy and religious who visited us during these weeks, especially to Fr. Kehoe, curate of the parish of Abbeyside, Ballinroad and Garranbane, who led us in prayer and the funeral ceremonies. Also, thank you to the Ballinroad folk choir who sang beautifully Josephine's favourite hymns during the funeral and burial services. We have been very touched by the kind words people had to say about Josephine and were quite taken aback in learning how she touched so many people's lives during her short stay on earth. We particularly remember Josephine on July 15th when we would have celebrated her forty eighth birthday.

It would be impossible to thank each friend, neighbour and relatives for their support during this last number of months, but please personally accept this acknowledgment as a token of our appreciation. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all our intentions.

LATE PADDY POWER Scart, Ballinamult

The wife, family and relatives of the late Paddy Power wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, floral tributes and those who called personally. Also to those who attended the funeral and burial. A special word of thanks to Fr. Kennedy, P.P., Fr. Cooney, O.S.A., Fr. Ahearne, P.P., Dr. Donovan, St. Luke's Hospital, Kilkenny; the undertakers, sacristan, altar servers and gravediggers and all the kind neighbours and friends who helped in every way.

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

LATE PADDY KEATING

Briskey, Leamybrien

The wife and family of the late Paddy Keating would like to express their sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them on their recent sad loss; to those who attended his removal, Mass and burial; to Fr. M. Enright, P.P., Fr. J. Delany, P.P., and Fr. G. Desmond, C.C. Also many thanks to those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy; those who telephoned and who called to the house personally; to Dr. McElduff, Dr. Griffin, nurses, Drohan Funeral Directors, sacristan, altar servers, gravediggers, Deirdre and Martina Walsh and Joe Brennan (singers).

As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually, we hope this acknowledgment is accepted as a token of our appreciation.

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

LATE EDWARD (NED) POWER Mount Odell

The wife Patricia, family Hugh, James, Margaret, Noreen and many relatives of the late Ned Power wish to convey their heartfelt gratitude to all who shared their recent bereavement. For your letters, Mass cards, phone calls, floral tributes and your comforting presence at the funeral obsequies our sincerest thanks. We know very many travelled long distances to be with us, indeed many friends and acquaintances through greyhound racing and other sporting interests. Our thanks to the local clergy, especially Fr. Cooney for much appreciated homily. To Rev. Fr. M. J. Rvan. P.P. who was with us for rosary and who paid his own personal tribute. To the many local sporting organisations who offered their condolences through their notes in the local media. To Dr. Tom Higgins, doctors and staff at Waterford Regional Hospital, our sincerest thanks. To the sacrislan, gravediggers, altar servers and especially Kiely Funeral Directors for all their services. The kindness, thoughtfulness and generosity of so many really touched us and was a source of great comfort in our hour of need.

Please accept this notice as a token of our heartfelt gratitude and appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for all your intentions.

Birthday Remembrances



POWER — Birthday Remembrance of Leigh Power, whose 22nd birthday occurs on 16th July, 2004.

We are sending you a gift today, Leigh,

Written on the wings of a dove, Be careful how you open it,

Because it's fitted with love, Deep in our hearts your memory is kept,

We loved you too dearly to ever forget.

(Happy birthday Leigh, love always Mam, Dad, Ross and Shane XX).



POWER — Birthday Remembrance of my nephew, Leigh Power whose 22nd birthday occurs on Friday 16th July, 2004.

Poignant are the memories that will not fade,

Of one we loved but could not save.

(Missed always Anthony, Leesha and kids, Ballybunion



POWER — Birthday
Remembrance of our dear
Grandson, Leigh Power,
Seapark, Abbeyside, whose
birthday occurs on July 16th.

Put your arms around him Lord and keep him safe. (Happy birthday Leigh lots of love from Liam, Brenda and Pad).



GLESON — Birthday Remembrance of our dear daughter Geraldine, late of Clonegogaile, Ballinamult, whose 24th birthday occurred on July 12.

We remember a smile we would love to see,

A hand we would love to touch,
We remember a voice we

would love to hear, Of a daughter we loved so

much.
As each day dawns and starts anew,

As each day ends we think of you,

And in between, no matter where,

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Waterford County Council - Dave Bennett and Fiona Waters are applying for planning permission to build a house together with associated site development work and associated services installation at their site at Ballinaspick North, Lismore Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, during normal opening hours, i.e. 10.00am to 1.00pm and 2.00pm to 4.00pm Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority of the application. on payment of a fee of €20.00.

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Waterford County Council - I, Roger Lyons, am applying to Waterford County Council for permission to retain indefinitely existing windows to north and south gables of roof attic and to erect a conservatory on the southside of the house. Also to erect a detached garage at Lyrenacelee West, Lismore, Co. Waterford. Signed: Roger Lyons. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, during normal opening hours, i.e. 10.00am to 1.00pm and 2.00pm to 4.00pm Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority of the application, on payment of a fee of €20.

Waterford County Council - We, Oliver Power and Carmel O'Keeffe apply for permission for a two storey dwelling, septic tank and percolation area and for 6 no. stables at Killeenaghmountain.

Waterford County Council - I, Jim Canning intend to apply to make changes to planning application (Reference Number PD 04/616) to incorporate the addition of a gable wall and associated gable and the addition of 2 No. dormer windows to replace previously proposed velux windows on the front elevation at Site Number 1 of the relevant development at Townparks East, Tallow,

Waterford County Council - I, Jim Canning intend to apply for approval consequent on the grant of outline permission (Reference Number PD 98/852) for the construction of one number dormer style bungalow and associated services at Site Number 2 of the relevant development at Townparks East, Tallow, Co. Waterford.

Waterford County Council - I, Jim Canning intend to apply for approval consequent on the grant of outline permission (Reference Number PD 98/852) for the construction of one number dormer style bungalow and associated services at Site Number 3 of the relevant development at Townparks East, Tallow, Co. Waterford.

Waterford County Council - I, Jim Canning intend to apply for approval consequent on the grant of outline permission (Reference Number PD 98/852) for the construction of one number dormer style bungalow and associated services at Site Number 4 of the relevant development at Townparks East, Tallow, Co. Waterford.

Waterford County Council - Planning permission is sought for the construction of an extension (98.8 sq. m.) to our dwelling (94.2 sq. m.) and associated site works at 51 Springmeadow, Dungarvan. Signed: T. and A. Doherty. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority at Civic Offices, Dungarvan 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. A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority on payment of a fee of €20, within the period of five weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

Waterford County Council - Permission is sought for the construction of a dormer style dwelling, entrance, driveway and all associated works at Ballingowan West, Villierstown, Co. Waterford. This 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: Killian and Redmond McGrath.

Waterford County Council - We, Mr. and Mrs. J. and D. A. Cotter intend to apply for outline planning permission to erect a dwellinghouse, new entrance and waste water treatment unit at Townparks East, Lismore. The planning application may be inspected at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, during normal opening hours. 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

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Dated this 9th day of July, 2004. Signed:

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

They bring a smile and often a tear. And always a wish that you

were here. (Always remembered Maurice,

Martha and family).

BEHEGAN — Third Anniversary - In loving memory of my wife, Mary Behegan (nee Dunne), Parks Rd., Lismore who died on

13 July 2001. R.I.P. I will never forget those special days,

The ones I had with you, For as long as I live, I will always be glad, For the wonderful wife,

I was so lucky to have. Simple words but very true, I will always love and remem-

ber you. (Your loving husband Michael).

BEHEGAN - Third Anniversary - In loving memory of our Nanny, Mary Behegan Parks Road, Lismore who died on 13 July 2001. R.I.P.

Put your arms around her, Lord.

And kiss our Nanny's face, For she is very special,

And can never be replaced. (Your two grandsons Michael and Lee X X).

BEHEGAN — Third Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear sister, Mary Behegan Parks Road, Lismore who died on 13 July 2001. R.I.P.

Deep in our hearts, Mary, Your memory is kept, To love and cherish

And never forget. Words are few, thoughts are deep.

Memories of you we'll always keep.

(Your sister Gwen, Tom and Raymond).

BEHEGAN — Third Anniversary - In loving memory of my mother, Mary Behegan Parks Road, Lismore who died on 13 July 2001. R.I.P.

A laugh, a chat, a joke or

Is how I'll always remember

On earth you toiled, in heaven

you rest, God bless you Mam, you

were the best. (From your loving son Daniel and wife Jacinta).

DALY - Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of a loving father, Philip (Phil) Daly, 1 St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, and also of Clogheen, Co. Tipperary who died July 16,

Quietly today your memory is kept,

2000.

No need for words, we will never forget.

As thoughts go back as they often do

We treasure the memories we have of you.

(Always remembered by his loving son Arthur, Corinne, Vicky, Shane and Roisin).



DALY - Fourth Anniversary - In loving memory of Philip (Phil) Daly, late of 1 St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, and Clogheen, Co. Tipperary who died July 16, 2000. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass on Saturday, July 17, at 7.30 p.m. in Colligan Church. May he rest in peace.

When you lose someone special,

The hurt is hard to hide, But when you lose a husband.

The hurt goes deep inside. It broke my heart to lose you, But you did not go alone, For part of me went with you,

Phil. To the place you now call home

Will those who think of Phil today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Sadly missed by your wife Theresa X X X).

DALY - Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of my father, Phil Daly, 1 St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died July 16, 2000.

Gently, the hands of time, Pass by another year, Still I miss my father, And friend I loved so dear. It's hard to put into words, The way I feel inside, Because I still sense you,

Walking softly by my side. A sadness hangs around every special day,

Always your presence miss-

Since that sad July day. If I knew it would be the last

time, I would see you walk out my

door, I'd give you a great big hug and kiss,

And call you back for just one

If I knew it would be the last

I could spare an extra minute or two. To stop and say I love you,

Instead of assuming you would know I do.

If I knew it would be the last I would be there to share your

day, When I was sure I'd have so

many more, And could let this one slip

away. So those of you who have

your father. Love him while you may, I only wish with all my heart,

That mine was here today. Will those who think of Phil today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Love always, your daughter Trisha and Christopher and granddaughter Vicky, Sarah, Tirna and Shanagh X X X X).



DALY - Fourth Anniversary In loving memory of a wonderful Dad and Grandad, Philip (Phil) Daly, 1 St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan and also late of 7, Market Street, Clogheen, Co. Tipperary, who died on July 16th, 2000.

As long as our hearts keep beating,

As long as our eyes shed tears We will always love and miss

No matter how many years. A tribute of love.

To a Dad and Grandad so dear. So close to our hearts,

Each day of the year. (We love and miss, and think of you always - from your daughter Tracy, Katie and Alf X X X).

DALY - Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of my dear father, Philip (Phil) Daly, late of 1 Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan and also 7 Market Street, Clogheen, Co. Tipperary, who died July 16, 2000.

Don't remember me with sadness.

Don't remember me with tears.

Remember all the laughter. We've had throughout the years.

Then when the summer sunshine. Awakes the flowers in

bloom.

I'll walk that light from heav-

en, Around the corners of every

room, Do the things we

before, The same in every way. Just whisper a little prayer to

At the dawn of every day. Just think of me as present,

Don't think of me as past, For a father's love's a blessing,

In death it still can last. Forget your troubles and your

They're mine forever more. I'll watch and care and love

From heaven's open door, And when your road gets rough and rocky, Or you're down and need a

crutch. Remember I'm right beside

you, Just an inch too short to touch.

Rest in peace Phil. (Missed every minute of every day - your daughter Chris and grandsons Philip, Daniel and Anthony X X X X).

DALY - Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of my father, Phil Daly, 1 St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died July 16, 2000.

When I come to the end of the road,

And the sun has set for

I want no nights in a gloom filled room,

Why cry for a soul set free?

Miss me a little but not too long, And not with your head buried

Remember the love that we once shared,

Miss me, but let me go. For this is a journey we all must take,

And all must go alone, It's all a part of the Master's

plan, A step on the road to home.

When you are lonely and sick at heart. Go to the friends we

knew, And bury your sorrow in doing good deeds,

Miss me, but let me go. (Loved and remembered by your son John Michael, Tina and grandsons Dean, Julian, Aaron and Jordan X X X X).

DONNELLY - In loving memory of Biddy Donnelly, late of Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died July 14, 1994.

Thank you, Mam for those years we shared, The love you gave and the

way you cared. You left a place no one can

We miss you now and always will. (From Mary, Breda, Kay and

DONNELLY Tenth Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear mother, Biddy, late of 12 Keating Street, Dungarvan,

Patricia and families).

who died July 14, 1994. In our thoughts you are always near,

Still loved, still missed, still very dear,

But happy memories we keep forever, Of days when we were all together.

In heaven you rest, no worries, no pain,

But in our hearts you will always remain.

(Never forgotten by your son Michael, daughter-in-law Mag, grandchildren and greatgrandchildren).

DAYNES - Twelfth Anniversary In loving memory of my dear friend, Peggy, late of Ballyduff Upper who died on July 19, 1992. May her gentle soul rest in peace.

It need not be a special day,

To bring you to my mind, For a day without a thought of you, Is very hard to find,

Take care of Peggy Lord, As she takes her rest. For she was my friend, And one of the best.

(Loved and remembered always by your loving friend Molly).



DUNPHY - Fifth Anniversary In loving memory of Theresa, late of Currabaha, Kilgobnet, who died on 19th July, 1999. R.I.P.

Somewhere beyond the sun

Where liveliness never dies, You dwell in a beautiful gar-

Beneath a golden sky, There is a bridge of memories,

From here to Heaven above, It keeps us very close to you, It's called the bridge of love, Each of us in our own way, Have special thoughts of you

today. (Never forgotten - Marie and family).



DUNPHY - Twenty-fourth Anniversary - In loving memory of William (Billy) Dunphy, late of Knocknagranagh Dungarvan who died on 12th July, 1980. R.I.P.

(Always remembered by his family at home and away).



FLYNN - Tenth Anniversary In loving memory of my brother Noel, late of 24 Byrneville, Dungarvan, who died on 18th July, 1994. R.I.P. I did not know that morning, What sorrow that day would bring,

When a heart of gold stopped beating, And I could not do a thing,

You never said goodbye to me. Perhaps it's just as well,

For I never could have said

goodbye, To a brother I loved so well. (Always remembered by your loving sister Marie and family).

Twenty-eighth Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear Dad, Michael Fraher, of 50 Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on July 14, 1976. R.I.P.

God called your name so gen-

But only you could hear, You left this life so suddenly, We could only wonder why, For the saddest part of all,

We never said goodbye. (Never forgotten, your loving daughter Lucy, son-in-law Matt and grandchildren).

FRAHER - Twenty-eighth Anniversary - In sad and loving memory of my dear Dad, Michael Fraher, late of 50 Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on July 14, 1976. R.I.P.

Your painful days are over, Your restless nights have passed.

You gently closed your eyes, It gave you peace at last. I know all my life I will miss

you, Dad, For you meant the world to

I have such precious memo-That others cannot see, They are mine to keep forev-

From which I will never part, I'll hold them very close to me, Locked within my heart.

In heaven one day I'll find you, And all the hurt will go, I'll put my arms around you, And say Dad, I love and miss

you so. (Always remembered and sadly missed by your loving son Michael, daughter-in-law Ann, grandchildren Carol, Susan, Elaine, Lucinda, Michaela, Liam, Jonathan, Claudine and greatgrandchildren).

FREYNE (née Meehan) - In ever loving memory of my sister Eily Freyne, late of Mullinavat and Murphy Place, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs on July 17.

Sacred Heart of Jesus grant her eternal rest forever. (Never forgotten by Tony, Trisha, Finola, Ivan, Emily and Ciara).

FREYNE (née Meehan) - In loving memory of Eily, late of Mullinavat and Murphy Place, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs on July 17.

But love and memories never die. Still loved, still missed, still

Time and years slip quietly

very dear, As time unfolds another year. (Always remembered by your loving sister Ann, John and fam-

ily in Cork).

FREYNE (née Meehan) - In loving memory of Eily, late of Mullinavat and Murphy Place, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs on July 17.

Quietly today your memory is kept.

No need for words, we will never forget,

As thoughts go back, as they often do, We treasure the memories we

have of you. (Always loved and remembered by Tomás, Kathleen, Marie, Aine, Brendan and Emer).

INMEMORIAMS

KIELY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Mary (Maeve) Kiely, Melleray Road, Cappoquin, who died on July 30, 2003. First Anniversary Mass at 7.30 p.m. in St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin on Saturday, July 31.

Time goes by without you,

And days turn into a year, Each moment holds a memo-

And many a silent tear.
Lord, look after Mam,
She is in your care now.
Will those who think of Mam

today, A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Your ever-loving daughter Mary, Michael, Aidan, Ita and Paul).



LYONS — Third Anniversary — Precious memories of our dear mother Breeda Lyons (nee Walsh), late of Toor, Lismore who died on 17th July, 2001. Breeda's Anniversary Mass is at Touraneena Parish Church at 5 pm on Saturday, 17th July. All welcome.

Missed in the morning of everyday, Missed in the evening as

night slips away, Missed for a thousand and

one little things, Around every corner a mem-

ory clings, Your memories are precious

and precious they'll stay, No passing of time would

take them away, We had a Mam in a

million, We loved her until the

end, We lost two precious things

that day.

Will all who think of Breeda today.

A little prayer to our Lady

say.

Our Mam and our best friend.

(Never forgotten by all your loving family).

LYONS — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Breeda Lyons, late of Toor, Lismore who died on July 17, 2001. Mass offered.

A beautiful nature, a heart of gold,

Your loss to us can never be told.

Just as you were you will always be,

Someone special in my memory. (Sadly missed by the Power

family, Monamon).

O'REILLY — In loving memory of a dear husband, father and grandfather, Raymond O'Reilly, late of the Cove Bar, Stradbally, whose birthday occurs on July 11.

Sad are the hearts that love

Silent the tears that fall, Living life without you, Is the hardest part of all, If tears could build a stair-

case, And memories a lane, We would go right up to

Heaven, And take you home again, No words can tell, no tears

The love, the loss, the loneliness

ness, Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say.

(So sadly missed and always remembered by your loving wife Betty, sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren and relatives).

POWER — Fourth Anniversary — In fond memory of a loving grandfather, Bobby Power, late of 8, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on July 20, 2000. On his soul Sweet Jesus have mercy

Missed in the morning of every day,

Missed in the evening as light slips away,

Missed for a thousand and one little things,

Around every corner a memory clings.

A father, a friend, a grandfa-

ther too, We all thought the world of

you,
Of all the gifts in life,
However big and small

However big and small, To have you as a Grandad,

Was the greatest gift of all. (Loved always — Robert, Majella and Mia).

POWER — Fourth Anniversary
— In fond memory of a loving
grandfather, Bobby Power, late
of 8, St. Brigid's Terrace,
Dungarvan, who died on July 20,
2000. On his soul Sweet Jesus
have mercy

Isn't it strange that those we need,

Are those we love the best, And just the ones that God needs too,

And takes them home to rest.

We miss you because we love you,

To us you were dearer than gold,

No treasure can ever replace you, Granddad, Your memory will never grow

Your memory will never grow old.

old. (Loved and missed — Catherine, Patrick and Cata).



POWER — Fourth Anniversary — In fond memory of a loving father, Bobby Power, late of 8, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on July 20, 2000. On his soul Sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

A loving spray of memories.

Tied up with all our love, Memories we will treasure,

Of the one we dearly loved.

In the centre of God's gar-

den,
There is someone special there.

That someone is our

father,
The best beyond compare.
(Never forgotten — his son
Michael and daughter

Margaret).

POWER — Fourth Anniversary — In fond memory of a loving father, Bobby Power, late of 8, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on July 20, 2000. On his soul Sweet Jesus have mercy.

You gave us all you had to give, Dad,

Gifts both big and small, Most of all you gave us love,

The greatest gift of all.
You would not wish for sadness,

You never cared for fuss, Just to be remembered, And loved by all of us.

(Always in our thoughts — his son Paddy and daughter-in-law Judy).

POWER — Fourth Anniversary — In fond memory of a loving father, Bobby Power, late of 8, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on July 20, 2000. On his soul Sweet Jesus have mercy.

They say it's a beautiful journey,

From the old world to the new,

Some day I'll make that journey,
On the stainway that leads to

On the stairway that leads to you.

And when I reach that gar-

den, Where all is free from pain,

I'll put my arms around you, Dad, And we'll never part again.

Father in heaven hear our prayer,

Look after Dad with loving care,

Be a good shepherd, don't leave him alone, For this is his third year away

from home.
(Always remembered by his son Robert)

POWER — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Mick Power, Mounfoun, Old Parish, Dungarvan, who died on July 17, 2001.

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by Kathleen, Margaret, Tim and families).



REYNOLDS — Sixteenth Anniversary — Precious memories of our dear son and brother, Francis (Franny), late of 24, McCarthyville, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs at this time. Anniversary Mass for Francis on Sunday, 18 July at 10.30 a.m. in Abbeyside Parish Church.

Memories grow deeper as time goes on,

When you long for a face and a smile that is gone,
Deep in our hearts your

memory is kept, To treasure, to love and

never forget.

(Love and miss you always Franny — Mam, Dad, brothers Tommy, Mark and Pat, sisters Teen and Paula, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-la, nieces, and nephews and all your loving family X X).

FOLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my brother Billy, late of Bóthar Mochuda, Lismore, who died July 23, 2003.

A smile for all, a heart of gold, One of the best this world could hold,

Never selfish, always kind, These are the memories you left behind.

(From your brother Ray and sister-in-law Suzanne).

FOLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my nephew Billy, late of Bóthar Mochuda, Lismore, who died July 23, 2003.

We just say a simple prayer, That God will keep you in his care,

Those we love don't go away, They walk beside us, every day.

(Loved and remembered — from your uncle Michael and Audrey and family).

FOLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of our son Billy, late of Bóthar Mochuda, Lismore, who died July 23, 2003. Anniversary Mass at Mount Melleray Abbey on Sunday, July 25 at 10 o'clock. SON

We lost you so young, Now we must learn to cope, To live with our memories, Our love and our hope,

And take strength from your kindness, In the hard days to come,

And believe you are at peace, Billy, our son. (Sadly missed — Mom and Dad).

DAD Pray for my Daddy. (Love, Megan).

FOLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my brother Billy, late of Bóthar Mochuda, Lismore, who died July 23, 2003.

Some may forget you, now you are gone,

But we will remember, no matter how long.

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

(From your brother Patrick and

sister-in-law Susan).

FOLEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my friend Billy, late of Bóthar Mochuda, Lismore, who died July 23,

2003.
Father in heaven, hear my prayer.

Look after my friend with loving care, A prayer each night keeps us

love so much.
(Never forgotten by Mary and family).

DELANEY — Third Aniniversary of a loving son and brother, Paddy Joe, late of Cathal Brugha, Dungarvan, who died

on July 16, 2001.

We think of you with love today.

today,
As we have done so often,
We feel again the bitter blow,
That never seems to soften,
And so today I pray again,
That God will let you know,

How lonely life is without you, And how we miss you so. (Loved and sadly missed by your mother Maimie, brother Michael, sister-in-law Norah, nephews and nieces).

WALSH — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear brother Thomas, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on July 11, 1997.

Nothing can replace you, Nothing ever will,

In life we loved you dearly, In death we love you still.

(Inserted by your loving sister and brothers, Margaret, Billy,

Maurice)

Anniversary Mass

John, Denis, Joseph and

WALSH — First Anniversary Mass for Chris will be held at St. Joseph's hospital chapel on Wednesday, 21st July at 10 a.m.

NOVENAS

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

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ABBEYSIDE TOPICS

SENIOR CITIZENS SUMMER OUTING

Details of the Annual Summer Outing have Church at 11.45am and from the Pond at twelve now been announced by the Committee and for a welcome change this year the outing will be to the famous town of Blarney which is one of the most attractive tourist centres in the South. It's a place made famous in song and in story because of the romance associated with the Famous Blarney Stone which has been kissed by visitors from all corners of the globe.

The date for the outing is Tuesday 20th July and buses will leave as follows: Ballinroad tained from any Committee member.

noon. A full dinner will be served at Blarney Park Hotel at 5.30pm.

The nominal charge for the day is 20 euro and must be paid in advance to any of the following committee members: Betty Tutty (058 41647) Mary Flynn (058 43101); Delia Leahy (058 45175); Josephine Coyne (058 42643) Ballinroad and Bernie Butler (058 41188)

Any further information required can be ob-

Abbeyside's Defeat By Stradbally No Surprise

Short five of the players who so thrillingly brought the Intermediate Cup to Abbeyside last year, it was always going to be a struggle in this losers knock-out group game at Fraher Field on Saturday evening last. Now, Abbeyside will be involved in a relegation dog fight later in the year and it will be extremely difficult for them to retain their hard won Senior

Stradbally were quickly into their stride and scored two points within two minutes. Two excellent frees from long range by Mark Gorman brought the sides level. Alan Ryan, unavailable last year, made some excellent clearances from defence for Abbeyside. In the eighth minute Ger Power put Stradbally into the lead with a point from the middle of the Park. Inspired by John Kindregan, Abbeyside had their best period in the game and their forwards scored three points (one excellent one from Shane Briggs), to put Abbeyside into the lead for the first time. A pointed free by Stradbally reduced Abbeyside's lead

to the minimum but up popped Mickey Enright to again widen the gap to two points.

Half-Time: Abbeyside 0-7, Stradbally 1-5.
EFFORT NOT ENOUGH

Abbeyside tried hard all through the second half but it was not enough against a seasoned, experienced Stradbally outfit. County Star Michael Walsh was moved to centreforward and he ensured Stradbally won a liberal supply of the ball from puck-outs, clearances from defence, etc.

Shane Briggs pointed but three points in a row brought Stradbally level. Played flowed up and down the field and the standard of hurling was high. Mickey Enright pointed and due to pressure from the Abbeyside backs Stradbally struck a number of wides. Stradbally equalized with a terrific point from a

Generally the Stradbally forwards fought harder for possession than their Abbeyside counterparts and when Stradbally scored a goal and two points between the eleventh and sixteenth minutes the game was as good as over.

A point by Mark Fives and a goal by Michael Enright following an excellent pass from Mark Gorman came too late to save the day and Stradbally finished the stronger with two points from play

Abbeyside: Darryl Ryan, Eoin Hayes, Gavin Breen, Brian Hayes, John Kindregan, Damien Cliffe, Alan Ryan, Shane Briggs, Patrick Lynch, John Hurney, Laurence Hurney, Mark Gorman, Michael Enright, Mark Fives, Declan

Then came the decisive score of the half as Stradbally exerted pressure on the Abbeyside goalmouth and the sliotar was forced over the goaline for a goal that should have been cleared by the Abbeyside defence. A point by minor star Mark Gorman from way out on the left, ensured Stradbally only had a one point lead at the in-

public on Friday 16th July and will continue until Sunday 18th July. The doors will be open each day from 10.00am to 8.00pm. All proceeds are in aid of the Church Refurbishment and your support would be very much appreciated.

Abbeyside Reference Archive

Sponsored Cycle For

Worthy Cause

On Friday 9th. July, Ambrose O'Connell left Grattan Square,

Dungarvan, at 11.00am on a sponsored cycle to Waterford city.

Joseph's hospital, Dungarvan - a very worthy cause indeed.

The money raised will go to the Alzheimers Unit at St.

This week we take a ramble through one of our many scrapbooks. It comes from the general collection so we are liable to meet anything.

The first item we meet is dated September 2003 and is a photograph and write up on Dungarvan Youth Band. On the next page we read "Bullying at Walton Park". We move on to a nice old photograph of the "Boy Band" Rough Cut. The next three pages are filled with a list of first tenants for the TJ Murphy Place houses

Next its on to February 2004 when "Abbeyside Brownies Receive their Pins" Next we come to the other Book of Lismore! Then we come to a nice 80th birthday cake (in the form of a beehive - yes its Michael and Mary Moynihan). Then we find local group produce CD "On the Rocks". Then we have a very nice wedding photograph from paper dated 3rd October 2003. The very last item in the book is a very nice personality portrait of a husband and wife from Ballinacourty.

This Sunday morning Eddie Cantwell will be at the Archive minding the above scrapbook and all the other treasures. No he won't be giving a free CD to all visitors!!

ABBEYSIDE PATTERN ON **AUGUST BANK** HOLIDAY

Following the huge success of last year's Festival there is certain to be great support for the various events again this year. Despite the financial problems, due entirely to rising costs of insurance, the very hard working committee have managed to obtain interested

Those who put money into the running of the Pattern should be appreciated as it would be nothing short of a tragedy if this age old custom died away.

Once again the Committee will be appealing for willing workers to help with the various events and hopefully there will be a good response.

The Pattern Festival will run for Friday, Saturday and Sunday of the August Bank Holiday Weekend.

BALLINROAD **FLOWER**

Many events have taken place this year in order to celebrate the Bicentenary of St. Laurence's Church, Ballinroad.

This week the Committee are staging a Flower Festival as part of the ongoing activities. St. Laurence's Flower Society, together with their friends from Dungarvan Flower and Garden Club, have planned a Flower Festival entitled "Our Her-

The Festival will open to the

Results of draw held on Sunday 11th of July Numbers Drawn: 6,8,20,24 No Jackpot Winner New Jackpot: 1300 euros Winners: 1, Caroline Lynch; 2, Jim Cooney; 3,

Stephanie McCarthy Sellers Prize: Cait Ryan. Next Draw will be held in Maguire's Pub, Ballinroad on Sunday 25th July at 9.30

Thank you for your continued support.

Life Buoy Destroyed

placement of the life-buoys

MASS **CLONEA**

During the months of July and August, Saturday Evening Mass will be celebrated at Clonea Strand Hotel at 6.00pm.

This idea is surely greatly appreciated by the large number of summer holiday visitors and by some locals too who would otherwise have to travel to a church in order to attend the Sacrifice of the Mass.

Recently, we referred to the which had been put in place along the sea front from Abbeyside Church to the White Strand and we complimented the people on the Urban Council who look after such services and carry out regular inspec-

> To the dismay of many concerned people who frequent the Strand area, the life buoy and its container which were placed behind Meadowlands were set on fire and completely burned

> We have no idea of who the mindless vandals were, but it is sad indeed to imagine how anyone would damage an apparatus that might have been needed to save a life.

The burned out life buoy and container were replaced very promptly by the Council.

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Abbeyside Scout Notes

Last Sunday night the scout meeting which began at the earlier time of seven o'clock had a part sporty theme and part hike theme. The sporty theme came about when the troop desended on St Laurences Tennis Courts armed with racket and ball for approximately 50 minutes to play some doubles games. Following on from the Wimbledon finals the scouts were only itching to get on the courts and strut their stuff. Some, it has to be said, were able to strut better than others; there names are being withheld to protect the innocent.

As soon as some games were over it was time for the hiking part of the meeting. Each patrol had to walk back to the den and as they went had to complete six tasks. The scouts with the most tasks completed successfully were put into a draw upon arrival and check in at the den. The distance from the hall to the den seemed to put off some of the older experienced scouts while the younger scouts had absolutely no problem walking the short 2.4 mile distance.

The leaders were heard to remark, "How are they (the older scouts) going to manage on camp?" Back at the den the prizewinners turned out to be Michael Duff and Damien Doyle who went home proudly showing off their prizes. Thanks to the tennis club for the use of their facilities, and to the car drivers who supplied the transportation out to the courts thanks also.

ANNUAL CAMP Annual Camp 2004 is now almost upon us and this coming Saturday nights meeting begins at seven and will end around nine thirty. This meeting is only for those attending camp.

The reason for this is that camp gear will be sorted on this night and everything will be checked before camp, in order that anything amiss can be put to rights. Camp patrol membership will also be sorted:

Any outstanding monies must be paid at this meeting and permission to camp forms must be returned. Remember no permission form - no camp. Scouts are reminded to bring money in order to go to the chipper once all the hard work has been com-

SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to all the relatives and friends of John Clancy who died suddenly last week. John scouted with the 4th Waterford in the 140's and early '50's before he emigrat-

ed to the USA.

He joined the group on the 8th of December 1944. He became Patrol Leader of the Wolfbound Patroland later was Assistant Scoutmaster to the great Liam F. Lanigan.

John took part in the first Melvin Trophy Competition held in 1949. He was also a member of the patrol that took part in the 1950 and 1951 competitions. No competition was held in 1952 and by 1953 John was overage for competing. This didn't deter his involvement. The experience gained stood him in good stead when he became trainer to the 1953 team. Undoubtedly his expertise was a key factor in the Abbeyside Patrol winning the Melvin Trophy for the first time that year.

Abbeyside Scouting has produced many great men and the name John Clancy will always be on that list.

BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

Well Known Teacher Calls It A Day

A teacher with a long life of service to the education of children moved on to retirement last week, when Shay Hurley retired from the Gaelscoil in Clonmel. A well known man in Clonmel whose mother Molly Whelan hailed from Glenanore, Ballymacarbry. She passed to her eternal reward four and a half years ago. Shay closed the door on his classroom for the last time, as his young pupils ran off to enjoy their Summer holidays. But past pupils, colleagues and teachers who fear his skills are lost to the world of education need not fear, as he plans to stay involved with education in his retirement. It was with a touch of sadness that Shay said goodbye to the Gaelscoil last week, after teaching there since 1998. The children had planned a surprise for him before he left, and both his colleagues and the Board of Management celebrated

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Born in the town of Clonmel, his father Willie was attached to the staff of Lowrey's, Clonmel, he passed to his reward some thirty six years ago. Shay went to school with the Christian Brothers until he was 13. It was the good teachers of the Christian Brothers that provided a fair education as well as putting Shay to work in the fruit gardens in season. Potatoes, rhubarb or apples might be sent home with the students as a thank you. It was good to feel the earth under my nails, said Shay. As an older student, Shay

was given responsibility for helping younger students and he believed by doing this he was being tutored in teaching, unbeknown to himself. He describes it as an almost natural progression when he left Clonmel to join the Christian Brothers. He remained with the order until 1991. At the time the Order were leaving education and Shay chose to stay with it. He says he has no regrets about his decision. I appreciate the privilege of working with so many fine teachers over the years. His teaching career began in the mid sixties in an industrial school. This experience 'opened my eyes" to parts of the education system and Irish society that he had known little about in his earlier life. The injustices experienced, especially by young children, had a huge impact on him and to this day Shay is passionate about child welfare and education. After teaching in Glynn in Limerick, Shay spent several years teaching in Dublin area where he worked as a remedial teacher and a school principal. In 1991, he moved back to Clonmel and worked as a care worker in Ferryhouse for a short time. He taught the travellers and then he took the position of Principal of Touraneena in the Sliabh gCua county, five years later he moved to the Gaelscoil in Clonmel. Shay says that his teaching career has gone by 'incredibly quickly' but he counts himself

Passing Of Great Football fortunate to still be enthusiastic Star about his job. But he says he is conscious that he is 'on the other side of 50' and that had his father lived he would celebrate his centenary this year. "I also think it's time to move on".

Shay claims teaching is a won-

derful profession because work-

ing with children is stimulating

and trying, but they also give a

lot and give teachers enthusiasm

for their job. Moving to a job in

a Gaelscoil meant some adjust-

ing for Shay, but he enjoyed

working in an atmosphere

where there was a positive atti-

tude and to see children taking

on a love of the Irish language

and using it both inside and out-

side school. Now that he will no

longer be trekking to school

every day, he has plans to keep

himself busy. He plans to pub-

lish a book in October, about a

riverman called Tom Cuddihy.

The book arose from the River

Suir project and started in the

Workmans Boat Club. Tom

Cuddihy's notebooks from the

19th and 20th centuries are re-

produced in this book. He also

hopes to travel. In November he

plans to climb Mount Kilbaloo

in South East Asia, in aid of the

charity Craoi. He says life is a

challenge to come out of the co-

coon of home and work and, he

added, it is nice to be in a posi-

Clerical Changes

In the recent Clerical changes

announced by his Lordship

Most Rev. Dr. William Lee,

Bishop Waterford and Lismore,

Very Rev. Fr. Sean Nugent, P.P.

Clogheen/Burncourt ordained

1956, has retired. He is being

replaced by Rev. Fr. Patrick

Butler C.C. Aglish/Balli-

nameela/Mountstaurt ordained

1982, as Parish Priest. Very

Rev. Fr. Patrick Gear C.C., or-

dained 1982 is being trans-

ferred to Ballyneale/Grange/

Mockler as Parish Priest. He re-

places Rev. Fr. Matthew Cun-

ningham P.P. since December

1983, ordained 1952. Rev. Fr.

Francis Lloyd C.C. who served

in Nire/Touraneena and was

transferred to Cappoquin in

April 1989, he was ordained in

1985. He is now transferred to

St. Nicholas Carrick-on-Suir

from St. Paul's Lisduggan, Wa-

terford where he served since

Paul's and who served in

Nire/Touraneena parish July

'93 to July '96 is being trans-

ferred to Tramore/Corbally.

Rev. Fr. Gerard Langford C.C.,

St. Joseph's and Benildus, Wa-

terford since July '02 is being

transferred to Ardfinnan/Bally-

bacon/Grange.

tion to make those decisions.

The last surviving member of the 1935 Munster Championship winning Tipperary Senior Football team passed to his eternal reward last week. Former Fethard and Tipperary star Dick Allen was a member of the team which won the County's last Munster Senior Football crown. Tipperary eventually lost out to Cavan in the All Ireland semi final decider in that season. Dick was an outstanding sportsman for club, county and also for Munster in the Railway cup. Dick was selected for the Munster Football team in six consecutive years from 1934 to 1939. However, he never won a Railway Cup medal as Munster went from 1931 to 1941 without claiming a title.

Hospital Is A Very **High Priority States Minister Martin**

South Tipperary General Hos-

pital, Clonmel is on a 'very high priority' among hospitals around the county which have unused facilities, Health Minister Michael Martin stated last week. On a visit to Ballymacarbry to open Pinewood Healthcare's new 14,000 square foot extension, the Minister said the Clonmel hospital situation was of particular importance because there was a long story in terms of the issues between Clonmel and Cashel. "That is why we have gone ahead with equipping it. The equipment has been ordered now". Minister Martin said, adding that his information seemed to have been lost in the last few weeks. The new units could not be staffed until they had been equipped, South Tipperary General Hospital now had far better quality facilities than it had in the past. The next stage was to staff it and the Department of Health was in discussions with the Department of Finance about that, he said. It was not just a question of funding the new units for this year, funding also had to be provided for 2005 and beyond. The employment ceiling also represented a challenge for the health board, he said. Minister July 1993. Rev. Fr. Patrick Hayes C.C., S.S. Peter and Martin said he did not want to the new unit until discussions were finalised but Clonmel was very high priority.

VIGIL AT HOLY CROSS ABBEY

A three hour vigil in honour of Our Lady of Mount Carmel will be held in Holy Cross Abbey on Friday night, 16th July commencing at 9pm. It will consist of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena and Mass, a Marian Hour and Eucharistic Hour. Enrolment in the Brown Scapular will take place during the Marian hour and will be conducted by Rev. Fr. John Power O.S.A., New Ross, national President of the Fatima Apostolate.

the Pot. John Morrissey had it all planned with his usual attention to detail. A bus transported the walkers to the start point at the Treeneasla Commons. Nineteen started and two separate groups quickly evolved, the first group of five set off at a rapid pace with Jerry leading while the second group of fourteen led by John were more steady, Seefin was the first point gained. A little breather and it was on to Coumfea and then to Knockaunapeebra and some well earned food. The next way point was the Boolas where mother natures gave a good wetting to all in a thunderstorm. On to the gap and up the ridge and

Peaks Mountaineering Club The Old Bog Trot route was retraced on Sunday week last. It was an early start from the County Council depot above Powers

Knockanaffrin next, and after that, it was down hill the rest of the way back to the cars. The evening was only beginning and the meal in Eldon's lounge brought life back to the tired limbs while some much needed liquid refreshment led to tales (tall?) of walks past being recounted. The walking season is now over for this year and normal service will resume in September. Good walking until then and stay safe on the hills.

> ANGER OVER DELAY IN COUNCIL CHEQUES

The wages of some 200 County Council employees were unaccounted for on Friday evening last, 2nd July after postal staff admitted that they did not know where the wages were. The wages of staff at Council offices in Cashel, Cahir and Tipperary were delayed last weekend following a failure with An Post, which resulted in their cheques staying at a sorting office in County Laois. Councillor Mattie McGrath (FF), Chairman South Tipperary County Council contacted An Post about the situation, claimed that he is disgusted at the attitude of An Post due to the fact that it could not account for 200 wage cheques when questioned on the matter on Friday last. Cllr. McGrath (FF) claimed that the gloves have to taken off when dealing with An Post, as they are treating the people of Ireland with contempt.

LOTTO

Numbers drawn 17-20-24. No winners. 5 x E30 winners: Michael G. O'Connor, Ardfinnan; Joan Molloy, Kilmacooma; Mark Grace, c/o Pinewood; Damien O'Donnell, Kilmacooma; Mary Walsh (T), St. Martin's Place.

Jackpot this week E900.

Late Mr. Tobias Hackett

It is with deep and sincere regret the district learned of the death of Mr. Tobias (Toby) Hackett, England and late of Russelstown, Kilmanahan, Clonmel which sad event took place in England when he was domiciled for many years.

Deceased in his late sixties was son of the late John and Bridget Hackett. Toby in his earlier years was employed as a postman at Kilmanahan post office. An outstanding Gael, he was one of the people who got a team officiated to the West Waterford Board (Sean O Mearas) after taking part in the championships for some years, the team went out of existence. he was also associated with an other hurling team from the Kilmanahan areas, the Comeragh Rangers. Many years ago he emigrated to England when he settled down and married a girl from Dungarvan and became a kind and loving husband.

On Wednesday evening, his remains were removed from Cork Airport to O'Donoghues Funeral Home, Clonmel. On Thursday morning, the feast of St. Killian, prayers were recited at 9:30am after which the funeral took place to the Ancient Church of Kilronan where he was laid to rest in the family plot with his parents and cousins. Rev. Fr. Patrick Condon C.C., Fourmilewater/Newcastle officiated at the graveside in the presence of a large concourse of mourners paying their final respects to a Christian friend whose memory they will long treasure.

To his wife and his many relatives we extend our sympathy. Ni fhicimid a leithead in ar measc aris. (Undertakers O'Donoghues, Clonmel)

Late Miss Maureen Savage

It is with deep and sincere regret the district learned of the death of Miss Maureen Savage, Kilballygorman, Ardfinnan, Clonmel which sad event took place at Our Lady's Hospital, Cashel on Friday, 2nd July.

Deceased was a member of a well loved and respected South Tipperary family. A very estimable lady of many charming traits of character. Her gentle, good humoured and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition, commended her to all fortunate to have made her acquaintance. A wonderful neighbour he was always ready with the hand of help, and the district is the poorer of her passing. The measure of the esteem and high regard in which deceased and her family are held was clearly indicated by the representative groups of mourners who were present.

On Sunday evening when her remains after prayers and rosary were recited were removed from Condon's Funeral Parlour, Clonmel to the Parish Church of the Holy Family, Ardfinnan where they were blessed and received by Rev. Canon Patrick Queally P.E. On Monday morning, the feast of St. Peter of Luxemborg, requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of her eternal soul. After mass the funeral took place to Our Lady's Abbey burial ground, Ardfinnan where she was laid to rest. To her family and her many relatives we

extend our sympathy. Ni bheidh a leithead aris ann. (Undertakers Condon's Clonmel)

Well Known Parish Priest Retires

There was much regret in the parishes of Clogheen and Burncourt when they learned of the retirement of their beloved Parish Priest since 19th June 1997. In his youth Fr. Sean Nugent was an outstanding hurler. He won county honours with his native Newcastle and also won a Waterford County title with the other half of the parish Fourmilewater. He maintained his interest in G.A.A. affairs throughout his ministry in every Parish where he served and was always present when Newcastle or Fourmilewater were playing. When he came to Clogheen, Fr. Sheehy honoured him by bestowing on him Honoury President of the club, an honour he appreciated very much. He looked after Parish grounds and church properties in both parishes, they were always in pristine condition.

The finances of the Parishes are in the black, no easy task nowadays. He treated everybody equal, his door was always open to all who wanted to see him. He had a kind and sympathetic approach. Recently he had health problems and needs a

rest from the worry of Parish affairs.

The people of Clogheen/Burncourt wish him many years of health and happiness in his retirement, and to the new Parish Priest Rev. Fr. Patrick Butler P.P., a cead mile failte.

Mass At Ancient Churches

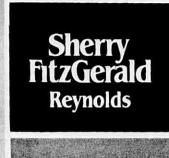
Ancient Church, Cill-Cloggin on Monday evening, 5th July. The Mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle. Fourmilewater Church Choir rendered some beautiful hymns during the Mass. Amplification on the evening was supplied by Sean Condon, Funeral Director, Clonmel.

On Tuesday evening the holy sacrifice of the Mass was celebrated at Bennetts Church Ancient Churchyard. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle assisted by Rev. Fr. Paddy Hallinan, Aughavoulivane, retired Australian mission, there was a good attendance present. Before and after the Mass a decade of the rosary was recited by Fr. Hallinan. Some beautiful hymns were sung by the Fourmilewater choir, the weather for the occasion was just perfect. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P. thanked the Waterford County Council workers under their overseer Patrick (Tyler) Walsh for the wonderful job they did in cleaning the three graveyards, for doing so may the Lord reward them.

On Wednesday evening the holy sacrifice of the Mass was celebrated at the Annual Church of Kilronan. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Patrick Condon C.C. Foumilewater/Newcastle. Hymns were rendered by Fourmilewater Church Choir. There was a Fourmilewater Hurling Club 45 Results

1st on 8 games: Anna Scanlan and Helen Morrissey, Cappoquin; 2nd on 7 games 4 pairs: Pat and Mary Guiry, Rathgormack; Tom and Margaret Brazil, Tourin; Billy Carroll and Jimmy Quinn, Clonmel; Viv Uniack and Phil Duffy, Cappoquin.

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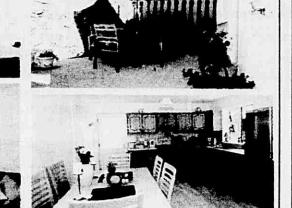
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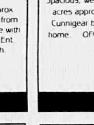
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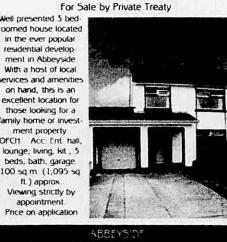
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acres approx. Adjacent to the picturesque Helvic Head and Cunnigear beach, the property is ideal as a holiday or family home. OFCH. Acc Ent. hall, lounge, living, dining, kit./din ing, utility, 4 beds (1 ensuite), bath. 146 sq m. (1,576 sq. ft.) approx Viewing strictly by appointmen



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5 CHILDERS ESTATE, DUNGARVAN, CO. WATERFORD

and sea shore walks, this 5 bedroomed terraced house is located close to all essential amenities The property is in good condition with double glazed windows throughou and oil fired central heating. Private rear garden. lounge, kit./dining, 5 bed: bath. 75 sq.m. (810 sq. ft.) approx. liewing strictly by appoin



Pretty 5 bedroomed semi detached bungalow located in Ring, stones throw from the beautiful West Waterford shore line an Cunnigear beach. The comfortable interior includes a master ensuite bedroom. Located only 5 miles approx. from Dungaryan ESH. Acc Ent. hall, lounge, living/dining. kit., beds (1 ensuite), bath86 sq.m. (935 sq. ft.) approx. Viewing strictly by appointr Price on application



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CAPPOQUIN NOTES

Cappoquin/Affane GAA Club Notes

U13 Munster Community Games Hurling Final

Cappoquin/Modeligo Win Classic Final As They Become First Waterford Side To Annex The Christy Ring Trophy

Cappoquin/Modeligo 2-7 Adare (Limerick) 1-8

At the University grounds in Limerick last Saturday, the Cappoquin/Modeligo side put in a magnificent performance to beat an excellent Limerick side Adare, in the Munster Community Games U13 final to become the first side from County Waterford to lift the County Waterford to lift the Christy trophy. Cappoquin/Modeligo side had the defeat the Clare champions Sixmilebridge/Kilmurray in the quarter final and the Cork champions Clonstead/Kinsale in the semi final. The Adare side defeated Tipp champions Moycarkey/Borris in the quarter final and had a good win over the Kerry champions Kilmoyley/Ardfert in the semi

The Cappoquin/Modeligo side got off to the best possible start in the final, scoring two goals and a point in the first eight minutes. This would knock the stuffing out of any side, but Adare showed their true nettle by storming back into the game and at half time they only trailed by a point on the scoreline 2-2 to 1-4.

The second half was tit for tat as the hurling was out of the top drawer. With five minutes to go the sides were both level at 2-5 to 1-8 but two great points by Walsh and Fives gave the cornerstone lads a wee bit of breathing space. Even though Adare threw everything bar the kitchen sink at the Cappoquin/Modeligo defence in the dying moments, they kept their composure and held rock solid to the finish.

After the final whistle blew, the Cappoquin/Modeligo team captain Fintan Murray received the Christy Ring trophy amidst great scenes of jubilation, the first time for the trophy to come into the Deise County. I could single out players for special preference, but I won't because this was a whole team squad effort, with everyone playing their part and being a hero. The first time a Cappoquin based side qualified for this championship out of Waterford was three decades ago in 1974 when they were beat by the Tipp champions Roscrea. That same year in 1974 Cappoquin were unlucky to lose out by a gaol in the Feile na nGael Division 1 Hurling final to Na Piarsaigh (Cork) at the Gaelic Grounds in Limerick. This is the only Waterford side ever to play in the Division 1 Feile final. The same year Affane won the Senior Waterford Football title. It took us all of twenty nine years to capture the Waterford title again in 2003, who we went on to get beaten by the Cork champions by two points.

For a change Mickey put August diesel in the bus on the way home instead of petrol and what noise he made on his return to the cornerstone town would break the sound barrier. It was fabulous to see all our local supporters congregate at the Square to welcome home the conquering heroes. Our club would like to thank the 'Cornerstone Take Away' and the Central bar on providing food and refreshments for the lads on their return.

Panel: D. Curran, P. O'Rourke, B. Hennessey, R. Buckley, D. Cahalane, F. Murray, D. Murphy, R. McLaughlin, P. Walsh, P.J. Curran, D. Fives, E. McGrath, C. Murray, P. Prendergast, S. O'Donovan, D. O'Connor, D. O'Brien, B. Crotty, S. Hennessy, M.

Brickey Rangers U8 Hurling Tournament

Our U8 hurlers were kindly invited to take part in the Brickey Rangers annual U8 tournament last Saturday. In our group were Abbeyside and Portlaw/St. Mollerans who the lads defeated and Lismore who they lost out to. This left us playing the winners of the other section in the semi final since we were second in our group who were Cois Bhride. The Bridesiders came out on top in this entertaining encounter which put them into the final.

Cappoquin panel: Craig Dunne, Brian Murphy, Sean Meaney, Sean Cullinane, Shane Murray, Maurice Noonan, Aaron O'Sullivan, Dara O'Shea, Eoin Murphy, Mark Costin, Jack Fraher, Luke Parker, Gavin Deevey, Adam Whelan, Simon Power.

U13 Western Hurling Championship (Division 1) Cappoquin 2-7 **Dungarvan 1-8**

At the Sportsfield on Wednesday evening last, both of these sides served up a thoroughly enjoyable game.

Panel: Darren Curran, Ray Hallisey, Colm Looby, Ian Fitzgerald, Rosslen McLaughlin, Pat Fitzgerald, P.J. Curran, Finan Murray, Evan McGrath, Conor Murray, Derek Cahill, Philip O'Rourke, Damien O' Donoghue, David O'Brien, Mike Devine, Dean Whelan.

Western Minor Hurling Championship

On this Wednesday, 14th July Cappoquin will play An Ghaeltacht at the Fraher Field at 7:30pm. Transport will leave the Square at 6:30pm.

Remaining Fixtures 2nd Round – 18th July

Cappoquin a Bye. 3rd Round - Wednesday, 21st

Cappoquin v Fourmilewater in Colligan at 7:30pm. 4th Round - Wednesday, 18th

Cappoquin v St. Olivers in

Clashmore at 7:00pm. 5th Round - Wednesday, 25th

Cappoquin v Stradbally in Colligan at 7:00pm.

Western Minor Football Fix-

1st Round - Wednesday, 4th

Affane v Cois Bhride in Lismore at 7:30pm 2nd Round - Wednesday, 11th

Affane v St. Olivers in Lis-

more at 7:30pm. 3rd Round - Wednesday, 1st September

Affane v Ardmore in Bushy Park at 7:00pm.

The Fraher Field Leagues

Any of our local players, boys and girls, between the ages of 11 and 13 can take part in the Fraher Field leagues on the next four Fridays, July 16th, 23rd, 30th and Friday, 13th August from 10:30am to 2pm. There is no need to book in advance, just go along into the Fraher Field on the day. There is a fee of E2 to be paid on the day when you arrive. Bring your playing gear, helmet, hurley and packed lunch. All sessions will be strictly supervised. Nobody is allowed to leave the ground until 2pm.

Glenshalane Cup

Our own local Hurling league for all players between eight and U12 in the locality will commence next week. Teams will appear in the section of the newspaper.

Lotto Double

At the Central Bar on Monday, 5th July the numbers drawn in the first lotto draw for E10,000 were 14-17-21-25 and there was no jackpot winner. In the second lotto draw for the

prize of E1,600. The numbers drawn were 1-13-14-21 and again there was no jackpot winner. Consolation prizes of E20 went to each of the following: Mick Langford, 4, Main Street; Emer Barrett, Ballinameela; G. O'Riordan, 17, Cois Mara, Dungarvan. This weeks draws were held in the Toby Jug on Monday last, 12th July. Both jackpots stood at E10,000 and E1,800 respectively. Results will appear in this section next

Sports Festival Weekend

Friday, 20th August and Sunday, 22nd August

The above club will hold it's annual sports festival weekend between Friday, 20th August and Sunday, 22nd August. Further details in the coming week, watch this space.

Tickets For All Ireland Hurling Semi Final, Sunday, August

Order your tickets early now for the All Ireland semi final from club secretary Mary Coughlan on 058/54084 or 54307

Three To Answer

1. The son of what former All Ireland Senior winner lined out at right corner forward last Sunday in this years Leinster Senior Hurling final.

2. Who captained Cork to All Ireland Senior and U21 glory in

3. Who was the full back that captained Waterford in the 1992 All Ireland Minor Hurling final and club Mount Sion won the Waterford Minor Hurling County title in 1991.

Answers will appear next

Last Weeks Answers

1. John (Jackson) Kiely was Junior Football title in 1990.

2. Henry and Seamus Downey were the dual players that starred at centre back and full forward when Derry won the Sam Maguire cup in 1993.

brown) is the present manager of the Westmeath Senior Hurling team.

Azzuri Summer Camp

The application forms can still be got from juvenile secre-tary Martina Murphy (087 913400) which will take place from the 26th to 29th July. It is advised to send in the form early with the necessary free for E45 or E40 each if there is more than one per family, so that the kit can be sent out early. It is open to boys and girls aged 6-13 years old and should be sent to Fergus Flynn, 70, Park Avenue, Waterford.

Hurling Championship We played Roanmore in

last and came away with a win. Team: Ian Mason, Colm Looby, Shane Fives, Mikey Fenton, Pat Fitzgerald, Paul Murray, Killian Denn, Shane Power, Mark Landers, David Leahy, Seamus Fitzgerald, Finan Murray, Daithi Wilkinson, Olan Murray, Steven Power, D. Cahill, D. Curran, D. Fives, K. Flynn, L. Coffey.

Monday, 19th - Cappoquin v St. Olivers in Aglish at 7:30pm.

the successful manager when Waterford won the All Ireland

Tom Ryan (Bally-

U16 County Division 1

Cleaboy on Monday evening

Up Coming Fixtures Saturday, 17th July - Cappoquin v De La Salle in the Sportsfield at 7:30pm.

have been issued to players. It's a big time for the club with plans well underway for new facilities and the redevelopment

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Junior Hurling Championship Friday, 16th July Tourin v

Kilrossanty at Cappoquin. Throw in at 7:30pm. All players are asked to be present in Cappoquin no later than 6:45pm.

The club holds its annual

sponsored walk on Sunday,

25th July. All players and mem-

bers are asked to make a big ef-

fort in sponsorship. All cards

Sponsored Walk

RESULTS Results 7-6-04. 1st Stella Howard and Murphy; 2nd Monica O'Sullivan and Brid Bergin; 3rd Des O'Toole and Partner; 4th Alice Butler and Nellie Maloney; 4th John Phelan and Walter Murphy

Results 14-6-04. 1st Moira Ormond and Helen McCarthy; 2nd Walter Murphy and Partner; 3rd Stella Harwood and Brid Bergin; 4th Alice Butler and Nellie Maloney

Results 28-6-04. 1st Des O'-Toole and Mary Radford; 2nd Yvonne Power and Ella Whelan: 3rd Alice Butler and Nellie Maloney; 4th Mel O'Connor and Ann O'Neill.

Cappoquin Macra **Notes**

Love is in the air!

The club would like to congratulate Annette Cliffe and Steve on their recent engagement. Best wishes for the fu-

60th Anniversary Of Macra na Feirme

Also this year represents the 60th anniversary of Macra na Feirme. Waterford Macra are going to celebrate the event with a dinner dance in Lawlors Hotel on the night of the Dungarvan show, 29th July. All are welcome especially past club members. A great night is assured for fine food and great entertainment provided by

Tickets available from Anita at (087) 6722643 or Therese at (087) 2389079.

Club Meeting

Our next club meeting will be on next Friday, 16th July in Affane hall at 9pm.

Cappoquin Community **Development** Company Ltd. **Lotto Results**

Lotto for 12th July - Jackpot E300. No winner. Numbers drawn were 8-15-17. Next weeks lotto jackpot will be E400. Consolation prizes went to John Dalton, Martin Reddy, Paddy Foley, Mairead Morrissey. Next weeks draw will be on Monday, 19th July.



KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

QUESTION

I understand there is a new organisation that deals with compensation claims following an accident at work. How do I claim compensation?

ANSWER

The Personal Injuries Assessment Board (PIAB) is a new statutory body set up to provide independent assessment of personal injury compensation for those involved in workplace, motoring or public liability accidents. From June 2004 all claims for compensation involving workplace accidents must be submitted to the PIAB before taking out legal proceedings. This will be extended to other type of accidents in due course.

If you feel you are entitled to compensation you should make a claim directly to the party that injured you. If you fail to reach a settlement you must submit your claim to the PIAB. You apply to the PIAB on an application form which is available on their website www.piab.ie or from their Helpline at LoCall 1890 829 12 1. With your application form you should send the following:

Medical report form completed by the doctor treating you (When your case is settled you will receive El50 towards the cost of the report).

Copies of any correspondence between you and your employer relating to the accident.

Confirmation from your employer of your loss of earnings. Receipts for any other financial loss you may have incurred.

Any other correspondence or documentation relevant to your claim.

A cheque or postal order forE50 made payable to the PIAB. (You can also pay by credit card).

Your application should be sent to the PIAB at PO Box 8, Clonakilty, Co. Cork. When the PIAB receives your complete application form and other documentation you will be sent a letter explaining the next steps. If your employer wishes to argue legal issues you will be given an Authorisation allowing you to take your case to court, subject to the Statute of limitations. If there are no legal issues, an Assessor will be assigned to your case who determines the award. You have 28 days to decide if you will accept the award. If you do not accept the award you will be authorised to take the case to court if you wish.

Further information is available from the Citizens Information Centre below.

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MONEY MATTERS SCHOOL COSTS

Back to school is the furthest thing from most people's minds at a time when the sun begins to shine and the children begin their summer holidays. Yet, by thinking of it now, you may be able to relieve some of the hardship associated with it in a few months time. For most parents, September brings huge bills. Books, bags, uniforms, runpers, the list seems endless. If there are a less ablidres in the house maybe with someone starting secondary school or a float Leaving Cert Course or Regional Gollege or University, the costs seem insurmountable. To cope with all this, REGULAR SAVING is the answer. It's much better to save, hard as it may seem at the time, than to try to borrow the money at the last minute. There is a huge range of options for this. Post Office, Credit Unions, Banks etc. Most of the shops, which supply schoolbooks, offer saving schemes, as do many of the retailers for school uniforms and clethes. If your income is particularly low, you may be entitled to the Back to School Clothing and Footing Allowance". This is a special supplementary payment that exists to help ease the financial pressure at the beginning of the school year. To apply, contact your local Community Welfare Officer between June 1st. and September 30th.

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

County Waterford Community Based Drugs Initiative

The County Waterford Community Based Drugs Initiative (CW-CBDI) started in 1999 when a group of concerned community activists and members of voluntary and statutory organisations put a proposal together for a drugs initiative to be set up for the County in order to offer a range of responses to issues of substance misuse. The CWCBDI is funded by the SEHB and is managed by the Waterford Regional Youth Service. There is a management committee with representatives from voluntary and statutory bodies from around the County (local community representatives, Dungarvan Youth Project, ICA, IFA, GAA, Waterford County Council, Dungarvan Community Development Project, Probation and Welfare, Gardai, VEC and SEHB). The Project works with communities in Tramore, Dungarvan, Kilmacthomas and Cappoquin. The primary focus of the CWCBDI is to promote prevention of substance misuse through raising awareness in local communities. The CW-CBDI offers the following servic-

- one to one support for individuals and families
- facilitation of parent/family support groups
- information and referral to relevant services
- drug awareness and information programmes for parents, young people, community groups, sports groups and voluntary groups.

gramme for 2004 the County Waterford Community Based Drugs Initiative, in association with the ICA, is running an art competition around the drug awareness theme "My Life My Choice." The competition is open to people aged 10-18 years resident in County Waterford and the aim is to encourage participants to think about the choices they make and the consequences of those choices. It is FREE to enter and there will be 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes for each age group. Winners' posters will be exhibited at the Dungarvan Agricultural Show (at Phelans Field behind Cappagh Post Office) on 29th July 2004.

Entries must be on A4 sized paper only using any medium. Please include your name, address, contact telephone and date of birth on the back. If you would like your poster returned, please include a stamped addressed envelope with your entry. The closing date is: Friday, 23rd July 2004. Entries can he handed in or posted to the Youth Information Centres in (1) Dungarvan at 2 Friary Street or (2) Waterford at 130 The

Quay.

If you would like any further information on the services offered by the County Waterford Community Based Drugs Initiative or on the Art Competition, please contact Ruth Bennett, Community Drugs Worker on 058 48946.

Assurances Sought on Graveyard Maintenance

Local Fine Gael Councillor Damien Geoghegan has sought assurances from officials in both Dungarvan Town Council and Waterford Co Council that the graveyards which are located at Kilrush, Dungarvan and Kilminnion, Ballinroad, will be cleaned up without delay. Cllr Geoghegan, in raising the matter, has highlighted the need for a proper maintenance programme to be put in place in respect of these two old graveyards. "This problem has arisen now for the past number of years, whereby, during the summer months, the grass at these graveyards has been allowed

grow to an unacceptable level. Whilst these graveyards are not in use as frequently as others in the locality, it is important nonetheless for relatives of people buried here, that both local authorities would keep the graveyards maintained to an acceptable standard.

He goes on to say that "some of the oldest and most firmly-established families in both Abbeyside and Dungarvan have relatives buried in these two graveyards and it's a shame, in some cases, to see family members returning home on their annual holidays, and seeing the graveyards in such poor condition."

Funding For Dungarvan and Lismore Roads

By Kevin Kirrane

Five roads each in the Lismore and Dungarvan Electoral Areas will be improved under the Local Improvement and Community Involvement Schemes, Waterford County Council has amounced.

In Dungarvan, sixteen applied dations to be part of the schemes were received, and road works in Mount Stuart, Grange, Ballyeelinane Ardmore, Kinsalebeg, and Curradarra in Aglish will be completed this year.

A further five will be completed in the Lismore area. These are located in Ballyduff, Ballysaggart, Affane and Lackaroe. One will be completed in the Kilmacthomas area.

Vincent O'Connor, Senior Engineer with Waterford County Council, said the local contributions will account for 10% of the cost of the work up to 25,393 and 15% above this figure.

Additional funding of 50% of the estimated cost is available for Local Improvement Schemes in the CLAR areas of Waterford this year, he said.

"In order that maximum benefit can be obtained from the CLAR grants, priority has been given to proposals in the District Electoral Divisions comprising the County Waterford CLAR area."

The Local Improvement Scheme programme includes seven roads in the CLAR areas.

DISABILITY AWARENESS

FIBROMYALGIA

What is Fibromyalgia?

Fibromyalgia is a common musculoskeletal pain and fatigue disability for which the cause is still unknown. Fibromyalgia means pain in the muscles, ligaments and tendons (the fibrous tissues in the body). This disability was previously known as Fibrositis, meaning that there is inflammation in the muscles, but research has found that inflammation did not exist. Most people that have Fibromyalgia will ache all over, sometimes their muscles twitch and at other times they burn. Research has shown that women are affected more than men, and the disability will affect all age groups. At present there is no known cure for Fibromyalgia, and it is usually a lifelong disability. What are the symptoms of Fibromyalgia?

Fibromyalgia is association with pain, which can take various forms, such as deep muscular aches, stabbing or throbbing. The symptoms also include the following:

- Pain and stiffness of upper back, shoulders, neck and joints
- Sleep disorders
- Fatigue
- Chronic Headaches
- Irritable Bowel
- Facial and Jaw pain
- Numbness and Tingling in the hands and feet
- Clumsiness
- Chest pains
- Difficulty with concentration and memory loss

Some people may also be extra sensitive to weather changes, noise, light and smoke.

How is Fibromyalgia diagnosed?

It can be difficult to diagnose Fibromyalgia, as it is not possible to diagnose the condition with blood tests or with x-rays. The usual way of testing for the disability is to consider the person medical history (this includes any history of widespread pain in all four quadrants of the body for at least three months). And another way of diagnosis is by pressing of the known tender points on the body.

What causes Fibromyalgia?

The causes of this disability are unknown, but there are many triggering events thought to precipitate its onset. An example of these triggering events may be an infection (viral or bacterial), an accident, rheumatoid arthritis or lupus. These do not cause Fibromyalgia, but they can awaken an underlying physiological abnormality that's already present in the form of genetic predisposition.

Treatment and Outlook for Fibromyalgia

Treatment includes reducing stress levels, and learning self-management techniques. Exercise and a healthy diet can help to manage pain, but most people with Fibromyalgia will know that certain daily tasks will make the pain worse, such as looking at a computer screen for long periods of time.

Some treatments such as acupuncture, acupressure, nutrition, relaxation, osteopathic manipulation, chiropractic care, therapeutic massage, or a gentle exercise program will help alleviate pain and stress. Other treatments that will help to alleviate the symptoms of Fibromyalgia are prescribed paintifiers and medications that will help to improve the quality of sleep. Research over the past ten years has seen an increase in interest into this disability and there are studies being carried out to advance the understanding of Fibromyalgia.

(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 and Mental Health). For further

Learning and Mental 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).

The €15 winners were:

Jim Daly, Ballysaggart

Linda Buckley, New St

Michael Hickey, Deepark

Denis Morrissey, Bank Field.

only €1.50 each and all pro-

ceeds go back into the future

development of the Club. If

C.L.C.G na nOg LIOS MÓR/BAILE ná SAGGART

Summer Camps:

A A summer camp this year. As

well as the coaching skills all

participants receive a Waterford

Kit. This includes jersey, shorts,

socks and a kit bag. Sponsor-

ship is by the Munster Council

Under 16:

Our next game is at home to

Ballygunner on Monday 19th

July 04 at 7.30 p.m. On Mon-

day last we played Mount Sion

D Pratt, N Ahearne S O'Ke-effe, S O'Grady, S Leahy, D

Leahy, D Devine, P Bennett, S

Mangan, M Behegan, C O'Gorman, K Mangan, J Prendergast,

Cappoquin at home. This game

Minor:

gan at 7.30 p. m. on tonight

Wednesday 14th July 04. This is the first game in the Minor championship A group. The

group has only four teams Abbeyside, Ballyduff, Lismore

LISMORE

Lismore have been knocked

out of this years Inter Commu-

nity Litter Challenge by Kil-

macthomas. The judges assessed the two towns last

week and awarded Kilmac-

thomas a massive 93 points.

This huge total reflects the ef-

fort made by their community

and is totally deserved. While

we were just a few points be-

hind, this result must serve as a reminder that we cannot take

success for granted. Best of

The results of Ireland's Best

Kept Towns competition were

announced recently in Belfast.

Lismore was judged on the

13th and 23rd of May and we won 217 points out of a possible 250. This is an improve-

ment of 9 points on last year's

total. However, Keadue, Co.

Roscommon (last year's Tidy

Towns winners) received 221

Judging for the new 'Pride of

Place' competition will take

place between 2.00pm and

5.30pm on Thursday 28th July.

Firstly, the judges will be given

a presentation outlining what

this community has achieved to

date. Then they will be given a

walk around the town to high-

light the effort that Lismore

people are prepared to make to

enhance the town for the bene-

fit of the community and

tourists alike.

points to take the overall title.

luck to Kilmac' in the final.

Best of luck to the Minors who play Abbeyside in Colli-

away team was as follows:

J Nugent and M Shanahan. Under 13: On Thursday 15th we play

goes ahead at 5.00p.m.

and Naomh Brid.

and Azuri

An excellent turnout for the G

you're not in, you can't win.

Remember lotto tickets are

LISMORE NOTES

.L.C.G. LIOS MOR

American Tea Party

The club are hosting a fundraising American Tea Party in the Community Centre on Friday 23rd July at 8.30 p.m. Music & bar will also be provided on the night. Tickets are €20 each. The event is proving quite popular at the moment and if anyone has "escaped" being asked and would like to attend, please contact one of the officers of the Club. All are welcome and a great night is assured.

Senior Hurling Championship Our hurlers took to the field on Friday evening to play Ardmore in the Qualifier round of this year's championship. We got off to a good start and led by 1-10 to 0-9 going in at half time. However as the game progressed Ardmore pulled away in the final minutes with the final score reading Ardmore 0-19 Lismore 1-14. All is not lost as we now enter the "Loosers Group" Section and go on to play neighbours Ballyduff in

the next round. Team: Brendan Landers, Anthony Whelan, Shane Kearney, Mark O'Sullivan, Peter Howard, James O'-Connor, William Cunningham, Paul Prendergast, David O'-Gorman, Dan Shanahan, David Howard, James Shanahan, John Heneghen, Dave Bennett, Brendan Bennett. Subs Used Mike O'Sullivan for P. Howard, Michael Walsh for James Shanahan.

Intermediate Hurling League Our Intermediate Hurlers will play St. Mary's in Tourneena this Saturday night at 8.00 p.m.

Tickets Liz is now taking names for tickets for the All-Ireland Semi-Final. Anyone who wishes to have their name in for tickets please contact Liz on 53481 or 087-7989934 as soon as possi-

Lotto There was no winner of the

€4600 jackpot on Monday night. Next week's jackpot will

Summer Camp

It's Summer Camp time again and in it's third years. Aislin's Summer Camp is back again and better than ever. If your child is 'bored' already, well come along and join us staring on Monday, 12th July in St. Carthage's Hall, Lismore (next to Heritage

There will be activities to suit 3-13 years such as team games, entertainment, movement to sound, tiny tots activities, face painting, arts and crafts, music, dance, drama, educational events, co-ordinated games, party day, exhibition (during festi-

With the camps success from previous years, booking will be taken over the phone, so please contact Aislin on 087-9984696. The camp is running for 7 weeks from 12th July to 27th August. Please book early.

Lismore Camogie Notes

Our Juniors played their championship match on Wednesday night last against An Rinn in Touraneena. Lismore played well in the first half, going in at half time a point up but in the second half Ring showed their strength on top and stretching away to a convincing win in the final minutes. It is great to see our club fielding in Junior once more and especially great to see some of our players coming out of retirement for the occasion!

The Senior team took to the field on Monday night against Portlaw in the first round of the qualifiers. Lismore won this game easily on a scoreline of 7-14 to 1-0. They now play Gaultier in their next match on Monday night next and a victory in this game would earn them a place in the county semi final.

The U12 County final will be played this Thursday night at 6:30pm in Dungarvan G.A.A. field against Butlerstown.

Best of luck to the Lismore girls who are invovled with the U16 team who are playing Roscommon, in the All Ireland semi final on Saturday. The players involved are Aisling O'Brien, Shelly Keane, Kate Heneghan, Tricia Broderick, Tanya Morrissey, Jenny Houlihan.

We would ask that everyone would support our Church gate collection which is being held this weekend, Saturday 17th and

Congratulations to Sean O'Grady who was the winner of our golden goal competition and also Tom Duggan, Jim Russell, John Rourke, Cliona Murphy who were the prize winners in our recent draw. Thanks once more to everyone for their continued support.

St. Carthage's House **Progressive 45 Results**

31st June - Winners: Nellie Brackett, Jo Lineen, Mary Power, Jackie Houlihan, Tommie Nugent, Jack Cotter, Mick Pratt. Kitty Crowley.

Raffle: Lena Jeffers, Kathleen Coleman, Phyllis Duffy. Lucky tables: Jim Russell, Helen Cunningham, Esther Walsh, Mary Whelan.

5th July - Winners: Jackie Houlihan, Mary Power, Mick Pratt, Kitty Crowely, Phyl Duffy, Vivian Uniacke.

Raffle: Helen Cunningham, Billy Coughlan, Mossie O'Brien. Lucky tables: Mossie O'Brien, Tim Hegarty, Pad Walshe, Liz

Lismore Golf News Results

Tuesday Bacon, John Whelan, John O'Mahony, & John O'-Gorman, Thurs July 8th Open Keniry Qualifiers, Brendan Landers, A Whelan, & Richard O Keeffe. Sat 10th 18 Hole Singles V Par. 1st Marty McNamara (14) 3 Up

Fixtures

Tuesday Bacon, Thursday Course Closed, Friday 16th, Saturday 17th, & Sunday 18th Captains Prize (Mr. Shaun Moynihan).

CAPTAINS PRIZE WEEKEND FRI 16TH, SAT 17TH & SUN 18th

We had a relatively quiet week in our lead up to our Captain's Prize, kindly presented by Mr Shaun Moynihan. In our Juniors Barry Moroney (37) took the boys honours with a 73 net, while the runner up was Kevin Curley (37) with 75 net. The girl's winner was Nicola

our Keniry Qualifier, the main man was hurling star Brendan Landers (14) with a super 41 points. The runner up was Anthony Whelan and the gross qualifier was Leeds united die hard Richard O'Keeffe. In our one day competition on Saturday, local lad Marty McNamara was the winner with an impressive 3 up. Next weekend the major prize of the year is being competed for, namely our Captains Prize kindly presented by Mr Shaun Moynihan. There is a time sheet posted in the clubhouse (058-54026) The draw for partners and exact times will take place at 9.00 pm on Thursday in the clubhouse.

LISMORE LADIES **GOLF CLUB**

Wed 7th July 18 Hole Stroke (Medal) Members Prize 1st Fiona Howard (9) 66 nett;

Morrissey (36) with 74 net. In 2nd Berna Peterson (29) 67 nett B9; 3rd Gertrude Florack (20) 67 nett L6

Ted Keniry Qualifier 1st Marie Walshe (Fermoy)

Sunday 11th July Open Day 3 Ball Better Ball

Sponsored by Cahills Shop 1st Marie Condon (19) Breda Foley (Cahir Park) (27) Pauline Mulcahy (Cahir Park) (34) 57pts; 2nd Bernie Burke (25) Mary TJ Murphy (36) Mary E Murphy (Youghal) (36) 56pts

Gross Breda McCarthy (Dungarvan) (6) Betty O'Brien (Dungarvan) (8) Shieve O'Meara (Fermoy) (12) 41pts; 3rd Nora O'Sullivan (20 Margaret Morrissey (22) Anne Bennett (27) 55pts

Fixture

Wed 14th July 18 Hole Stroke Ballyin Cup

Wed 28th July Open Day -FourBall Sponsored by AIB Lismore



Lady Captains Prize at Lismore Golf Club, kindly presented by Gerty Murphy. Seated (left to right) Eileen Tinnelly (Past Captain), Ann Bennett (winner) Gerty Murphy, Lady Captain, Mary Murphy (2nd) and Linda Owens (3rd); standing: Daphne Power (B.Gross), Joan Cahillane (Cat.1), Sheila Denn (5th), Ann Rochford (4th), and Patrica Doyle (Cat.3). - (Photo: Sean Byrne.

Sparkling Times For Lismore Choir

A joyous, memorable and inspiring year of musical activities, fun and camaraderie, tempered by the sad loss of O'Brien, was reflected on by the members of Lismore Choir who attended their annual general meeting, held on June 30 in the Devonshire Arms Hotel, Tallow.

This past year, which marked the choir's twenty-first anniversary of it foundation by John Wales, showcased the range of talents and abilities of this dedicated group of music lovers who were tutored and directed once more by their hugely talented and much appreciated musical director Cian O'Con-

Highlights of the year included the ever-popular Christmas concerts in historic Lismore Castle with guest artist Eliza-

beth Woods, the Convent Garden-based Irish soprano, who looks set to become a star of the future.

successful and enjoyable trip to the romantic Czech capital Prague in April where a joint concert with a Czech University choir and a night out in St. Carthage's Catholic Church. Lismore accompanied by guest artist Helen Hassett, Pauline Frizelle, The Four Seasons Orchestra and organist Dr. Colin Nicholls, provided the audience with an entrancing full performance of Vivaldi's Gloria. The business of the A.G.M. also involved a discussion of plans for performances and activities for the coming year, and the elections of officers. The coming year's exciting programme, details of which will be published at a later date, you are interested.

promises audiences very special musical treats. Watch this space!

Officers for the year: Chair-Vice Chairperson - Tony Hickey; Secretary - Noreen Hamilton; Assistant Secretary - Kay Twomey: Treasurer Bernadette White; Assistant Treasurer - Tricia Geary; PRO - Caroline Sheehan and Geraldine Coughlan; Ex officio -Donal Kennefick.

Rehearsals will recommence on Wednesday, September 8th at 7:30pm at St. Patrick's Hall, Tallow. New members are eagerly sought, in view of the musical challengers of the year ahead, with tenors and bass voices being especially welcome. Contact secretary Noreen Hamilton 058-59240 or PRO Caroline Sheehan 025-36571 if

New €1.6m Revenue Customs Cutter RCC Suirbhéir and Air & Sea Rescue Helicopter add to Festivities for . . .

DUNGARVAN BAY SWIM

The arrival of the €1.6m state-of-the-art Revenue Customs Cutter RCC Suirbhéir created great excitement on Helvick Pier on Sunday last July 11th, on the occasion of the RNLI Dungarvan Fundraising Branch 10th Annual Sponsored Swim across the bay from Ballinacourty to Helvick Pier.

And that was on the seas! Overhead the Air & Sea Rescue Helicopter circled, trailing the brilliant tricolour on top of the RNLI weighted flag creating the most amazing movements in the air, more graceful than the finest ballet dancer the world has ever known.

What a welcome for the twenty-three swimmers who had trained so hard for this great fundraising event, and for the men, women and children who had gathered from the four corners of Ireland and beyond. A journalist from the Boston Globe was overwhelmed by this great show of community spirit. " Indeed the amount of people involved in organizing the event was phenomenal" explained RNLI Hon Fundraising Chairperson Séamus Corcoran, "and the groundswell of support from everybody throughout the year is fabulous."

For months preparations had been under way for the swim, the date had finally dawned and everybody's prayers for a fine day were answered.

The Jocanti under the captaincy of John Mansfield and his son Conor, looked splendidly bedecked with celebratory bunting under the official flag of the Dungarvan Harbour Sailing Club, as she set out down the harbour from Davitt's Quay. The Manse was in his element, proudly playing host to this writer and to Tess Robertson as we motored down the channel to Ballinacourty leaving the changing skyline of Dungarvan and Abbeyside behind us.

The sponsored swimmers and ed in Ballinacourty Pier, ready to go to the starting point off the Lighthouse. As the order came over the VHF to proceed, the Jocanti led the way followed by over thirty-two boats and swimmers ready to enter the water. However the official starter in his anxiety failed to ignite the starting flare, the trigger mechanism failed, but the situation was rectified immediately thereafter by the RNLB Alice & Charles crew who smartly came to the rescue and saved the day - they launched a Parachute Flare and the 10th Annual Swim began.

Conditions were perfect, with slightly overcast skies and a light NW breeze which



favoured the swimmers. As we made our way across the bay towards Helvick Pier, followed by the flotilla of boats, we marvelled at spectacular feat of human endurance displayed by the athletes in the water, while being served wonderful beverages and delicious lunch on board the Jocanti by Capt. Mansfield on plates with a nautical theme over the Gain-

As we entered Helvick Pier, The Dungarvan Brass Band were playing in the early afternoon sunshine, and the tantalising aroma of the BBQ wafted with the strains of the music in the air. There was much to see and do, with the colourful RNLI Souvenir Stand, and Facepainters, and the delectable array of sandwiches and beverages on the Ladies' Committee stall. The Mad Hatter aka Michael Wright with disco setup, had people dancing on the pier, and laughing at his quick

The Sponsored Swimmers were Clare Morrissey, Micheál Curran, Kolette Enright, Eddie O'Mahony, Mel Shanley, James Twomey, Paul O'Gorman, Margaret O'Carroll, Marilla Keating, Aisling Power, David Moloney, Laurence Boland, David Connors, Shiela Walsh, Gillian Lea, Hannah Glynn, Richie Hayes, Darren Ó Droma, Terry Fleming and friends from Cork Masters Swim Club.

After all the swimmers were safely ashore, there was a Flare Demonstration with Green Parachute Flares, Mini Flares and White Hand Held Flares; children's faces transformed by the facepainters, were transfixed by the wonder of the missiles whizzing lithely high into the sky, while Baile na nGall born Maggie Breathnach and

her crew from TG4 filmed some footage for a TV programme to be aired in January 2005.

In his expression of gratitude Station Chairman Tom MacHugh said "A dhaoine muinteartha, thar Cheann Coistí Heilbhic den RNLI, gabhaim bhuíochas libh go léir as an dtacaíocht a thug sibh don ócáid seo inniú.

"On behalf of the Committee of the Helvick Head RNLI Station I wish to thank you for your support today. Tá ár mbuíochas tuillte ag an lucht snámh agus ag na daoine a thug urraíocht dóibh. Go dtaga Dia an tsláinte agaibh.

Because the RNLI is a charity it depends on events such as this to provide funds and we thank of course the swimmers and their sponsors. "Tá daoile eile a chabhraigh linn —na bádóiri, an Chosaint Shiabhialta—criú an Bháid Tarrthála, gan trácht ar an mbanthacht agus na fir a chabhraigh leo chun dia agus deoch a chuir ar fail ar praghas íseal. Ní dhearmúdfaimid an Banna Ceóil a sheinn ceol binn ceolmhar í rith an lae.

"We are grateful to all who helped make the day a success, boatmen, Civil Defence, lifeboat crew, not forgetting those hardworking ladies and gentlemen who provided food and drink at affordable prices, souvenir sellers, face painters, the Dungarvan Brass Band. We acknowledge the enormous support from the national and local media including the Dungarvan Leader, Dungarvan Observer, WLRfm and CRY.

"We thank the RCC Surbhéir, the Search & Rescue Helicopter crew for their presence, we are well aware of all the calls made on them for help, and we appreciate their attendance. We are

grateful to our sponsors Finches, Dawn Meats, Showerings-United Beverages, Florries Centra Dungarvan, Spar Báile na nGall, Cash & Carry Dungarvan, Herlihy's Super Valu, Joan Clancy, Eddie Keane Suir Vend, Sony Ireland, The Moorings Bar & Bistro, The Anchor, Tig Murrithe Helvick, Michael Hogan for the PA system; Na Gardaí Siochana, Civil Defence, Clare Morrissey, skippers of boats, Michael Wright, and everybody for their unfailing support throughout the year.

"Arís gabham buíochas dibh to léir, to bfága Dia an tsláinte agaibh, go dteí sibh slán abhaile agus go mbeirimíd beo ar an am seo arís.

Catering: Olivere Walsh, Eileen Moloney, Mary Condon, Audrey Kelly, Norah Walsh, Olivia Flynn, Rita Drummy, Mary Rose Drummy, Uta Groening, and also Mary Daly, Elizabeth Daly, Peter Taylor, Michael Daly, Michael Daly Junior, Fergal Brasil from DHSC.

Face painters: Rosemary Clancy, Siúbhan Nielsen, Fionnuala Breathnach, Jenny Murphy. Ticket sellers: Sinéad Ní Faoláin, Blawnin Clancy, Margaret O'Riordan, Catherine Harty, Cait Whelan.

Fundraising Committee: Hon Chairperson Séamus Corcoran, Hon Sec Clare Morrissey, Hon Treasurer Sinéad Moore, Hon Press Officer Joan Clancy, Hon Souvenir Sec Eibhlín Uí Corraoin; Committee Members Sinéad Ní Faoláin, Áine Uí Faoláin, Mary Fuller, Dolores Walsh, Bríd Hughes, Paul O'-Gorman.

The RNLI is a very worthy cause, comprised of men and women who volunteer their services three hundred and sixty-five days a year, often risking their lives to save life at sea in all kinds of weather.

THE ALZHEIMER SOCIETY OF IRELAND WEST WATERFORD BRANCH HOME CARE SERVICE



Pictured above is Mary Foley, proprietor of Paddy Foley's Bar, Grattan Sqaure, Dungarvan, presenting Liam Douglas, Chairman West Waterford Alzheimer Home Care Service, with a cheque the proceeds of a series of table quizzes held in the Bar. Also included is Anita Coleman, Paddy Foley's.

We would like to thank all our supporters and sponsors for their help in our recent table quiz series in Paddy Foley's Pub.

A big thank you to Mary Foley and her dedicated staff, to all our sponsors, The Park Hotel, Mick Irwin, The Gold Coast, Ger Wyley's, Guinness and Heineken, Tess Shine, Mary Foley. To our ticket sellers Claire Dee, Timmy Kiely, J.J. Henley, Koffee Corner, Paddy Foley's staff, Anne O'Shea, Alicia Brown, Mickey Ahearne, Caroline Daly, the staff of Garvey's Super Valu and committee members, and of course, to our quiz master J.D. O'Shea.

List of prize winners — Imperial Hotel: Madge Dee; T.V. and D.V.D. Combo: Jack Woods; Meal for 2 in Gold Coast: Brendan Delaney; Official Ireland Jersey: K. Broderick; Voucher for Ger Wyley: Evelyn Keane; Slab Carlsberg: Paddy Tutty; Heineken Sports Bag: Evelyn Tutty; Bottle Whiskey: Marie Murphy; T-Shirt & Baseball Hat: Richard Power; Windcheater: Stephen Barry; Tin of Biscuits: Paul Marks; Bottle of Wine: Lorraine Power.

Once again thank you all for your continued support of Alzheimer Home Care Service.

Niall Toibin Live at The Park Hotel

Niall Toibin, the well-known actor and comedian will visit Dungarvan on sunday July 25th with his one-man show.

Since he began his professional career with Radio Eireann Players, Niall Toibin has gained worldwide recognition as an actor, comedian, commentator, and writer through his stints with the Abbey, the British National Theatre, on Broadway, In Germany, Russia, Australia, Israel, and throughout the United States and Canada.

His reputation is further enhanced by regular television

hanced by regular television appearances down the years in "The Irish RM", "If the Cap Fits", "Time now Mr. T", "Stay Lucky", "Bracken", "Ballykissangel", and odd appearances in "Coronation Street", "Casualty", "The Clinic" and other series.

His playing of Brendan Behan in "Borstal Boy" has long been part of theatrical history, not to say forklore.

Audiences worldwide have seen him in works ranging from Behan to Shakespeare, Neil Simon to Eugene O'Neill, Beckett to J.B. Keane, Friel to Leonard, O'Casey to Tom Murphy and Synge to Burrows.

His one-man shows have delighted Irish audiences since "Confusion" first opened in 1971 at the Gaiety. He is a hilarious cabaret entertainer and after dinner speaker.

From "Ryans Daughter" to "Veronica Guerin", he has starred in over 50 movie productions with such household names as Tom Cruise, Pierce Brosnan, Richard Burton, Laurence Olivier, Siobhan McKenna and Anna Manahan.

He has done it all bar opera, strip-tease and ballet, and you never know it's not too late yet!

TALLOW NOTES

TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE BINGO

The jackpot next weekend is €2,100 on 48 calls. BRIDEVIEW UNITED

A.F.C. NOTES

Pepsi Summer Camp - Big Crowd In Brideview Park -After a lapse of almost two years Brideview Park opened with a bang on Monday morning last with the start of the Pepsi Soccer Summer Camp. Let's hope the weather holds up for the week. The camp begins at 10:30am each morning and finishes at 3:30pm. We will come back to this again next

week in more detail. Ladies Busy - Our ladies team are busy at the moment and they were in action again on Tuesday night in Youghal and could be in action again on Thursday night. Some new faces were brought into the team for Tuesday night last but we will have a full report on these games next week.

Gone To The Dogs - The local syndicate pulled off a big win in Youghal last week. Rumour has it that they cleaned up as they were seen counting it. Ha! Ha!

Lotto Jackpot €3,000 -Last weeks numbers 9-17-18-19. No winner. Match 3 winners were Daniel O'Brien, Colin Cunningham and Eileen Martin. This weeks draw will take place in the Corner House on Friday night at 10:00pm.

Congratulations — To Caroline and Harry Milward on the happy event of the birth of a bouncing baby boy.

Best Wishes - Our best wishes go to Carmel Devine and Ian McIntosh who got married on Saturday last. Here's to a long and happy life together from all in Brideview Utd.

B.B.C. — No, it's not the telly we are talking about, it's a Fun Day plus a big B.B.Q which will take place in Brideview on Sunday, August 29th from 3 till 6pm. More news on this later but weather permitting it should be a great day.

Birthday Greetings Ashleigh Sheehan who was 11 years old on Tuesday last. Well done Ashleigh. Birthday greetings also to Michael Curley who will be celebrating his 18th birthday on this Friday with a party in Lizzy Langton's.

Managers Wanted - Want to manage a team for the coming season? At the moment the club are looking for managers for their Premier and Second Division teams and also for the clubs Youth team. Interested, then get in touch with either Mick Sheehan or Liam Fraser immediately.

Pre Season Matches - The club will be having some pre season games in early August as the club will be anxious that all teams will be well prepared for this coming season. The club are hopeful that we will have some new faces on some of our teams for the coming

U8, U9 and U10s - These players will be in action very shortly. The first games are on next Tuesday night away to Ardmore.

The Girls On The Move -The girls were playing in Youghal on Tuesday night and could have a second game this weekend.

C.L.G. TULACH A

Tallow G.A.A. monthly committee meeting will take place on Thursday at 9:00pm in St. Patrick's Hall.

Duirt Siad - "I'm not putting pressure on you, but if we lose this it will set us back four years" - Johnny to Teddy.

'What do you mean you're not putting pressure on me?" -Teddy back.

"If I go to the dogs they have numbers and names. If I go to the horse racing the horses have numbers and names. How come we can't have something in this game with numbers and names?" - Thinker Mike Prendergast on the lack of a programme or even an information

CLG TULACHAN **IARAINN - SPONSORED** BY TALLOW AREA **CREDIT UNION**

Senior Hurling Championship: - Improved Second Half Performance Sees Tallow Through - Tallow 3-9, Fourmilewater 1-9 - Tallow were under no illusions about the task that faced them going in to this championship game against last years semi-finalists Fourmilewater in the Fraher Field on Saturday evening Following an indifferent first half performane which saw the teams level at half time, Tallow made some changes and upped their performance considerably after the break to see them through to the next phase of the championship and clear of a dreaded relegation dog fight.

Tallow began with the dubious advantage of a strong breeze but it was Fourmile who opened the scoring with a point from Declan Spellman after a few minutes. James Murray pointed from play shortly after and further points from the Kearney twins, Paul and Aidan, and Paul O'Brien had Tallow 4points to one ahead after fifteen minutes of play. Shane Walsh, who was causing Tallow all kinds of problems as he battled robustly for possesion, slapped over a free to reduce the lead but it was but a brief reprieve before Paul Kearney goaled for Tallow.

While Tallow looked to be in control leading by 5 points with ten minutes of the half remaining there was no fluidity or cohesion in play and the contribution of a whistle happy referee did not help this. It was Shane Walsh again who put his side back into contention with a goal and a point reducing the Tallow lead to the minimum. A Paul Kearney free doubled it but a two point cushion facing into that wind was hardly going to be enough.

Tallow would not even have this luxury however as Fourmile refused to be shaken and levelled the game with points from Shane Walsh(65) and Brian Wall as a fairly uninspiring half hours hurling came to a close, 1-5 each.

Tallow retired to the dressing room for the break and there were some among us in the stand who expected the door of same to be rendered from its hinges. Not so. Calm prevailed

Committee Meeting — The in the Tallow dressing room as Teddy and Johnny reappraised the situation and as they say took corrective action.

Stalemate endured for the first seven minutes of the half but the introduction of Sean Slattery was soon to pay dividends when he slotted over the first vital point since the changeover. Although Fourmilewater took the lead with two points from Shane Walsh(who else?), Tallow's tactics and half time changes were paying off and they were playing a more controlled game into the wind which had diminished somewhat in any case.

With William Murphy withdrawn to a deeper role Tallow crowded the midfield area giving more space for their forwards to operate in while the half back line of Paul Murray ,Dave O'Brien and Shane "Gleannaglough" McCarthy were starting to impose their authority on the game. James Murray too was powering into the game at midfield and it wasn't long before Tallow were back level.

As gaps opened in the Fourmilewater defence Paul O Brien was fouled as he cut through the breach bound for goal.Paul Kearney pointed the resulting free but it was just one occasion of many where the advantage should have been played and the game should have been let flow. Tallow's growing dominance was rewarded when "Ringo" Kearney latched on to a Mark Geary clearance and blasted clinically to the net for a pivotal score as the game entered the final quarter. "That's more like Tallow hurling' somebody behind me shouted .

And it was. "Slats" was winning vital possesion in the air while "Bashe" roaming like a predator picked off another point to further weaken the Fourmilewater resistance. At the other end of the field the Tallow backline looked composed and Barry Power was able for anthing thrown at him. Paul Kearney increased Tallow's lead to five points and while Shane Walsh's pointed 65 kept his sides flickering hopes alive the tide had truly turned.

"Basher" struck again when he got a touch to long ball in from James Murray and directed it to the net to put the issue beyond doubt. Fourmilewater had the final consolation point but it was too little too la

This was an important win for our senior squad. Defeat here would have set things back immeasurably. All credit to the squad, Coach Teddy McCarthy and selectors Johnny Geary and Timmy Sheehan .Teddy has a great passion for the game and along with Johnny and Timmy has put in tremendous work. Not forgetting the backroom team of Johnny "Stats" Curley and Denny Cunningham. And of course our wonderful medical officer Georgina. Buiochas

leo go leir. Tallow: Barry Power, Will McDonnell, Stuart Barry, Mark O Brien, Paul Murray, James Beecher, Shane "Gleannaglough" McCarthy, James Mur-

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ray (0-1), Mark Geary, William Murphy, Brian Henley(1-1), Aidan Kearney(1-1), Paul O'Brien(0-1), Dave O Brien, Paul Kearney(1-4), Sean Slattery(0-1)Wm. Henley, John Cunningham, Colin Cunningham, Terence McSweeney, Eamonn Forbes, Shane "Finn" McCarthy (inj).

THE LATE JOHN CLANCY

On Friday morning last we laid to rest John Clancy in his native Abbeyside. Two years ago, and before that twenty, since I last met him, at the All-Ireland semi-final between Waterford and Clare. How he would love to have been at the

A talented hurler in his day he played for his club Abbeyside and hurled minor for Waterford before like so many others young men of the day he left for the U.S. in the mid 50's. where he served his time in the armed forces before setting up in business.In those early years he shared an appartment with Mike Prendergast and other young Waterford immigrants who are to this day the backbone of the Waterford GAA in New York.

A tough but skilful hurler he wore the blue and white of his native county in New York for many years. He was a good friend to young immigrants and was always on hand to help out with advice or to provide a job.

I worked for him myself in his bar The Emerald Stone on 39th street by the Port Authority. Despite his many years abroad his heart was at home and he visited his beloved village Abbeyside regularly, coming home for good in 1999.

Farewell John. We will think of you on the 8th of August in Croke Park.

Tallow G.A.A. club extends deepest sympathy to the Clancy familyAbbeyside.Ar dheis lamh De go raibh a anam uasal.

TINKER'S IN TOWN

In case you haven't noticed the man is back. Mike and his wife Mary are home on holidays and will be with us until after the All-Ireland semi-final. They enjoyed Tallows win on Saturday. We hope they enjoy their stay.

TALLOW GAA LOTTO Supported by Kearney's Restaurant and held on 5 July. Numbers Drawn: 1, 4, 12, 14. No jackpot winner. Consolation prizes: Bridie Martin, Vincent O Connell, Noel O Brien, Dean & Rachael Hennesy. Promoter:

Martin Sheehan. 12/7/04 Jackpot: E6,550. Results next week

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH HALL TALLOW

Progressive '45 Results July 7th - 1st John McCarthy and Mary Curley; 2nd and 3rd divided by Mary Allen and Paddy Dubby; Josie Curley and Maire Lyons; Viviane and Phil Table prize Mary Staham and Nan Kelly Raffle Winners: Bobby Mangan; Viviane Uniacke and Mary Mangan

Cards every Wednesday at 8.30pm.

KCK Athletic Club News

Double Silver For Brenda Doherty At National Championships

The club had two athletes at the National Juvenile Track and Field Championships in Tullamore on Saturday and Sunday last. Brenda Doherty had a brilliant weekend taking home two All-Ireland medals. Brenda won her heats in the 100 and 200 metres on her way to the final where she had a super run in both events and narrowly missed the gold medals in both



Brenda Doherty, K.C.K. Athletic Club, who took silver medals in both the 100 and 200 metres at the National Tack and Field Championships in Tullamore last weekend. Aoife McCormack was our second competitor competing in the girls under-17 1500 metres. This was a very fast race and Aoife had a very

> seventh place. Next weekend it's the turn of the 9 to 13 age groups and we wish the best of luck to Claire Morrissey and Stephe Power in their quest for gold. Congratulations to Siobhán and Garry McCormack on their new arrival, a baby boy.

fine performance to finish in

Bonmahon Notes

BONMAHON LIFE-GUARD CLUB

1,500 metres at the

All Ireland in Tullamore

last weekend.

Annual Mass and blessing took place at the Lifeguard Station last Sunday in glorious sunshine. Secretary P. J. O'Shea was delighted with the turn out and the number of people that attended the Mass. Local priest, Fr. Greg Power celebrated the Mass on this occasion. Well done to the organising committee and to our

lifeguards in general. URGENT: NEW CREW FOR LIFEBOATS

The secretary of the Bonmahon Lifeguard Club urgently requests new crew members to contact him as soon as possible. P. J. O'Shea asks that anyone interested in lifesaving or becoming a member of the Bonmahon Inshore Lifeboat contact him at home on 051-382525 where he will make arrangements for a May we never forget them.

get-together of new members. ST. ANNE'S LADIES **FOOTBALL**

gratulations to the Annes ladies who represented their county last weekend: Mary Hayes, Nuala Hearne, Julie Torpey, Julie Mai Keane, Tracey and Emma Gallagher and Charlotte Marie Raher.

Well done girls! MASS FOR MINERS AND FAMILY VICTIMS

Mass for miners and famine victims will take place on Saturday, July 17, at St. Mary's Church, Saleen. Saleen church was built as the miners hall in 1842. During the famine years it was used as a depot to distribute food to the starving people. One of the new stained glass windows is dedicated to the miners and famine victims.

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Waterford's Munster Champions Help Celebrate H₂O Salon's 1st Anniversary

Mary Beecher arrived home to Tallow in May 2003 after spending 12 years working and travelling the world to accomplish a dream she had for a very long time. The dream was to open up her own hairdressing business.

Mary has worked in this industry for the last 16 years. While doing her apprenticeship in Tallow, she decided she wanted to travel and see a bit of the world. With a hairdressing apprenticeship behind her it proved very easy to travel and work at the same time.

Over the 12 years Mary worked in London, Australia and New York, gathering all the experience and knowledge of the hairdressing industry for her own business one day. New York became Mary's home away from home, where she managed a top salon for over 5 years, collecting a vast amount of knowledge on how to run a salon, train her staff, provide expert customer service and of course providing the professionalism and expertise on how to make every client feel like a million dollars walking out that

door - it was time for the and Hair & Beauty Inspiration. dream to begin!

July 7, 2003, Mary Beecher opened H2O Salon in Chapel Street, Tallow. A very elegant top class salon, Mary offers a wide range of services, specialising in colour correction and designer high-lighting — using the best of products to achieve the best results. Colour was always an area Mary enjoyed and felt she could truly bring out her creative side.

Bridal and evening styles are also one of Mary's specialities! Come to H2O Salon the morning of your wedding and receive a complimentary champagne breakfast to start off your perfect day!

Just a month after the H2O Salon opening, Mary was presented with an award from the Good Salon Guide. The Guide's assessors judge the top hairdressers across Britain, Northern Ireland and throughout the Republic of Ireland on the professionalism of the hairdressers and the hygiene of the premises. Over the last six months H2O Salon has been featured in two top hair magazines: Hair New

In December 2003, H2O

Salon raised over 450 euro for Share A Dream Foundation by having a day with the local kids -"Have a haircut with Mrs. Claus and a photo with Santa Claus" was the theme for the day, and it was very successful. Easter came around and we had the Easter Bunny, helping kids make Easter cards and their own personalised Easter eggs. This event was in aid of an orphanage in Bellarus. Again, over 450 euro was col-

In March 2004, Mary got together with the School Council in Tallow and put together a Hair and Fashion Spectacular to raise funds for the Tallow National School. This was a huge success, attracting an audience of over 300 people.

lected.

It definitely was a very busy and eventful year for the H2O Salon

Last Wednesday night, July 7, exactly a year later, Mary had a cocktail party at H2O Salon to celebrate the 1st year anniversary. James Murray, Seamus Prendergast, David and Paul

Munster champions hurling team did the honours of coming along to help celebrate.

At 7.30 p.m. Chapel Street was lined with kids with their Waterford jerseys, hurleys, etc., waiting patiently for the Munster champions to arrive to get their autographs and some pho-

O'Brien from the Waterford tos. It was lovely to see a bunch of over 50 kids so excited to see the lads.

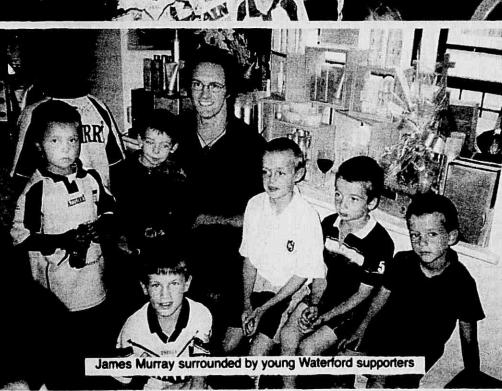
James Murray presented a signed Waterford jersey to the owner of H2O Salon which will be raffled off in the salon on August 6 next — all proceeds to Share A Dream Foundation. Raffle tickets on sale at H2O.

Mary would like to thank James, Seamus, David and Paul for taking the time out to join us at H2O Salon last Wednesday night and wish them the best of luck on August 8th. "Go on the Déise!"

Also, she would like to thank all her clients for their support and loyalty throughout the year.













WEST WATERFORD NOTES



Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Juvenile G.A.A. Notes

Under 14 Hurling

Our Under 14 Hurlers recorded an excellent victory over Naomh Brid in the semi final of the County Under 14 Hurling

From the outset, our lads were on top of their game and produced their best display to date this year. We led at half time on a scoreline of Clashmore 2-10 Naomh Brid 1-5. Overall an excellent team effort with star performances from Alan Seward, John Prendergast, Paudie Griffin and Brian O'Halloran. We play St. Mary's in the County final on this Saturday in Fraher field.

The preliminary time given for this game is 2:00pm (but all players are asked to confirm this time with Billy O'Halloran). Your support to cheer on the lads on their big day would be very much appreciated.

Well done to team trainers Alan Curran and Brian O'Neill

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who have worked very hard with this team and best wishes to them in the final. Finally, a big thank you to Aine Curran of the Decies Bar and to Roger O'Halloran of the Point Bar for kindly sponsoring a set of socks and shorts for the County final team.

Team: Liam Keogh, Danny O'Brien, Alan Seward (Capt), Sean Bourke, Darren Foley, John Prendergast, Aidan Trihy, Declan O'Neill, Padraig Griffin, Batty Mansfield, Michael Cunningham, Donal O'Connor, Mark Cunningham, Brian O'Halloran, David Byrne and Adrian Seward.

Summer Camp

The annual Summer Hurling camps commences on this Thursday at 10am. A large turnout is expected as a varied programme of entertainment is lined up for each day. Also it is hoped that some of the Waterford Hurling starts will be at-

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tendance during the camp Would all players please bring their helmets the cost is E5 per

Under 16 Hurling

We are struggling currently in this grade as we are short the services of a number of players. However, with a full panel available we should be more competitive in our remaining games against Ferrybank on July 12th, Ballyduff on July 19th (at home), Stradbally and

Under 13 Hurling

We lost our first game to Abbeyside and we play a very strong Cappoquin on this Tuesday evening. We have remaining games versus Lismore and Dungarvan during the coming

Road **Bowling**

We finish the first rounds in the Paddy Hurton Memorial Tournament this Friday night in Clashmore with scores from Mark Carey v Dave Salmon, Seamus Troy v Donal O'Con-

Road Bowling in Clashmore commences at 7:30pm each Fri-

Birthday Greetings

Warmest congratulations to Leona McGrath, Lackendarra, who celebrated her 21st birthday last weekend. Leona was joined by her mum Denise, dad Seamie, little brother Adrian and a big gathering of family and friends for a great party at the Decies Bar, Clashmore. A very happy birthday to you Leona and all the best for the future. Leona would like to thank everyone for making her birthday so special and thank everyone for the presents.

Clashmore

A long over due win on nine games this week for Jack Douris and Margaret Dower, followed in close second by Peggie Russell and Michael Hunt on eight games. Next in third place on seven games each were Liam Curran and Thomas Power, Seamus and Tomas Allen.

Best of the last five wen to Stephen Cunningham and Johnny Prendergast. Lucky last game winners were Maura Mc-Grath and John Connery, Nell and Paddy Foley, John Quinn and Assumpta Dalton, Nell Foley and Jim McGrath. Well done all.

The Lotto Jackpot

With no winner of last weeks Clashmore/Kinsalebeg G.A.A. lotto jackpot there is a top prize fund of €890 to be won next

The following are last Monday nights numbers - 5, 15, 18, 21. Each of the following won consolation prizes of €15 each: Shane Dalton, Piltown; Paul Marks, Clashmore; Peggy Beausang, Clashmore; Michelle McCarthy, Clashmore; Della Rafferty, Clashmore.

Well done to all. Next lotto draw Monday, July 19th at the Rising Sun.

Line **Dancing On** Monday Nights

Line dancing continues every Monday night at 8:00pm at Ui Domhnaill's, Clashmore. All welcome.

Congratulations to Julie Marks who celebrated her 21st birthday last weekend from all at Ui Domhnaill's.

CLASHMORE/ KINSALEBEG G.A.A. NOTES

No winner of lotto draw held on Monday, 4th July. Numbers drawn were 1-12-18-24. €15 to each of the following: Paul O'-Connor, Coolbagh; Pat Murphy, Kilgabriel; Cait Hickey, Cross; T. Dalton, c/o Deckies and D.V. Hurley. Results of draw held on Monday, 11th for a jackpot of €760 will be in next weeks notes.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy to Tony Hickey, Cross on the death of his mother last week. Ar dhéis De go raibh a hanam dilis.

FIXTURES FOR THIS WEEK

Co. Hurling League Division 4 - Clashmore v Tramore in Clashmore on Saturday at

Happy **Birthday** Julie

Congratulations to Julie Marks, Clashmore who last weekend celebrated her 21st birthday. Family and friends treated Julie to a surprise celebration to mark the occa-

Birthday greetings and every good wish for the future to you Julie.

Touraneena Notes

40th ANNIVERSARY

A presentation was made to Alice Burke, sacristan of St Mary's Church, Touraneena after the 7.30 p.m. Mass last Saturday night to celebrate Alice's 40 years service to the church Seamus Skehan, Chairman of the Parish Council, made the presentation and after the presentation the Parish Council served a magnificent display of tea and cakes in the sacristy, where a large crowd attended.

Alice would sincerely like to thank the Parish Council and Fr. C. Kelleher, P.P. for making the occasion both a memorable and enjoyable one and thanks also the people who sent in congratulatory cards and best wishes.

On this Saturday night, 17th July, Alice and her committee will be presenting the proceeds of this year's fundraising campaign after the 7.30 p.m. Mass in St. Mary's church.

ANNUAL CHURCH GATE COLLECTION The annual church gate collection for the Waterford Branch of the National Council for the Blind will take place on Saturday and Sunday, 17/18 July at the following churches: Touraneena the Nire, Modeligo, Kilbrien and Ballinameela. As always, your generous support for this cause would be very much appreciat-

CAR BOOT SALE

Thanks to all who supported the car boot sale in the community centre last Sunday. Though the crowd was small, the takings were very good. Thanks to the following who helped out, without whose help the car boot sale would not have been possible: Mossie, Teresa, Betty, Kitty, Mary, Avril, Christina and Ben, who was so very generous. The winners of the raffle were John Carroll, Betty Condon, Mary Lonergan and Susan Hogan. Congrats to all.

SYMPATHY

We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved husband Billy, sons, daughters, parents Damien and Biddy, brother Sean, sisters Valerie, Rose, Kay and Marian, nephews, nieces and many relatives and friends of the late Marita Barron, Ballymacart, Old Parish who died unexpectedly recently at the early age of 37 years. May she rest in peace.

NAOMH BRÍD G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Under 12s Hurling — Our under 12s won the county hurling title by beating Passage 2-6 to 1-5 at the Dungarvan Club grounds. They played a brilliant game of hurling and each player can be proud of his performance. It was with great pride that the captain Eoin Barron lifted up the cup to a massive roar from all present. Well done boys!

Under 16s Hurling - Our under 16s were beaten by An Gaeltacht last Monday night by a few points. They will play

Stradbally next. Full report next week.

Congratulations - Congratulations to the boys from Modeligo who won the Munster final in the Community Games playing with Cappoquin. They now travel to Mosney for the All-Irelands. Best of luck to them there.

Fund Raiser - The club will be raffling a Waterford jersey signed by the Munster champions. This is a terrific prize and I am sure everyone would love one. We will have many other prizes as well. Tickets will be 2 euro a line and the draw will take place in Dunford's Bar with a bit of music and craic! So please buy a ticket and support your local Naomh Bríd club.

Under 14s Hurling — Our under 14s played Clashmore in the county semi-final last Thursday night in Cappoquin. They were beaten 1-3 to 2-8 by a much stronger Clashmore side. Well done to them on reaching the semi-final.

SLIABH gCUA LOTTO

Results weekending July 11. The numbers were 11, 12, 23. There was no winner. New jackpot is 800 euro. Three winners of 20 euros each: Mary Skehan, Aisling Hallinan, Gillian and Aidan. Winner of 15 euro promoters prize: Nuala Dunne. Next draw at Dunne's on Sunday, July 18,

News of Town and Roundabout

NATIONAL AND COMMERCIAL CLUB

winners: Liam Power and Mike Hourigan; runners-up were Carmel Kirwan, Tina Havens, Brian O'Brien and Tom Foley. Lucky table winners were John Ml. Duggan, John Joe Sheehan, James Power and Maisy Dro-

Previous week's winners were Patsy O'Donnell and Joe Murray; runners up were: Fr. Cooney, Breda Hallahan, Carmel Kirwan, Tina Havens, Tom Cunningham and Helen McGregor. Lucky table winners were Tom Foley, Brian O'Brien, Mark Cummins, Declan Hourigan, Eleanor Mc-Carthy and Hannah Flynn.

Cards continue every Thursday at 8.30 and all are welcome.

Snooker Room - This is a

very quiet time in the snooker room, nevertheless young Keobe doing a lot of up-dating their

SUMMER BRIDGE

Summer Bridge results for 7 July: 1, Avice Cusack and Mary O'Brien, Joan Ronayne and Sheila Lane; 2, Pat Murphy and Mary Radford; 3, Maire Fives and Alice Butler; jt. 4, Joan Begley and Walter Murphy, Cait Christopher and John Phelan.

DUNGARVAN G.A.A. LOTTO

Numbers for this week: 4-19-18-13. No winner. Next week's jackpot: 3,600 euro. Two winners of 35 euro each: Michael Donnelly Jnr., 11, Byrneville and Patrick Power, Kilmurray.

Next draw at the Shandon Arms. Many thanks for your continued support.

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Pat Connors, "Car Systems", Kilrush Industrial Estate, presenting sponsorship to Edwin Egan, **Dungarvan United Schoolboys.**

UNGARVAN .F.C. NOTES

COMMITTEE MEETING

Our next committee meeting will be held on Thursday 22nd July at

9pm. As this year has started off very well indeed with a very sizeable amount of people joining the committee our club chairman Francis is off on his holidays for a well earned break. Anslem Hayes and Ber Whelan were co-opted onto the committee for the coming year.

SCHOOLBOYS **SPONSORSHIP**

Over the coming weeks we will be publishing various photographs of local businessmen who have generously contributed to all aspects of our club so we can purchase the necessary equipment for training during the season 2004/05. Without this much needed help we would certainly have a hard job on our hands. We would like to express our sincere thanks to them for all their help.

TRAINING

The time has arrived for the various managers and players their imminent return to the training pitch. There has been a lot of hard work done behind the scenes by all concerned so we hope that others will follow suit and let their hard work show on the field of play.

Our premier squad return to action this Thursday at 7pm sharp. Accompanying them are our youths squad who have their first session also on Thursday at 6pm.

Our schoolboy section kickstarts again for the season Thursday 5pm followed by the U15 outfit who return Tuesday 20th at 5pm.

Other teams will soon have their plans finalised and we will furnish everyone with this information as soon as we re-

PREMIER SQUAD

Next Sunday at 11 o'clock the premier management quad will hold a training session for all interested players who wish to put themselves forward for the squad. Those trials have been arranged in order to make the managers jobs that bit easi-

TAKE NOTE

Will all managers and players please take note that all training sessions are to be held on our second pitch in the crystal. As Jimmy and Brian have kept the pitch in top order all along we would wish that it gets all the rest it needs.

ASTRO-TURF

At the moment there are a few slots available for hire during the week and also over the weekend. Any groups wishing to hire the area for a company get together would do well to book now before the slots are snapped up. Over the previous weeks Saturdays have become

popular with parents who give their kids a good day out for their birthday. Contact 087-7769125 for any information regarding bookings

PEPSI-SUMMER CAMP

The FAI run summer camp will be held in our club grounds from the 16 to 20th of August. Please contact 189065365 for any help concerning bookings

SAT ACADEMY

Last weekend we had a good turnout at our session considering the prevailing dark clouds that loomed overhead. Next Saturday we will hold our final session before we have our summer break. We return on August 21st at the usual times. Thank you to all our coaches and parents for their help. See

you all when we return. LOTTO RESULTS

Numbers drawn were 7, 11, 25. No winner. €25 winners — Sheil Family, Helen McGregor. Jackpot€2,100. Draw in Enterprise Bar on Sunday 18th July.

Stradbally A.F.C. Notes

AGM
The club's AGM takes place on Thursday (tomorrow) the 15th of July. All players and members are expected to attend and we would encourage new people to come along who may be interested to come on the committee especially parents. The venue is Whelan, s, Stradbally at 9.00pm sharp. We have been in existence for 36 years and if we are around for the same again, this year and the coming year are and will be the most important years in our exis-tence. We need all hands on board for the coming year, as we are in the middle of our develop-

STRADBALLY LOTTO

The winning numbers in the past draw held in Durrow Pub on the 4th of July were 2, 6, 9, 10. With no jackpot winner, €25 went to Denis Mullins, Brian Carroll and Sean Costelloe. The promoter prize went to Mick Kett. Next draw takes place in the Bally Inn on Sunday the 18th of July.

Please support. 6 A SIDE TOURNAMENT

We have decided to run the 6 A Side tournament for the Raymond O'Reilly Memorial Cup on the 25th of July. This was first run in 1996 and was last run three years ago. Past winners were Bally, Ballydwane, Carrigahilla, Ballyvoile etc. More details next

DEVELOPMENT

As you can see work has recommenced on the new development with the drainage system been put down this week and the recovering of top soil. We need a number of volunteers to help at present and already there are a number of people are helping out. If any players or members are available during the week even for a day, you know where we are. We are getting a lot of players coming in and admiring the work but if you have a few hours we can admire your work instead.

SUMMER CAMP

The FAI summer school takes place on the 16th to the 20th of August in Dungarvan. Remember Brigid Drohan is taking applications locally and can be contacted on 087-2435863. The price of the camp is €79 but the club is raffling a free place amongst the applications Brigid received before Friday the 16th of July. In other words the lucky person will get a full refund on their fee.

MANCHESTER UNITED **SUPPORTERS CLUB**

(WATERFORD BRANCH)
MEETING

Last Friday's meeting was hugely attended I suspect due to the fact word filtered through that our first fixture was the Manchester Derby on November 7th. Plenty of time to get the sterling together now

MANCHESTER DERBY FULL ALREADY!

To say we were pleased to get this fixture would be an understatement. As already mentioned above numbers were high and as the old saying goes "if you're not in, you can't win". That was certainly true here as the 50 spaces were gobbled up by members, easily the fastest game ever to sell out.

MEMBERSHIP

The season will soon be upon us so let's get the registration out of the way a.s.a.p. E10 for adults and E5 for juniors (Under-16). Old Trafford membership forms are expected soon and are necessary for receipt of match tickets as per club rules. Cards available from all committee members.

CLUB RULES

There are no changes to the club rules and everyone received a copy at last Friday's meeting. If you didn't and wish to receive a copy they are available to members by contacting 086-3925677.

NEW MEMBERS

Anyone wishing to join the branch or find out more information on the branch may do so by calling the secretary Kevin Moore on 086-3925677.

SAVINGS SCHEME

With the first fixture so far off there is no reason not to avail of this service. Just attend a meeting or contact the secretary on the above number or any other committee member between meetings.

GENEROUS SPONSORSHIP

Printing costs for the year were kindly sponsored by Michael Tutty. So anyone looking to get your car serviced or repaired can return your kind gesture with your business. Thanks again Michael.

SNIPPETS

Nice to see Maurice at the meeting on Friday night. Good to see you out and fit again. Also Colin Walsh who christened his daughter Jenna last Sunday and gave her a look at what's to come. The afters were in John Keane's.

GENERAL AND COMMITTEE MEETING

The next meeting will take place in Lawlor's Hotel on Friday,

CHARITY SHIELD

Those who gave in their names will be notified if and when we receive tickets. It's Man U v Arsenal for all the people who asked who was playing the match in Lawlor's after the match last Friday night, to be fair they were Americans.

AMERICAN TOUR

We have a few lucky members travelling to the States for the Celtic v Man U fixture later this month. Enjoy the game lads.

CHAMPIONS LEAGUE QUALIFIER

As yet we don't know who United will play but anyone interested in this fixture needs to contact the secretary on 086 3925677 and make their intentions known.

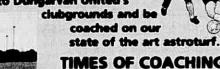
STANDBY FOR THE DERBY

Anyone wishing to put their names on a standby list for the Manchester Derby may do so. It just brings home the importance of attending meetings.

DUNGARVAN UNITED SCHOOLBOYS

ACADEM

Calling all children between the ages of 5 to 10. Every Saturday afternoon you can call out to Dungarvan United's



TIMES OF COACHING

5, 6 & 7 year olds — 1.30 to 2.30 p.m. 8, 9 & 10 year olds — 2.30 to 3.30 p.m.

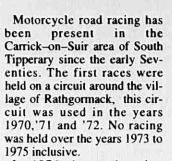
ALL ARE WELCOME

€1 CHARGE



Eamon Moore, President Dungarvan Lions Club presenting a cheque to well known local photographer, Rory Wyley, who will be travelling to China in August as part of the NCBI Blazing Saddles Cycling Team for the China Cycle Challenge. The proceeds of this sponsored cycle will go to the National Council for the Blind of Ireland. Also included is Derek Twomey, Dungarvan Lions Club. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

Faugheen 50 Motorcycle **Road Races**



In 1976 the road racing moved to the 2.3 mile circuit near Faugheen village outside Carrick-on-Suir. Some of the top names of Irish road racing at the time competed in Faugheen, to name but a few - Sam McClements, Davy Woods, Jim Dunlop, Robert Dunlop, Eddy Laycock and Joey O'-Driscoll. Racers from over seas also raced over the Faugheen circuit, some from as far away as Australia. Sadly the great era came to an end with the chequered flag of the last race in 1986 due to the running cost of the event.

In October 2001 a group of local motorcycle road race enthusiast decided to look at the possibility of resurrecting the event. From that meeting of about 20 people, the Faugheen 50 Road Racing Club Ltd. was launched, today the club has over sixty members from Tipperary and the adjoining coun-

The club has developed its own web site www.faugheen50.com. Through this web site great interest has been shown from both Ireland and abroad for pure road racing. Last October the tireless efforts of the committee and members of the club came to fruition with the resumption of motorcycle road racing on the Faugheen circuit after a lapse of seventeen years.

Competitors came from all parts of Ireland and from

across the Irish sea to compete in the event. Some of Ireland's top road racers were at Faugheen to entertain the large number of spectators, namely multiple Isle of Man TT winner Robert Dunlop, his son William, Jonathan Ralph and Darren Lindsey. Local racers who competed in the event were John Walsh from Mullinavat, David Coughlan from Clashmore, both of them Club Members, Tim Maher from Templemore and Ian Forrestal from New Ross. Larry Devlin from Bangor Co. Down returned to Faugheen to race his ex-works BMW having raced in the Faugheen 50 before its demise in 1986, David Manley raced the 496 Matchless G50 raced by his father in Faugheen during the 80's

The resumption of the event saw local man John Walsh set the pace in practice when he broke the lap record on his Kawaski 600 with a speed of 88.79 MPH. On race day John upped the lap record to 89.898 again on his Kawasaki 600 in the first Mastercraft Homes Support 401 to 600cc race which he won, John also won the T&P Scaffolding Support 201 to 400cc. on a Yamaha

The Alan Egan Memorial man of the meeting trophy went to Darren Lindsey with three wins, Darren won the Flemmings Bar Faugheen/ Gary Dyne Foundation 250cc with an outright lap record of 90.42 on Honda 250, Darren also won Faugheen 50 Motorcycle Road Racing Supporters Club 250cc race and the Kevin O'Dea / Walsh Brothers sponsored 125 cc race on a Honda125. Second in the 125 class was Robert Dunlop with his son William in fifth place. David Coughlan from Clashmore had two third places in the 250cc races.

Rochdale racer Dave brown won the Embassy Motorcycles / AEC Classic 250 cc on his Suzuki 250. Lisburn racer Adrain Elwood won the Thursday Night Rideout Club Classic 350 cc. on a Honda 350.

Robert Price won the Sheehans Garage Classic 500 cc while Tim Stephenson won the 1000cc Classic on a Rob North BSA 750

The Paddy Curren sponsored 'raced against all the odd' trophy went to Eleanor Forrest who had travelled Glasgow to Faugheen as did the Tony Carey Memorial trophy for the furthest travelled competitor.

Irelands top road racers are confirmed entries for this year's event namely Richard Britton, Ryan Farquar, Martin Finnegan, Darren Lindsey and the Dunlops plus entries from overseas. This year there are seven championship rounds in the ten race programme

Roads close for practice for this year's Faugheen 50 at 11am on Saturday 31st July and for racing at 11am on Sunday 1st August 2004. Spectators should arrive as early as possible as practice is likely to start at 1pm on Saturday and actual racing will start at 11.30am on the Sunday. So come and support the event and help keep motorcycle road racing between the ditches alive in South Tipperary.

The Faugheen 50 Motorcycle Road Racing club would like to extend our gratitude to all the residents and landowners living on the race circuit and in the village of Faugheen and also to all the sponsors of the race meeting and programme for their support.

HORSE RACING SMIPPETS

GEORGE DUFFIELD INJURED

early return to the saddle this week.

INJURED EBOR WINNER

Last years Tote Ebor winner St. Alebe who is well-named Mona Lisa. now a five year old is suffering from an reccurall of the 2004 flat campaign.

ATTRACTION WINNING RUN ENDS

longs as Johnny Murtagh produced Soviet Coffey. Song with a well-timed run to flash by Attraction inside the final furlong. Make no mistake Frankie Dettori had the bookmakers running Royal Ascot with the winner franking that odds of 692/1. form by capturing the Coral Eclipse stakes at James Fanshawe has charge of the winner.

tremendous late run to take the featured July notice. Cup on Thursday.

THIS WEEKS FIXTURES

Kempton and Lingfield.

Thursday — Killarney 2.30pm, Cartmel, Don- in Ireland to record four victories this season. caster, Hamilton, Leicester and Epsom.

and Newbury.

3pm, Stratford and Newton Abbot.

PROMISING CHASER KILLED

brought down by Red Or White.

FIRST WINNER AS A PRO

Former amateur MJ Ferris got off the mark as Adrian Leigh is out of action for the rest of chance Lord Of The Grove to victory in the perary last week. opening hurdle event at Wexford last Friday

lan Power from Abbeyside was also in win- to call it a day, as a jump rider and he will now ning form at the same fixture aboard the concentrate on training. Willie Mullins trained Basset Tiger.

DID YOU KNOW

Newmarket on no less than ten occasions.

THE CAT RETURNS

Flat jockey George Duffield the senior rider One Cool Cat is expected to return to action in the British jockey's room took a heavy fall in the Group 3 Ladbroke.com last week from a two year old on the home International Stakes at The Curragh next Saturgallops injuring a shoulder but is hopeful of an day. One Cool Cat represents the Aidan O'Brien stable and the County Tipperary yard is also expected to win a maiden race with the

ARMAGNAC UNLUCKY

rence of an old injury and trainer David | I thought Armagnac was a very unlucky loser Elsworth states that his charge may miss out on at Ascot last Friday and this six furlong sprinter should be followed next time out.

PAT AND JIMMY SCORE

Attractions winning run came to an end last Two jockeys turned trainer enjoyed welcome Tuesday at the Newmarket July meeting when winners over the weekend as Jimmy Coogan the champion three year old gave best to the and Pat O'Donnell had a winner apiece at the older horse Soviet Star in the Falmouth Stakes. Down Royal fixture last Saturday. Jimmy Attraction under regular rider Kevin Darley at- Coogan was a successful flat pilot along with tempted to make every yard of the running his brother Benji while Pat O'Donnell enjoyed but she failed to pick up in the final two fur- a Cheltenham festival winner aboard Chance

FRANKIE'S FOUR TIMER

about it the winner is no back number having for cover at Ascot last Saturday where he rode finished a close up second to Refuse To Bend at four winners. His four winners amounted to

JOCKEYS CHALLENGE AXED

Sandown. Soviet Song runs in those well- Ascot racecourse in London will close down known colours of the Elite Racing Club and this autumn for major refurbishment. Their fixtures are currently being transferred out to The week was to get even better for other racecourses and while the Shergar Cup Murtagh and Fansshawe as the County Meath will be run off at some alternative venue the rider brought 14/1 shot Frizannte with a annual Jockeys challenge is axed until further

DID YOU KNOW

Did you know that when the George Kent Wednesday — Killarney 5.45pm, Leopard- owned and Jim Bolger trained Tropical Lady stown 6pm, Catterick, Uttoxeter, Worcester, won the recent Group 3 Brownstown Stakes at Leopardstown she became the first racehorse

DANELISSIMA AFFAIR

Friday - Kilbeggan 6pm, Carlisle, Hamilton, I read over the weekend where trainer-Jim Pontefract, Newmarket, Southwell and New- Bolger stated that had Kevin Manning rode his Danelissima instead of Tom Queally in the Lan-Saturday - The Curragh 2.30pm, Haydock, cashire Oaks his filly would have won. While ! Ripon, Market Rasen, Newmarket, Lingfield have the greatest respect for the Wexford born but County Carlow based trainer I beg to Sunday — The Curragh 2.10pm, Ballinrobe differ with him on this occasion. I backed the same blinkered filly on that Saturday at Haydock Park and my impression of her is that she Trainer Willie Mullins lost a promising chaser is a bit of a madam. She didn't appear to do a at Tipperary last Thursday when the useful tap for her young rider and only decided to hurdler Red Or White was put down after a run on in the last two furlongs. She appeared fall in a chase. The Pat Flynn trained Brendar to stay on past tired horses as the ground came was running a nice race in this chase but had up soft on the day. Daneelissma is in the Darley the misfortune to hit the deck having been. Oaks at the Curragh next Sunday and it will be interesting to see how she performs.

ADRIAN'S BAD BREAK

a professional jump jockey steering the 14/1 the month having broken a collarbone at Tip-

PAT VERLING RETIRES

Fermoy based jockey Pat Verling has decided

ITALIAN STALLS WITHDRAWN

After a number of problems the Italian start-Did you know that the great flat rider Lester ing stalls have been withdrawn here in Ireland Piggott rode the winner of the July sprint at and the New Zealand type stalls are now back

KILMOLASH RIDING CLUB NEWS

Two League Wins In A Row For Margaret

again dominated the show jumping during the Kilmolash Summer League at Finisk Valley Riding School Margaret and Teddy with a score of 645 points made it look easy over the past four weeks jumping each course well, early mornings high winds or slippery ground did not stop Margaret and her team from cantering off with top marks. In second place with a score of 610 points came Catherine Buckley for the first two weeks Phantom gave Catherine a run for her money while Blaze tested her endurance for the last two. Dick Sheehan and Diamond with a score of 600 points were third. Therese White and Miky set a great standard each week coming out first to test the course and finishing with a score of 615 points, Kate Hawkins score of 590 points came from an as-

Margaret McCarthy once sortment of different rides over the past four weeks, Jackie Mangan and Mac,s score of 320 came from just two weeks jumping while Eithne Sheehan and Mac,s score of 310 points was the result of their two weeks jumping. Paula Dee and Mac with 300 points had a nice last round in the league. 300 points also went to Rene Landers and Blaze following their two rounds, Noreen Hurley and Lottie 275 points. Mary Collender and Blaze 110 points came on the last day of the league. Thanks to Therese White competition secretary and all the staff at Finisk Valley Riding School for organising the league, every one who participated won,t forget your doubles trebles and spreads. A big thank you also to Kay O, Regan and Triona Walsh for judging best turned out which was won by Kate Hawkins and Bud.



Members of the Kilmolash Riding Club who participated in the Summer Show Jumping League at Finisk Valley Riding School (left to right): Noreen Hurley, Mary Collender, Therese White, Philippa McKelive Chairperson, Dick Sheehan, Paula Dee, Jackie Mangan, Ena Doocey, Kate Hawkins, Margaret McCarthy, and Catherine Buckley.

EVERYONE ACTIVE!





Up and Active at the **Dungarvan Sports Centre**

Waterford Sports Partnership recently organised an activity morning in Dungarvan Sports Centre for older adult groups in the Dungarvan area. The morning was organised to give the groups a taste of the activities they could expect to enjoy at a physical activity session. WSP plan to run regular physical activity sessions commencing in the autumn.

Participants had the opportunity to sample a number of different activities including short mat bowls, Kurling, frisbee, balance activities and parachute games. They were also introduced to the new Go for Life social activities of Six & Nine Pins and the games of Bocca and Potcha. The following groups were represented; Get Up & Go Day Care Centre, Dungarvan Probus, Le Cheile Probus Club and Kilmacthomas Day Care Centre.

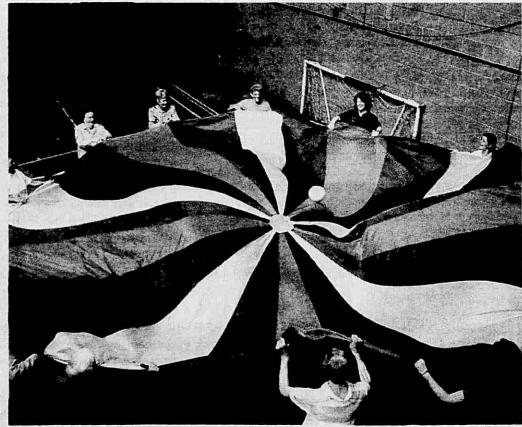
Following the success of this morning it is planned to

set up regular activity mornings in the Dungarvan Sports Centre in the autumn increasing physical activity opportunities for older adults in the Dungarvan area.

A special thanks to the staff of Dungarvan Sports Centre for all the support and assistance.

Ladies Soccer Skills Coaching Workshop

Waterford Sports Partnership in conjunction with the FAI is running a Soccer Skills Coaching Workshop this week for



coaches of ladies/girls soccer. The workshop is being held at the Waterford Crystal Sports Centre, Cork Road, Waterford on Thursday 16th July at 7pm. If you would be interested in attending please contact us for further details.

> Contact us: Tel: 058 21190 / 051 860855 Email: info@waterfordsportspartnership.ie Website: www.waterfordsportspartnership.ie

DUNGARVAN HILLWALKING **CLUB NEWS**

On behalf of the club, condolences are extended to Eileen Lennon whose husband Teddy died last month and to John Browne on his recent bereavement. The Big Walk

Saturday last, July 3rd saw the biggest ever turn out for the 8th annual George Harney Memorial Walk and Challenge. More than 160 walkers took to the hills in a fitting response to the months of preparation by club Chairperson Sean and his sub-committee. Watch out for a more comprehensive report in later issues of this paper. The proceeds of the walk this year go to West Waterford Hospice and the Waterford and South East Samaritans and the plan is to present the funds within the next few weeks. This is a gentle reminder to everyone to finalise their sponsorship donations/collections and to contact any committee member in relation to lodging the money. Schedule Of Walks

Sunday, 5th July was a well deserved rest day following the exertions of the previous day but a normal walking schedule resumes on Sunday, 11th with B walks to Crotty's Lake, Milk hill/Seefin, Knockmeal, etc on successive Sunday's and locations in Dromore, Crow Hill, Ballysaggart (a new route) and Killineen Ridge to be enjoyed.

Meeting point for all walks is at the Permanent TSB building, Davitts Quay car park 10 minutes before the listed

Night walks continue on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday nights at 9pm meeting near Lawlor's Hotel.

New members are always welcome at the clubs monthly meeting on the first Tuesday of the month in Bean a Leanna, Grattan Square or for more information call Mary at 058-43279 or view the website www.dungarvanhill-

Finally, heartiest congratulations to club members Earl Navin and Georgina Power on their recent engagement.

WEST WATERFORD GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB NOTES

OPEN WEEK GETS UNDER WAY ON FRIDAY 16TH JULY COMPETITION RESULTS

Club competition Sunday 11th Jul. Golfer of the year competition, 18-hole stableford — 1st TW Murphy (2) 38pts; 2nd Liam Troy (23) 37pts; Gross: Andy Hickey (7) 30pts; 3rd: Brian Hilliard (13) 37pts; CSS. 37

SCRAMBLE AND PRESENTATION OF PRIZES

The next Scramble and presentation of outstanding prizes is scheduled for Friday 6th August and all members are urged to try their utmost to play.

JUNIOR NOTES

JUNIOR CUP — Our junior Cup team traveled with high hopes to Mitchelstown Golf Club on Saturday under the astute management team of Willie Lyons and Pat Spratt, however the team failed to produce the goods on the day. Many thanks to all the panelists Cian Kearney, Jimmy Murphy, Micheal Gee, Austin Spratt, Michael O'Keeffe, Ray Spratt, Derek Spillane, Andy Hickey and Managers Willie and Pat for their efforts during practice and again on Saturday. Many thanks also to Mitchelstown Golf Club for their usual kind hospitality.

Result of Junior Competition on Tuesday 29th June — 1st: Gavin Flynn (28) 44pts; 2nd: Seamus Power (scr) 39pts; Gross: Cian Kearney (6) 32pts; 3rd: Kieran Gee (15) 39pts

Next junior competition on Monday 12th July (10am-10.30am) followed by golf lessons with Donal Considine (Dungarvan G.C.) at 2.30pm. Junior competition also on Tuesday 13th July (golfer of the year)

FÁILTE HOUSE OPEN QUALIFIER Result from Wednesday 7th July —

1st: Ian Pericho (Gold Coast G.C.) (7) 41pts; 2nd: Michael Healy (W.W.G.C.C.) (18) 41pts; Gross: Cian Kearney (W.W.G.C.C.) (6) 33pts gross; 3rd: Michael Ferncombe (Gold Coast G.C.) (11) 38pts; CSS: 39pts

Next Wednesday Open is on Wednesday 14th July and in order to reserve your tee-time, simply telephone the Clubhouse on 058-43216 or 058-41475.

HIGH HANDICAP

Result 13-hole stableford, Tuesday 6th July kindly sponsored by Mick Connolly — High Handicap A — 1st: Liam Reilly (20) 30pts; 2nd: Aiden Power (20) 30pts; 3rd: Ger Scully (18) 27pts

High Handicap B — 1st: Larry Veale (19) 22pts; 2nd: Jack Douris (19) 20pts; 3rd: Seamie O' Neill (18) 20pts; Guest: Noel Conway (15) 32pts

Next High Handicap Competition is on Tuesday 13th July kindly sponsored by Pat Power (Ardmore).

FIXTURES

Tuesday 13th July – High Handicap. Wednesday 14th July – Failte House Open 18-hole stableford. Friday 16th to Sunday 25th July – Open Week 2004 (details below). A full list of our fixtures and other information is available on our website:

TIMESHEETS FOR OPEN WEEK

Timesheets are now posted for our Open Week 2004 the details are as follows:

Friday 16th July- Open 13-hole 3 person Scramble (Gents, Ladies or Mixed) kindly

sponsored by The Park Hotel Dungarvan.
Saturday 17th July - Open Gents 18-hole Stroke kindly sponsored by bank of Ireland

Sunday 18th July - Open Gents 18-hole Gents stableford kindly sponsored by Castle Park Hotel and Spratt's Bar Mitchelstown also Open Ladies 9-hole Competition from 5pm also kindly sponsored by Castle Park Hotel and Spratt's Bar Mitchelstown

Monday 19th July- Open Gents 18-hole Gents stableford kindly sponsored by Glanbia

Tuesday 20th July- Open Ladies 18-hole stableford kindly sponsored by Herlihys Supervalu also Open Gents 9-hole Competition from 6pm kindly sponsored by Herlihys Supervalu

Wednesday 21st July- Open 18-hole Singles stableford kindly sponsored by Tom Feerick, Cappoquin

Thursday 22nd July- Open 18-hole 3 Person Rumble (Gents, ladies or Mixed) kindly sponsored by Allied Irish Bank

Friday 23rd July- Open Gents 18-hole Singles stableford kindly sponsored by Eamonn Spratt Property Partners also Open Ladies 9-hole Competition from 6pm also kindly sponsored by Eamonn Spratt Property Partners

Saturday 24th July- Open Gents 18-hole Fourball kindly sponsored by ACC Property and Business Banking (Cork)

Sunday 25th July- Open Gents 18-hole Singles stableford kindly sponsored by Des Kelly also Open Ladies 9 Hole Competition from 6pm also kindly sponsored by Des Kelly

Special Prizes for Open Week Competitions include Golfer of the Week (Best 4 cards to count) kindly sponsored this year by James Power and the first Hole-in-one kindly sponsored again this year by Mahers Sports Emporium in Cork City.

KILLEAGH GAA CLASSIC 2004

The KILLEAGH GAA GOLF CLASSIC took place from Thursday 8th to Saturday 10th July. This event was again a huge success with 140 teams taking part and was the fruits of the amount of work put in by loyal club member Ray Rochford who will left no stone unturned to ensure its success.

Result — 1st: Horgans Delicatessen (1251/4); 2nd: Kildare Boys (1251/4); 3rd: Brosnans Pharmacy (1253/4); Gross: West Waterford. Michael Cass (-10); 5th: Best Non-GUI. Emerald Fire Technologies (1303/4); 6th: Avondu Motor Factors (126); 7th: Best Thursday. John Keniry (126); 8th: Best Friday. Centra, Killagh (129); 9th: Best Saturday. Sean Treacy (128¹/₄); 10th: Best Ladies. Vetoquinal (1363/4); 11th: Best West Waterford. Clinivet (133); 12th: 2nd: Non-GUI. Rod & John (1303/4); 13th: 3rd: Non-GUI. Tommy Seward (1341/2); 14th: Glanbia (1291/4); 15th: Ballycotton (1291/2); 16th: Category B Non-GUI. Kenneally, Rochford + Ass; 17th: Joe Higgins (1293/4); 18th: Intervet (130); 19th: Niall Desmond (130); 20th: Bowen Construction (130); 21st: Comeragh Oil (1301/2); 22nd: 5th: Non-GUI. SIAC (135); 23rd: Gerry Crowley GVC (131); 24th: Jack Spratts (131); 25th: Mac & Dec (131); 26th: Eddie Daly (1311/2); 27th: Kearney Brothers (1311/2); 28th: 6th Non-GUI. Rochford Construction (1351/4); 29th: Healy Brothers (1313/4); 30th: Adagraphic (1313/4); 31st: Best pair Thursday. Ger Ahern & Paul McCarthy (62); 32nd: Best pair Friday. TW Murphy & John Farrell (Medicom) (611/4); 33rd: Best pair Saturday. Brian O'Gorman & John O'Gorman

TIMESHEETS

Time sheets apply for all club competitions. Please put up you're name and those playing with you for your place on the Tee. Please remember: Players with their names on the timesheet have priority on the 1st Tee.

Owing to increased playing numbers, the practice of putting down a name +1 or +2 is no longer acceptable. Only individual names will suffice as this facilitates the smooth running of the timesheet, by identifying who is actually booked in to play with whom.

WEST WATERFORD GOLF CLUB -LADIES BRANCH

Permanent/TSB Members Day a Great Success!

The members day sponsored by Permanent/TSB was held on Monday last and attracted a really great entry. This is one of our most prestigious competitions and our sincere thanks is expressed to Paul O'Gorman, Manager and his team. Mary Quinlan has been putting in great rounds lately and on Monday played out of her skin to bring in a round of 69 nett. She was not alone however, as Finola Buter who is a really stylish golfer also brought in a 69 nett, only to be beaten on the back nine. Bernie Twomey was a deserving winner of the gross with an 89 gross Mary French who narrowly missed out on a prize in the Captain's week-end brought in a 72 to fill 3rd place, while Suzanne Dalton also played lovely steady golf to bring in a 72.

Country Store 18 Hole Stableford —

On Saturday the ladies turned out in force to play in the Country Store sponsored 18 Hole Stableford. The course was teeming with men practicising for the Jimmy Bruen and Pierce Purcell quarter and semi-finals to be played the following day. Joan Curran playing off 24 had a very nice win, while Lal Power who has not been playing very much filled second place playing off 29.

Thursday July 15th - 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by Hallahan Chemists

Open Week: Our open week commences on this Friday July 16th with a 13 Hole Three Person Scramble sponsored by the Park Hotel. Other competitions for ladies throughout the week include a nine hole competition on Sunday 18th July, a Ladies Singles Stableford on Tuesday 20th July sponsored by Herlihy's Super-Valu, an 18 Hole Rumble sponsored by A.I.B on Thursday 22nd July and there are also nine hole competitions on Friday evening and Sunday evening sponsored by Eamon Spratt Properties and Des Kelly respectively.

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GoldCoast Golf Club

RESULTS

Mon to Fri: 10 Hole Stableford — Michael Ferncombe (11) 24

Friday 9th July: Open 18 Hole Stableford, CSS 38 pts. — 1st: Michael D. McCarthy (12) 40 Pts. East Cork; 2nd: Peter Henley (12) 39 pts; Gross: Alan Harrington (1) 36 pts East Cork.

Sat/Sun 11th July: Minor Scratch Cup: CSS 71 — 1st: Roy Ware (19 87 GoldCoast; 2nd: Patsy Walsh (19) 88 GoldCoast; 3rd: J. McCarthy (20) 89 Mitchelstown; 4th: T. Fleming (21) 89 East Cork; 5th: Kieran O'Hora (19) 89 Cobh; 1st Nett: Ger Byrne (21) 70 East Cork.

Sat./Sun. 11th July: Intermediate Scratch Cup: CSS 70 — 1st: Philip Whiteman (14) 82 GoldCoast; 2nd: Martin Murray (13) 82 GoldCoast; 3rd: S. Cronin (13) 82 Fern Hill; 4th: Alan Neff (16) 83 GoldCoast; 5th: T. Buckley (13) 84 Mitchelstown; 1st Nett: John Higgins (11) GoldCoast.

Sat/Sun 11th July: Club Competition: CSS 70 — 1st: Tony Hearne (11) 73 nett.

FIXTURES

Mon to Friday 16th July: 10 Hole Stableford.

Friday 16th July: open 18 Hole Stableford. Saturday 17th July: 18 Hole Stableford.

Sunday 18th July: Monthly Medal, 18 Hole Stroke, Blue Markers (sponsored by Keohan Cleaners.)

Friday 23rd July: 10 Hole Scramble at 6.00 p.m.

WATERFORD UNITED CLASSIC
Waterford United will hold a fund raising classic in the GoldCoast on Friday 16th July. The cost for a team of four is €200
and a meal is provided. Bookings are now open and you can
book your slot by phoning 058-44055.

JULY MONTHLY MEDAL

The July Monthly Medal, which will be held on Sunday 18th July and kindly sponsored by Keohan Cleaners, will now take on a new significance as it will now also be a qualifier for the Provincial Final of the Golf Sure sponsored Beaumont Benevolent Foundation. Provide the winner of the medal is a member of the insurance scheme he will qualify to play at Mallow Golf Club and if he is lucky enough to qualify from there he will play the All Ireland final in the Algarve, Portugal from 2nd to the 9th October 2004. Golfsure Personnal will donate €1 for every premium received in 2004 to the Beaumont Hospital to assist them in purchasing Cancer Treatment equipment. There is no extra cost to players.

JUNIOR CUP

The GoldCoast team of Ian Pericho, Morrie Ferncombe, Liam O'Brien, Willie Morrissey and Thomas Larkin were unlucky not to qualify, losing out by just one shot, in Mitchelstown last Saturday.

MIXED FOURSOMES

All games to be played by Sunday next 18th July. Times are now posted in kiosk for all games.

SCRAMBLE

The scramble is now being moved to Friday evenings at 6.00 p.m.. The first Friday scramble will take place on Friday 23rd July and players are asked to note that the first off will be at 6.00 p.m.

INTER G.A.A. CLUB 10 HOLE TOURNAMENT

This five person team event will start on the 9th August and continue for 6 weeks. The best three scores will count for the first three weeks and the best four scores will count for the second three weeks. Players will be able to play the 10 holes on any day of the week. Each team will consist of five members and each member must have played with the relevant G.A.A. Club or have been an administrator. People who have never been involved with a club or who have moved to the area can contact the Captain if they wish to get involved.

JACK LYNCH MEMORIAL TROPHY

The Jack Lynch Memorial trophy, which is a triangular tournament between West Waterford, Dungarvan and the GoldCoast, takes place on Monday 26th July at the three courses.

LADIES NOTES

Mens president's Prize to the Ladies — This will take place on Sunday 25th July. Players should place their names on the timesheet in the kiosk. As this is one of the major competitions of the season we look forward to a great day and a big entry. Draw for partners at 1.50 p.m. sharp.

Fixtures — 10 Hole Ongoing Competition. 18 Hole Ongoing Competition. 18 Hole One Day Competition kindly sponsored by Helvick Seafoods on Sunday 18th July. Draw for partners at 1.50 p.m. Please put your names on timesheet.

Ladies Matchplay — Draw for partners for the Ladies Matchplay, kindly sponsored by Pat and Sheila Norris has now taken place. See notice board for details.

New Members and Beginners — Meet at the kiosk on Thursday evening at 7.30 p.m. lessons for beginners starting Thursday 22nd July at 7.30 p.m. For details phone 058-44055.

Open Mixed Scramble — Starting on Friday 23rd July at 6.00 p.m.

Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

OPEN FORTNIGHT

Our Open Fortnight kicked off on Friday 2nd July with the now traditional 18 hole scramble sponsored by Ardmore Hygiene & Warehousing. The husband & wife team of Cyril and Ann Power, ably supported by son-in-law Eamonn Spratt returned a great 60 and a half nett to relegate the sponsor Joe Murphy into second place. Joe was partnered by club captain John Reynolds and Elma Deasy. Saturday 3rd and Sunday 4th was sponsored by David Crowley Furniture whose prizes are always much sought after. This 18 hole fourball betterball was won by a Faithlegg pairing of Marty O'Connor (6) and Paddy McGrath (9) who returned a fine 44points, beating the Gold Coast pairing of Liam O'Brien (8) and Mattie Kiely (14) on the back 9. Captain 2000, Tom Conway partnered by John Reynolds returned 38 points to win the gross prize. Monday's mixed foursomes sponsored by East Cork Oil was won by Rory Kirwan and Caitlin Fitzgerald beating our Secretary/Manager's parents James and Noreen Howell into second place. Baumanns Jewellers sponsored 18 hole stableford on Wednesday was won by Michael O'Keeffe (13) with 40 points. It was great to see Michael recovered from the mishap on Friday by collecting first prize in this competition.

There was a large turnout for the Gain Animal Feeds sponsored competition on Thursday. Country member Eoghan Webb (22) who is also a member in Newlands came away with the 1st prize here thanks to a fine 42 points. Alan O'Donnell's (5) good form continues as he returned a fine 41 points to take runner-up spot and it was good to see Liam Fitzgerald (6) sneak in for the gross with 31 points.

Fitzgerald Insurances sponsored Friday's stroke competition which was won by Gerald Murphy (21) who is a member of Carlow G.C.Gerald's 65 nett was enough to win by one stroke from local member Kevin Coleman (16). Our captain John Reynolds once again took home the gross prize with a fine 71 despite running up a triple bogey 8 on the 12th.

The 3-ball cross cards competition on Saturday was sponsored by Glaxo Smithkline and the winning score of 52 points was brought in by local (Limerick) member Ger Finnan (10) partnered by Tim Treacy (19). Club Chairman Jim Harty (8) and Pat Norris Jnr (Scr) won the gross prize with a fantastic 5 under 41 points. Cappoquin Chickens sponsored Sunday's 18 hole rumble which was won by J. Gough, M.Lynch and T. Moore with 85 points beating visitors (Powers) from Carrick G.C. on the back 9.

JUNIOR CUP

Our Junior Cup team were in action last weekend at Mitchelstown G.C. in the strokeplay qualifying round of this competition. Unfortunately our team failed to make the matchplay stages losing out marginally. Thanks to Team Captain Pat Norris and his panel of players for the time and effort they put into this competition.

SENIOR CUP

Our Senior Cup players are in action this weekend in Youghal G.C. against Waterford Castle in the first round. Team Captain Eugene Slater is hoping that the club will get a good run in this competition as we host the Munster finals in August. Best of luck to all concerned.

OPEN FORTNIGHT RESULTS JULY 2004

Monday 5th — East Cork Oil Mixed Foursomes — 1st Rory Kirwan & Caitlin Fitzgerald (Cahir) 67; 2nd James & Noreen Howell (Mallow) 68; 3rd Ita & Jackie Fahey 68.

Weds 7th — Bauman 18h Singles S'Ford — 1st Michael O'-Keefe (13) 40 pts; 2nd Liam Simms (17) 40 pts B9 Gross Matt



Dungarvan Golf Club 18 Hole Stableford Ladies Competition (sponsored by Enright's Eurospar Abbeyside) — Photo shows from left: Irene Dawson, Lady Vice-Captain, Fidelma Horsom (3rd), Joan Enright (sponsor), Patricia Cunningham (winner), Breda McCarthy (Best Gross), Tish Baumann (2nd). (Photo Pat Crowley)

Walsh (4) 34; 3rd J. O'Connor (16) (Youghal) 38 pts B9; 4th Frank Waters (17) (Gold Coast) 38 pts; B9 5th D. Nolan (12) (Monkstown) 38 pts B9 CSS 35 pts.

Thurs 8th Gain Feeds — 18h Singles S'Ford — 1st E. Webb (Newlands) (22) 42 pts; 2nd A. O'Donnell (5) 41 pts B9; Gross L. Fitzgerald (6) 31 pts; 3rd M. Kavanangh (Gold Coast) (11) 41 pts (B9); 4th F. O'Donoghue (10) 41 pts CSS 36 pts.

Fri 9th — Fitzgerald Insurances 18h Singles Stroke — 1st G. Murphy (21) Carlow 65 nett; 2nd K. Coleman (16) 66 B9; Gross J. Reynolds (0) 71 gr.; 3rd A. Lawlor (New Ross) 66 nett 4th M. Cullen (17) Waterford 67 B9; CSS 71.

Sat 10th — GlaxoSmithkline 18h 3Man Cross Cards — 1st G. Finnan (10) T. Treacey (19) 52 pts; 2nd G. Kennedy (13) & T. Treacy (19) 50 pts; Gross J. Harty (8) P. Norris Jnr (Scr) 41 pts; Gross 3rd N. Norris (10) & M. Lynch (12) 49 pts (83).

Sun 11th — Cappoquin Chickens 18h 3 Person Rumble — 1st J. Gough, T. Moore, M. Lynch; 2nd J. Power, J. Power & M. Power (Carrick) 85 pts; 3rd M. Drummy, M.Corkery, S. Gulati 83 pts; 4th T. Fitzgerald, J. McGuire & T. Kennedy 83 pts.

DUNGARVAN GENTS FIXTURES JULY:

OPEN FORTNIGHT: Thurs 15th Open 18h Gents Singles S'Ford Spratts Property, Fri 16th Open 18h Gents Singles S'Ford Tom Coffey Sat 17th Open 18h Gents Singles S'Ford Queally/ Walsh Sun 18th Waterford Crystal Open Gents Singles Stroke Festival Trophy. Thurs 22nd Ulster Bank Open Singles S'Ford Fri 23rd: The Jonah Project 4 Person Classic

LADIES NOTES:

Dungarvan Ladies Open Fortnight Results — Herihys Open 18h Singles S/F 1st M.O'Donnell (14) 39 pts 2nd K.Deasy (19) 38 pts Last 3 Gross E.Hearn (1) (Waterford) 34 pts gr. 3rd B.McCarthy (6) 38 pts (Last 9)

Dungarvan Ladies Fixtures July — 14th July Open Ladies Dungarvan Nissan 18h Singles S'Ford (Allocated time for ladies) Sat 17th July Queally / Walsh Open Ladies 18h Singles S'Ford Tues 20th:Deise Cup Sat 24th 18h Singles S'Ford Sun 25th Open Past & Present Captains Fourball 12 – 3.30

LADIES OPENS

Lady members and visitors might like to note the following dates for their diaries. Tuesday 27th July sees our very popular OPEN CHAMPANGE SCRAMBLE kindly sponsored by Rich Rags. This entertaining and immensely enjoyable competition is proving to be more and more popular each year. Another competition which has a great response from both visitors and member alike, is our CRYSTAL COUNTY TEAM OF THREE OPEN kindly sponsored by LeT systems which has been rescheduled to Tuesday 10th August. We hope to see lots of faces old and new for these enjoyable open events.

THE JONAH PROJECT

The Jonan Project Golf Classic will take place on Friday 23rd July in support of the school for Autistic Children. The entry fee is 120 euro per team of 4 (any combination) and member and visitors are asked to support this very worthy cause.

SUMMER GOLF COACHING FOR JUNIOR GIRLS

Golf Coaching for Junior Girls (Age 8 to U-18) at Dungarvan Golf Club, Knocknagranagh. Contact Sheila Norris Junior Officer or Irene Howell Secretary/Manager on 058 43310 for details.

JUNIOR GOLF NOTES

Our young inexperienced Youths team got a great lessons in golf in Mallow in Monday 28th June. They saw some of the best young golfers in Munster including Kenny McGarry, Aaron O'-Callaghan, Cian McNmara and Clancy Bowe. Our team of lan Prendegast, Kevin Stack, David Buckley and Michael Buckley played well and have many more years at this level.

Kevin Power and Eoin Stack represented the club in the Munster under 15 boys in Mahon on Wedneday 30th June.

Junior Results 05.06.04 — Pennnant Cup 18h S'Ford kindly sponsored by John Lynch Fruit Merchant — 1st Stephen Lanigan (13) 43 pts; 2nd David Hill (Gold Coast) (22) 40 pts; Best Gross David Buckley (6) 33 gross; 3rd Eoin Brackett (11) 39 pts; Best 1st 9 James Phelan (19) 21 pts; Best 2nd 9 Paul Hill (Gold Coast) 22 pts.

Junior Fixtures — Wednesday 21st July 18h S'Ford.

Well done to Kevin Stack who was 2nd leading qualifier in the Connact boys with a score of 71, in the match play stage he won 2 of his matches David Buckley Sean O'Hare and Kevin Stack play in the Munster boys in Limerick this week. Coaching for Juniors whose handicaps are less than 26 starts on Wednesday 21st July at 2.00 p.m and continues throughout the week.

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Results for Weds 30th June — 1st M. Baumann (20), Ml. Twoomey (22), M. McHugh (17) 26⁵/8; 2nd J. Melody (14), C. Fay (23), F. Ryan (15) 27; 3rd M.O'Donnell (14), J. Clancy (24), J. Elstead (14) 28.

LOST PROPERTY

Would gentlemen members/recent visitors please check the lost property box located in the mens locker room for any missing items that have been misplaced. The items contained in the box have now been left for nearly 2 months and will shortly be distributed to the charity shop.

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB MINI LOTTO

Week Ending: 4th July —Numbers drawn were 6, 7, 16, 17. Jackpot Winner: No Winner €15.00 Winners — Garry Kennedy, Michael Nook c/o Michael Lynch; Joan Lonergan c/o Finnegan; John Keane, c/o P. Terry; Paul Curran, Kilnafrahan East. Next weeks Jackpot €8,100. Next draw 18.07.04. Thank you for your support.



Dungarvan Golf Club Open Fortnight Open Stableford Ladles Competition (sponsored by Herlihy's SuperValu)

— Front row (I. to r.) Moira Burke, Trainee Manager Herlihy's, Ashley Folder, Senior Trainee Manager Herlihy's (sponsor), Margaret O'Donnell (winner), Ita Fahey, Lady Captain. Back row (I. to r.) Breda McCarthy (3rd), Kathleen Deasy (2nd), Marie Fahey (hole-in-one on the 5th), Donal Verling (President). (Photo: Pat Crolwey)



Dungarvan Golf Club Competition (sponsored by Connolly's Kodak 1 Hour Photo) — Front row (l. to r.) Darragh Connolly (sponsor), Dermot Kelly (winner) and Joh Reynolds, Captain D.G.C. Back row (l. to r.) Maurice Casey, Tom Coffey, Kevin Stack and Noel Hackett.

(Photo: Pat Crolwey)



Dungarvan Golf Club Ladies 18 Hole Stableford (sponsored by Maria Moloney Boutique) — Photo shows (I. to r.) Irene Howell (gross), Ann Elstead (representing sponsor), Emer O'Kennedy (winner) and Ita Fahey, Lady Captain. (Photo: Pat Crolwey)

TOURANEENA RACQUETBALL CLUB NOTES

Presentation To Oncology Day Ward

At a recent fundraising night held in Dunford's Bar, the local Racquetball club presented a cheque for E2,750 to the On-cology Day Ward at Waterford Regional Hospital. This was the proceeds from the Touraneena 5K road race which was held on the June bank holiday combined with a number of donations that were made towards the worthy cause from people from the local and surrounding

The monies raised were in the name of the late Ann Power who was a great organiser of sporting and social events in the Touraneena area. On the night, the treasurer of the club, Eleanor Hickey presented the cheque to Mary Fennell who was representing the WRH on the night. On the night, David O'Sullivan who is a brother of Ann's spoke of how proud he was to be able to donate such a sizeable amount to such a worthy cause in the name of his late sister.

The Racquetball club would like to thank anyone who contributed in any way to raise the final amount. We would like to thank Pat Grace for providing the music on the night and all the people who sang songs on the night. We would also like to thank Mary Dunford and her staff and also we would like to thank Anna Thompson for photography work on the night and also on the night of the race/walk.

Finally we would like to thank the Power family for their co-operation and help throughout the race and fundraising nights. They deserve great credit for the spread of refreshments and raffle prizes that were available on the

LOCAL LEAGUES ARE NEAR CONCLUSION

The local Racquetball leagues are near conclusion and we should have a full list of victors in the very near future. Overall the standard of all the various grades have been very impressive and it's always nice to see some new names on the win-

International under 21 player, Julie Skehan has qualified for the final of the division I grade. Sean Dalton is to play Eanna Power with the winner of this playing Eileen Hickey in the semi-final and the right to play

Julie in the final encounter. Kilmanahan's Tom Ryan has made it to his second consecutive final in his debut season for the club. The former Fethard player has to await the outcome of 3 matches to see who he will face in that title decider.

There are still a few games to go in the division 3 grade. The winner of the Karen Cliffe and James Power match will be in the final and will then be the hot favourite to take the title. Francis Condon has been on fire in the division 4 grade and again has qualified for his second consecutive final. Here he will meet the winner of the match between Eithne Skehan and Ronan Dunford. Although Francis is the favourite for the title, he won't get it easy from either of these much improved

Eoin Kearns is on a role and has qualified unbeaten to the division 5 final. It could well be the best final of the lot as he is to play either Aidan Condon or Gemma Cliffe. Will it be a Waterford versus Tipperary final and a re-run of some highly entertaining matches between Seanie and Tony in years

gone by!!!!!

The division 6 champion is Kendra Hickey. A player who is showing great improvement over the last few weeks and a worthy winner of the title, she is working hard at her game recently and now she has got her just reward. In the final she defeated Michael Hennebry. Natasha Cantwell Lloyd is through to the division 7 final thanks to some very impressive performances. Another player who has made some great progress in recent months. Kevin Gleeson is to play Aaron Lonergan with the victor play-ing Niamh Walsh in the semi final. In her debut season with the club, Emma Geary has reached the division 8 final. Played 5, won 5 is her impressive showing so far but she will have to produce another top performance if she is to clinch the title. In the semi final, Hayley O'Riordan will battle it out with 6 year old Mike Kearns for a place in the final.

A PLAYER TO LOOK OUT FOR

At coaching on Thursday evening last, one player in particular really caught the eye. He wasn't part of the coaching session but during a break in proceedings, we watched a young player hitting the ball in the big Hall. He had what looked like a natural swing and a natural eye for the ball. He was 2 years old. Young Dean Carroll won't be 3 for another month but it's already obvious that he will have a big future in

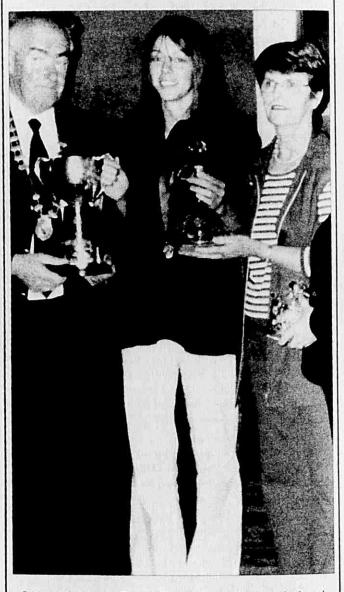
The improvement in all the young players in the last few weeks is unbelievable. Each week you can see their skill levels improving and they all seem to love playing. They are being taught just the basics of the game and the big emphasis is on fun and enjoyment.

The future of the club is in a very solid position. I don't think any other club in the country is doing the work that we are doing with the young players, and I've no doubt that we will all reap the rewards over the next few years. We are often in contact with American player John Ellis who is ranked in the top 10 in the World Professional Tour and he advises us on a lot of different aspects. America is way ahead of us in the standard of the game, administration and organisation and it's nice to get advice from people who know the scene inside out.

The one bit of advice that applies to all sports that he recently gave is, when a player is around 24 years old, they should not look back and saywhy didn't I put in the necessary effort in my teen years". He says that these are the years that are the nearest thing that most people have to being a professional athlete. You will seriously regret it in your midtwenties if you don't make the effort especially if you have the potential to be a top sports per-

CUNNIGAR PITCH AND PUTT NOTES

All Ireland **Title For** Donna Cockwell



Congratulations to Donna Cockwell, who is only playing the game with 2 years and already achieved 4 open titles back to back, winning the Cunnigar and Waterford Crystal in 2003 and coming back in 2004 to repeat the double. To the best of our knowledge that has not been done by any other lady in the Country. To add to her glory, back in May she lifted the Munster title as well. She was part of the ladies County team that won the All Ireland team event last year. At the weekend she went one better by becoming the first lady from the Cunnigar to win an All Ireland National title and won it in fine style. Donna was in second place after the first 18 holes with a score of 2 over par, knowing that score, she stepped up her game a gear and hit a fine 2 under par in the second 18 holes, giving her a 4 shot lead for the 18 hole play off. Nerves started to set in and after the first 10 holes she was 6 over par, and brought it back to 4 in the closing holes, to give her a winning margin of 6 shots. Well done Donna, you done us proud.

Congratulations to the other four ladies who qualified for the National finals - Corrine McGee, Mary Donnelly and Mary O'Neill. Bridget Broderick made the cup to play the final 18 holes. No doubt she will be back next year to claim a prize. Well done ladies. — Shout Fore!

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CAUSEWAY TENNIS CLUB NOTES

of the Superstar events. This fundraising compe- Bernadette Sheridan. tition consisting of eight chosen events from ten Mens winners: 1st: Alan Landers, 2nd; Peter i.e. obstacle courses, putting, table tennis, bowls, Finnegan; 3rd: Alan Phelan. Mens participants: swimming, cycling, darts, Basketball, hurling Luke Brennan, Michael Drummy, Patrick Dugaccuracy and penalty shootout, pitted our top gan, Peter Finnegan, Alan Landers, Harry athletes against each other demonstrating their O'Neill, Alan Phelan, Dylan Reer, Denis O'-

2nd: Anne O'Donnell; 3rd: Fiona Grossan and Buckley, Margaret Browne, Emma Walsh. With Hilary Browne. Ladies participants: Sarah Dal- thanks to Ger Cusack, Pat McCarthy, Denis O'ton, Sinead Conroy, Sarah Younge, Teresa M. Donovan, David Noble, Niall Herlihy.

Congratulations to the men and women's teams Keane, Siobhán Ní Mhurchú, Suzanne Dalton,

Donovan.

Ladies Winners — 1st: Michelle Finnegan; Thank you to the event(s) co-ordinator(s) - Pat

Dungarvan G.A.A. Notes

U-16 HURLERS REMAIN UNBEATEN

Our U-16 hurlers recorded their second successive win in the County league with an impressive 4-13 to 1-7 victory over our neighbours The Brickeys on Tuesday July 6th.

Early points from Cormac Curran and a superb goal from corner forward Trevor Crotty gave us an ideal start and a lead which we would hold until the full time whistle. Just before half - time a well struck goal from a close in free brought The Brickeys back into the game but this was quickly answered by a Michael Walsh goal.

At the start of the second half The Brickeys scored a number of unanswered points and were unfortunate not to get a goal or two. However we finished very strongly and further goals from Darren Sheehan and the impressive Trevor Crotty saw us run out comfortable winners. The panel and scorers for this game: David Moore, Keelan Barry, Killian Dwyer, Connor Hackett, Sean Nesbitt, Wayne Flynn (0-3), Liam Ryan, Derek Barry, Karl Duggan (0-1), Cormac Curran (0-5), Michael Walsh (1-0), Gavin Crotty (0-4), Shane Tobin, Michael O' Shea, Trevor Crotty (2-0), Darren Sheehan (1-0), Paudie Kiely, Neil Fitzgerald, David Buckley, Killian O'

Our home game against Dunhill/Fenor on Saturday last was cancelled due to the involvement of Derek Barry, Killian Dwyer, Gavin Crotty and Karl Duggan with the Waterford U-15 hurlers. Waterford scored impressive victories over Limerick and Tipperary before failing narrowly in the final to Cork. Well done to the four boys.

On Monday 12th we faced Fourmilewater (report next week)

MINOR HURLING

The minor hurling championship will commence this Wednesday and our first game is against Kilrossanty in Stradbally at 7.30 p.m.

On Sunday morning July 18th at 11.00 p.m., our opponents will be Cois Brid at the Cappoquin GAA Grounds and our third fixture is against Deuglan Naofa (Ardmore) which will be played on Wednesday 21st July at 7.30 p.m. in Old Parish.

RULE AROUND THE CORNER

tions 1. Move the sliotar forward

- 13 metres. 2. Cancel the puckout and
- throw in the ball on the defenders 20m line opposite the scoring space.
- 3. Free puck from where the foul occurs.
- 4. Free puck from where the foul occurs.
- 5. Order offender off and award a free puck from where the foul occurred

THIS WEEKS QUESTIONS:

- 1. What is the penalty for an attacking player to cross the 20m line before a penalty has been struck?
- 2. To foul a free puck by making a second attempt to lift the sliotar.
- 3. To threaten an opponent by

using abusive gestures.

4. For a player attacking a goal to carry the sliotar over opponents goal-line.

5. To kick an opponent.

See end of notes for answers. TICKETS FOR **ALL IRELAND HURLING SEMI-FINAL**

Anyone intending on going to the All Ireland Semi-Final should apply to the club for tickets as soon as possible in order to determine the quantity of tickets that the club will be seeking from the County Board.

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

The much awaited re-fixture of the first round intermediate football championship match between ourselves and the Geraldines took place last Thursday night. The date I gave in last week's notes was for Sunday last but unfortunately by the time I found out that this was changed again, it was too late for the papers. I myself was unable to attend due to other pre-arranged commitments and as I wasn't issued with a match report I can't say too much about the game. However, from what I can gather through the grapevine, it was less than a convincing win and the second half performance in particular, left a lot to be desired for. That said, a win is a win and to be fair the lads were missing a number of regulars and when you can win in those circumstances you can't be that bad. One plus of the game was the performance of David Burke who scored 2-1 from play. It's great to see someone like David still playing competitively and holding his own. The morale of the story is never under estimate the value of experience. Final score Dungarvan 3-9 Geraldines 1-7.

JUNIOR HURLING

Pele **Inspires** The Old **Boro To Victory**

A young Dungarvan Junior hurling team, with the exception of a few, took to the field last Friday evening in Lemybrien against a well seasoned and experienced Kilgobnet team. However, from the start the lads showed that they were well up for the task at hand with a couple of excellent early points from Pele and Billy Conway to settle the team. However some poor defending in the fifth minute led to a soft goal for Kilgobnet and it looked like we were in for a cracker. A brace of points from Billy Conway and one from the lively Buddy Power, who saw a lot of the ball at full forward, brought us back into the game and when John Joe Henly goaled in the fifteen minute to give us a three point lead, it looked like our boys were determined not to leave this game behind them.

With Eamon Morrissey dominating at Centre Back and the old heads David Burke at centre forward and Pele playing top of the left on top form, we never looked like losing this game. The first half came to a close

with the scores standing at 3-11 to 1-2 and Dungarvan were good value for their lead despite playing with a strong wind and the added bonus of having the sun at their backs.

The second half never lived up to the first in terms of scoring chances and a lot of credit must go to Kilgobnet for the manner in which they defended and took the game to Dungarvan. In fact they held us to four points and must be wondering if they had played better in the first half, who knows what might have happened.

In terms of performances Kealon Flynn at corner back was a revelation along with Moro at centre back, John O'-Donnell at centre field, Billy Conway at half forward and big Buddy Power at full forward showed some great touches and picked of some nice scores. However, the top hurler on view here was Dermot "Pele" Callaghan, Dungarvan's answer to Seanie Leary - not just in appearance but in cuteness, patience and clinical finishing. It must be the Ring air or something?

Team: D. Power, P O'Sullivan, K. Flynn, J. Houlihan, E. Morrissey, K. Radley, D. Power, J. O'Donnell, B. Conway, D. Burke, D. Mears, D. Callaghan, B. Power, J.J. Henley. J. Cass, K. Curran, A. Connelly, S. Houlihan, S. Tutty, B.

BON VOYAGE

Best wishes from all in Dungarvan GAA Club to Pele, Grace, Luke and James who moved into their new home at Robert's Cross, Ring. Yes, you read it right, An Rinn. All visitors are welcome I'm told, but ideally one should be able to converse in a few words of the local lingo as it was one of the main attractions for Grace in particular. I'm sure Willie and Geraldine Lyons, two more staunch Dungarvanites that fled initially to Washington and have gradually found their way back to Ring, will be glad to have new neighbours, or should I say neighbours full

APOLOGIES

My humblest apologies to Madge Dee who I managed to omit when I was mentioning all the Ladies that help us out above in the Club, particularly when we are holding tournaments etc. it's always dangerous to name names in these kind of situations in case you forget someone. Like all the others, Madge has done more than her fair share over the years to help to improve the image of the Club and we are forever indebted to her and the others. Go raibh mile maith agat go leir.

WEEKLY LOTTO

No winner of the big money this week. Numbers drawn were 4, 13, 18 and 19. Two winners of €35.00 were Michael Donnelly Jnr. 11 Byrneville and Patrick Power Kilmurray. Money goes upto €3,600 next week

CONGRATULATIONS

Congrats to J.P. and Claire Fitzpatrick on the birth of a baby Girl recently

Answers to this weeks rule questions:

- 1. Free puck out from where the infringement occurred.
- 2. Cancel free puck and throw in the ball where the foul oc-
- 3. Caution offender i.e. show yellow card and if already on a yellow show red also.
- 4. Free puck out from where the foul occurred.
- 5. Order offender off and award free puck from where the foul occurred

JOHN MITCHELLS G.A.A. NOTES

LAWLOR'S HOTEL SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP John Mitchell's 1-3 Kilrossanty 0-13

At the Fraher Field on Friday, 9th July we had the mid county local derby, our second game in Senior Championship since we regrouped. The game started at a blistering pace, David Kirwan opened the scoring in the 3rd minute with a well taken point from play, followed by a point om a free by John Power in the 10th minute. A well executed movement out field lead to a pass by Paudie Kirwan to Neil O'Connor who found the net for the only goal of the game. John Power converted a 45 in the 15th minute and shortly afterwards John sustained an injury. In the 24th minute Kilrossanty got their first point of the game and tagged on another four points to half time to leave the half time score 1-3 to 0-5.

On resumption of the second half Kilrossanty scored a point from a free to level the game, followed by a point from a free in the 7th minute. Mitchell's pressed hard for the next 13 minutes but failed to score and we lost Neil O'Connor through injury. Kilrossanty proved too strong in the remaining 10 min-

utes and had 2 point from play and 4 points from frees to finish the game. We wish our neighbours the best of luck in the next round of the championship and we may see them again at a later

stage in the championship. Panel: M. Maye, K. O'Reilly, P. Fogarty, L. Barry, D. O'Reillv. D. O'Connor, D. Kirwan, T. Kirwan, K. Nolan, N. O'Connor, J. Power, A. Kirwan, P. Kirwan, W. McGrath.

Subs: P. O'Sullivan for N. O'-Connor, K. Power for W. Mc-Grath, J. Mears for A. Kirwan. **DEISE DRAW**

Congratulations to Freda Morrissey and Kate Coyman on their win in the last draw. Thanks to everyone who supports the draw as it is of great benefit to our club. The next draw will be hosted by Erins oOand will take place on Friday, 30th July.
WATERFORD JUNIOR

FOOTBALL

Congratulations to the Waterford Junior team on winning the Munster final at the Fraher Field, Dungarvan on Thursday, 1st July. Well done to Niall Barry and John Power who scored 1-1 in the final and to David and Tony Kirwan.

The All Ireland semi final will be played on Saturday, 17th July at 7:15pm in Manchester against Lancashire, U.K.

Na

IOMÁINT SÓISEAR An Rinn 5-07 Na Seamróga 2-08

Foireann - Micheál Lally, Dara Ó h-Iarlatha, Nioclás óg Mac Craith, Mike De Paor, Ciarán Ó Manacháin (0-1), Ray De Paor, Micheál Céitinn, Tomás Breathnach, Tomás Ó Mathúna (0-1), Michael John. Micheál Dower, Dáithí Ó Condúin, Pádraig Ó Murchadha (1-0), Cárthach Mac Craith (2-01), Billy Breathnach(2-04). - Fir Ionad: Aodán Ó Ceallaigh, Seán Mac Craith, Tadhg Ó Ceallaigh.

Bua an-mhaith a bhí againn san Aird Mhór Dé Sathairn seo caite agus thaispeánamar croí agus misneach go h-áirithe sa dara leath i gcoinne na gaoithe.

CLUICHÍ

Iomáint Fé 18 14/7/04 v Ceapach Chuinn.

Páirc Uí Fhearchair 19:30 18/7/04 v Naomh Oilibheir.

Bushy Park 12:00 21/7/04 v An t-Sráidbhaile.

Léim Uí Bhriain 19:30 Iomáint Idirmheánach.

24/7/04 Sraith Iomána an Chontae v Naomh Muire sa Rinn 20:00

CUMANN CAMÓGAÍOCHTA **NA RINNE**

Cluiche leath ceannais an Chontae-Grád Sóisear

An Rinn 6-04 Lios Mór 1-01

Bua maith ag na mná Dé Céadaoin 7/7/04. Bhíomar chun cinn ag leath am 1-01 in aghaidh 1-0. Sa tarna leath d,imir An Rinn ar fheabhas agus tá áit bainte amach acu anois i gcraobh chluich Shóisir an Chontae 2004. Tá árd mholadh tuillte acu go léir.

Foireann - Sinéad Ní Chadhla, Sinéad Uí Artaigh, Máire Ní Chadhla, Sinéad Breathnach, Bríd De Faoite, Fiona Ní Chadhla, Sinéad Ní Fhaoláin (Capt), Ann Dúnsméarach, Louise De Lonndra (0-01), Louise De Bhial, Lisa De Priondgáis(1-02), Carole Ní Shíthigh (0-01), Laura Cliffe(4-0), Bríd De Bhial (1-0), Fianait Uí Bhriain. Ionadaithe: Karen Mhic Craith, Doireann Ní Riain, Bríd Uí Ullmholtaigh, Niamh Mhic Craith, Julie Ann Frinnseach, Caitríona Ní Criostóir, Máire Mhic Craith

TORTHAI LOTTO 12/7/04

Pota Óir €1850. Ní raibh aon bhuaiteoir. •20 an duine ag Louise McGhee, Geraldine Roche, Julie Anne French, Mary Prendergast, Béibhinn Riordan. Pota Óir €2000 a bheidh againn an tseachtain seo chughainn i dTigh Uí Mhaonaigh.

GERALDINES G.A.A **CLUB NOTES**

There was no winner of our Lotto Jackpot worth EUR1400. The numbers drawn were 8, 22 and 27. The following were the winners of EUR20.Tony Morrissey, Villierstown; Gerry Cantwell c/o Glass; Anthony Morrissey, Villierstown; Eoin Coughlan, Aglish; Tony Morrissey, Villierstown.

Next weeks Jackpot will be EUR1550 and the draw will take place in the Cruiscin Lan, Villier-

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

We kicked off our Intermediate Football campaign with a match versus Dungarvan on Thursady night last at the Fraher Field Dungarvan. We started this match very slowly and found ourselves 2-4 to 0-1 down after 20 minutes. We came back strongly in the period just before half time, firing over 5 unanswered points. We enjoyed the majority of possesion in the second half coming back to within 3 points of Dungarvan. Our goal coming from the penalty spot courtesy of Donnacha Tobin. Dungarvan then with fitness telling in the end added on a further 1 - 1 to leave the final score Dungarvan 3-8, Geraldines 1-

VISIT OF MUNSTER CHAMPIONS

The Waterford hurling team paid a visit to our field last Friday night to train. The team used our facilities earlier on in the year when they were able to hurl at night under our floodlights. Lets hope the next time they come back they will have two

CONGRATULATIONS

Best wishes for the future and congratulations to Pat O'Donovan and Honor Meagher who tied the knot recently. Wishing them both a long and happy life together.

Fourmilewater Hurling **Club Notes**

SENIOR HURLING

Fourmilewater Senior Hurlers were knocked out of this years Senior Hurling championship, when they lost to Tallow in Fraher field on Saturday last, on a scoreline of 3-9 to 1-9.

This was a very close match up until Tallow scored their second goal 17 minutes into the second half. Our team tried their hearts out and did their best for the club. Rory Rice did well at full back, John Moore and Justin Walsh played it tight in the corners. Brian Wall had great game in mid field. Shane Walsh was our top scorer with 1-7, Dec Spellmam and Liam Lawlor being our other scorers.

The team must now regroup and make sure we can avoid relegation.

Team: E. Wall, J. Moore, R. Rice, J. Walsh, T. O'Gorman, I. Walsh, L. Walsh, B. Wall, A. O'Gorman, L. Lawlor, S. Walsh, M. Walsh, S. Lawlor, D. Spellman, A. Lawlor. Sub: Pa Walsh

FOOTBALL

Best of luck to David Ryan and Michael Byrne who play in Manchester with the Waterford Juniors against the British champions on Saturday next. Here's wishing them the very best, and hoping that they make the flight back on Sunday. and not stay for the start of the pre-

COUNTY LONG PUCK COMPETITION

The County long puck competition will take place in Fraher Field on Saturday next at 6:30pm. We have a couple of club members interested. Tom Doocey is giving it a go this year!

JUVENILE G.A.A. NEWS from the DEISE COUNTY

FIRST JUVENILE COUNTY TITLE FOR NAOMH BRID.

On Sunday last the Naomh Brid Club won its first ever juvenile county final in hurling or football when they defeated Passage in an entertaining County Under 12 division two hurling final replay while in the division three final there was a first juvenile county final for the juvenile section of the Butlerstown club since it was formed in 2003 at the Dungarvan Club Grounds. The original finals nine days previously had ended in stalemate with some exciting hurling served up by the teams involved. Those who gathered for the replays expecting some good hurling played were not left disappointed and at one stage it looked like extra time could not be ruled out.

Naomh Brid were first to score in a game where there was some very skilful players on both sides. Passage soon equalised and then went a point up. this was to be final score of the first half as Naomh Brid took control of the game and went in at the break 1-3 to 0-2 in front.

Naomh Brid began the second half as they finished the first and midway through the second half were 1-6 to 0-2 in front. Passage reduced the difference by a point before they got a goal to leave just three points between the sides with time running out.

Naomh Brid after conceding a goal did what most good do, reply with a score, a goal to put them 2-6 to 1-3 in front. In the closing minutes of the game, Passage piled on the pressure on the Naomh Brid defence. The difference between the sides was reduced by a point when Passage scored a point.

in stoppage time Passage were awarded a close in free. Passage went for a goal, but another ten year old to stand out for Naomh Brid Michael Kiely was on hand to make a vital save and in doing so put the ball over the bar for a point.

Shortly after this the full time whistle was sounded and Naomh Brid were in front on a scoreline of 2-6 to 1-5. After the game a huge Naomh Brid support saw captain Owen Barron presented with the winners shield.

Before the division two final replay on Sunday last, the division three final replay between Butlerstown and Kilrossanty took place. Kilrossanty were the first to score, a goal from a long range free. Butlerstown replied with a point before they scored a goal. Kilrossanty replied with a goal and a point of their own to give the Comeragh Boys a 1-2 to 1-1 lead at the break.

The second half was as close as the first, with the outcome of the game in doubt right up to the very end. Butlerstown got the first score of the second twenty minutes, a point to draw the two sides level. Kilrossanty then took the lead with a point, before Butlerstown scored the second of their four goals.

Soon after Butlerstown got their second goal they god a third. Kilmacthomas replied with a point before they raised their second green flag of the morning to leave the score 2-4 to 3-2. Kilrossanty from the puck out attacked the passage goal and had a good chance of a third goal, but somehow they saw their efforts fail to cross the line. Butlerstown attacked down the field from the clearance and in doing so, got a fourth goal of the game.

From the puck out the full time whistle was sounded. After the game County Board na nOg Chairman Pat Grant presented the winning Butlerstown captain with the winners trophy. Just like Naomh Brid in the division two final, this was a first Juvenile County Final win for the Butlerstown club since the juvenile section of the club was formed a year or two ago.

Over the past few years some tremendous work has been done within all clubs to promote hurling and football. The work done within the four clubs that competed in last Sundays county finals was clear to see. All four teams were well trained. The level of skill within all four clubs was very high.

If clubs continue to do the good work they have started, there will be no need to fear for future of hurling and football in the Deise county in the years ahead and we can safely say that Waterford in the future will be contesting Munster and All-Ireland finals.

On Sunday morning the Dungarvan Club Grounds were to top class condition. Thanks to the Dungarvan Club for the use of their facilities, and also to referee for both games Pat Moore. who I know was very impressed with the standard of play by all the players and with the work done with the players by the mentors

MUNSTER FINAL WIN FOR CAPPOQUIN.

The Cappoquin under 13 Hurling team travelled to Limerick on Saturday morning to contest the Munster Community Games

were too strong for the Cork Champions, winning on a scoreline of 4-9 to 1-2.

The win over Kinsale put Cappoquin into the Munster Final where they took on Adare from Limerick. This was a very close game with very little separating the two sides. At half time Cappoquin lead 2-2 to 1-3. Both sides continued to play some good hurling in the second half. In the end Cappoquin ran out winners on a scoreline of 2-7 to 1-8.

On the day Cappoquin had some very good performances. Darragh Fives at centre forward, Finan Murray and David Callahane in the half back line and Patrick Walsh and Ross McLaughlin in centre field were some of the players that impressed most.

Cappoquin in Community Games can pick their players from the areas stretching from Millstreet to Youghal Bridge and from Melleray to the Cappoquin/Knockanore Parish Boundary will now go on to represent Waterford and Munster in the All-Ireland Semi Finals and hopefully final in Mosney later in the summer.

Thanks to Magoo and Bridget Murray for providing the information on how they were going on throughout the day and in doing so allowed us get the information into W.L.R.fm.

COUNTY SECRETARY

County Bord na n-Og Secretary Robert Grace is back from Holidays and so all matters relating to county championships should be refereed to him again

COUNTY FINALS

This Saturday, the county under 14 hurling semi finals will take place at Fraher Field. The division one final sees the meeting of Mount Sion and Ballygunner. At senior level these two sides are the biggest in the county so it great to see them come through to meet at Juvenile level as well.

Ballygunner will have to be the warmest of favourites to win the division one final. They recently travelled to Feile na nGael in the Midlands and reached the division one semi finals before exiting the competition. Going on this form, they have to be fancied to beat their city rivals, however it is when you least expect it could easily be beaten. The Mount Sion team will know that Ballygunner will go into the final on a high and will be doing their very best to capture what will be a first juvenile county title for Mount Sion in a number of years.

In division two Passage are in the final. They had a win over Brickeys in the semi finals. Who they will meet in the final is not quite clear as these notes are been put together. Clonea and Cois Bhride are the two teams that are in contention to play

In the division three final Clashmore will take on St. Mary's. in their semi final at Cappoquin last Thursday night, Clashmore had a good win over Naomh Brid, while on Sunday morning in Lemybrien An Gaeltacht had a good win over An Gaeltacht. St. Mary's would be the favourites to win the final as they are selecting their players from a very big area. However Clashmore have some very good players and will be very difficult to defeat.

The division four final is an all western affair with the meeting of Fourmilewater and Kilrossanty. Fourmilewater in their semi final last week at Cappoquin had a good win over St. Olivers while in Kill, Kilrossanty defeated Ferrybank.

The two sides have met already three times this year at this age level. In the league section of the Western Under 14 championship, Kilrossanty were victors. When the two sides met in the Western Final at the Abbeyside club grounds it was Fourmilewater who came out on top. In the league section of the County championship it was again Fourmilewater who came out on top. Who will win on Saturday? Its hard to call. However those that will be present will be in for a very good game of hurling played by two good sporting teams.

The first of the four finals on Saturday gets underway at 11-00am, and games after this will start every seventy five minutes. Those indenting on attending the games should check with their local club as to what time the games start at.

ADMISSION FEE

Those attending the County Finals in Fraher Field on Saturday are asked to note that the admission fee is €5. The officers of County Bord na nOg have decided to raise the cost of admission from €4 to €5 due to the increased cost of running county finals.

SUMMER CAMPS

The Azzurri sponsored County G.A.A. Summer Camps run venues across the county again next week. Each camp last four days and will be split between football and hurling. Camps in the third week take place at Bushy Park, Butlerstown, Dunhill, Mount

semi final against Kinsale from Cork. In the game Cappoquin Sion, St. Olivers and at St. Stephens National School in Waterford city.
COUNTY UNDER 16 FOOTBALL TEAM

The Waterford under 16 football team travelled to Limerick on Saturday last to contest the Woodlands Hotel under 16 football Munster Football Competition. Played on a blitz, Waterford played Tipperary in the first game. The game ended in a draw, and to find a winner extra time was played.

During the course of extra time a very dubious penalty was awarded against Waterford which was converted. In the end it was this goal that separated the two sides with Tipperary winning on a scoreline of 2-13 to 3-8.

The extra time in the first game took a lot out of the Waterford team. Added to this two of Waterford's best players John Gorman and Conor McGrath picked up injuries in the first game and were unable to take part in the second game against Cork County. The Cork side ran out winners on a scoreline of 2-14 to 1-8.

UNDER 13 HURLING

The West Waterford Bord na nOg Under 13 hurling competition is fast drawing to a close. This week in division one Clashmore play Dungarvan in division one in Clashmore and at Abbeyside, Abbeyside will be taking on Lismore.

In division two Fourmilewater and Cois Bhride will meet at the Mill Field in Ballymacarbry while Naomh Brid have home advantage over Brickeys. In division three all games in the league section of the competition should now be played and the semi final pairing and the team that goes straight into the final should be known.

UNDER 16 HURLING

The County under 16 hurling championship continues this weekend with games in all four divisions. Over the past few weeks a number of games had to be called off by clubs for different reasons and these will be re-arranged by the Bord.

A full round of games last Saturday were called off because of Waterford's involvement in the under 16 football championship. These games will also be re-arranged and clubs will be notified as to when they will be played.

Listed below is the fixtures for the remainder of the competition with the name of the referee down to referee it beside it.

FIXTURES - Saturday July 17th

County Under 14 Hurling Finals All games at Fraher Field Division One - Ballygunner V Mount Sion Division Two - Passage V Clonea or Cois Bhride Division Three - Clashmore V St. Mary's Division Four - Fourmilewater V Kilrossanty.

Those planning on watching the games should check with the participating clubs as to what time each final is on.

Monday July 19th

County U-16 Hurling Championship all games at 7-30pm Division One - Roanmore v. De La Salle Francis Lonergan Lismore v. Ballygunner - Referee to be appointed

Mount Sion v. Abbeyside - Philip Caufield St. Olivers v. Cappoquin - John Condon

Division Two - Cois Bhride v. Passage Pat Fitzgerald Dunhill/Fenor v. Tramore - Dessie O'Leary Portlaw/Mollerans v. Brickeys - Jim Murphy

Clonea v. Fourmilewater Tim O'Byrne Division Three - St. Mary's v. Naomh Brid Vinny O'Toole Ballyduff v. Clashmore Pat Casey Gaeltacht v. Stradbally Robbie Whe Sacred Heart v. Ferrybank - Brian Power Division Four

St. Saviours v. Kilmacthomas Thomas Power

Monday 26th July

County U16 Hurling Championship all games at 11-30am Division Two Passage v. Fourmilewater Vinny O'Toole Tramore v. Brickeys Dessie O'Leary Cois Bhride v. Dungarvan Pat Fitzgerald Dunhill/Fenor v. Clonea Francis Lonergan

Monday 26th July

County Under 16 Hurling Championship all games at 7-30pm Division One St. Olivers v. Abbevside Donal O'Murchu De La Salle v. Lismor Brian Power Mount Sion v. Roanmore Dessie O'Leary Cappoquin v. Ballygunner Pat Fitzgerald Division Two Tramore v. Cois Bhride Tim O'Byrne Brickeys v. Dunhill/Fenor Robbie Whelan Fourmilewater v. Portlaw/Mollerans referee to be appointe

ABBEYSIDE/BALLINACOURTY G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

SELECTORS MEETING

The next selectors meeting will take place at our club grounds at 9.30pm on the 20th luly

SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

We came, we saw, we got conquered. Unfortunately this is the way of the world and with a very young team last Saturday night we lost to Stradbally in the Senior Hurling Championship. Try as we might we could not come to grips with a very strong and determined Stradbally outfit. No matter how hard we tried we found the going tough against a more physically stronger team.

The game was played at a fast and furious pace. But was also played, as it should in a very sporting manner. Even though the loss hurt us as we are now heading into the relegation dogfight zone it would be fair to say that Stradbally were on the night the better team.

We wish Stradbally the very best of luck in their championship campaign. It shows what we have to do to just survive at senior level never mind take the honours.

The time for excuses are now well and truly over and everybody involved will need to up the ante and work harder to avoid the drop. It would be a shame to loose our senior status with so many fine young hurlers coming through but we must show pride and passion to sustain us at this level.

It is down now to players, mentors, club members and supporters to put this disappointment behind us and encourage all those involved to keep working.

The team that lined out was as follows. Darrell Ryan, Owen Hayes, Gavin Breen, Brian Hayes, John Kindregan, Damian Cliffe, Alan Ryan, Shane Briggs (Captain), Patrick Lynch, John Hurney, Laurence Hurney, Mark Gorman, Michael Enright, Mark Fives and Declan Fives. Substitutes used were Richie Foley and Patrick Hurney. Joey Mullen came on three times as blood substitute (even though the game was played in a very sporting manner) before he finally replaced an injured Alan Ryan.

Other substitutes waiting the call were Emmett Burns, Paul Breen, Paul O'Brien, David Cashin, Gary Lyons and Mick Collins. John Foley could not take his place on the team due to an injury and we wish John a speedy recovery.

Scorers were Mickey Enright 1 goal and 2 points, Mark Gorman 5 points, Shane Briggs 2 points and Mark Fives 1 point.

TREVOR COSTELLOE

We wish a speedy recovery to Trevor Costelloe of Stradbally who was injured in an accidental clash during the match on Saturday and hope he is back fully fit for the next round.

MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP

We play Lismore in the first game of this year's minor hurling campaign in Colligan at 7.30pm on Wednesday the 14th of July. This is a great bunch of lads so please get up to Colligan they need your support on the night. The very best of luck to the lads and their mentors.

CLUB SUMMER CAMP

The club summer camp will continue for the next two weeks. It will run on Monday's, Tuesday's and Wednesday's from 10:00am to 1:00pm. The cost is €10 per child and is limited to 5-12 year olds. This is great value and marvellous fun so get your lads out their they will enjoy it immensely.

UNDER 10 HURLING

We took part in the penultimate round of the Waterford City League on Saturday last in Butlerstown with our opening game being against our hosts. At the interval we led by the minimum, the only score of the first half, however our opponents came out with all guns blazing on the restart and quickly took the lead. But all credit to our young players they stuck at their task and with a brace of goals secured victory. Our winning ways continued in our second game against Glenmore.

The final game of the day was against Clonea who were one of the strongest sides we have met to date. Clonea took an early lead and while we managed to reduce the deficit, try as we did we could not breakdown their backline. Nevertheless two wins out of three is good by any standards.

Our panel was Stephen O'Connor, Cian O'Dwyer, Aidan
Moloney, Robert Mulligan,
Patrick Collins, Brian Looby,
Fiona Morrissey, Stephen Fehilly, Sean Daly, Gavin
Browne, Lee Mulhearne,
Michael Maher, Eimear Fennell, Jack Mullaney, Eoin

Bergin and Peter Butler. SUPER TRIO 2004

To most of you the letters DHL represent the name of a parcel delivery company, but to one club member, who looks after First Aid in the club, it's also his Super Trio combination, which at this stage is joint leader in our Juvenile Committee fundraiser with combination CDL held by a resident of Sea Park. C is Eugene Cloonan, D is Joe Deane, H is Eoin Kelly and L, which is contained in nine of the current top ten combinations, is Henry Shefflin. The Kilkenny man's score of 2 goals and 11 points against Galway brings his tally to 36 points. As the qualifier series progresses more teams are falling by the wayside however seven players from our panel of twelve still remain. Did Eoin Kelly and Eugene Cloonan do before making their exit or will the likes of Paul Flynn and D.J. Carey overtake them? Excluding possible replays there are only six games left, it's going to be close

ALAN "CHUNKY" RYAN TIES THE KNOT

The very best wishes to Alan "Chunky" Ryan who is getting married to the Ballingarry Queen. None other than Caroline O'Connor. The wedding takes place in Limerick next Friday the 16th of July. The reception takes place in the Castletroy Hotel. We wish Chunky and Caroline a long and happy life together. Chunky will have to limp up the aisle on Friday after picking up stitches in a leg wound playing for the club over the week-

end. We sure Caroline will nurse him back to the best of health.

DAMIAN CLIFFE HEADING FOR WESTMEATH

Yes its true Damian is heading for Westmeath. What, I hear you say Paudi O'Shea is looking for him. No not yet anyway. Damian has just got engaged to Dorothy Cassells a Westmeath lady. Well done to Damian and Dorothy and all associated with the club wish both of you the very best of luck for the future.

JUVENILE FLAG DAY

A reminder that our juvenile Flag Day's will take place on the 17th and 18th of July. Kevin Tobin is arranging this and as usual will be looking for helpers so don't be shy and volunteer to do your bit.

volunteer to do your bit. REUNION OF THE 1978, 1979 AND 1981 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS

A reunion of the teams which won the Senior Football Championships in 1978, 1979 and 1981 is currently being organised and will take place later this year. For those involved it surely will be a night to look forward to. More about this in the not to distant future.

TICKETS FOR THE ALL IRELAND SEMI-FINAL

- Another reminder to all club members to order your All-Ireland Semi-final tickets from our illustrious Club Secretary Bernard Shields on 058-41467.

SYMPATHIES

The Club would like to extend sincere sympathies to the Clancy family on the death of John Clancy. John was brother to Ollie and Peter and Uncle to Connor who recently played with the club. John played with the club before he immigrated to the USA. We offer our sympathies to the Clancy family. Ar dheis de a raibh a ainm.

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.

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.

CLG Na Rinne LEATH-CHRAOBH NA HÉIREANN

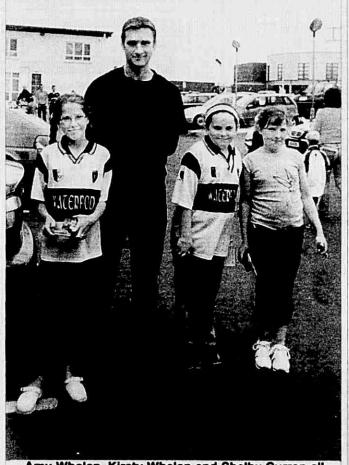
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AN GHAELTACHT

Tá campa samhraidh peil agus iomáint faoi lán tseoil an tseachtain agus an-scil á léiriú ag na buachaillí agus na cailíní óga. Ár mbuíochas dóibh siúd atá tar éis é a eagrú.



Amy and Kirsty Whelan, 13 Murphy Place, Abbeyside with John Mullane pictured outside Leisure Zone in Waterford recently. Amy won a signed jersey and received it from the Waterford senior hurling team.



Amy Whelan, Kirsty Whelan and Shelby Curran all from Murphy Place, Abbeyside, pictured with Waterford senior hurling star Tony Browne.

Ballinameela G.A.A. Club Notes

FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

On Friday evening last we played the first round of the intermediate football championship against Sliabh gCua in Colligan. Firstly I'd like to thank the Colligan club for flying the national flag at halfmast and the Sliabh gCua club for observing a minutes silence in memory Tom Browne.

Often I have written that a game may have started at a hectic pace, well this one didn't as play in the first half was riddled with mistakes and it was very much stop start for the first thirty minutes. Both sides missed easy scoring chances and it looked as if neither side had played too much football in preparation for this game. The fist half ended all square at four points each.

The second half did produce better football as both sides upped the tempo of the game in both pace and effort. Sliabh gCua opened up a two-point lead and the game looked to be going their way but we stayed with it and fought for every ball. Slowly but surly we clawed our way back scoring four points on the trot to leave us leading going into the last ten minutes. Sliabh gCua were not going to leave this one go easily as they attacked in waves putting our defence under a lot of pressure. There was just the minimum between the sides with five minutes remaining and the Tourneena men looked like they were going to get the equalizer but we broke up field and James McGrath put over a much needed score. This left Sliabh gCua needing a goal they pushed on in search of the three pointer but our backs held firm and on another breakaway we kicked over another point to secure the game. The final whistle sounded soon after to the relief of our players and mentors. While we won this game too many of our players under performed with only Robbie McCarthy and Pauric Scanlon playing up to scratch. For the record the final score was 10 points to 7.

Sliabh gCua/ St. Mary's GAA

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

The Intermediate footballers were in action last Friday night against Ballinameela. It was a very good performance and we were in the match up to the very end, and were just narrowly beaten. We hit the uprights and the crossbar on numerous occasions and this was a telling factor in the result. There seems to be a big improvement this year as we had 99% turnout of players, with the exception of an injury. It is great to see the hurling and football doing so well. There seems to be great give and take between the two sets of selectors and this helps make a united team.

COMERAGH GAELS

We lost out to WIT in the Fraher Field on Sunday evening. We bowed out of the senior championship to a star studded WIT team. For our first year out, we had some christening, playing Mount Sion and WIT as these are two of the strongest teams in Munster.

They stood up to both teams very well. We would like to thank all the players for their sincere dedication, also the selectors and mentors. Looking forward to next year when hopefully the draw will go our way.

We would also like to thank all who contributed to the Sponsorship for the team.

TOURIN G.A.A. NOTES

JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Friday, 16th July Tourin v Kilrossanty at Cappoquin. Throw in at 7:30pm. All players are asked to be present in Cappoquin no later than 6:45pm.

SPONSORED WALK

The club holds its annual sponsored walk on Sunday, 25th July. All players and members are asked to make a big effort in sponsorship. All cards have been issued to players. It's a big time for the club with plans well underway for new facilities and the redevelopment of the hall.

(by "Commentator")

Co. Board Meeting

The July meeting of the County Board will take place a Lawlor's Hotel on Monday night next when delegates will be briefed on arrangements, including ticket allocation for the All-Ireland semi-final on August 8th.

BENEFIT NIGHT

Clubs will be asked to give their approval and support to a fund raising scheme that is planned for Tramore Race Course on Thursday August 12th. The fund raising is for the county hurlers benefit fund and it will be a gala occasion which every club in the county will be asked to support. Details of a second fund rising scheme will also be given to the meeting.

The two Munster championship cups, senior hurling and junior football will be on display at the meeting.

As there is no county board meeting scheduled for August there will be no further meeting of the senior board until after the All-Ireland final.

Generous Gesture By Dublin Supporters Club

The Dublin based Waterford Supporters Club have donated a sum of €10,000 to the hurlers training fund and details of this will be given to delegates at the meeting on Monday

AWARDS

Over the past couple of weeks Waterford players have been named as Award winners in different schemes and it is good to hear that for the third month in a row, a Waterford hurler has been named as the "Vodafone" winner.

On Monday of this week, senior hurling team captain Ken McGrath was awarded the award for June for his performance and leadership in the Munster final. Ken also received the Granville Hotel/ WLR award for the same month and for the same reason.

Dan Shanahan who had already been awarded the 'Vodafone" and Granville/ WLR awards was also given The Park Hotel monthly sportsman award for June.

County team manager Justin McCarthy has been awarded the Manager of the Month award by the national sponsors and he has also been honoured by the Tower Hotel

John Clancy R.I. P.

Our very sincere sympathy is extended to the family of the late John Clancy of Home Rule Street, Abbeyside who passed away rather suddenly on Wednesday of last week.

John was an outstanding club hurler with Abbeyside before emigrating to the USA in the late fifties.

While in New York he maintained a strong link with the GAA and as well as playing in the championships there, he was ever a big help to emigrants from the Deise county who sought employment there.

His brothers, Michael, R.I.P., Pete and Ollie also wore the Abbeyside colours with distinction.

A guard of honour was provided by the club at his funeral and a minute's silence was observed in his honour before the Abbeyside/Stradbally match on Saturday.

May he rest in peace.

RESULTS

In the Divisional championships here in the west last weekend, there were wins for Dungarvan (3-8) over Geraldines (1-7) and Ballinameela who defeated Sliabh gCua by 0-10 to 0-7, both in the intermediate football championship.

In Junior hurling Kilgobnet and Clashmore played an exciting draw while An Rinn had a big win over Shamrocks in the same championships.

Senior Football Championship Rathgormack 2-18 Kill 1-4

The men from the other side of the Comeraghs were in mighty form for their game against Kill in the losers section of the championship, when the sides clashed at Walsh Park on Friday evening.

As the final score indicates there was a gap in standards here and Rathgormack were never in trouble.

Kill have now left the championship and Rathgormack will proceed through the losers group.

GAELIG GAMES COACHING CORNER

Summer Camps:

Monday July 19th to Thursday22nd St. Olivers, Brickeys.

Fraher Field Leagues:

Just a brief reminder to all Juvenile Clubs in the West that these Leagues will Commence this Friday 16th of July commencing at 10.30. It is open to both Boys and Girls aged 11 to 13.(must be born in 91,92,93.) So please send your players along.

Hurling Drills for Juvennile Clubs:

This goes ahead this Wednesday evening in Dungarvan G.A.A. Pitch Commencing at 7.30. Each club is asked to send in their Club Mentors.



Very young group pictured at the Waterford GAA Summer Camp at Abbeyside's GAA grounds with Coach, Sean Cleary. The Summer Camps are organised and run by the Waterford Coaching & Games Development Committee. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Brickey Rangers GAA Notes

Summer Camp

This year's Summer camp which is sponsored by Azzuri will be on the 19th-22nd July in Bushy Park. The camp will be divided into two days of hurling and two days of football. It is open to boys and girls aged 6-13 years. Children under 6 will not be allowed. Helmets and shin guards must be worn by all children on the days of hurling. Please ensure that helmets are labelled with their names as to avoid any been lost. The camp will start at 10am to 2:30pm. The fee is E45 per person. Discounts will apply to families sending more than one child - two children E80, three children E120, four children E160. Each child will receive new edition gear bag; new special edition Azzuri Waterford G.A.A. kit, 18 hours of coaching from qualified coaches. For anymore information please contact Angela Whelan 058-45810.

Brickey Mini Lotto

The lotto draw was held in Tommy Power's bar on Thursday night last. Numbers drawn were 6-11-29. There was no Brigid Barry, Elsie Hickey, Clara Curran, Kathleen Flavin. This weeks draw will take place in Bridie Dee's bar and the jackpot will be E1,200. Tickets just E1.50 each available from any promoter.

Minor Hurling

We play Clashmore on Wednesday, 14th (tonight), in Ring G.A.A. field at 7:30pm in the championship

Minor Hurling

We play Ardmore in the championship in Ardmore on Friday, 16th. This match has been brought forward from Sunday evening and we would like to thank Ardmore for facilitating the Brickey club.

Sponsored Cycle

The Brickey club will participate in a sponsored cycle in aid of Our Lady's Hospital for Sick Children, Crumlin and West Waterford Hospice on Saturday, July 17th. Please sponsor the cyclists and give your support to this very worthy cause.

U8 Hurling

Last Saturday, we held our annual U8 hurling tournament

jackpot winner. E20 winners: in Bushy Park. Eight clubs surrender. Scores came thick were involved divided into two groups of four with the top two teams in each group contesting the semi-finals.

We lost our first group game to Cois Brid but won our next two against Mount Sion and Naomh Brid to finish runners up in our group. Lismore and Cappoquin came through from the other group with victories over Abbeyside and Portlaw/ Mollerans. We played Lismore in our semi-final and came out on top in a very close game that hung in the balance right until

Cois Brid defeated Cappoquin in the other semi-final. The final was a repeat of the very first game between ourselves and Cois Brid. This time round we were quick out of the blocks and raced into a two goal lead, a lead that we were to never and fast but when the final whistle went we were on top on a final scoreline of Brickeys 7 goals Cois Brid 5 goals.

Our juvenile chairman then protested team captain on the day Conor Morrissey with the cup amid scenes of great jubila-

Panel of Players

Jordan Wheelan, Carthach Barry, Conor Morrissey, Michael O'Dwyer, Michael Kiely Cormac Curran, Diarmuid Gallagher, Shane Nugent, Nial McCarthy, Paul Drohan, James Cotter, Paul Wheelan, John Blackwell, Sean Curran.

We would like to thank everyone who helped to make the day a success. The parents who made the sandwiches, the catering ladies, the referees and the groundsmen who had the field in excellent condition.

ST. OLIVERS G.A.A. **CLUB NOTES**

Under 14 Hurling

Our U-14 hurlers played Fourmilewater on Wednesday last in Cappoquin in the semi-final of the U-14 county league. Unfortunately, on the night Fourmilewater proved too strong for our lads but well done to each and everyone of them for playing so well throughout this league.

Team:- Colin Walsh, John Longan, Patrick Hickey, Tom Curran, David O'Connell, David Phelan, Deckie O'Brien, Sean Meskill, Jim Curran, James Ryan, Conor Buckley, Jamie Glavin, Micheal Heaphy, Rickie Fitzgerald, Gary Hurley, Kevin Phelan.

Sponsored Walk

The club will hold its annual sponsored walk in Aglish on Friday, 23rd July, at 7.30 p.m. Any player who has not received a sponsorship card please get one from your coach at training. All club members are asked to support this fund raiser as generously as possible.

Committee Meeting

The next committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, 20th July at 9 p.m. in the Old School, Ballinameela.

Summer Camp

The Waterford G.A.A. Summer Camps are now in full swing around the county and our local St. Olivers camp will be in Aglish from 19th to 22nd July. This is a wonderful opportunity for our young players from 6 years to 13 years. The sessions run from 10 a.m. to 2.30 p.m. each day and price is 45 per child for which each participant will receive a new special edition Azzurri Waterford G.A.A. kit plus a limited edition gear bag and 18 hours of coaching from qualified coaches. Discounts apply to families and further details can be obtained from our local club coordinators Micheal Plelan and Lar Looby.

Shamrock GAA Club Notes

Junior Hurling Western Championships

An Rinn 5-7 Shamrocks 2-8

On Saturday evening at Ardmore our team which was very depleted played reasonably well but had to give way to the team from An Rinn and so ended our interest for 2004 in that grade.

Club Lotto

On last Saturday night at the Sharocks Inn, Knockanore, the number drawn were 10-12-17-20 and there was no jackpot winner. 15 euro consolation prizes were won by : John Mc-Carthy, Angela Geary, Michael Ryan, Paul Aldridge, Michael

Collins. On next Staurday nights draw the jackpot will be 7, 375 euros and tickets at 1.50 euro each can be had from the usual promoters.

Sympathy

Our club offers deepest sympathy to Michael Tobin and family, West Street Tallow on the recent death of Sarah Tobin, which took place after a short illness. Ar Dheis De Go Raidh a hanam

Club History

We are pleased to learn that sales of our book have been going very well and wish to inform anyone anxious to purchase one to do so soon by contacting Ann O'Keefe club secretary or Tom O'Donovan.

Cois Bhride Juvenile G.A.A. Club Notes

U-8 HURLING, BRICKEY RANGERS TOURNAMENT

The splendidly appointed

Bushy Park was the venue last

Saturday morning for the Brickey Rangers U-8 Tournament. Cois Bhride were drawn against home club the Brickeys, Mount Sion, and Naomh Brid, while Lismore, Cappo-Abbeyside, and quin. Portlaw/St. Mollerans were in the other group. We got off to a good start in our first game v. the Brickeys, with goals from Colm Roche(2-1), Will Hogan and Paul O'Mahony giving us a 4-1 to 1-3 win. It got even better in the next match where Jake Beecher was the hero with three goals, and Kelvyn O'Farrell also scored a goal to leave the final score at four goals to nil. Our defenders were well on top in this game, Liam Smith, Ryan Gray, and Jack Tobin in goals were leaving nothing pass them by. Jack Tobin kept another clean sheet in the next game against Mt.Sion where a lovely point from a sideline cut from the stick of Jake Beecher was the highlight of the game. Jake also got two goals, and further goals from Paul O'Mahony, Padraig Roche, Will Hogan, Jordan Farmer, and David Tobin left us comfortable winners by 7-1 to nil. Three wins out of three left us facing Cappoquin in the semifinal, Colm Roche was the top scorer with 2-2, and goals from Paul, Jordan, and Kelvyn saw Cois Bhride emerge winners by 5-2 to 1-1. They had won four out of four, could they win the final? Brickey Rangers were the opposition in the final, and having beaten them in the first round, we were quietly confident that we could do it again. But like a lot of replays, this game was very different, and the action went from end to end. Jack Tobin in goals was playing his heart out, Liam Smith, Paul O'Mahony and Ryan Gray cleared a lot of ball out, and at midfield, Colm Roche and Adam Crawford ran their legs off. Jake Beecher, Jordan Farmer, and Will Hogan were finding it difficult to get scores, and in the end Brickey Rangers won by 7 goals to 5. All the subs, Edward and Billy Hynes, Padraig Roche, John Paul Lucey, Eimear O'Brien, Kelvyn O'Farrell, and David Tobin got a game, and though they were disappointed to have lost the final, they can be proud of the way they played. Special mention to goalie Jack Tobin who had a great tournament, and was a bit unlucky to concede a few goals in the final, but you know something, Jack, ye wouldn't have been in that final if it wasn't for you, so well done to you and all the players. Our thanks to the Brickeys for their invitation, and they looked after everyone as only they can. Great tournament!

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U-16 HURLING Dunhill / Fenor 6-8 Cois Bhride 4-13

As the scoreline suggests, despite scoring 17 times to the home side's 14, our u-16's narrowly lost this match last Monday night away by the bare minimum, and by all accounts were a little unlucky to do so.

To get 4-13 in a match is good scoring, and that total would win most games. This was their second match of the championship which has been rejigged because of the exams, and even though we were given a new fixture list, there is still a doubt as to when their next game takes place. This coming Saturday is the most likely time, but please check with selectors Flor Harnedy, Pat Murphy, Timmy Sheehan, and Dick O'Mahony.

U-16 panel; Sean O'Sullivan, Diarmuid Ahearne, Tom Feeney, John Smith, Gerard Heffernan, Shane Harnedy, Jason Ahearne, Kieran Geary, Ken Kearney, Cathal Herlihy, Sean Casey, Michael Lucey, Barry Moroney, Derek Kelly, Mark Smith, Stephen Power.

MINOR HURLING Fixtures for the minor hurling championship have been published, and our first match is scheduled for tonight (Wed) versus St. Declan's (Ardmore) in Cappoquin at 7.30 pm. This will quickly be followed by our second match on Sunday next (18th July) at 12 noon also in Cappoquin against Dungarvan. And the next round is fixed for the following Wednesday night 21st of July at 7.30 against Clashmore, also in Cappoquin. We are in the "B" section this year, and we wish them luck.

U-14 HURLING As I mentioned last week, there was a doubt over the timing of our play-off game v. Clonea due to be played last week. As it transpires we were informed of the fixture only hours before the game was due to take place at 6.30pm down in Newtown (a good hour away), giving the selectors no time at all to make travel arrangements. We informed the Bord of our plight, but now it seems that Clonea are claiming the game. A little bit of fair play wouldn't go astray here now lads. Is this any way to win a game? Our team is very keen to fulfill this fixture, but give us a bit of notice, Please?!! Hopefully some common sense will prevail, and this match can go ahead. They have put in a big effort and had a lot of games this year, and it would be a shame to end it on a sour note

FRAHER FIELD LEAGUES
We have received correspondence from Michelle Power

dence from Michelle Power about a very exciting new league which will be taking place in Fraher Field, Dungarvan over the next month or so.

Starting on next Friday morning at 10.30am, mini-hurling games will be open to boys and girls between ages 11 to 13 inclusive (must be born in 1991, '92 or '93), will continue on the next Friday morning 23rd, and the 30th, and also on the 13th of August. All you need to do is turn up before that time with your hurley, helmet, and a packed lunch, and 2 Euro fee, and the games will be picked and played. Michelle says that there will be prizes of jerseys, polo shirts, grips, sliothars, hurleys, and more, and all games will be well supervised. Starting time 10.30, finishing time, 2pm. Sounds like a good way to pass a Friday morning!



WATERFORD G.A.A. RESULTS

TOP OIL SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Mount Sion 2-14 Roanmore 0-7
Tallow 3-9 Fourmilewater 1-9
Ardmore 0-19 Lismore 1-14
Stradbally 2-13 Abbeyside 1-10
Ballyduff Lower 1-14 De La Salle 1-13
W.I.T. 1-15 Comeragh Gaels 1-7
OR'S HOTEL SENIOR FOOTBALL

LAWLOR'S HOTEL SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Kilrossanty 0-13 John Mitchells 1-3 Rathgormack 2-18 Kill 1-4

RADLEY ENGINEERING WEST INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Dungarvan 3-8 Geraldines 1-7
Ballinameela 0-10 Sliabh gCua 0-7

"THE LOCAL BAR" WEST JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Kilgobnet 2-5 Clashmore 1-8 Rinn Ua gCuanach 5-7 Shamrocks 2-8 Dungarvan 3-15 Kilgobnet 3-3

LAWLOR'S HOTEL WEST JUNIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Modeligo 3-13 Ballinwillan 3-4

PAT MCCARTHY CAR SALES EAST JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

De La Salle 4-13 Kilmacthomas 0-3 Ballygunner 1-8 Butlerstown 1-7

PAT MCCARTHY CAR SALES EAST MINOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Mount Sion 3-18 Dunhill/Fenor 2-5 De La Salle 4-14 Roanmore 2-3 Mount Sin 2-14 Roanmore 2-4 De La Salle 5-9 Ballygunner 0-5

GARVEY'S SUPER VALU CO. FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION 1

St. Saviours 1-19 Kilmacthomas 0-11
CO. U12 HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

CO. U12 HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS (REPLAYS)

Div. 2 — Naomh Brid 2-6 Passage 1-5
Div. 3 — Butlerstown 4-2 Kilrossanty 2-4

WEST WATERFORD G.A.A. FIXTURES

WEDNESDAY, JULY 14TH AT 7:30PM

Minor (A) Hurling Championship

At Colligan: Lismore v Abbeyside (M. Condon) At Lismore: Naomh Brid v Ballyduff (J. M. Kelly)

Minor (B) Hurling Championship

At Ring: Clashmore v Brickey Rangers (D. O Murchadha) At Stradbally: Kilrossanty v Dungarvan (P. Moore) At Cappoquin: Ardmore v Cois Bhride (T. O'Sullivan) At Lemybrien: St. Olivers v Stradbally (P. Walsh)

At Fraher Field: An Ghaeltacht v Cappoquin (R. Whelan)

FRIDAY, JULY 16TH AT 7:30PM Minor (B) Hurling Championship

At Ardmore: Ardmore v Brickey Rangers (J. Condon) "The Local Bar" West Junior Hurling Championship

At Cappoquin: Tourin v Kilrossanty (P. Walsh)
At Fraher Field: Stradbally v Abbeyside (D. O Murchadha)

SATURDAY, JULY 17TH AT 7:30PM

Lawlor's Hotel Junior Football Championship

At Fraher Field: Tallow v Seana Phobal (T. O'Sullivan)
SUNDAY, JULY 18TH AT 12NOON

Minor (B) Hurling Championship

At Cappoquin: Cois Bhride v Dungarvan
At Abbeyside: Clashmore v Kilrossanty (P. Moore)
At Bushy Park: St. Olivers v An Ghaeltacht (M. Condon)
At Bohadoon: Cappoquin v Fourmilewater (R. Whelan)
SATURDAY, JULY 17TH AT 8:00PM

Granville Hotel Co. Hurling League Fixtures

Division 1: Roanmore v Ardmore (B. Power)

Division 3: Cappoquin v Colligan Rockies (J.M. Kelly)

Division 4: St. Mary's v Lismore (P. Walsh)

Clashmore v Tramore (J. Condon)

Ballysaggart v Kilgobnet (P. Casey)

TUESDAY, JULY 20TH AT 8:00PM

Division 1: De La Salle v Erins Own (V. O'Toole) Ballygunner (A) v Mt. Sion (S. Flynn) Dunhill v Tallow (D. O'Leary)

Passage v Ballyduff Lower (T. O'Byrne)

Division 3: St. Mollerans v Ferrybank (G. O'Connell) St. Saviours v Dungarvan (J. Murphy)

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Deserved Win For Tallow Tallow





Tallow (above) who beat Fourmilewater (below) in the Co. Senior hurling championship. -(Photos: Sean Byrne).

U-21 Hurlers Defeated In Pairc Ui Caoimh

CORK 0-17 WATERFORD 1-8

At half time in this well contested Munster under 21 hurling semi-final it looked as if we might be qualifying for another provincial final this year when we led the home team by a couple of points, 1-6 to 0-7.

Having played well the visitors were deservedly in front but some astute reorganization of their side enabled Cork to come more into the game in the second half. During this period they added a further 10 points while Waterford managed just 2 white flags in the same period. The Waterford second half collapse disappointed the big crowd who had travelled from the Deise in hope and expectation.

The sides were level twice in the opening ten minutes. John Wall's free taking was paying off for Waterford and the same might be said for Kieran Murphy who kept Cork afloat throughout the first half.

A foul on Paul Kearney saw John Wall blast the ball to the net past a crowded Cork goal line for the only goal of the game

On the turn over Cork trok control and hit over six points without reply in a matter of seven minutes. Fergus Murphy was their danger man and while contributing just one point, his distribution of the ball was a factor in Cork's victory, a result that they deserved following their splendid second half display.

Scorers; Cork - K. Murphy, 0-7 frees, M. Cussen, J. Gardiner 0-3 each, B. Barry, F. Murphy, M. Naughton and D. O'Riordan 0-1 each.

Waterford, J. Wall 1-1, L. Lawlor, 0-2, S. Sullivan, M. Walsh, W. Hutchinson 0-1 each;

Cork - M. Coleman, J. O'Mahony, S. Murphy, K. Goggins, M. Prout, C. O'Connor, R. McGregor, J. Gardiner, K. Harnet M. Naughton, Kieran Murphy (Sars), Kieran Murphy (Erins Own) B. Barry, M. Cussen, F. Murphy. Subs played - D. O'Riordan, D. Dorris, J. Bowlers.

Waterford - I. O'Regan, D. Coffey, W. Kiely, A. Kearney, K. Stafford, G. Quinlan, M. Mears, W. Hutchinson, L. Lawlor, J. Wall. M. Walsh, S. O'Sullivan, P. Kearney, J. Hurney. P. O'Brien. Subs played - L. O'Neill. S. Walsh, E. Walsh.

Referee. D. O'Driscoll, Limerick.

As in the curtain raiser a two goal margin separated the teams at the end of this very entertaining loser's group game at Fraher Field on Saturday.

Tallow with the help of a strong breeze were a little fortunate in being on level terms with Fourmilewater at the half way mark, but having turned on the style in the second half, they won deservedly and will provide formidable opposition for all comers in the losers section of the championship.

A halftime reshuffle which saw David OBrien transferred from an attacker to a defender, produced the desired effect.

PLAY

David Spellman opened with a Fourmile point in the 2nd minute and county player James Murray responded in the 5th minute.

Paul Kearney, Paul O'Brien and Aiden Kearney added Tallow scores before Fourmilewater had their second point thanks to their top scorer Shane Walsh.

.A Paul Kearney goal in the 18th minute saw the Tallow lead stretched to 5 points but the challengers hit back with a point and a goal from Shane Walsh.

In the 25 minute Paul Kear-

ney had Tallow's final score of this half and when Brian Wall and Shane Walsh responded, the score was level at 1-5 apiece when the halftime whistle sounded.

Second Half

Sean Slattery introduced as a halftime substitute pointed Tallow into the lead in the 36th minute and within a minute Shane Walsh had the teams level again. Shane Walsh and Paul Kearney exchanged points before Aiden Kearney's 46th minute goal sent Tallow into a lead which they never relinquished.

Brian Henley's 22nd minute goal following a long delivery from James Murray widened the gap and in the remaining 10 minutes. The winners were able to hold firm against stiff pressure from Fourmilewater and won deservedly in the end.

Scorers; Tallow - P. Kearney 1-4, A. Kearney 1-1, B. Henley 1-1, J. Murray, S. Slattery, P. O'Brien 0-1 each. Fourmilewater - S. Walsh 1-6, D. Spellman B. Wall and L. Lawlor 0-1 each.

Tallow - C. Power, W. Mc-Donnell, S. Barry, M. O'Brien, P. Murray, J. Beecher, S.Mc-Carthy, J. Murray, M. Geary, W. Murphy, B. Henley, A. Kearney, P. Kearney, D.

O'Brien, P. O'Brien. Subs Lawle played. S. Slattery, W. Henley. Lawl Fourmilewater; - O. Wall, J. Lawle Moore, R. Rice, J. Walsh, T. O'Gorman, I. Walsh, L. Walsh, A. O'Gorman, B. Wall, L. Own.

Lawlor, S. Walsh, M. Walsh, S. Lawlor, D. Spellman, A. Lawlor, Subs. P. Walsh, M. O'Gorman.

Referee D. O'Leary, Erins

SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Mount Sion Not Flattered

Mount Sion 2-14 Roanmore 0-7

With a 13 points winning margin, the reigning county champions Mount Sion were not at all flattered by their winning total against a rival opposition who were well out of the race long before the final whistle sounded.

The challengers were within a point of the winners at the break having played with a strong first half wind.

In the second half when Mount Sion turned on the style and the ultimate result became a foregone conclusion.

Scorers.: Mount Sion- E. McGrath, 1-3, M. White 0-6, S. Ryan 1-1, E. Kelly 0-3, D. Kelly 0-1. Roanmor - D. Byrne 0-5, D. Murphy and S. Flynn 0-1 each.

Mount Sion - I. Regan, J. O'Meara, A. Kirwan, K. Flynn, J. Cleere, K. McGrath, T. Browne, B. Flannery, R. McGrath, D. Kelly, B. Greene, E. Kelly, M. White, D. Ryan, E. McGrath, Subs. F. O'Shea, M. Frisby, K. Stafford.

Roanmore - T. Flynn, S. O'Donoghue, E. Carew, D. Ryan, K. Gentleman, G. Quinlan, C. O'Byrne, D. Murphy, P. Murphy, C. Fanning, S. Murphy, A. Burns, L. O'Neill, S. Flynn, D. Burns.

Referee Pat Moore, Abbeyside.

BY "COMMENTATOR"

dmore Best In Close The huge impact made by O'Donnell, etc. Encounter On the Lismore side big Dan was once again their outstandgast in this very entertaining qualifying senior hurling tie at ing player and contributed six Lismore

county player Seamus Prender-Fraher Field on Friday evening can be measured by the fact that he scored a dozen of his side's 19 points. Lining out wearing the number 11 jersey, he played a roving game and always seemed to be in the right place at the right time and scored some delightful points.

Brother Declan was rock solid and outstanding in defence and he too made an excellent impact. But this was not a one man or two man show as far as the winners were concerned and others to catch the eye were goal keeper Clinton Hennessey who made two brilliant saves at a crucial stage, Michael Supple at full back, Maurice O'Connor. Wayne and Cathal Hen-

points to their total. Like his county team colleague he adopted a roving commission in an effort to overcome the inadequacies of a number of the Lismore players.

Overall, Lismore who took the field as favourites must feel disappointed with their display as at no stage did they take control of the game. Dave Bennett who began at full forward and moved outfield, had an ' off' day and had six or seven wides from placed balls. Shane Kearney, David Howard, Brendan Bennett and John Hennehan were among the players who were prominent.

Lismore will now attempt to get back into the championship through the losers section while nessey, Conor O'Connor, John Ardmore who are undoubtedly

an improving side and could be Connor and James Shanahan described as emerging challengers for a senior hurling title in the future, will play Bally-

Lismore are due to meet neighbours Ballyduff.

The Game

The pattern of scoring was absolutely amazing in that the sides were level on no fewer than 10 occasions during the game. In fact they were on level terms on seven occasions at 0-7 each by the 20th, minute. Fourteen scores in 20 minutes must be close to a record.

Play opened with John Hennessey and John Heneghan exchanging points, Seamus Prendergast and Dave Bennett doing likewise. This was repeated when Seamus Prendergast and Dan Shanahan each pointed and then Maurice O'-

exchanged scores. Seamus Prendergast and Dave Bennett made it five points each and the same two players made it 0-6 each before James O'Donnell and Dan Shanahan brought the tally to 0-7 apiece. Seamus Prendergast had Ardmore's 8th point in the 25th minute before Brendan Bennett struck for the only goal of the match to put Lismore ahead by 1-7 to 0-8 in the 26th minute.

By halftime Lismore had extended the lead to 4 points and it seemed at this stage that the pre match prediction would be justified.

Secone Half

A slight breeze favoured Ardmore and two Seamus Prendergast points narrowed the gap to two points. The tit for tat scoring pattern continued up to the

47th minute when a Seamus Prendergast point brought the teams level once more at 1-12

An exchange of points had them level in the 50th minute.

A Seamus Prendergast point took Ardmore to the front in the 55th and a minute later Dave Bennett brought the teams back to parity.

Approaching full time a draw looked to be on but with additional time allowed for an altercation which took place some minutes earlier, man of the match Seamus Prendergast sent over two points from frees to decide this very entertaining and quite exciting contest.

Scorers: Ardmore - S. Prendergast 0-12, M. O'Connor 0-3, J. O'Donnell 0-3, J. Hennessey 0-1. Lismore - D. Shanahan 0-6, D. Bennett 0-4,

B. Bennett 1-1. J. Heneghan, P. Prendergast J. Shanahan 0-1 each.

Ardmore - Clinton Hennessey A. O'Brien, M. Supple, M. Hennessey, C. O'Connor, D. Prendergast, R. Hennessey, W. Hennessey, Cathal Hennessey, J. O'Donnell, S. Prendergast, N. Hennessey, N. O'Brien, J. Hennessey, M. O'Connor.

Lismore -B. Landers, A. Whelan, M. O'Sullivan, S. Kearney, P. Howard, J. O'Connor, W. Cunningham, P. Prendergast, D. O'Gorman, D. Shanahan, D. Howard, J. Shanahan, J. Henehhan, D. Bennett, B. Bennett.

Before the game a minute silence was observed as a mark of respect to the late Mrs. Kathleen Keane, wife of former Ardmore club chairman, John Keane.



Action during the Ardmore v Lismore Senior hurling championship match. - (Photos: Sean Byrne).



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Junior Footballers Play Lancashire In Manchester

History will be made over the coming weekend when Waterford junior footballers travel to Britain to play the semifinal of the championship versus Lancashire. It will be the first occasion on which a Waterford team will have played a championship game outside the Republic.

Because of holidays and other interruptions, the panel of 24 will have to travel without a number of their first fifteen and according to our information, players not available will include Ciaran Whelan, Nial Barry and John Power.

It is unfortunate that this should be the case for such an important game and anything that might weaken our prospects of getting to the All Ireland is regrettable.

The team party will travel to Dublin on Friday and fly to Manchester on Saturday for the evening fixture. They will return on Sunday. The group will be led by Eastern board Chairman Paddy Walsh and Munster Council delegate Tommy Hennessey who will travel as county board representatives.

Munster All-Stars

Now that both provincial senior finals have been decided, we can look forward to the naming of the Munster All-Stars in both codes.

This innovation, proposed by chairman Sean Fogarty is likely to be confined to performances in the Munster championships and it is unlikely that 'Qualifier' games will count.

Following their three splendid wins over Clare, Tipperary and Cork, Waterford will expect to have five or six players on the team and there will be disappointment if this does not happen

Senior Football Games Cancelled

Because of the fact that so many players are involved with the county junior team travelling to Manchester, the full range of senior football championships scheduled for the weekend, have been cancelled and will be refixed.

SENIOR HURLING TEAM NEWS

All through last week there has been talk about the John Mullane appeal against the one match ban, which, if imposed, will keep the De La Salle ace out of the All-Ireland semi-final on August 8th.

There are different points of view about the merits of the appeal and the odds against it being successful are not very encouraging..

In the meantime things are going well in training and there are no reports of problems. Over the weekend the majority of the panel were in action in the club championship and all came through without injury.

On Friday of this week, the panel will travel to Belfast for a weekend and among other things will play Antrim in Casement Park in a practice match.

An announcement about stand tickets is expected to be made within the next week. As usual all tickets will issue through clubs where preference will be given to membership card holders.

The Sunday Games

The massive television coverage of gaelic games over the weekend, certainly kept the armchair supporters glued to the set. In the Cork versus tipperary 'Qualifier' the exchanges were hectic in a fight to the finish for survival in the championship. Cork were the survivors and will meet Antrim in the Quarter final.

The Kilkenny versus Galway tie on Sunday evening showed the reigning All-Ireland champions back at their very best and laying down the gauntlet for all comers. The 'Cats" gave an exhibition of hurling that in effect served notice that they are prepared to defend their title to the death. Kilkenny will play the winners of the Clare/Offaly tie in the quarter final.

Next Weekend Games

A light programme in the Western division will see Kilrossanty in action in junior hurling against Tourin and Abbeyside versus Stradbally in the second string of the same championship. Both matches on Friday evening.

On Saturday at Fraher Field, Tallow will take on Old Parish in junior football.

Long Puck Competition At 6-30 p.m. on Saturday at Fraher Field, the county 'Long

At 6-30 p.m. on Saturday at Fraher Field, the county 'Long Puck " competition will be open to all who fancy their ability to strike the sliothar a fair distance.

All clubs are invited to be represented.

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Kilrossanty Qualify For Co. Semi Final



Kilrossanty (above) who beat John Mitchels (below) 0-12 to 1-3 in the Co. Senior football championship.



SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP Kilrossanty 0-13 John Mitchels 1-3

This was an extraordinary game between the two clubs from the same parish, in that the Mitchel's who were the 'break away' side, raced into a 1-3 lead by the 15th minute and before Kilrossanty had opened their account.

At this point the Mitchels who are the 2003 intermediate county football champions looked set for a place in the county semi-final as Kilrossanty were on the defensive for the opening 20 minutes.

But amazingly, the 1-3 scored by the challengers turned out to be their final tally as they were held scoreless for the remaining 47 minutes by their neighbours who did not open their account until the 25th minute and then shot three points on the trot to leave them just a single point in arrears at the break. The Mitchels did not score again during the game and Kilrossanty went on to add a further 7 second half points.

PLAY

David Kirwan had a second minute opening point for Mitchels and John Power followed with a second in the 10th minute. A minute later Nial O'Connor scored the only goal of the game and in the 15th minute Dave Kirwan raised their third white flag for what was to be their final score of the game.

Kilrossanty then took over and points by Ciaran Keating (2), Brian Lennon, Matty and Jack Kiely had them almost on terms at the break when it was 1-3 to 0-5.

SECOND HALF

From the start the challengers were fighting a losing battle as Kilrossanty continued to dominate and pile on the pressure. Scores by Joe Veale (4 points), Brian Kirwan (3) and Jacko Kiely put the winners in an unassailable position coming to the end of the game which saw Kilrossanty into the county semi-final.

Scorers: Kilrossanty - B. Lannon, 0-4, J. Veale 0-4, C. Keating 0-2, J. Kiely 0-2, M. Kiely 0-1; Mitchels - N. O'-Connor 1-0, D. Kirwan 0-2, J. Power 0-1.

Kilrossanty; -A. Kirwan, K. Lonergan, D. Mulhearne, M. Prendergast, J. Kirwan, R. Power, M. Kiely, S. Prendergast, S. Veale,

P. Hayes, J. Kiely, J. Veale, B. Lennon, C. Keating, B. Keating, Sub. K. Doyle.

Mitchels - M. Maye, N. Barry, K. O'Reilly, P. Fogarty, L. Barry, D. Reilly, D. O'Connor, T. Kirwan, D. Kirwan, W. McGrath, N. O'Connor, K. Nolan, A. Kirwan, P. Kirwan, J. Power, Sub. J. Mears.

Referee. P. Moore, Ballina-



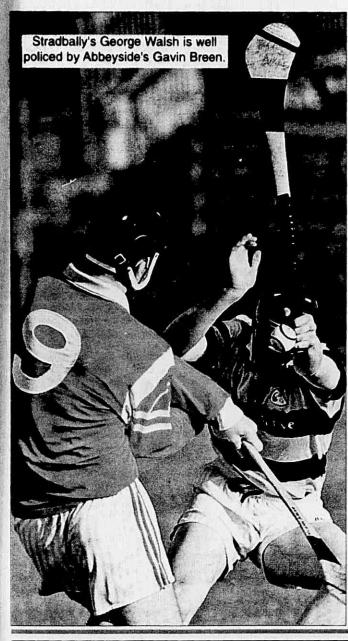
Kilrossanty's Mattie Kiely gets in his kick despite the attempted block by John Mitchel's Nial Barry during their Co.Senior football match.



John Mitchels Damien O'Reilly and Paul Fogarty with Kilrossanty's Joey Veale. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Stradbally Enfericia



This was a tie in which the stronger side led by intercounty player Michael (Brick) Walsh came out on top following an entertaining contest in the first of two senior hurling games at Fraher Field on Saturday

After a very even first half, Stradbally held a one point lead, 1-5 to 0-7 and even though Abbeyside were required to face the breeze in the second half, a surprise result did not look to be out of the question.

Abbeyside fielding without half a dozen of the team which won them the intermediate county title last year did well in the circumstances, but are now left facing a relegation battle.

Stradbally free from the threat of relegation can proceed through the losers group

PLAY

Paddy Kiely opened with a point for Stradbally and Michael Walsh hit another minor in the 3rd minute.

Mark O'Gorman pointed two frees to level the game by the 8th minute. Stephen Cunningham and Mark O'Gorman exchanged points before Abbeyside took a 16th minute lead after M. O'Gorman made it 0-4. Shane Briggs and Michael Walsh exchanged scores and a 20 th. minute point by Michael Enright put the challengers two points ahead.

Then a 22nd minute goal by Paddy Doyle put Stradbally into the lead and this was followed with Michael Walsh's third score of the half. Mark O'Gorman pointed for Abbeyside to leave the minimum between the sides at the break.

SECOND HALF

A point by Shane Briggs in the opening minute brought the sides level, but there followed three Michael Walsh points. Michael Enright and Michael Walsh exchanged points to leave the score at 1-9 to 0-9 in the 14th minute a minute later Doyle goal for Stradbally was followed with points by John Coffey and D. Doyle. The 8 points leads was reduced to four within 4 minutes after Mark Fives pointed and Michael Enright struck for a goal. However the final two scored saw Paddy Kiely and Michael Walsh extend the winners lead to 2 clear goals.

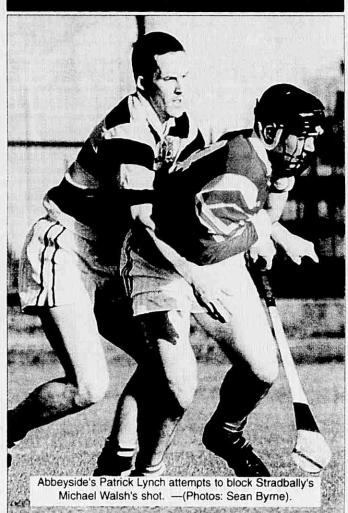
Scorers: Stradbally;-M. Walsh 0-8, D. Doyle 1-1. P. Doyle 1-0. P. Kiely 0-2, S. Cunningham, J. Coffey 0-1 each .Abbeyside. M. O'Gorman 0-5. M. Enright 1-2, S. Briggs 0-2. M. Fives 0-1.

Stradbally - O. Cunningham, K. Coffey, J. Halpin, O. Costello, T. Walsdh, J. Coffey, T. Costello, M. Walsh, G Power, P. Doyle, J. Hearne, S. Cunningham, S. Lawlor, G. Walsh, P. Kiely. Subs. D. Doyle and L. O'Brien.

Abbeyside- D. Ryan, E. Hayes, G. Breen, B. Hayes, J. Kindregan, D. Cliffe, A. Ryan, S. Briggs, J. Lynch, J. Hurney, L. Hurney, M. Gorman, M. Enright, M. Fives, D. Fives. Subs. J. Mullen. J. Foley.

Referee Pat Walsh. Fourmile-

S.H.C. STRADBALLY 2-13 ABBEYSIDE 1-10



ONTOP

Senior Hurling Championship - W.I.T. 1-15 Comeragh Gaels 1-7

This was a very entertaining game in the losers group between the College team, Waterford Institute of Technology and the Western Group team, Comeragh Gaels comprising players from Colligan, Kilgobnet and St. Mary's.

While the contest produced

splendid effort against a side which included Mike Jacobs, Paul Curran and Ollie Moran.

At the halfway stage the college team led by 1-8 to 1-3, the goals having come from Anthony Owens and Mark

In the second half, the winthe expected result, all credit to ners were more in control and

against four for the under pressure group team.

Scorers; WIT - W. Ryan 0-8, A. Owens 1-2. M. Furlong 0-3, M. Jacobs, B. Smiddy 0-1 each. Comeragh Gaels - J. Wall 0-8, Mark Flynn 1-0, J.P. Fitz-

WIT - D. Young, E. Red-mond, P. Curran, J. Maher, J. the Western combination for a added a further seven points as Milney, O. Moran, H. Moloney, M. Flynn, I. Fahy

B. Smiddy, C. Byrne, M. J. Furlong, M. Jacob, W. Ryan, M. O'Sullivan, A. Owens, R. Wall.

Comeragh Gaels . J. D. Casey, V. Lynch, A. Walsh, P. Lynch I. Dunford, P. Radley, J. Morrissey, S. Dempsey, B. Dunford, J. P. Fitzpatrick, J. Wall, D. Coffey, Mark Flynn, W. O'Grady, B. Lynch, Subs.



SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Ballyduff Survive in Thriller

BALLYDUFF EAST 1-14 DE LA SALLE 1-13

Because county player John Mullane is such ' hot' news at he moment, there was unusual interest in this game played at Walsh Park on Saturday evening, but for whatever reason supporters went to the venue, they certainly got value for money with the game, a thriller by any standards, going 'down to the wire' before being decided in favour of Ballyduff..

De La Salle were forced to field without county goalkeeper Stephen Brennar who is injured and while this might lead to speculation as to what might have been if he had been fit to play, it must be conceded that substitute keeper Stephen Kelly had little chance of stopping the goal scored by Pat Mathews in the 10th minute.

John Mullane contributed 1-4, a total which might have been greater if the ace forward had enjoyed a better supply of the ball. County minor James Quirke had four points and Brian Phelan also played very well.

For Ballyduff, Jack Kennedy scored 0-4 and had a splendid

hour.

De La Salle now go into the losers section.

Scorers: Ballyduff - B. Power, 0-5, J, Kennedy 0-4, P. Mathews 1-0, C, Kenny, 0-2, N. Power, S. Larkin and P. Fitzgerald 0-1 each. De La Salle - J. Mullane 1-4, J. Quirke 0-D. McGrath, 0-2, P. Nevin 0-2, L. Hayes 0-1.

West Waterford Athletics News

Minnies Beginners League A Huge Success

The first Annual Minnies Bar Beginners League at St. Augustine's College came to an end last Tuesday week after two months of the competition. There were well over 100 runners in total registered for the league with an average of 60 to 70 running each evening. Most of those who took part were new comers to running and they are to be congratulated for their efforts and their determination to complete what ever their particular goal was. Weather it was to run one lap or to run 3 laps, we all had our goals and most achieved theirs with flying colors.

Getting people active and running was the idea of the league from the outset, and with this in mind it must be said that it was an outstanding success and testimony to this was our Annual Dromana run last Friday when many of the Minnies League crew came along and ran in their first race on that night. If it was suggested to them at the start of the league in May that they would have said not possible, but they have now proved to everyone that anything is possible and most of all they have proved it to themselves that it could be and has been done. Our wish now is that they will keep up the good work started and continue to run and realise even from a health point of view the rewards that running has to offer us all

Thanks to our sponsor of the event Pat O'Brien and the O'Brien family of Minnies. This was our first venture with Minnies and it was a successful one. Pat at the presentation of prizes announce his commitment to sponsoring next years event and the club are delighted with this gesture. Minnies also provided all with plenty of nice food at the presentation. which was most appricated.

The club would like to congratulate all 18 prize winners for making the effort to be present at the awards night in Minnies. It's not too often that we have a full attendance, but turn out well done to all. A pair of Nike Pegasus were raffled among all those present on the night if they had completed 6 or more night's of the league and the winner of these was Johnny O'Connor, (hope the size was alright for you Alice.) We would like to thank St. Augustine's College for once again having their grounds

what would we do without the Friary I ask. To Tony, Mary Rose, Norma, Noel, Laura, Delores, Denise, and all who helped in anyway over the two month's our thanks to you. Finally thanks to Mick for looking after the tables each week, making the workload easier for





Pat O'Brien, Minnies Bar (sponsors), presents the overal winner Kevin Kenneally with his prize at the presentation of the league prizes at Minnies recently.

KEVIN KENNEALLY TAKES THE TITLE

The very first winner of the league in it's first year was a young man from just up the road in Ballinroad that's Kevin Kenneally. Kevin never missed one single night of the league and was a popular winner. As some one once said the talent is out there but just to find it. Well we certainly have found a talented young man in Kevin who was never outside the top 3 any night with one win, 3

seconds and 4 thirds to his credit taking the title with a total of just 19 point's. Second in division one was yet another great talent, except we all knew of this one, that's Jason Travers. Jason who comes from a long line of the Travers family all of whom at some stage of their life were involved in athletics and along with Jason, his brother Damien and sister Pauline and Deirdre all participated in the league. His total finishing points tally was 34.

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See final league tables over on next page.

RACE 8 GER WYLEY/NIKE SUMMER SERIES 5th Annual GlaxoSmithKline 5 Mile Road Race On This Friday

The fifth Annual Glaxosmithkline 5 mile road race and walk will take place this coming Friday evening at 8 p.m. Open to all runners, fun run- nights race, Glaxosmithkline and Waterford ners, joggers and walkers, (walk will start at the Crystal employees will do battle over the 5 mile earlier time of 7.30 p.m.)

nated to a very worthy cause, Our Lady's hospi- champions in this particular event. One under tal for sick children, Crumlin.

years race and they are as followes — 1st 5 Men, 1st 3 Men over 40, 1st 3 Men over 45, 1st Man over 50,1st Man over 55, 1st Man over 60, 1st 5 Ladies, 1st Lady over 40, 1st Lady over 45, 1st Lady over 50, 1st 3 Juniors, 1st Wheelchair athlete.

The 1st three Men and 1st Three Women will each receive a cash prize as followes — 1st Man mus O Droma and Manahan, Finbar Kelly, Ann 100 Euro, 2nd Man 50 Euro, 3rd Man 30 Euro, Whelan and Dunford, Gearoid Fraher, Joe 1st Woman 100 Euro, 2nd Woman 50 Euro and Salmon, Michael Cooney, Liam Moore, just to 3rd Woman 30 Euro.

In addition a cash bonus of 100 Euro will be awarded to the first Man to break 25 minutes will be looking to Damien Travers, Dermot and and 100 Euro to the first Woman to break 30 minutes. A quality T-shirt and goodie bag will be presented to all finishers, with numerous spot prizes to be raffled among all non prize winners the week is that GlaxoSmithKline now have for both walkers and runners. This race is one Shane Power in their line up, (good move from not to be missed and is now well established as them). Much discussion took place at the clubs one of the best 5 mile road races anywhere in long run on Sunday morning about the two the country.

line lead by Michael Dwyer and Dermot Dwyer crystal asked the question as to weather Johnny are expecting a very large field and they remind O'Connor and Alban O'Donoghue were eligible us that, all are invited to come along after the race to the presentation of prizes at Dungarvan Soccer Club Pavilion (by kind permission) for ployees of Waterford Crystal? We will leave that teas and sandwiches.

THE CRYSTAL -V- THE GLAXO

A new duel has been laid down for Friday race. This is a new arm to this race and will be All proceeds from this years event will be do- an interesting battle for the honour of interfirm the belt comment has already been made when There is a huge array of prizes again for this an employee of Glaxo suggested that they already have a huge advantage as they have an abundance of youth in their side? When this was relayed to an employee of the Crystal he answered ye but you can't beat the experience that we have going for us and there's plenty of it. Well it's a hard one to call the Crystal outfit will be looking for big performances from Gerry mention a few.

The so called young guns of Glaxosmithkline Michael Dwyer, Martin McCarthy, Alan Phelan, Kieran Russell, Toby Bedell, Dorathy Cassells, Laura Hogan, etc. The big breaking news during teams and already the cat has been thrown The organising committee at GlaxoSmithK- among the pigeons, when an employee of the to run for them, well they work in the Crystal Factory fair enough but are they actually emone for the officials to solve.

SPEED TRAINING FOR ALL

Tony's speed training sessions are now so popular that the group has to be split in two. We will continue with our usual Wednesday nights at St. Augustine's at 7.30 p.m. for those who prefer that night. We will also be traveling to the R.S.C. in Waterford for a session on Tuesday nights leaving from St. Augustine's College at 6.30 p.m. sharp. Just a reminder also that the club weekly long run is now very popular among all the members with big numbers leaving the Crystal Centre every Sunday morning at 9.30 p.m. sharp. All are welcome to come along to any of these

THE FINAL CALL

Our bus to the Churchtown South 5 is almost full. If you intend travelling on and haven't put your name down it please contact Tony Ryan

IT'S A BOY

All at the club wishes to send heartiest congratulations to Siobhan and Gary McCormack on the birth during the week of a son.

it is important to recognise our be running a 5 mile road race sponsor by turning up for these two months later they would presentations, so for the 100% Marie Allen, runner-up in Div. 9 receives her prize from Pat O'Brien, Minnies Bar, Abbeyside, league sponsors. Muriel Ni hAodha, winner of Div. 9 receives her prize from Pat O'Brien, Minnies Bar, Abbeyside, league sponsors.

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETICS NEWS

THE ANGLO CELTIC 100KM RACE

Ray McConnell On Irish Team Which Wins Bronze

West Waterford Athletic Club are proud to have an ultra distance athlete of the caliber of Ray McConnell in its ranks. These athletes of steel, cover distances in one run that many of us wouldn't cover in two weeks training. The modest Lismore man is part of a very small but elite band of Irish ultra distance runners and Ray has competed over many years in events all over Europe wearing the Irish singlet with pride and is the current holder of some Irish records over the Ultra distances.

His latest venture was the Annual Anglo Celtic 100km race in Cardiff, Wales. With teams from Ireland, Scotland, England, Northern Ireland and Wales competing in the event which is now in existence for 10 years. The venue for the race rotates around the countries with Wales the hosts this year. The organisers held the event in the Central Park of the city with 31 laps of a 2 mile circuit to be completed. England were the hot favorites for the event with world class runners on their team and they duly took gold. The Celtic nations were competing for the silver and bronze positions and this year Ireland got the bronze medals with a team consisting of Pascal Moran of Mayo, Sam Kincaid of Donegal and our own Ray McConnell.

Sam was having a crack at the Irish record in this event but alas it wasn't to be on this occasion. He was still the first Irish man to finish with Ray the second in a time of 9 hours and 7 minutes with Pascal 20 minutes behind Ray. The second team home and taking the silver medals were Scotland.

The weather was mixed in the words of Ray with the first half of the race being very warm and sunny, then torrential rain followed by heavy showers a real mixed bag and it took its tool on the race with many runners not making it to the finish line. Even the leading runner for the event a Scottish 2.15 marathon runner fell foul to the conditions and was unable to finish. The Irish boys all got through and ran well within themselves with not too many serious problems on route.

00 kilometers is a hard distance to race says Ray who likens it to a marathon in many ways where as soon as the gun goes off there is no room for error and no time to recover if you hit the wall or have any problems on route. Ray's Marathon split was 3 hours and 35 minutes with still another Marathon to run and a 10 miler thrown in at the end of that for good measure to give 62.5 miles in total. What men these are to be able to run this kind of distance and Ray and his fellow Irish ultra distance runners would like nothing better than to have some new blood take up the sport, all the advice and encouragement you will need is awaiting anyone who might be interested — any takers?



NIKE FOOTGAUGE ANALYSIS

The Nike footgauge analysis expert will be at the Glaxo-SmithKline 5 mile road race on this Friday night. He will also be available the following day at Ger Wyley Sports Shop on this Saturday to give expert analysis on the proper footwear to suit each individual runner or walker. This assessment is free of charge, as these inshop days are normally booked heavily it is advisable to book a time slot by calling Wyley's at (058) 42059.

KILLARNEY 5K

West Waterford Athletic Club were represented as far away as Killarney last Weekend when some of our club members ran the Killarney 5K. A group from Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club were in the Kingdom for the weekend taking part in the Ring of Kerry Cycle on the Saturday and some of our club members were among them. On Friday morning they even cycled from Dungarvan to Killarney then ran the race, were up early on Saturday morning and completed the Ring of Kerry cycle. Well done to the Dwyers' Micheal, Anthony and Marie.

DUNDRUM 10K

The 19th Annual Dundrum 10k was held last Thursday evening and the club were represented with 5 athletes making the journey. In the junior mens race over 5k Shane Power had a great race to finish 2nd, while Diane Behan was 6th Senior lady and Corinna Walsh was 7th. Alban O'Donoghue continued his marked improvement finishing well under the 40 minute barrier. Well done to all.

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| Pos | No | Name | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Total |
| 1 | 70 | KENNELLY Kevin | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 19 |
| 2 | 44 | TRAVERS Jason | 4 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 34 |
| 3 | 64 | CAHILL Kieran | 15 | 11 | 11 | 15 | 11 | 8 | 14 | 100 | 185 |
| 4 | 32 | DWYER Dermot | 3 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 100 | 100 | 223 |
| 5 | 2 | WALSH Brendan | 7 | 8 | 100 | 10 | 9 | 7 | 100 | 4 | 245 |
| 6 | 50 | POWER Shane | 1 | 100 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 100 | 1 | 100 | 308 |
| 7 | 128 | O CONNOR Johnny | 100 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 100 | 100 | 313 |
| 8 | 38 | LYONS Colin | 6 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 7 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 330 |
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In the second division Pat Morrissey competed every night and finished with a total of 141 points depriving Keith Kenneally brother of our overall winner Kevin of victory. Keith finished on 195 points which included a 100 pointer for missing one night, Well done to Pat who started running only a short while ago and is enjoying the sport immensely.

| | 1 | 89 | MORRISSEY Patrick | 26 | 19 | 15 | 17 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 16 | 141 |
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| | 2 | 72 | KENNELLY Keith | 16 | 100 | 16 | 20 | 16 | 9 | 12 | 6 | 195 |
| | 3 | 61 | SCANLON Tom | 27 | 21 | 19 | 56 | 100 | 26 | 10 | 5 | 264 |
| | 4 | 60 | TUTTY Vincent | 28 | 24 | 14 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 100 | 100 | 311 |
| ı | 5 | 153 | MC CORMACK Aoife | 100 | 20 | 12 | 100 | 19 | 10 | 6 | 100 | 367 |
| | 6 | 4 | VERLING Mick | 14 | 9 | 100 | 12 | 10 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 445 |
| | 7 | 84 | DONNELLY Brendan | 23 | 18 | 21 | 22 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 484 |
| | 8 | 7 | YOUNG Shav | 11 | 100 | 9 | 11 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 531 |
| | 9 | 126 | MORONEY Kevin | 100 | 12 | 20 | 100 | 100 | 20 | 100 | 100 | 552 |
| | 10 | 141 | CROTTY Sinead | 100 | 22 | 17 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 639 |
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MINNIES FRIARY 3 LAP LEAGUE

Ann Dunford had one of the biggest winning margins, finishing with a total of 248 points to claim victory in division 3 with Richie Power second on 438 points. Ann ran consistently throughout and just missed one night of the eight. Richie is coming back from quite a long layoff and is progressing nicely.

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|-----|-------|------------------------|----------|---------|---------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| 1 | 1 | DUNFORD Ann | 13 | 100 | 32 | 21 | 32 | 18 | 17 | 15 | 248 |
| 2 | 65 | POWER Richie | 12 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 12 | 100 | 7 | 7 | 438 |
| 3 | 152 | BEDDELL Toby | 100 | 10 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 12 | 8 | 100 | 530 |
| 4 | 87 | WHELAN Michael | 9 | 13 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 19 | 100 | 100 | 541 |
| 5 | 39 | HARNEDY Alan | 10 | 100 | 100 | 13 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 623 |
| 6 | 220 | DEE Michael | 100 | 100 | 13 | 100 | 14 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 627 |
| 7 | 202 | O CONNOR Gerry | 100 | 14 | 100 | 100 | 13 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 627 |
| 8 | 213 | KEANE Paul | 100 | 100 | 18 | 18 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 636 |
| 9 | 100 | HEALY Padraig | 8 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 708 |
| 10 | 212 | KENNEDY Padraig | 100 | 100 | 25 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 725 |
| | | MINNIES FRIARY 3 LA | P LEAGI | JE | | | | DIVISI | ON 4 | | |

Division 4 was the closest contested division of the nine. Kieran Coleman and Anne Whelan on the final night had just 6 places between them and all was down to the final run, but Kieran proved his worth and just did enough to hold off Anne by one place to take a famous vistory. If anyone is enjoying there running at the moment, Kieran is, and he is now a regular at all our events. Well done to Kieran and Anne for their fair play.

| 1 | 6 | COLEMAN Kieran | 19 | 25 | 35 | 32 | 39 | 29 | 24 | 10 | 213 |
|----|-----|---------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------|------|-----|-----|
| 2 | 21 | WHELAN Anne | 17 | 17 | 27 | 100 | 20 | 17 | - 11 | 11 | 220 |
| 3 | 129 | MOORE Ray | 100 | 31 | 23 | 26 | 29 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 247 |
| 4 | 215 | NEAG sorin | 100 | 100 | 30 | 23 | 23 | 11 | 9 | 9 | 305 |
| 5 | 214 | POWER Kevin | 100 | 100 | 37 | 27 | 33 | 15 | 20 | 8 | 340 |
| 6 | 91 | O GRADY Thomas | 21 | 23 | 100 | 19 | 18 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 481 |
| 7 | 121 | SHAW Jason | 100 | 26 | 28 | 100 | 100 | 28 | 27 | 100 | 509 |
| 8 | 45 | AHEARNE, Claire | 22 | 16 | 22 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 560 |
| 9 | 124 | VEALE Brid | 100 | 15 | 26 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 641 |
| 10 | 43 | FITZGERALD Michael | 18 | 100 | 24 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 642 |
| | | MINNIES FRIARY 3 LA | LEAG | JE | | | | DIVISI | ON 5 | | |

It was the battle of the ladies in Division 5 with Josie Ui Cuirrin winning from Sheila O'Sullivan. Both ladies are to be congratulated on not missing a single night of the league. Josie's total points were 192 with Sheila finishing on 226. The Ring lady was always well in command just finishing ahead of Sheila on all the nights of the league except the last night when Sheila had probably her finest run to date when she finished in 14th place having been in the 30's at the league start. Both showed great

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| | 1 | 92 | UI CUIRRIN Josie | 24 | 27 | 31 | 31 | 25 | 21 | 16 | 17 | 192 | |
| | 2 | 97 | O SULLIVAN Sheila | 32 | 30 | 38 | 33 | 34 | 24 | 21 | 14 | 226 | |
| 8. | 3 | 66 | COFFEY, Brigid | 30 | 32 | 39 | 40 | 45 | 33 | 25 | 21 | 265 | |
| | 4 | 57 | KING David | 25 | 35 | 29 | 35 | 30 | 100 | 22 | 13 | 289 | |
| | 5 | 33 | DUNFORD Joanne | 31 | 100 | 33 | 28 | 26 | 23 | 100 | 19 | 360 | |
| | 6 | 506 | COLEMAN Billy | 100 | 28 | 36 | 25 | 27 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 516 | |
| | 7 | 25 | CURRAN Ray | 29 | 100 | 100 | 37 | 37 | 100 | 33 | 100 | 536 | |
| | 8 | 201 | O CONNELL Aisling | 100 | 29 | 100 | 44 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 25 | 598 | |
| | 9 | 510 | NAGLE Colm | 100 | 37 | 100 | 46 | 38 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 621 | |
| | 10 | 515 | HUNT Brenda | 100 | 36 | 34 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 670 | |

MINNIES FRIARY 3 LAP LEAGUE DIVISION 6

In division 6 Amy Wolfe a league new comer took top honours with 269 points. Amy again missed no night of the league and improved from a 47th finishing position on week three to finishing 23rd by league end. Liam Moore was second here with 303 points and ran consistently throughout.

| Pos | No | Name | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Total | |
|-----|-----|------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|--|
| 1 | 101 | WOLFE Amy | 36 | 34 | 47 | 39 | 36 | 25 | 29 | 23 | 269 | |
| 2 | 30 | MOORE Liam | 35 | 38 | 51 | 41 | 42 | 37 | 31 | 28 | 303 | |
| 3 | 116 | FLYNN Mairead | 100 | 50 | 40 | 36 | 35 | 22 | 18 | 18 | 319 | |
| 4 | 24 | PROCTOR Pascal | 34 | 33 | 100 | 38 | 100 | 30 | 23 | 100 | 458 | |
| 5 | 17 | POWER Ray | 38 | 42 | 45 | 50 | 43 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 518 | |
| 6 | 90 | KEALY Rosarie | 33 | 100 | 41 | 45 | 100 | 35 | 100 | 100 | 554 | |
| 7 | 218 | CURRAN Aisling | 100 | 100 | 42 | 49 | 100 | 36 | 34 | 100 | 561 | |
| 8 | 224 | MELEADY Michael | 100 | 100 | 44 | 100 | 47 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 691 | |
| 9 | 166 | GREENE Ann Marie | 100 | 39 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 739 | |
| 10 | 170 | MULCATHY Jenny | 100 | 40 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 740 | |
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MINNIES FRIARY 3 LAP LEAGUE DIVISION 7

Pat Christopher won division 7. He took the lead on the very first night of the league and never relinquished it. Michael Tutty battled all the way too and tried his utmost to close the gap on Pat. He even took to the track in Castleisland for speed training. Both men showed vast improvement in their times over the period of the league.

| 1 | 114 | CHRISTOPHER Pat | 37 | 52 | 50 | 48 | 40 | 31 | 28 | 26 | 312 | |
|----|-----|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|
| 2 | 59 | TUTTY Michael | 42 | 47 | 57 | 55 | 44 | 40 | 32 | 27 | 344 | |
| 3 | 79 | WELDON Aisling | 41 | 48 | 49 | 42 | 100 | 39 | 30 | 100 | 449 | |
| 4 | 225 | EATON Kieran | 100 | 100 | 55 | 51 | 100 | 38 | 26 | 29 | 499 | |
| 5 | 194 | LANNON Patrick | 100 | 43 | 53 | 24 | 22 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 542 | |
| 6 | 135 | CARROLL Eileen | 100 | 46 | 43 | 43 | 46 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 578 | |
| 7 | 93 | CONNORS Claire | 39 | 51 | 100 | 47 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 637 | |
| 8 | 188 | BRADFIELD Linda | 100 | 41 | 52 | 52 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 645 | |
| 9 | 82 | TROY Marion | 40 | 49 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 689 | |
| 10 | 223 | HEARNE Nuala | 100 | 100 | 54 | 54 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 708 | |
| 11 | 228 | PIERCE Jason | 100 | 100 | 46 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 746 | |

MINNIES FRIARY 3 LAP LEAGUE

A ding dong battle took place in division 8 between Betty Sheehan and Alice Shanley, only 14 points separated the two ladies after ten weeks of competition with Betty ahead of Alice on the first few nights, but then Alice was the victor on a couple of nights around mid league, only for Betty to come with a very strong finishing couple of runs to take first place with 394 against 408 for Alice. Both are to be congratulated on their sportsmanship throughout the league.

DIVISION 8

| 1 | 35 | SHEEHAN BETTY | 45 | 60 | 61 | 61 | 52 | 45 | 38 | 32 | 394 | |
|----|-----|---------------------|-------|----|-----|-----|-----|--------|------|-----|-----|--|
| 2 | 23 | SHANLEY Alice | 48 | 61 | 68 | 64 | 54 | 46 | 36 | 31 | 408 | |
| 3 | 18 | POWER Eileen | 49 | 63 | 64 | 69 | 56 | 49 | 39 | 34 | 423 | |
| 4 | 13 | BURKE Mikey | 47 | 59 | 63 | 62 | 100 | 48 | 40 | 35 | 454 | |
| 5 | 86 | DONNELLY Margaret | 44 | 57 | 59 | 59 | 100 | 44 | 100 | 100 | 563 | |
| 6 | 127 | O CONNOR Ann | 100 | 54 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 43 | 35 | 33 | 565 | |
| 7 | 196 | COLLINS Siobhan | 100 | 55 | 60 | 60 | 49 | 42 | 100 | 100 | 566 | |
| 8 | 186 | THORNTON Teresa | 100 | 56 | 56 | 58 | 100 | 41 | 100 | 100 | 611 | |
| 9 | 75 | WHYTE Mary | 43 | 58 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 651 | |
| 10 | 180 | COATES Kim | 100 | 53 | 58 | 57 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 668 | |
| 11 | 112 | FROST Helen | 46 | 62 | 62 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 670 | |
| | | MINNIES FRIARY 3 LA | PLEAG | UE | | | | DIVISE | ON 9 | | | |

Division 9 our final division saw an all ladies league here, Muriel Ni Haodha was the overall winner with 449 points from Marie Allen second with 499 points. Muriel ran a very evenly paced league which paid dividends for her, while Marie was a late starter missing the first two nights, Colette O'Sullivan was a very close third here also with 505 points and wasn't too far off the mark.

| 1 | 113 | NI HAODHA Muriel | 52 | 68 | 71 | /1 | 58 | 52 | 41 | 36 | 449 | П |
|----|-----|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|---|
| 2 | 123 | ALLEN Marie | 100 | 100 | 69 | 63 | 53 | 47 | 37 | 30 | 499 | |
| 3 | 96 | O SULLIVAN Collette | 53 | 70 | 72 | 72 | 59 | 100 | 42 | 37 | 505 | |
| 4 | 110 | BUTLER Linda | 51 | 69 | 70 | 70 | 57 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 617 | |
| 5 | 185 | HARNEY Mary | 100 | 64 | 67 | 68 | 100 | 50 | 100 | 100 | 649 | |
| 6 | 55 | FLYNN Caroline | 50 | 67 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 51 | 100 | 100 | 668 | |
| 7 | 210 | CROSSAN Fiona | 100 | 100 | 65 | 65 | 51 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 681 | |
| 8 | 151 | TOBIN Deirdre | 100 | 65 | 66 | 67 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 698 | |
| 9 | 48 | TRAVERS Pauline | 100 | 66 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 766 | |
| 10 | 203 | SHIELDS Nollaig | 100 | 71 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 771 | 1 |
| 11 | 147 | DE PAOR Una | 100 | 72 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 772 | ı |
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Fourmilewater G.A.A. Notes

Fourmilewater U-14's beat St. Olivers in the county semifinal in Cappoquin on Wednesday night last on a scoreline of 5-10 to 1-0 and have qualified for a county final on this Saturday when they will play the winners of the Ferrybank-Kilrossanty semi-final. This match will be played in Fraher Field.

The semi-final started with Fourmilewater playing into the road goal. There was no score for the first 9 minutes until Darren Guiry got his first of four goals. The same player scored a further 1-2 in the next three minutes. Thomas Walsh got a point in the 17th minute. Darren scored another goal and a point. Keith Guiry got a goal and James McGrath ended the half with a point.

Halftime - Fourmilewater 4-6 St. Olivers 0-0

The second half was a quiet affair with Fourmilewater adding 1-4. A goal from Darren Guiry and points from Tom Walsh (2), James McGrath and Graham Guiry. St. Olivers scored in the last minute to the leave the final score 5-10 to 1-0. This panel has improved no ter. We are defending champiend. The twice weekly training sessions by Billy, Thomas, and the Lawlor brothers has paid off and has given us a place in the County final.

The whole 17 players did

John Fenton had a quiet night. but did what he had to! Damien O'Donnell, David Fitz and Alan McGrath did nothing wrong. JP Fitzgerald was in control at centre back and Shane Whyte continues to improve at wing-back and was solid throughout. Shane Ryan, Paudie Cooney, Niall Morrissey, Eoin Connolly, Pa Horkan and Diarmuid Murphy all played their part.

Team: J Fenton, D O'Donnell, D Fitzgerald, A McGrath, JP Fitzgerald, S Whyte, T Walsh, G Guiry, P Cooney, J McGrath, S Ryan, D Guiry, K Guiry, N Morrissey, E Connolly, P Horkan, D Murphy.

The match was well refereed Tom Mansfield (Affane/Cappoquin) who was making a welcome return to the

MINOR FIXTURES

The following are the upcoming minor fixtures. Stradbally v Fourmilewater in Bohadoon on 18th of July. Cappoquin v Fourmilewater in Colligan on 21st of July; An Gaeltacht v Fourmilewater in Bushy Park and St. Olivers v Fourmilewaons so we will have to work hard to retain our title

U21 HURLING

Hard luck to Liam Lawlor and Shane Walsh, who were on the under 21 panel who last to well last week. Goalkeeper Cork last Thursday night on a

scoreline of 0-16 to 1-8. Both players did their very best.

SPEEDY RECOVERY

Here's wishing a quick return to action for two of our best players, Aidan Walsh and Martin Walsh, who are out of action at the moment!

FOOTBALL

Well done to the Nire football club, who did so well in Tyrone and did the county proud. This was a personal triumph for Paddy O'Grady, who has been involved for years with underage games.

MUNSTER CUP

The Munster Cup was on display in Ballymac on Sunday night last. It was the second time in two years, so we're getting used to it. Music was by the Sliabh Gua Ramblers with lead singer Paddy Joe Ryan strutting his stuff. Paddy Joe put on powerful performance. He is fast becoming the Joe Dolan of the Deise. Mickey Joe Harte, eat your heart out!!

BACK IN THE COUNTRY

Good to see Tony Condon back in the country again. As I said last week, his van was well decorated. While he was away the blue flag looked well from the road. It was a bit of a tourist attraction. With people coming from as far away as Newcastle to see it. It's like something from that Roddy Doyle book "The Van!"

TOWER HOTEL WATERFORD EXCELLENCE AWARD FOR JUNE GOES TO JUSTIN McCARTHY



Pictured at the presentation of the June nomination for the 2004 Tower Hotel Waterford Excellence Award were (I-r) Gabrielle Cummins, Head of News, Beat 101-102FM and member of the judging panel; Waterford Senior Hurling Manager and June nominee, Justin McCarthy; Michael Skehan, General Manager, Tower Hotel, Waterford and Paddy Joe Ryan, Chairman, Waterford County Board GAA.

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Hotel Waterford Excellence Award for June came Cork to secure the county's second Munhaving guided Waterford to a second Munster ster championship in three years. title in three years.

McCarthy, who is now focused on preparing the team for an All-Ireland semi-final appearance on August 8, has been credited with fostering a new wave of hurling talent as well as ford is excellent at the moment and the sucbringing a new focus and determination to cess of the hurlers has given everyone a real the Waterford panel which is now considered among the strongest ever to have represented has brought to the Waterford set-up has the county.

As a player with Cork, Justin played at senior level for 10 years and won three Munster senior hurling championships and an All-Ireland senior hurling title (in 1966 when he was Hurler of the Year) as well as three National Hurling Leagues (1969, 1972 and 1974), two Railway Cups (1968 and 1969) and various Under-21 and Intermediate level.

It is though perhaps as a coach that he is best known having guided Cork to an All-Ireland senior title as well as four Munster senior hurling championships. He also led Clare to two National Hurling League titles and Antrim to an Intermediate All-Ireland title. In addition, nise excellence and achievement in six Justin has had coaching success at club level in Cork and Tipperary and managed Munster to Railway Cup success.

His book Hooked: A Hurling Life published tor. by Gill & Macmillan and co-written with Kier-

Presenting the award to the hurling coach, Kieran Walsh, Editor, The Munster Express. Michael Skehan, General Manager, Tower backroom team deserve a great deal of credit for their work with the players who turned in tremendous winning performances against ster title having earlier reached the Allianz National Hurling League final.

on the challenges ahead, the Waterford world record-breaker Jimmy Payne; charity hurlers have brought huge joy to the entire fundraiser Donal Jacob and Eamonn McEcity and county with their exploits on the field this year and an obvious highlight came on won the previous monthly awards in 2004.

Waterford senior hurling coach Justin Mc- June 27 in Thurles when - in what was one of Carthy has been presented with the Tower the best provincial finals for years - they over-

> *For too long, Waterford was starved of hurling success and the trophy-free years have only served to increase the appetite among supporters. The atmosphere around Waterlift. The professionalism and focus that Justin played a key role in helping the team become winners. He has also helped to bring on a new crop of hurlers to play alongside some of the more experienced players and this mix has delivered results."

Accepting the June award at a reception in Tower Hotel Waterford, Justin said he was "greatly honoured and surprised" to receive other provincial and national honours at it. "This is something I would not have expected, particularly being an outsider coming to Waterford. It is fantastic to receive this from another county and indeed from the Tower Hotel Group."

Established in 2003, the Tower Hotel Waterford Excellence Awards are designed to recogcategories: Politics and Public Affairs; Business; Sport; Education; Arts, Culture and the Media and the Voluntary and Community sec-

The independent judging panel consists of an Shannon is widely regarded as one of the Gabrielle Cummins, News Editor, Beat 102best books ever written about Gaelic Games 103; Peter Doyle, Editor, Waterford News & and has won particular praise for its forthright Star; Paddy Gallagher, Editor, Waterford Today; Liz Reddy, News Editor, WLR fm and

In addition to the 12 monthly awards, the Hotel Waterford said that Justin and the entire hotel will host a dinner early in 2005 at which an overall winner for the current year will be named and 2004's achievements recalled in a video presentation. The overall winner in Clare, Tipperary and Cork to regain the Mun- 2003 was the Minister for the Environment, Heritage & Local Government, Martin Cullen TD while the Carrick-on-Suir River Rescue *While they are now rightly concentrating Team; Eurovision contestant Chris Doran; neaney of Waterford Treasures at the Granary

THE WLR FM/GRANVILLE HOTEL G.A.A. AWARD



The WLR fm/Granville Hotel G.A.A. Award winner for the month of June is Mount Sion and Waterford senior hurling Captain Ken McGrath. Ken played a captain's role in his newly acquired position of centre back, by leading Waterford to their 7th Munster crown and this teams second. Ken led Waterford to probably one of the best Munster hurling final wins ever by any team or county.

WLR fm And The Granille Hotel recognising excellence in our national sport in 2004. The WLRfm Granville Hotel G.A.A. award winner for the month of June was Mount Sion and Waterford Senior Hurling Captain, Ken McGrath, pictured with Liam Cusack, Granville Hotel; Shay Harty, WLRfm; Stephen Frampton. Adjudicator and Seamus Grant, County PRO. (photozone)

WEST WATERFORD JUVENILE ATHLETICS NEWS

All Ireland Title And Championships Best Performance For Siobhan Brackett

The All Ireland Juvenile 14-19 championships were held in Tullamore last weekend. Siobhan Brackett competing in the first event of the day got off to a great start clearing 2.49m in the girls pole vault Under-16 to take the gold medal and set a new championship best mark. In the Under-18 event Suzie Lonergan took silver and Una Power was one place behind taking the bronze.

In the 100m Eimear Scanlon was drawn in the fastest heat and ran through to the final where she finished in 8th place. This was a much improved run in her performance in Munster where she finished in 4th place. Colleen Hayes improved in both hammer and discus to record personal best performances. Her hammer throw of 28m put her through to 5th and she finished 6th in the discus. Aisling O'Connell also showed improved form when she finished 5th in the 3000m walk. Mark Shalloe found the pace of the 1500m tough and though he was up with the leaders in the initial laps, he was caught for pace in

the last lap and finished 10th. Deirdre Duff ran a good race in the Girls U17 race and she is edging closer to breaking the 5 min mark for this event.

On Sunday the pole vaulters and walkers were again in action early on. Mark Bannon started well in the pole vault but had difficulty clearing 2m 80 and had to settle for the silver medal. Patrick Palmer was unlucky in the Boys walk showing much improved technique, he walked strongly but was just outside the medals when he finished in 4th place. Kevin Harty was also just outside the medals when he finished in 4th place in the Under-12 triple jump. In the

Silver For Mark Bannon

Bronze For Lorraine McCarthy

Under 17 discus Eadaoin Ashe improved on her personal best with a throw of 26m 30 to finish in 6th place. Mark Shalloe showed improved form in the 800m to finish strongly in 5th place. Our only medal on the track on Sunday was won by Lorraine McCarthy when she finished 3rd in the Under-14 800m. Staying wide and out of trouble for most of the race she came with a strong finish off the last bend to just take 3rd and collect her first individual All Ireland medal.

ZOE, LISA AND DAVID OFF TO TULLAMORE

On Sunday next it is the turn of the younger athletes. Zoe Scanlon will be defending the ball throw title she won last year. Lisa Houlihan will compete in the high jump and

WATE-SFORD

Hannah Power with her bronze medal which she won at the Munster B's Track and Field at the R.S.C. in Waterford last Sunday in the girls Under-10 ball throw. Pictured over is Lorraine McCarthy who won a bronze medal in the Girls Under-15 800 metres in the All Ireland Juvenile Championships held in Tullamore last weekend.

David Earley in the 600m. We wish them all the best of luck. **SCHOOLS**

INTERNATIONAL

Best of luck to David McCarthy, Siobhan Brackett and
Suzie Lonergan who compete
in the Schools International
next weekend.

MAZDA LEAGUE

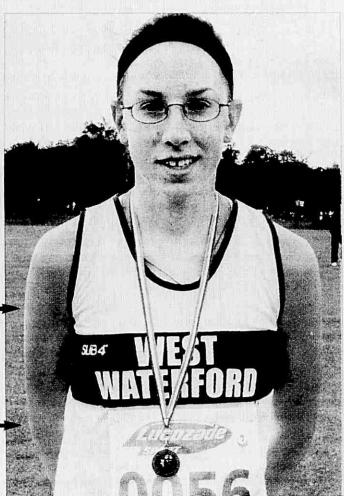
The first round of the Mazda League will take place next weekend. All those who compete at under-12 and over can take part in this league.

TRAINING CONTINUES

There will be training on Wednesday and Friday night at 6:30pm over the next few weeks.



Aaron Whelan pictured at the Munster B's Track and Field Championships at the R.S.C. Waterford last Sunday. Aaron won silver in the boys Under-9 ball throw





Kate Veale pictured at the R.S.C. last Sunday where she won bronze medals in the girls U-11 long jump and 600 metres at the Munster B's Track and Field Championships.



West Waterford's mixed relay team Under-12 which won the bronze medals at the Munster B's at the R.S.C. in Waterford last Sunday. — Michael Tutty, Jason Nagle, Lisa Houlihan and Ciara White.



FRIDAY JULY 9TH 2004

Punters Show A Profit

Dominating last Friday nights ten race card were the three first round heats of the Donald Murphy Fencing Services 730 Yard marathon stake where the punters correctly selected the winner of all three races. The William Roche owned Billys Trail (Smooth Rumble-Desert Belle) 5/4 to 4/5 was all the rage in heat one and the jolly duly delivered in a smart 41.02. Now in the care of trainer Peter Brady Billys Trail wasn't hanging around at the start as he darted into the lead ahead of a close running Savana Twister. Oldinn Tina took up the challenge down the backstretch but Billys Trail kept on strongly up the rails to beat Oldinn Tina by four lengths.

Heat two is easily described as the Ballydogers Syndicate owned and Derek Kehoe trained Sin Sin Amy (Mustang Jack-Charity Amy) 1/1 made every post a winning one in 41.29. Racing into an early lead over Determined Irish Sin Sin Amy repelled all raiders up front before going right away for a cosy six lengths win over Determined Irish.

Having her first outing over the 730-yard trip the Michael Conway owned and Leo Dunphy trained Prestige Dympna (Droopys Vieri-Springmount Dame) made the transition to marathon racing with ease leading all the way in 41.35. Scampering into an early lead over Creighmore Black the well supported Prestige Dympna 4/1 to 1/1 maintained a strong gallop at the head of affairs to run out a deserving two and three quarter lengths winner of the third semi final from a running on Kiltrea Merrick.

The opening novice contest went to the Autumn Kennels syndicate owned and Michael Power trained Autumn Hill (Marshals Hill-Tax Enquiry) this well backed 4/7 favourite making the entire running for an easy 29.10 victory. A rails seeking Aine Dubh gave chase throughout but a determined Autumn Hill kept going in fine style up front to win out by four lengths. This victory for Autumn Hill was a first for sire Marshals Hill who stands with Marie and Billy Roche. Indeed Marshals Hill picked up an award at the Clonmel Show the previous weekend for the "most alert" dog at the South Tipperary venue.

Half of Carrick On Suir travelled down to support the James John O'Neill owned On A Bender in the second novice contest and this November 2002 son of Droopy Woods and Mahogany Choice came from a near impossible position to land a gamble in 29.64. With the favourite being knocked about at the start and at the first bend the early paced Sparta Smokey kicked into an early lead. Running down to between the final two bends Text Me Later joined issued up front with Sparta Smokey. Text Me Later kept wide at this point and Bean There also joined in the action forcing the leaders wide off the home turn. On A Bender 2/1 to 1/3 was in full flight at this point and securing a clear run on the fence On A Bender sailed into the lead to beat Sparta Smokey by a length .The amount of money wagered on the Damain Quigley trained winner suggests that he can go somewhat faster than his return of last Friday night.

In a 300 yard dash Treacypark Flyer took over in the lead from a fast starting Brandy Mist but showing plenty of early pace after a slow start the Bobby Redmond and John Dunne owned Minimum Strip (Droopys Kewell-Minimum Wage) 2/1 cruised into the lead on the fence to power clear for a two and a half lengths win over Treacypark Flyer in 16.61.

Treanaree Rebel showed up well in the early stages of the fourth but the early paced Persistent Magic was soon at the head of affairs. The leader tired off over the final two bends however as the always-prominent Dysert Ralph (Moyne Rebel-Droopys Nancy) 2/1 stayed on best to beat a running on Failte Honcho by half a length in 30.00. Dave Maltby Baker trains the winner for Clive Walsh.

Monmahogue Ned (Jamaican Hero-Monmahogue Rose) 1/1 finally opened his account from trap one in the fifth contest leading all the way for owner Jim Walsh and trainer Jude Hennessy. Firing himself clear from trap one "Monmahogue"

cruised into a handy lead over Gallows Miller before breezing in all of five and a half lengths clear of Gallows Miller in a best ever 29.33.

The final two winners of the night were both trained in County Wexford and both recorded the identical winning time of 28.94.

In the eight contest the luckless Sparta Rebel made a brave bid to lead all the way but the Tom Reynolds owned and Catherine Redmond trained Top Charm 6/4 ran a cracker from trap one to land the spoils in a career best time. Remaining glued to the rails Top Charm saved valuable ground on the turns as Sparta Rebel lost ground coming wide into the home stretch as a strong finishing Top Charm went on to triumph with something to spare by two and a half lengths.

The final race of the session was a thrilling affair with victory going to the Sean Stafford owned and Liam Butler Jnr trained Dixies The Best (Toms The Best-Dixies Rose) by the narrowest of margins. The early paced Avondale Jo led for a long way but mounting his challenge on the wide outside the progressive Dixies Best thundered home to post a short head win over Avondale Jo.

TRAP DRAWS DONALD MURPHY FENCING SERVICES MARATHON STAKE

First Semi Final

1 Prestige Shauna
2 Kiltrea Merrick
3 Billys Trail
4 Hello Wizard
5 Creighmore Black
6 Ballybrazil Ruby

Selection — Billys Trail

Dangers — Prestige Shauna, Kiltrea Merrick

Second Semi Final

1 Oldinn Tina
2 Sin Sin Amy
3 Ima Cooper Laura
4 Determined Irish
5 Airmount Tom
6 Savana Twister (W)

Selection — Airmount Tom

Dangers — Sin Sin Amy, Ima Cooper Laura

SATURDAY JULY 10TH 2004

Three Of The Best For Jimmy

South Kilkenny trainer Jimmy Scully took Kilcohan Park by storm last Saturday night sending out three impressive winners. Two of those victories were for owner Paul Harney and his well-bred pair of winners Tinlough Sue and Tinlough Mick are members of the October 2002 litter by Honcho Classic and Ta Failte Romhait. Tinlough Sue 6/4 opened her account in the first race of the session bursting into an early lead from trap three to lead from Mulcair Tinlough Sue encountered little difficulty along the way to run out a clear cut five and a half lengths winner over Mo Modra Molly in 29.68.

Litter brother Tinlough Mick 5/2 adapted similar front running tactics in the ninth contest recording a smashing time of 28.98. Dashing into an early lead Tinlough Mick was pushed all the way by the 6/4 favourite Slick Style but digging deep throughout Tinlough Mick was good value for his length victory over Slick Style in a red hot time.

Trainer Jim Scully has improved the JJ Healy owned Seventh Gear out of all proportion and this October 2002 son of Carlton Bale and Ollys Stary ran the race of his life to take the Paddy Power Derby Trial Stake with relative ease in a cracking 29.82.

With Murlens Madrid a non runner in this 550 yard decider through injury Spinners Choice was sent off the 4/5 favourite but it was Noan Okee who made the best possible start from trap two to scamper into an early lead over Seventh Gear. Tracking beautifully however rounding the penultimate turn Seventh Gear cruised into the lead on the fence and once he saw daylight Seventh Gear romped to an eye catching four lengths success over a running on The Other Arnie. The well fancied Spinners Choice was backed in from 1/1 to 4/6 near the off but he ran a lifeless race finishing at the rear of the field beaten a total of nearly twelve lengths. No official inquiry took place into the poor running of the favourite but my guess is that is he injured having failed to recover from his English Derby exertions.

The Noel Ryan owned Blue Cruise overcame an unfavourable outside draw to land the second contest in a best ever 29.30. Ballyroan Tycoon set the early gallop but staying wide on the backstretch the leader gave way to the rails seeking Blue Cruise. At the winning line Blue Cruise had two and a half lengths to spare over Ballyroan Tycoon. The winner is a June 2002 blue son of Hot Cruise and Code Claw.

Without a win for some time the Tina Finn owned Genuine Onyx (Carlton Bale-Glenstown Damsel) came in from the cold this 7/2 chance taking a 300-yard sprint.

Dashing straight into the lead on the fence Genuine Onyx maintained a steady gallop at the head of affairs to run out a handy length winner over Princess Grace in 16.75.

The Eilish Corcoran owned Jumbos Princess (Mustang Jack-Jumbos Moth) caused a major upset in the fourth contest posting her second race victory at the rewarding odds of 8/1. Jumbos Princess took over in the lead from Noreview Wonder midway on the back stretch and despite a late charge by the 6/4 favourite Wilcox Blue Jumbos Princess held firm to triumph by two and a half lengths in a lifetime best clock of 29.33.

County Wexford trainer Nick Turner was on the mark in the fifth contest courtesy of the John Fitzgerald Jnr owned Chase Me Charlie this January 2002 son of Knockeevan Star and Dillrock Dot producing a fine early paced performance to lead all the way in a speedy 28.92. Utilising his early pace to perfection Chase Me Charlie opened up a handy lead over Ballybrazil Zulu and Andreas Princess and while Ballybrazil Zulu did manage to reduce the deficit in the closing stages Chase Me Charlie did well to win out by a length.

The sixth and seventh races were semi finals of the Tote Retention Stake. In the first semi final the Willy Mongey owned Raytown Magic (Droopys Vieri-Fill Me In) 5/1 ran out a deserving 29.25 winner. Live Verdict was sent of the 4/6 favourite but after a slow exit from trap four the favourite showed a nice dash of early pace but found himself short of racing room at the second last bend. Moreton Blues set a hot early pace but producing the better turn of early pace Raytown Magic sprinted into the lead at the entrance to the back stretch. It was all one-way traffic up front from that point on as Raytown Magic went on to score a shade cosily by three and a half lengths.

The second semi was a thrilling affair from the outset as Kiltumper Boy and Torcan Staplers licked horns throughout. After a titanic struggle the Maeve Phelan owned and Jimmy Frisby trained Torcan Staplers (Staplers Jo-Robins Rebecca) 4/1 produced one last surge on the wide outside to short head a gallant Kiltumper Boy in a fast 29.00.

Local owner Kitty Sullivan and trainer Tony Ryan combined forces in the final race of the night sending out the evens favourite Jewels Rocket (Batties Rocket-Frans Jewel) to a popular trap to line victory in a fast 28.98. Firing himself into the lead from trap one Jewels Rocket held the call throughout up front from Stage Spark and staying on well Jewels Rocket came home two and a half lengths clear of Moonvoy Ash who nicked second place virtually on the winning line from Stage Spark.

TOTE RETENTION FINAL

| | | Split Times |
|--------|---------------------|-------------|
| 1 | Moreton Blues | 2.95 |
| 2 | Torcan Staplers | 2.99 |
| 3 | Kiltumper Boy | 3.01 |
| 4 | Coolside Joe | 3.07 |
| 5 | Bongo Flyer | 3.11 |
| 6 | Raytown Magic (W) | 3.01 |
| Salart | ion - Kiltumper Boy | |

Selection — Kiltumper Boy
Dangers — Torcan Staplers, Raytown Magic

SATURDAY NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT

New Orleans provide the post race music on Saturday night.

DUNGARVAN CREDIT UNION CYCLING CLUB NOTES

Tony Elsted is Inaugural Winner of Joe Fitzgerald Memorial Cup

The final race in the 2004 the evening concluded with an Liam Kelly O'Mahony Cycles & Nursery Summer Series was won by Tony Elsted in dramatic fashion last Friday night, July 9th, as he powered to victory on Ballinamuck in a tense sprint finish with his good friend and brother-in-law Anthony Dwyer. These two, together with Vincent Tutty set a blistering pace on the 23-mile Millstreet circuit and succeeded in holding off all the chasers by over one minute.

Behind them there was fantastic racing in all the groups, and all participants were delighted with the standard of cycling. A presentation evening took place in Minnies' afterwards, and a large attendance was noted. We are grateful to the O'Brien family who hosted the evening for us.

The Joe Fitzgerald Memorial Cup was presented to club chairman Eddie Moore by Mary Fitzgerald, and in thanking the Fitzgerald Family, Eddie stated that this memorial Cup will keep warm memories of Joe alive within our club. There followed the presentation to the 2004 winner Tony Elsted. Tony, a very popular winner, spoke of all that Joe Fitzgerald had done for Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club, and stated that he was truly honoured to accept this wonderful Cup. Series Sponsor Tony O'Mahony presented prizes to Tony, Anthony Dwyer, Brett Lynam, Paddy Power, Pádraig de Búrca, and Vincent Tutty, and Thomas Barron 42

outstanding evening of high

Final placings for 2004 Sum-

| mer series: | |
|------------------|----|
| Tony Elsted | 63 |
| Brian Guiry | 30 |
| Leslie O'Donnell | 10 |
| Anthony Dwyer | 62 |
| Joe Kelly 30 | |
| Liam Power | 10 |
| Brett Lynam | 58 |
| Kieran Russell | 30 |
| Pat Keneally | 10 |
| Paddy Power | 54 |
| Mick Verling | 29 |
| Ray Cullen | 10 |
| Pádraig de Búrca | 53 |
| Eoin Whyte | 27 |
| Ray Grant | 10 |
| Vincent Tutty | 53 |
| Michael Bohane | 27 |
| Robert Power | 10 |
| Ray Dwyer | 52 |
| Finbarr Kelly | 25 |
| Rory Wyley | 10 |
| Colin Organ | 50 |
| Mark Power | 25 |
| Stephen Barry | 10 |
| Buddy Drohan | 48 |
| Francis Barry | 20 |
| Terry Carey | 10 |
| Eamon Phelan | 46 |
| Pa Moore | 20 |
| Tony Murray | 10 |
| Andrew McHale | 43 |
| Patrick Mahon | 19 |
| Vincent Kelly | 10 |
| Ger Wyley | 42 |
| David Cummins | 15 |
| Aisling O'Shea | 5 |
| Margo O'Dowd | 42 |
| Eddie Moore | 15 |
| Derek Nolan | 5 |
| Thomas Doman | 12 |

Eamonn O'Doherty 5 John Flynn Maurice Hartery Eoin O'Riordan Tony O'Mahony Michael Dwyer Garry O'Flaherty Brian Whyte Michael Dee Jason Drummy Martin Veale Jim Meehan John Treacy Frank O'Rourke James Veale Kieran Smith

We wish to thank all our helpers for their contribution to the successful running of the 2004 Series... to Noel O'-Docherty, Willie Hogan, Michael Whyte, Cyril Healy who have of their time week in week out, and also to others who helped out whenever possible. We thank also our sponsors Siobhan and Tony, without whose assistance this event would not be possible. You are earnestly requested to support our sponsors for your cycling needs. Finally, a very big thankyou is extended to our present chairman Eddie Moore, who kept his eye on all aspects of this series since early May (and beforehand). It is fair to say that his enthusiasm was a strong factor in ensuring that the 2004 Summer Series was most successful. Finally, please note that we intend to continue cycling every Wednesday night Kerry Charity Cycle. Dungar-

for the remainder of the summer, commencing tonight, July 14th at 7:00pm from Kilrush.

Spins for the coming week... Saturday from Kilrush at 9:30am, and Sunday from the Square at 9:30am. And Wednedday from Kilrush at 7pm. We will continue with a 7pm start on Wednesdays as long as evening light permits (and we will start earlier later

Ring of Kerry

A large group of Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club members and partners travelled to Killarney last weekend, and what a wonderful weekend it turned out to be! To begin with, nine cyclists participated in the Ring of Kerry Prologue on Friday, July 2nd by cycling the 90 miles from Dungarvan to Killarney, and on arrival in mid-afternoon everyone was in agreement that this was by far the hardest day in the saddle EVER. We left Dungarvan with a slight westerly gale, which developed to a strong westerly gale by the time we arrived for soup in Macroom, and strengthened further as we completed the last 20 miles of our journey to Killarney. Lots of rest was in order, and everyone settled in for a quiet night.

The following morning rain fell steadily, but the morning brightened as over 850 cyclists departed from The International Hotel, Killarney at 8:30am for the 21st edition of the Ring of van Credit Union Cycling Club was strongly represented and all participants contributed to the designated charity Enable Ireland prior to departure. The event proceeded anti-clockwise round the famous ring, to Killorglin, Glenbeigh and Cahirciveen, where we stopped for refreshments. From here we continued on to Waterville and Sneem, and Kenmare for more food and water. Many of the group had tired legs at this point, but we stuck to the plan and kept the group together to help one another out, and we climbed Moll's Gap steadily, and enjoyed the lovely descent to Killarney. We wish to thank the organisers for a wonderfully organised event. A lovely meal was organised later that evening, and everyone concluded the weekend with a well-deserved social evening. Roll on 2005 ! Taking part were: Aisling O'Shea, Siobhan O'Mahony, Pádraig de Búrca, John Flynn, Brett Lynam, Eddie Moore, Tony O'Sullivan, Tom Barron, Tony Elsted, Vincent Tutty (straight from the Dromana finish-line), Michael Dwyer, Martin Veale, Eamon Phelan, Finbarr Kelly, Liam Kelly (what a wonderful achievement for a 15-yearold!), Eoin O'Riordan, Anthony

> Championships in Mayo

Dwyer, Mark Power and Ray

The 2004 Irish Championships were held in Westport, on the 25th.

and we were represented by Ray Dwyer in the Vets and by Eoin Whyte in the Junior event. No results to hand at present, but we will carry a report from these championships next

Club Day, Sunday July 25th

Please mark July 25th in your diary. Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club is organising a Club Day on Sunday morning July 25th and it is hoped that each and every member of the club will participate. There will be two spins departing Grattan Square on the morning, the first at the usual time of 9:30am, and a second more leisurely spin will depart at 10:30am. It is envisaged that both groups will meet for light refreshments and a club photograph at the "Kitchen Hole". We would like all members to join together on the road on this date in club jer-

This is also a good opportunity for our new members this season to get to know others within the club. Our 2004 Summer Series has attracted new members over the past two months, and it is a natural follow-on to join the weekend leisure spins. So, mark the date in your diary, and join with all in the club for what promises to be a very enjoyable morning. This call also goes out to any past members who may like to join with us

West Waterford **Autograss L**

CARNIVAL TIME AGAIN

The Trip to Araglin is upon us again, the annual trip to the carnival in Araglin takes place this Sunday July 18th. Araglin which has a strong tradition of holding motorsport events as part of its celebrations will again makes its venue available to the world of Autograss. With the event running a week earlier this year it should see more of the top cars taking part. Before the event was only a week before the National Autograss Finals so some drivers opted to miss it for fear of damage, this year there will be 2 weeks in between thus Araglin will become the final test session for many of these drivers. The racing promises to be very good as many of the drivers will still be on a high and determind to show that there success at the 2 day was no flash in the pan. Because the Araglin track is so different to what the drivers normally race on, the venue also throws up some big surprises, be it thrills or in many cases spills. So don't forget it's Araglin this Sunday July 18th, first race 1pm and scrutiny finishing at 12 noon sharp.

"Irish Fastest Person on Grass" 2004 Saturday & Sunday June 26th & 27th.

It was undoubtably this biggest weekend of Autograss ever to be held in Ireland, with a total of 22 clubs represented from all over England, Wales and both sides of the Irish border. For those who witnessed the wind and rain on the Friday night and well into Saturday morning would have been in doubt about racing taking place on the Saturday. Thankfully the rain had gone by the time things started happening on the field on Saturday and soon after racing started the track was being watered to keep the dust down. With almost 70 races alone on Saturday and probably 35 on Sunday, there was more than enough thrills, spills, excitement and

hero's to keep everybody happy.

THANK YOU As with all big events, a lot of time and effort goes

into orgainising them plus a huge expense. West Waterford Autograss would like to give a big thank you to Lismore Hotel who came on board as the main sponsor and without this help, an event of this size would not be possible. Also the club have put together a programme for the event and would like to thank all the supporters of this, plus all the track side supporters and those who support us through out the year. All these go together to make it possible for the club to continue and run race meetings thru' out the year at a relative cheap cost to both spectators and competitors in a safe and well orgainised manner. Also a huge thank you to all the visiting drivers and the visitors who helped out over

RACE RESULTS 26th & 27th JUNE 2004

CLASS ONE

S333Y JACK BROWN 30 PTS

2 PHD226 PAUL PEARCE 27 PTS 3 MA58 DAVE DWANE 20 PTS

CLASS TWO

1 WW399 JOHN FULLER 27 PTS

2 WW105 MICHAEL BARRY 24 PTS 3 WW261 PAUL DEVINE 18 PTS

CLASS THREE

1 S9 MANFRED KAMPSHUTE 30 PTS

2 Y101 MATHEW HOLDSWORTH 23 PTS 3 TA221 NOEL REED 21 PTS

CLASS FOUR

1 CM9 HUW DAVIES 26 PTS

2 DA333 BRIAN BEATTIE 25 PTS 3 WW14 KIERAN HEGARTY 10 PTS

1 CM41 MALCOLM HERBERT 27 PTS

2 TA25 CRAIG KAMPSCHUTE 19 PTS 3 MA124 MARK LINEHAN 15 PTS

1 PAC777 KEN THOMAS 26 PTS PAC48 STUART THOMAS 26 PTS 2 TA222 NIGEL REED 23 PTS

3 TA220 BARRY DAVIS 16

CLASS SEVEN 1 WW6 ANDREW MURPHY

2 FA1 DAVID DOHETY 24

PHD127 NORMAN

MASON 21 PTS

CLASS EIGHT 1 WW1 LIAM PRENDER-

GAST 25 PTS MA18 DONAL O'BRIEN 25

PTS WW318 MARTIN

BROWNE 20 PTS 3 ST15 DON EMMERSON 14

CLASS NINE 1 Y5 MARK BROOKS 28

2 SC150 ANTHONY REED PTS

18 PTS WR58 RICHARD MILES 18 PTS 3 MA370 PAUL O'CONNOR 17 PTS

CLASS TEN 1 E202 PETE BOTT JRN 28 PTS

2 E223 PHIL YOUNG 20 PTS

3 SC99 ANDREW KERSHAW 19 PTS

LADIES 1 WW39 NOELLE FEENEY 20 PTS

S383Y EILEEN BROWNE 20 PTS

2 WW133 MARGARET MEEHAN 14 PTS

3 CW104 OLIVIA HOGAN 9 PTS PAC777 HANNA THOMAS 9 PTS

LADIES SPECIALS 1 WW317 LOUISE BROWNE 29 PTS

2 WW20 EMMA SMITH 24 PTS

3 TA20 DANIELLE PHILIPS 18 PTS



Photo shows the 2004 Lismore Hotel Cup race winner Mike Barry in action.

1 CK89 VINCENT McSWEENEY 22 PTS 2 WW134 JAMIE MEEHAN 21 PTS WW90 STEVEN CONDON 21 PTS

3 WW73 DAMIEN HOULIHAN 19 PTS FASTEST PERSON ON GRASS

MA18 DONAL O'BRIEN WINNERS RACE

1 WW105 MICHAEL BARRY 2 WW399 JOHN FULLER

3 WW39 NOELLE FEENEY HELPERS RACE

1 WW75 MIKE KEANE 2 WW261 PAUDIE O'GORMAN

3 CW43 GRAINNE MURPHY

ARAGLIN CARNIVAL MEETING So don't forget the place to be this Sunday is Araglin, to enjoy the carnival atmosphere and some excalant racing.

Group of Pupils from St.Josephs Primary School, Dungarvan who had a 100% attendance record during the 2003/2004 school year pictured with School Principal, M. Kearney. Front (I. to r.) Michael Harty, Dylan Lawless, Malachy Lawless, Darragh Coleman and Mark Power. Back (I. to r.) Cormac Coleman, Michael Power, Alan Meehan, Jamie Warren and Kevin Sheehan. (Photo: Sean Byrne)



St. Joseph's Primary School, Dungarvan, Waterford Under-12 Relay Champions 2004 — (I. to r.) Bobby Ansell, Adam Kelly, Shane Hickey and Colm Curran.

(Photo: Sean Byrne)



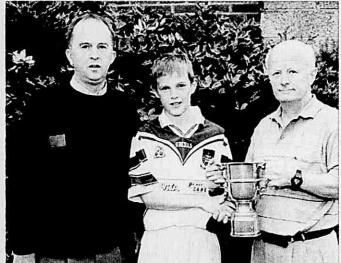
Patrick Curran, St. Joseph's Primary School, Dungarvan, Waterford Under-8 200 metres Champion 2004.

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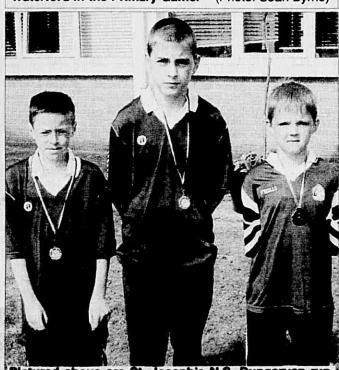
St. Joseph's N.S. Awards Presentations



St. Joseph's Primary School Dungarvan — Mr. Kearney, Principal, presenting the "Footballer of the Year" Award to David Houlihan. Included is Pat Curran, teacher. (Photo: Sean Byrne)



St. Josephs Primary School Dungarvan — M. Kearney, Principal, presenting the "Hurler of the Year" Award to Colm Curran. Included is Pat Curran, Teacher. Colm also represented the school when playing for Waterford in the Primary Game. (Photo: Sean Byrne)



Pictured above are St. Joseph's N.S. Dungarvan runners (I. to r.) Lee Hyslop (U/10), Bobby Ansell (U/12) and Patrick Curran (U/8), sprint winners in the recent West Waterlord Primary School Sports.

County Celebrates Centenaries of Molly Keane and Claud Cockburn



By Kevin Kirrane

Waterford County Council celebrated the centenaries of the births of the well-known writer. Molly Keane, and the celebrated journalist, Claud Cockburn on

The ceremony, held in Dungarvan Library, honoured the legacy of two writers whose lives were shaped by vastly different events, but who spent the later years of their lives in Ardmore.

Both are "central figures" in Co. Waterford's rich and varied literary heritage, Mayor of County Waterford, Cllr. John Carey

To mark the occasion, a sculpture of Molly Keane by John Coll, was unveiled, and the Cappoquin poet, Thomas McCarthy gave a presentation on her later

VARIED HERITAGE

Speaking at the ceremony, Mayor Carey welcomed Molly Keane's daughters, Virginia and Sally to the commemoration as well as Claud Cockburn's son Andrew and his family.

Waterford Co. Council is totally committed to the promotion of our heritage and I am particularly pleased that Molly Keane who has such wide appeal should be the first so noted," he said.

He also thanked John Coll, the sculpture who "at such short notice created such a magnificent sculpture to add to the Boyle piece which he produced in

Deputy Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Fred Forsey, said he was delighted that one of his first duties should be to reflect on County Waterford's literary heritage.

He said that while Molly Keane was well known to him, his knowledge of Claud Cockburn was scantier. But, he said that the programme had illustrated how fascinating a life Claud lived and how interesting his work must

CLAUD COCKBURN

Claud began his journalism career with The Times, and later as a foreign correspondent in Germany and the United States, Anthony Summers said in a presentation on Claud Cockburn's Life and Work.

In 1933, he resigned to set up his own journal, The Week.

During this period, he also contributed to the Daily Worker - a Communist newspaper - and in 1939, at the urging of the Communist Party's General Secretary, he covered the Spanish Civil War while fighting as soldier with the Fifth Regiment.

Having returned to Britain, he was an outspoken opponent to the British Government's policy of appeasement towards Adolf Hitler, and The Week was subsequently banned from publication.

He later moved to Ireland, contributing to various newspapers and journals, including the Irish Times. And it was during his time in Ireland, that he wrote his three novels, and three works of nonfiction.

On his death in December 1981, Graham Greene described Cockburn as one of the great journalists of the 20th Century.

The writer, Molly Keane, meanwhile, was born in Co. Kildare to a well-known Anglo-Irish Family, becoming a writer as a way of 'supplementing her dress al-

Remarkably, she wrote her first book at the age of 17 and published 10 novels and plays before the age of 36.

After her husband's death she ceased writing until 1981 when the Booker shortlisted "Good Behaviour" was published. It was one of a series of novels which was to cement her name in the county's literary history, and gain wide appeal.

CONTRIBUTION TO LIBRARY SERVICE

Meanwhile, the Chairperson of the County Library Service, Lola O'Sullivan acknowledged the role of Donal Connolly "in the very considerable progress which has occurred during his tenure and which was heavily endorsed and directed by him."

"Perhaps the greatest amongst these achievements we must count the service provided through the building in which we are today," she said. "As a library it speaks for itself but we need only focus on the fact that since it opened in early 1999 well over 600,000 people have visited and used this service. It is in effect the most used public service facility in the County.'

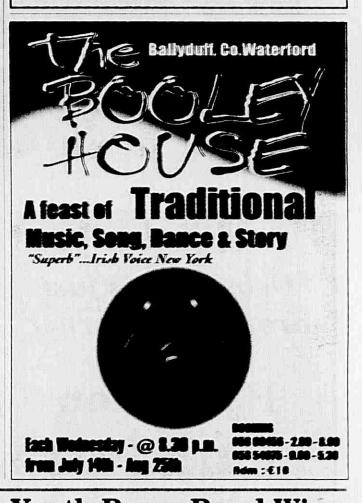
The renewal of the West Waterford Heritage Libraries in Cappoquin and Tallow, together with the ongoing development of a new Library H.Q. are also considerable achievements."

She went on to make a presentation to Mr. Connolly on behalf of the Library Committee.



Gala Day and Open Sports

At the Hurling Field, Melleray Sunday, July 25th SOMETHING TO PLEASE EVERYONE



Dungarvan Youth Brass Band Wins South of Ireland Championship

Laurence's Church, Ballinro

flowers only in what should Flower and Garden Club. Ad- the Graveyard on that Sunday prove to be a very colourful and mission will be €3. Prayers for afternoon. artistic Festival of Flowers which will be held in St. Laurence's Church, Ballinroad from Friday to Sunday next, 16th to 18th July as part of the Bicentenary Celebrations of the Church in Ballinroad.

Pictured (right) are three members of the St. Laurence's Altar Flower Society, Mrs. Mary Kiely, Mrs. Monica Dwane and Mrs. Valerie Leo preparing for the Festival. Entitled "Our Heritage," it is a multi-themed exhibition of exquisite colour and exotic arrangements, with many different facets of the spiritual and social life of the area expressed through the flowers on display.

The Society is being assisted

Festival of Flowers in

SIMPLY THE BEST . . . in the project by the Dungarvan the deceased will be recited in



Continued from Page 1 Ballincollig Junior Concert Band, second to the Skibbereen

Silver Band, and first place to the Dungarvan Youth Band. Not only that, he awarded a special prize to the bass section (Michael O'Donnell, George Cummins and Adrian Whelan) for its "wonderful performance". Needless the band was overjoyed, and the hall erupted in a roar of delight from the youth band, the senior band, and all the families that had made the journey.

To William Dee, Killian Power, Chris Fabie and all those senior members who have spent the past months training the junior band a deserved word of thanks for the fine work being done.Dungarvan Youth Band is designed to offer a stimulating musical environment for young brass beginners - and there are always experienced players on hand to help. Beginner classes will commence in late September/October again.

Further honours for **Dungarvan Brass Band**

Just some months after securing first place in the senior section of

the I.A.B.C.B. Southern Regional Championships, Dungarvan Brass Band has taken further honours at the top level in banding by taking 3rd place in the senior section at the South of Ireland Band Championships in Clonakilty, Co. Cork.

Competing for the first time in level, the band knew it would _ face stiff competition from some of the finest bands in the country. The opening piece, Edward Gregson's "Prelude for An Occasion", was the one which demanded most work and focus right across the band. The rendering of "A Nightingale Sang in Berkley Square" witnessed some great playing from all the band's soloists with sensitive and tuneful accompaniments firmly controlled and balanced by MD, Brian Prendergast. The band's march performance, William Rimmer's "Punchinello", had pulse and dynamic contrast superimposed on near note-perfect playing. With a proven strategy of saving something just that little bit extra special for last, the

band set out to create a lasting impression with the final piece, The Devil's Bridge" by Darrol

Was the performance good enough in such exalted company? After listening to six more performances in the section, the adjudicators were succinct in their analysis. First place in the senior section went to Barrack Street Concert Band, Waterford. "Two brass bands are among the top three in this section, but which is which" said Capt. Brendan Power who made the bands sweat it out to the end. Second place went to Lourdes Brass Band from Drogheda, with the Dungarvan Brass Band just 3 points behind in third place. An excellent result among a field of such calibre. In addition, one Dungarvan player had caught the ear of the adjudicators Eibhlin Grant and Capt. Brendan Power. Neal O' Kennedy, the bands principal cornet player was awarded the best brass player prize for some very stylish playing, something he's beginning to make a habit of! All in all another successful day for both the junior and senior band.





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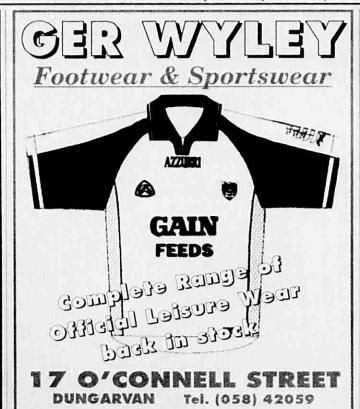
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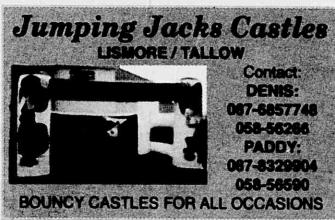
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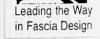
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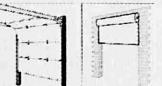
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