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## Auditor Vindicates Decision To Pay For Shopping Centre Car Park

By Kevin Korrane

The Local Government Auditor has vindicated Dungarvan Town Council's decision to pay 436,000 euro for a 58-space car park at Dungarvan Shopping Centre, according to Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty.

Dungarvan Town Council purchased the site from Clancy Construction last year.

However, a business representative group, the Dungarvan & Abbeyside Traders Association (DATA) questioned why the council paid this amount when

An Bord Pleanála ruled that control was to be ceded to the local authority.

DATA put the question to the local authority's financial officer, Paul Clerkin and the Local Government auditor, Patrick J. Healy.

Mr. O'Flaherty, who was speaking at the local authority's September meeting, said the report upheld the council's decision to pay for the car park.

While the auditor's report doesn't directly deal with the

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## Deasy Criticised For U.S. 'Junket'

By Kevin Korrane  
Sinn Fein county councillor,  
Brendan Mansfield, accused

Deputy, John Deasy of wasting taxpayers money on a recent "junket" to the US.

Deputy Deasy was a member of the Public Accounts Committee (PAC) delegation, which visited Washington and California in a bid to find better ways of controlling public spending. Ironically, the week-long fact-finding mission is expected to cost the taxpayer tens of thousands of euro.

"To me, this is a prime example that while Fine Gael attack the Government (over wasting public money), they are in actual fact the exact same as them," said Cllr. Mansfield, who described the parties as "tweedle dum and tweedle dee."

### DELEGATION

The PAC delegation visited California, which has struggled with crippling debts in recent years, and Washington with the

aim of finding out how the US Government controls public spending.

They met with the Finance Director (Office of the Governor); the Californian State Auditor; Assemblyman, Guy Houston (concerning a trade mission to Ireland); the Californian State Controller's Office and the Californian Legislative Analyst's Office.

In Washington, they were scheduled to meet Congressman, Jim Walsh, chairman of Friends of Ireland to discuss the murder of Robert McCartney as well as Irish immigration matters.

Deputy Deasy, who was appointed to the PAC in 2004, also privately met with staff of Congressman Richie Neal to discuss the McCartney murder.

Meetings with the Congressional Budget Office, the Accountability Office and the Reform



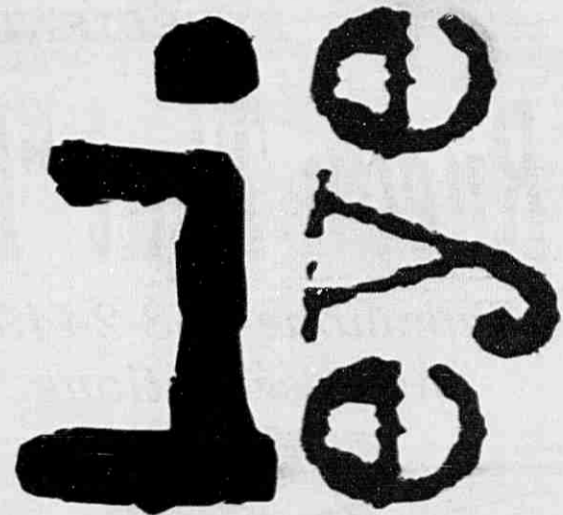
Deputy John Deasy

Committee of the House of Representatives also took place.

### COST

"This trip was supposed to enable the Public Accounts Committee to study how the US Government controls public spending better than Ireland does," Cllr. Mansfield said

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## Name Change Not On Cards For High Street

By Kevin Kirrane

Dungarvan Town Council is expected to ask the developer of the High Street retail complex in Dungarvan Shopping Centre to seek retention of its name. Cllr. Billy Kyne proposed the comprise at the monthly meeting of the local authority. The Labour councillor said the retention order should be sought as a courtesy.

It followed a meeting of the Protocol Committee at the end of June which ended split down the middle on the issue of whether the developer, who has marketed the 8 million euro retail development as High Street, should be allowed to retain the name. The development runs from Ger Wyles' sports shop to the All-Rounder.

### CONSULTATION

Sinn Fein councillor, Brendan Mansfield had proposed that the name should be changed to Creamery Way to reflect its history, or Larkin Street, after the union leader, Jim Larkin, a number of months ago.

He questioned whether a developer should be allowed to name a street without consulting with the Town Council.

To "leave the developer off" would set a precedent in the naming of streets, he said.

Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty said the developer was open to changing the name.

"The developer felt the name High Street gave some gravitas to the development when he was marketing it."

### FEEDBACK

Mr. O'Flaherty said the feedback about the name was mixed. But the street is considered part of the shopping centre development.

Cllr. Kyne suggested asking the developer to submit a retention order "out of courtesy" to the Town Council.

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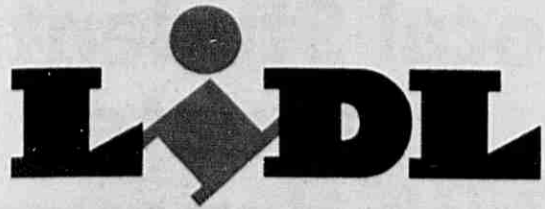
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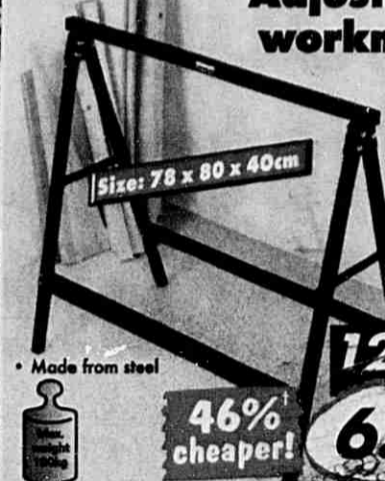
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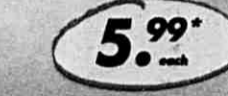
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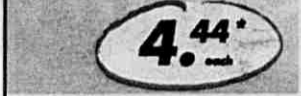
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Students from St. Declan's Community College, Kilmacthomas, raises €1,231 for Dominics Hope House, through a no uniform day. Pictured are representative group of students with the cheque. (l. to r.) Ricky Kiersey, Paul Quinn, Shane Power, Paula Weldon, Kate and Aoife Kirwan and teacher, Martin Carroll. (Sean Byrne Photography)

## Local Students Graduate With Honours From BIS, UCC

Local students Aoife Murphy from Dungarvan, and Edel Power from Carrick-On-Suir graduated with honours at the Business Information Systems Degree Programme at the University College of Cork recently.

The annual graduate breakfast preceded the official conferring ceremony in UCC.

Speaking at the breakfast, Professor Ciaran Murphy, founder of the degree programme, spoke to the assembled students about what might lie in store for them as graduates.

He praised their abilities and also reminded them of the career flexibility they had earned from the course.



Pictured at the Business Information Systems (BIS) Degree Programme, University College Cork (UCC), Graduate Breakfast for the class of 2005, are Edel Power from Carrick-on-Suir and Aoife Murphy from Dungarvan.

# Councillors Launch Blistering Attack On "Insulting" Survey

BY KEVIN KIRRANE

Members of Dungarvan Town Council thrashed the recent Irish Businesses Against Litter Summer results, and accused the inspectors of "insulting" the residents of one Abbeyside estate.

In a series of blistering attacks on the IBAL survey, one member of the Town Council likened the inspectors to "men in black peering out at us from their cars" while Independent councillor, Michael O'Riordan suggested that they may have been recovering from a Saturday night out on the town when compiling their report.

The comments followed the publication of IBAL's Anti-Litter League round 2 results, which saw Dungarvan slip from 7th to 33rd place, losing its Litter Free Status in the process.

### "COULDN'T CARE LESS ATTITUDE"

In their report, the IBAL Inspectors said a "couldn't care less" attitude towards litter appeared "prevalent" in Keating Street.

They also found that the alley off O'Connell Street was "used as a dumping ground by residents and seemingly ignored by the council" while O'Connell Street was described as having a "serious litter problem".

However, at Monday's meeting of the Town Council, Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Fiachra O Ceilleachair said he didn't accept the report, describing it as "largely inaccurate" and questioned how it was put together.

He said a lot of progress has been made, which hasn't been commented on.

## COUNCIL RUBBISHES IBAL REPORT

"As it happens, on the day the IBAL report came out, I was travelling to Letterkenny. I passed through towns in all four provinces on my way. And I can say that Dungarvan is a beautiful town that compares well with any of them.

"I don't accept that Dungarvan should be portrayed in a poor light, and I think a large majority of people don't accept it. The report is largely inaccurate," he added.

### "DISGRACE"

Sinn Fein councillor Brendan Mansfield said the comments, which branded Keating Street residents as having a "couldn't care less attitude" towards litter were "a disgrace."

Contrasting the IBAL report with the results from the Tidy Towns Competition, he said Dungarvan increased its points in the Tidy Towns Competition in four categories, and is moving in the right direction.

Cllr. Mansfield added: "It seems to me, that whoever wrote the IBAL report, has a problem with Dungarvan."

### "MEN IN BLACK"

The lack of consultation with residents and the Town Council was also highlighted with Labour Councillor Teresa Wright saying the IBAL inspectors brought to mind an image of "men in black peering out at us from their cars."

Cllr. Michael O'Riordan,

meanwhile, wondered whether the Tidy Towns Inspectors and IBAL Inspectors "went to the same place at all" given the different findings.

Adding that the IBAL inspection was carried out on a Sunday morning, he suggested the inspectors may have been out socialising the night before.

"You then have to wonder was the social life in town a bit too lively for them."

He proposed that the Town Council write a letter of protest to IBAL, stating that the town council "resents" their report.

### "DISPIRITING"

Meanwhile, Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty said the number of court cases in connection with littering that are being dismissed on technicalities are having a "very dispiriting effect" on the council's litter wardens.

Mr. O'Flaherty, who was widely praised for his landscaping work around the town, also said it was "soul destroying" for the person appointed to pick up rubbish on the N25 to deal with the amount of rubbish being dropped there.

"The road could be cleared in the morning, but it's full of rubbish again by the evening. It's apparently from people throwing rubbish out of car windows. It's something which you would have thought people would be educated about through litter campaigns."

### COMMITTEE

Earlier, Town Manager, Denis McCarthy threw down a challenge to the business people and the local community in Dungarvan to come together and set up a Tidy Towns Committee. A Tidy Towns Committee with support from the local authority, would improve the results and could even win the competition, he said.

## Local Company Accepted Nationally

Totem Visual Communications Solutions is a graphic design company based in Dungarvan. This month they were accepted to the Graphic Design Business Association. In business for four years, Totem's Creative Director and native of Dungarvan Colin Byrne is delighted with this endorsement of their work.

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Totem have no intention of resting on their laurels, their current campaign is to produce their first cinema ad, to run in the autumn. Their next internal project will be to move to new, state of the art offices in early 2006. It's a busy time for Colin and the team at Totem but as he says himself, "It's always busy".



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# Houses For The Elderly Get Go-Ahead

**By Kevin Kirrane**  
 Dungarvan Town Council granted the go-ahead for the construction of a number of new social houses in the town at its September meeting.

The construction of fourteen houses for the elderly at Powers Brewery and Whites Orchard were among five separate developments which are in the

pipeline for Dungarvan and Abbeyside.

Other projects included a Pedestrian Crossing at the Causeway, traffic calming on the Clonea Road in Abbeyside and traffic calming and the opening of a feeder road at Fairlane.

Plans for all the developments were on public display for the

statutory number of weeks.

**FAIRLANE**

Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty said one submission was received in regard to Fairlane.

The Sisters of the Bon Sauveur raised issues about the roadway linking Shandon to the N25, which the council proposed to make a one-way in a northerly direction.

The Sisters requested that the direction of the one-way be altered to a southerly direction. Mr. O'Flaherty said the council agreed with the request.

**POWERS BREWERY**

A submission from An Taisce was received in connection with the construction of seven senior citizens homes at Powers Brewery, Fairlane.

"The submission primarily related to the retention and restoration of the stone and the use of natural materials," Mr. O'Flaherty said.

"It is proposed to restore the stone wall front facade and the archway using a stone mason, with conservation experience. It is also proposed to use hardwood doors and frames on all the houses."

**WHITES ORCHARD**

Three submission were received regarding a further seven single storey houses at Whites Orchard at O'Connell Street.

Michael and Ann Cass, 1, South Terrace, Kevin Glanville, 2 South Terrace, Dungarvan and Dr. Jane Buttimer, 1, Princeton, Ardilea, Roebuck, Dublin raised a number of concerns.

Micheal and Ann Cass and

Kevin Glanville, welcomed the development but were concerned about the provision of access for cars to the rear of 1, South Terrace and intrusions on their privacy.

Mr. O'Flaherty said he was, "satisfied that the matters raised can be amicably resolved."

Dr. Buttimer, the owner of an adjoining site to the south of the development, objected on a number of grounds.

These included concerns that the windows of the houses will overlook her site; that the trees adjacent to her site be retained; that the Whites Orchard site is "landlocked," and that a site notice was not in place for a continuous period of four weeks.

Mr. O'Flaherty said the objection, which was received after the date for submissions was up, did not hold up to scrutiny.

**SINGLE STOREY**

As the houses are single storey, he said, there is no basis to the objection of overlooking. The council will also endeavour to retain as many trees as possible and plant new trees to compensate for as many of those lost as possible.

The question of the site being landlocked was looked at by the council's planning and engineering sections. "They are more than satisfied with the suitability and safety of the proposed access," he added.

He said the site notice was erected on site and replaced on 3 different occasions during the four week period.

**DEVELOPMENT**

"We also advertised the development in both local papers and there was a lot of press coverage of this proposed development. I am satisfied that there was no attempt by this council to hide the fact that we were proposing to build on this site."

The Pedestrian Crossing at the Causeway and Traffic Calming on the Clonea Road were also progressed following discussion.

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## Ard Scoil na nDeise News

### School Mass

On Friday, the entire school body moved to the Friary Church to join with Fr. Flor O'Callaghan and Fr. Paul Waldron in a celebration of Mass. The introduction was read by Lindsay Tester and girls from different classes read the prayers of the faithful and the communion reflection. As usual, our Religion teachers, Miss Cotter, Ms. O'Shea and Mrs. Dowdall had worked with the girls to ensure a beautiful ceremony. The singers and musicians under the baton of Music teachers Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Lucey were wonderful; Lucy Collins rendition of Is Naofa Thu as Gaeilge was exceptional.

Mrs. Conway congratulated Junior and Leaving Cert students on their excellent results and welcomed new students in 1st Year and other Years. The Cairde girls were commissioned and will work with and help the 1st Year students to settle in. Indeed, lunchtime club are already up and running. Mrs. Conway thanked Mrs. Hughes and Ms. Gleeson for their work with the Cairde girls.

### Fota

On Monday, 6th Year Biology students with teachers, Mrs. Stack, Mrs. O'Hare and Mr. Mason travelled to Fota for an ecology field trip. This is an excellent service and very useful for their Leaving Cert. studies.

### Sport

Football, Hockey and Badminton training has begun for all those interested. Badminton takes place in the Sports Centre with Ms. Neylin after school on Mondays while Hockey teams are training with Ms. Pickering. Footballers are showing off their skills with Mrs. Ashe. 5th Years had a narrow win (1 point) over T.Y.'s last Friday!

### King Lear

On Friday, September 18th, 6th Years along with their teachers, Bean De Paor and Mrs. Simons to see a production of King Lear in Cork. The performance was staged in the Half Moon Theatre, the group was made feel a part of the play as the stage was so close to the audience. The play was set in a Pre-Christian Era, with the scenes moving quickly from one to the next. The actors really brought the characters to life. The performance was almost three hours long, but nobody seemed to notice as the actors kept us spellbound by the drama.

The performance was really helpful for those who are doing King Lear for their exams and it even managed to convert some of the anti-Shakespeare group who frowned at the mention of the play! We had lunch in the City and then back to school. It was a great day and it will be an asset when the exams come round.

(Sharon O'Sullivan)

## Deasy Criticised For U.S. "Junket"

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questioning why the cost of the "junket" was not revealed.

"During the trip Deputy Deasy met with US officials from the Government accountability office whose motto is accountability, integrity and reliability. With this in mind, it is ironic that an Irish Government spokesperson refused to reveal how much the trip cost. "I am calling on Deputy Deasy to tell the people of Waterford how much his junket cost."

"Just last week, it was reported that Fine Gael councillors

nationwide were attempting to abuse the conference expenses available to them as elected members of local authorities.

"Now it is revealed that Deputy Deasy, and the group he travelled with, stayed in the luxurious Mayflower Hotel with the rooms costing the Irish taxpayers more than 200 dollars a night."

### HIGH LIFE

"Deputy Deasy is very good at sending out his surveys on waste management or crime. He claims to represent the people of Waterford. But while he is off enjoying the high life, the ordinary working people of Waterford are working every hour of the day to provide for their families. I wonder will Deputy Deasy put out a survey to see do the public think this junket was taxpayers money well spent."

Dan Boyle, a Green Party member of the five man delegation, said the research was carried out was important. "You have to put it in the context of overall public expenditure. There is 38 billion euro spent every year by the Government. In the context of the Government's own expenditure, where consultants reports that might be only six to twelve pages might cost over 100,000 euro, this type of research, which is trying to better inform people who are looking after the public purse, can be argued to be money better spent than usual."

## Auditor Vindicates Decision To Pay For Shopping Centre Car Park

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purchase price, he did raise concerns about the meeting at which a price was agreed.

"A proper minute of the meeting at which the purchase price was agreed was not maintained," it states.

"The question relating to the purchase price being inclusive or exclusive of vat has to be clarified."

Mr. Healy also asked that any outstanding issues in relation to VAT and stamp duty liabilities are brought to a conclusion.

Nineteen other items which need to be addressed were also brought to the council's attention.

Town Manager, Denis McCarthy said a number of issues raised in the 2004 Audit of Dungarvan Town Council have already been remedied.

"None of them are of a serious nature. I can assure members that the issues raised will not be a problem in the future."

Cllr. Teresa Wright (Lab) said the Financial Report was "quite weak" in a lot of areas.

## Parasite Blamed For Decrease In Salmon Stocks

By Kevin Kirrane

A parasite is destroying fish stocks in the River Blackwater, according to the owner of Ballyrafter House Hotel, Joe Willoughby.

The parasite called Anasakis Simplex lodges in the intestine of the fish and eats it alive from the inside.

The River Blackwater is internationally renowned as salmon river and angling tourism supports a number of businesses in West Waterford. Those businesses and hundreds of jobs are said to be at risk from the drastic fall in the salmon stock.

Drift net fishing was blamed for the decline. But, Mr. Willoughby said the discovery of the parasite could partly explain the fall.

He said funding is needed from a number of sources to tackle the problem.

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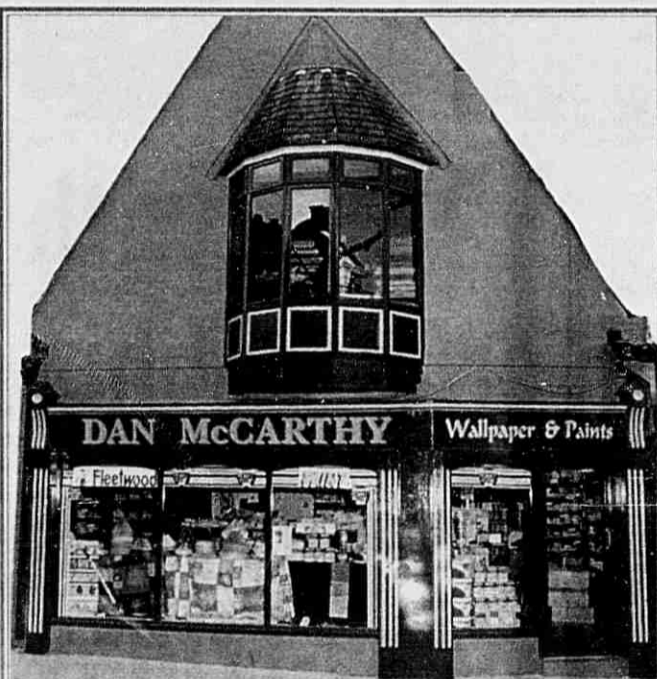
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## Major Antiques Event for Tallow

A Major Antiques and Collectables fair will be held at Tallow Community Centre on Sunday the 2nd of October at 10.30am to 5pm. The event is to act as a fundraiser to improve the facilities in the local community centre which is home to the GAA, Soccer, badminton and Brideview Drama, who are the current the All Ireland Confined Champions and many other voluntary groups.

The Antiques Fair, hosted by Judy Burton, will be the first of many events to raise funds for the development. It will be attended by over 20 stands which will hold such delights as furniture, china, pictures and prints, books, jewellery, gifts and many more. This is a timely event with a view to worthy Christmas presents. We look forward to seeing you there.

The local committee are delighted to welcome dealers from as far a field as Cork, Laois, Kerry, and Waterford.

## Engineer To Investigate Cloneety Flooding

By Kevin Kirrane

Town Engineer, Tom Rogers is to investigate the flooding problems which have beset Cloneety Terrace for the past two years.

Labour councillor Teresa Wright highlighted the issue at the September meeting of the Town Council.

Two years ago, the problem was investigated by the then County Manager, Donal Connolly.

However, nothing has since come of it. In fact, in the intervening period the problem has worsened with flooding now on both sides of the road.

"There's ideal opportunity to rectify the problem while work at the Orchard is being carried out," she said.

She said on wet days the flooding is "unbelievable."

## Problems With Pedestrianisation Of Quay

By Kevin Kirrane

The pedestrianisation of Davitts Quay over the August Bank Holiday resulted in traffic jams at the far end of the town, according to Fianna Fail town councillor, Ann Marie Rossiter.

Cllr. Rossiter said there were traffic jams at Drohan's funeral home near the Parish Church in Dungarvan because traffic could only go towards Mary's Street, and not down towards the quay.

Cllr. Rossiter told the September meeting of the town council that Lower Main Street should be open to two-way traffic to alleviate congestion if pedestrianisation is tried again.

Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty said he wasn't aware of any traffic problems on the day.

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# Literacy Can Be A Barrier To Active Citizenship

'Active citizenship and literacy' is this year's theme for National Adult Literacy Awareness Week. The awareness campaign will focus on organisations that facilitate active citizenship such as information givers, statutory organisations, community and voluntary groups. The intention is to assist them to deal more effectively and sensitively with the 500,000 adults (OECD 1997) who have literacy difficulties. This campaign will also examine how literacy can be a barrier to understanding and fully participating in all facets of society. Low election turnouts and decreasing participation in public and political life has made active citizenship an urgent issue.

## Literacy as a barrier to active citizenship:

Literacy levels can be a barrier to accessing and understanding information, which is important in relation to participation in society. Adults who are working to improve their literacy skills may be excluded from such things as:

Participatory democracy – from vot-

ing to membership of a political party; Gaining an understanding of workings and accountability of major government funded organisations such as Health Authorities and County Councils;

Being a 'good citizen' through contributing to the voluntary sector by volunteering or offering financial support;

Civic participation – contributing to the development of local communities from residents associations to the role of community development organisations; and

Promoting a sense of belonging, particularly for immigrants.

County Waterford Adult Literacy Service provides a free and confidential service throughout the County of Waterford. Over 1,000 Adults have opted to avail of programmes to overcome reading, writing and Numeracy problems in the past year.

Learning is provided through a variety of approaches. Current courses include:

- Basic computers
- Driver Theory Test
- FETAC Foundation courses
- 1:1 Literacy
- Group Literacy
- Basic Mathematics
- Junior Certificate Subjects
- Tutor Training
- Integrated Assessment System
- Pre-Literacy Skills
- Cooking for Fun

Many Adults use the service to gain certification to help them gain employment or promotion within the workplace and more importantly to become active citizens within the community.

Tuition is provided in small groups or in a 1:1 situation based on the need of the individual. Many volunteer Tutors play an active role in the service by assisting the Learners to deal more effectively and sensitively with their literacy difficulty.

Further information is available from Nicola @ (058) 42774 ext 2; Emma @ (051) 393794; Peter @ (058) 54109.



Photograph at the launch of Literacy Awareness Week 2005 were Nicola McCarthy Hanlon, Literacy Co-ordinator V.E.C., Ger Barron, County Mayor, Mary Walsh, Adult Education Organiser, V.E.C. (Photo: Pat Crowley)

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# Efforts Underway To Attract Industry As Crystal Closes

By Kevin Kirrane

Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Fiachra O Ceilleachair called on the IDA to actively seek new industries for the town following the closure of Dungarvan Crystal and the loss of almost 400 jobs.

Mayor O Ceilleachair said the IDA must target new industries in light of the fact that, Waterford Crystal management has "succeeded" in closing its Dungarvan plant. The Labour Mayor described the closure as "truly the end of an era."

"It brings to mind the other manufacturing industries which were the once mainstay of Dungarvan. One by one these have closed. Starting with the Leather factory then the Creamery and finally Dungarvan Crystal."

### INTER-AGENCY FORUM

Town Manager, Denis McCarthy, said the town council is doing everything in its power to deal with the social and economic blow dealt to the workers and the town as a whole. He said an inter-agency group has been set up to look at the needs of the workers and the economic and industrial needs of the town.

The group includes FAS, the IDA, the Social Welfare Service, Revenue, the County Development Board and the Health Board.

"The group has met regularly over the summer months," he added. "They've met informally with the workers to look at what they need. They're also examin-

ing alternative uses for the plant and the industrial needs of Dungarvan."

### CLOSURE

The closure of other industries in the county including the recent closure of Glanbia's Kilmeaden plant will be examined by the group as well.

A separate economic focus group is in place in Dungarvan, involving the Waterford Leader Group, the Chamber of Commerce, the County Enterprise Board and the Co. Development Board.

Mr. McCarthy said this will be solely targeting the economic development of the town.

"I'm confident we're addressing all types of economic development in Dungarvan," he

added.

As part of this effort, a new brochure has been produced showcasing Dungarvan as a location for investment.

### ANGER

Meanwhile, there was renewed anger at the news that seven members of the Waterford Crystal management team were paid 10.3 million euros in salaries and bonuses last year.

Outgoing Chief Executive, Redmond O'Donoghue received a package of over 1 million euros for his services to the group.

New CEO Pat Cameron got over 3 million euro which included a bonus for selling off All-Clad, the groups most successful subsidiary.

Unions reacted with fury to the news. The ATGWU's Walter Cullen said the payments are obscene at a time when the company was shedding jobs.

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## A better alternative

Alternative and complementary medicine has come in for a lot of criticism in recent times. Some of the guests on last week's Late Late Show and one or two journalists have described alternative medicine as ineffective and unproven.

It is a sweeping statement to make about an industry which includes such a huge variety of differing therapies, all grouped together under the term 'alternative medicine'. The only thing that many of these therapies have in common is that they are not used by the orthodox medical profession. This is not always because these forms of therapy are ineffective, but because the orthodox medical profession is so heavily influenced by the pharmaceutical industry.

It is true that many forms of alternative or complementary medicine are unproven and are practised by individuals with little or no training. Due to the lack of appropriate regulation in this country it is not even compulsory that practitioners belong to a recognised professional body. This has opened the door for unscrupulous practitioners to take advantage of vulnerable patients and to cause serious harm in some cases.

However there are some forms of alternative or complimentary medicine which have been subject to scientific research and which have proven to be effective. Many practitioners have undertaken years of training and belong to professional organisations which impose strict codes of conduct.

For example, herbal medicine has been extensively researched and modern scientific methods have been used to establish the safety and effectiveness of herbal remedies. The orthodox medical profession cannot deny the effectiveness of herbal medicine because many of the pharmaceutical drugs used today are based on plant constituents. Herbal medicine simply uses the plant itself in its natural form. It still contains the same active constituents which are used by the pharmaceutical industry to make medicines, but these are balanced by the plant's other components. This makes the herbal remedy a more gentle option. However it can also be a more effective option in some circumstances, particularly

for the treatment of chronic or complex conditions.

Medical herbalists are trained in the same diagnostic techniques as orthodox doctors, a training which takes 6 years on a full-time basis. The first training course for medical herbalists in Ireland is due to begin at Cork Institute of Technology in October.

Medical herbalists can treat almost any condition that patients might take to their doctor, and are trained to know when a condition is best referred for orthodox medical investigations or treatment. In many cases, patients already receiving orthodox medical treatment can also benefit from herbal medicine to improve results or minimise side effects. Medical herbalists are trained to identify any potential interactions between orthodox and herbal medicines.

The Irish Institute of Medical Herbalists is the only professional organisation in this country which upholds these high standards. The Institute ensures that all its members are properly trained and imposes a strict code of conduct and requirements for continuing professional training. Members of the Irish Institute of Medical Herbalists have the letters MIIMH after their names.

Anyone who is considering an alternative or complementary approach to healthcare should choose a well-established form of therapy and ensure that the practitioner is properly trained and belongs to a recognised professional body.

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A huge crowd is expected to attend the event over the 3 days. Exhibitions are more than just a marketing tool; they

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Over 100 participants of all ages have turned up for the last two Tuesdays and completed a lap of the Friary grounds. Everyone goes at their own pace - walking, jogging, or a bit of both.

This event is fun, friendly and free. So why not come along next Tuesday at 6.15pm, bring a friend if you like, it's never too late to start, there are four more weeks to go. All are welcome.

#### Now Booking for October!!

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SAQ Level 1 Course	15th October 2005	09.30 - 17.30	Rainbow Hall, Kilmacthomas
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Members of the Seanóirí na Gaeltachta from An Rinn enjoying some well earned refreshments after completing the One-Lap Challenge on Tuesday evening.

## An Post Promise Much Improved Service

BY KEVIN KIRRANE

New staff have been recruited at Dungarvan Post Office, which should result in a much improved service, according to Company Secretary of An Post, Michael Tyndall.

Mr. Tyndall was responding to recent criticisms of staffing levels at the local branch office.

In a letter to Dungarvan Town Council, he said he was aware of the problem.

"Unfortunately, we have had some difficulty in recent months resulting from staffing levels at Dungarvan Branch Office," he said.

"We are, and have been, aware of the inconvenience caused to our customers during this period.

"However, I am pleased to advise you that, as a result of recent recruitment, we expect the service at this office will be much improved.

"We will, of course, continue to monitor the situation at Dungarvan in order to ensure that service standards meet and exceed our customers' expectations," he said.

The response was welcomed by Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Fiachra O Ceilleachair.

## HERITAGE WEEKLY

### SEARCHING FOR THE FIRST IRISH PEOPLE IN THE DUNGARVAN VALLEY

Between Dungarvan and Lismore, the limestone-floored valley is riddled with over 25 caves. One of them, Shandon Cave, just outside Dungarvan was quarried away in the nineteenth century and the site now accommodates Cork Marts. It is among Co. Waterford's three famous bone caves and in it were found the bones of Giant Deer (sometimes called the Irish Elk), Woolly Mammoth and Reindeer—all animals that roamed the area as Ireland's south coast was escaping some of the rigours of the last Ice Age.

Another two of these caves, both little-known and full to the top with washed-in soil, are of interest at the moment as Dr. Colín O'Driscóil from Kilkenny and his Oxford University-based colleagues Drs. Richard Jennings and Simon Collcutt have been digging small trial pits in search of the remains of what might be Ireland's earliest people. At the moment they are looking for a layer of an ancient grey soil type that, if they find it, would be the place to concentrate their efforts. The project is part-funded by the Heritage Council and licensed by the National Monuments Service.

So far nobody has been able to find human traces in Ireland older than about 9,000 years old. That period is called the Middle Stone Age or Mesolithic Age and it started at the melting of the last ice sheets that covered most of Ireland. What the Dungarvan Caves Project aims to do is to see if people were here during the Old Stone Age or Paleolithic Age. The Dungarvan Valley is the place to look because the area has caves and was part of a green fringe on an otherwise ice-covered Ireland. It is also known that Mammoths, Wild Horses and deer were available here for hunting. Archaeologists have long been puzzled by the lack of Paleolithic remains in Ireland and many are watching this project with great interest.

By Dominic Berridge  
Heritage Officer, Waterford County Council

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## EXHIBITION

Our current exhibition "Ships & Sail" - An Exhibition of Maritime Photos & Artefacts - A special exhibition to mark the arrival of the Tall Ships is still on view and is well worth a visit. All are welcome and admission is free.

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

## From Samuel Lewis's Topographical Dictionary 1837. AFFANE

Affane, a parish, in the barony of Decies-without-Drum, county of Waterford, and province of Munster, 4 miles (E. by S.) from Lismore, on the mail road from Waterford, through Youghal, to Cork; containing 1879 inhabitants. This place, called anciently Arthmean, or Aghmean, was, in 1564, the scene of a battle between the Earls of Desmond and Ormonde, in which the earl of Ormonde was defeated with a loss of 280 of his men. It is chiefly distinguished as containing Dromana, which was for a long time the chief seat of the Fitzgeralds of the Decies, who were descendants of James, the seventh Earl of Desmond, and one of whom, in 1569, was created "Baron of Dromany and Viscount Desses," which titles

became extinct at his decease. His nephew and second successor in the estate entertained at this place the celebrated Sir Walter Raleigh, who introduced here a fine species of cherry, which has continued to flourish in the neighbourhood to the present day, and is still in high estimation. The old castle having been burnt down in a period of hostility, the present mansion was erected on its site, and is now the property of H. Villiers Stuart, Esq., a descendant of the original possessors.

The parish is bounded on the south-west by the river Blackwater, which is here navigable; it comprises 7530 statute acres, as apportioned under the tithe act; the land is in general fertile. The mansion of Mr. Stuart overhangs the Blackwater, which winds round the base of a precipitous ascent clothed with thriving plantations, and with its hanging gardens presents a picturesque and interesting feature. The other seats are Belleville Park, the residence of S. Poer, Esq., pleasantly situated amidst thriving plantations; Richmond, of Major Alcock; Mountrivers, of the Rev. G. Gumbleton, the vicar; Affane, of S. Power, Esq.; and Derriheen of C. Maunsell, Esq. Fairs are held on May 14<sup>th</sup>, Aug. 12<sup>th</sup>, and Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup>. The living is a vicarage, in the diocese of Lismore, to which the vicarage of Aghlish was episcopally united in 1817, forming the union of Affane, in the patronage of the Duke of Devonshire, in whom the rectory is inappropriate. The tithes amount to £369.4.7., payable in moieties to the impropriator and the vicar; and the gross amount of the tithe for the whole benefice is £344.12.3.

(To be continued).

## OPENING HOURS

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## Helvick Lifeboat Says Thanks

Sinead Moore, Hon Treasurer of the Dungarvan Fundraising Branch of the Helvick Head Lifeboat says "a sincere thank you to all those including local businesses and individuals who helped make the RNLI 11th Annual Sponsored Swim such a great success. And I'd like to remind the few who have not done so, to hand in their Sponsorship Cards as soon as possible".

The Lifeboat Swim has become an important fixture on the Dungarvan Bay social calendar and is a very important fundraiser for a most worthy cause. Selfless devotion to the service and undeniable bravery are integral qualities in our lifeboat crews who are prepared to put to sea in terrifying conditions and are on call 24 hours a day, 365 days of the year.

# End Of An Era As Ormonde Cinema Closes



Patrons queuing at the Ormonde Cinema, Dungarvan when it reopened in 1989

By Kevin Korrane

As work continues apace on the new state-of-the-art multi-screen cineplex, the SGC, in Dungarvan Shopping Centre, movie goers bade a fond farewell to the Ormonde Cinema in O'Connell Street, as the curtains went down on its final act, last week.

For many, who attended the last screening in order to mark the end of an era, the night, which concluded with group

owner of the Ormonde chain, Graham Spurling, officially bringing down the curtain, brought back nostalgic memories of times gone by.

The distinctive art-deco building has been a familiar landmark and a popular destination for three generations of movie goers.

It was opened in the early forty's by Dan Crotty, and replaced the old cinema on what is now Davitts nightclub.

In 1958, the cinema passed into the ownership of the Falvey family, and changed hands again a number of years later, becoming part of the Ormonde chain.

Over the years, it has been modernised a number of times, the last being the most radical with its conversion to a twin screen complex in 1989 (the opening day is pictured above).

The two theatres were accommodated on what was the original

balcony, lengthened by twenty feet, and then known as the "God's".

Plans are with the local authority to demolish the cinema, and build a retail development in its place.

The new SGC is expected to open at the end of next month. It will be run by the Ormonde Group and the four screen cineplex will be one of the first fully digital cinema's in Ireland.

## Fashion Show in Aid of St. Joseph's Hospital

Dungarvan Shopping Centre and Dungarvan Lions Cub will hold a Gala Fashion Show on the 5<sup>th</sup> October in the Park Hotel in aid of St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan at 8 pm sharp.

This will be the first Fashion Show for the centre which is now open 10 months.

Fashions on the night will be modelled by the Holman Lee Model Agency. Fashions are supplied by Shanique, Sasha, Benetton, En Parish, Paco, No Name, Satellite Sports, Dunnes Stores and Ger Wyley. Accessories by Dynasty, Jewellery by Ciaran O'Flynn.

Make up for the models are kindly supported by Uni-Care and Sam McCauley's Chemists, Hair stylists from Sculpting Studio 3.

Tickets are available from Dungarvan Lions Club and all shops in the Dungarvan Shopping Centre. They are priced at 10 euro each which includes a cheese and wine reception.

We would advise early booking as the demand is very strong. Looking forward to seeing you on the night.

## Waterford Cathedral

As the Cathedral will be closed for renovations from the 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2005 until the 10<sup>th</sup> December 2005, please note all Masses will be in St. Patrick's Church, Georges Street.

Times of Weekday Masses: 10.30am & 5.40pm  
Weekend Masses: Saturday: Vigils: 6.15pm & 7.30pm (please note extra vigil Mass 7.30pm)  
Sundays: 8am, 10.30am, 12 noon & 5.30pm.

## OLD MARKET FILM CLUB

The film 'The Return' will be screened on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm, as part of the Autumn/Winter season of art-house film in the Old Market House Arts Centre, Lower Main St., Dungarvan. This film revolves around two boys who appear to live in a state of relative equilibrium. There is a hole in their lives where their father used to be, but it is stopped with a ten-year-old photo, the sole means by which they remember him. When he abruptly reappears, they are thrown off-kilter and must reconcile the image they had of him with the human being who now confronts them. Parallel to the mental voyage upon which they embark is a journey that takes them into the stunning topography of the Russian far north.

Limited places will be available on the door at €8/€6 concs. For further details you can contact Elaine Bowe at the Old Market House Arts Centre, Lower Main St., Dungarvan on 058/48944 or email artscentre@waterfordcoco.ie.

## Current Exhibitions At The Old Market House Arts Centre

The Old Market House Arts Centre, Lower Main St., Dungarvan, Co. Waterford is currently exhibiting 'Travelling Mind' by Paul D'Arcy, 'Divergence' by Divergence Artists Group and 'In a Place like Auschwitz' by Thomas Delohery. These exhibitions continue until Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. The Arts Centre is open Tuesday to Saturday 11am to 5pm. Adm. is free and all are welcome. Telephone 058/48944.

### DUNGARVAN SCOUT TROOP NOTES

# Annual Camp 2005 A Great Success

This years camp was to Glenshelane, it was held from 21st Aug. to the 27th Aug.

Sunday due to the bad weather we did not cycle as planned. When we got to camp we put our gear into the tents which had been set up the previous day. We played board games and cards until the rain stopped. When the rain stopped we had a game of slippery soccer and a swim. We then had hot chocolate and cookies before retiring to bed.

Monday we were woken up early and brought for a jog and a quick dip in the river before breakfast. We then got to work on our campsite which eventually took the shape of a tall ship. After lunch we went on a river hike which consisted of walking up a river climbing over small waterfalls and tackling small rapids. This was good fun apart from the coldness of the water. After dinner we went on a night hike to the Melleray Grotto. This was quite scary as the woods were really dark and there were a lot of strange noises. When we returned we had hot chocolate and cookies before retiring to bed.

Tuesday we were again brought on a jog and for a dip before our breakfast. We then had to make our packed lunches for our cycle hike. We were meant to be going to the Vee but because of poor visibility on the mountains we decided to go to the towers in Lismore instead. When we returned we had dinner and then we were brought to the local shop in Cappoquin. That night we were introduced to campfire songs this was good fun.

Wednesday we were left lie in until 9.00. We then were given time to clean the site and sort out our gear for inspection. When this was over we went on a hike to Melleray. Jonbob brought us through bogs, briers and brambles you name it we went through it.

Near the end of the hike we even had to cross the river over a fallen tree. When we finally got to Melleray we had lunch after lunch we had a go on the aerial runway and a game of slippery soccer. Before we went back we stopped at the local shop, there were no complaints when Jonbob said we would be going back the road way. We went for a swim when we got back while the leaders prepared the dinner. After dinner we had a sing song and retired to bed early as we had an early start the next morning.

Thursday we were woken up at 7.00 to be ready for our trip to Trabolgan. On arrival we were split into two groups and took part in the following activities. Aero ball, climbing, abseiling, go-karting, swimming and zip wire. By the time the day was over we were all wrecked tired and nearly everyone was asleep on the return bus journey. When we got back we had our first proper campfire and final practice for the songs for the visitors day campfire. We were all in bed early this night.

Friday we were left stay in bed until 1 0.00 we then had breakfast and cleaned up the campsite. After lunch we built some survival shelters that we were meant to be staying in that night. Around 5.00 the first of the parents started arriving. We showed them around the campsite including where we went swimming. We then had some games of sock wrestling while the leaders prepared the B-B-Q. It was then time to tuck into the burgers and hotdogs. After this we brought the parents on a short hike while the leaders got the fire going. The campfire itself was the highlight of the camp with the parents and scouts joining in and having a great crack. During the campfire Jonbob presented Scout of the year to



**SOCK WRESTLING** — Sean Hyslop and Keith Healy do battle under the watchful eyes of other scouts and parents on visiting day.

JAMIE MOOR at the end of the campfire Jonbob thanked the Scouts and parents for the great night and gave a small reflection on the week. Brendan Coward the Group Leader gave a few words also thanking Jonbob and the other leaders Shane Tobin, Michael Brennock, Jay Flynn and David Hickey for the good week and year the Scouts have had. After the parents had left we sat around the fire laughing and joking about the week gone by. As the fire faded away so did the Scouts one by one to their tents and not to the survival shelters.

Saturday morning we were woken up early and we were all rushing around getting the campsite down and the gear packed away while the weather was good. Just as we packed away the last piece of equipment it started to rain. Yet again the weather prevented us from cycling home but trust me there were very few scouts complaining about this.

*"until next year scribe"*

### DUNGARVAN SCOUT NOTES

Dungarvan Scouts are starting back up this Friday September 30th. The meeting takes place at the Scout Den (opposite Kelly's Shop, Mitchel Street). Scouts are for boys aged 10½ to 15. The meeting will take place between 7.00 pm and 8.30 pm. So why not come along and have a look.

**Good Luck** — Good luck to all our Scouts who have just started Secondary school and also to our leaders Shane and Michael who will be doing their Leaving Cert this year.

**Well Done** — Well done to Jay Flynn who done very well in his Leaving Cert recently.

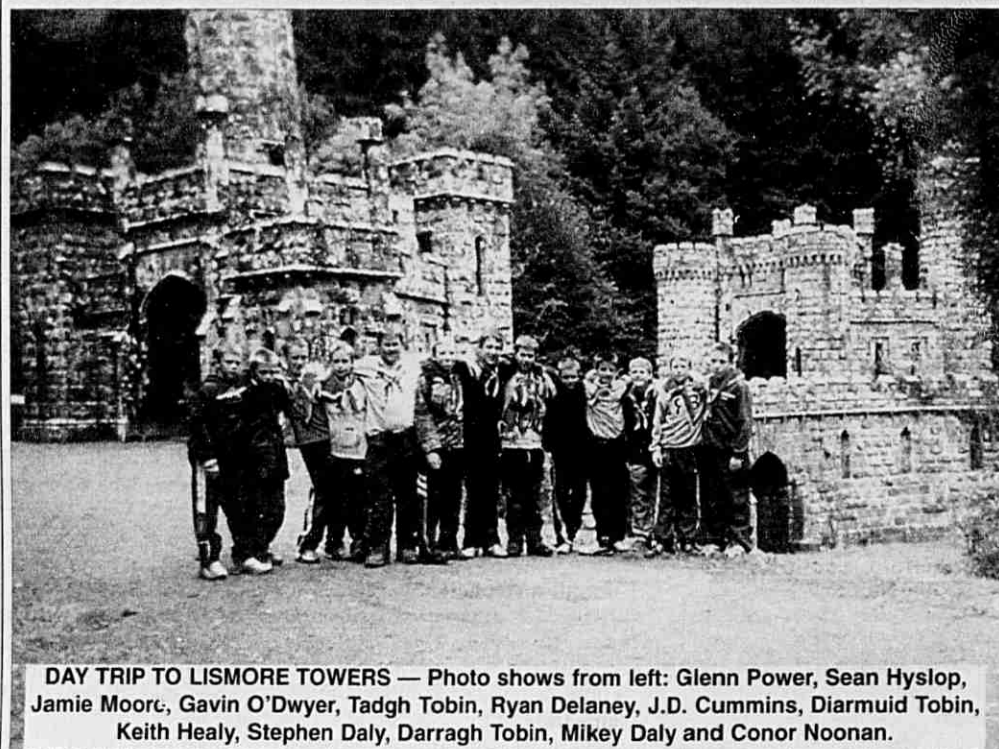
**Thanks** — A special thanks to David Hickey who is an Abbeyside Scout Leader but who came on camp with us. David you were a great help. Also thanks to the various parents who helped out with transport for the camp.



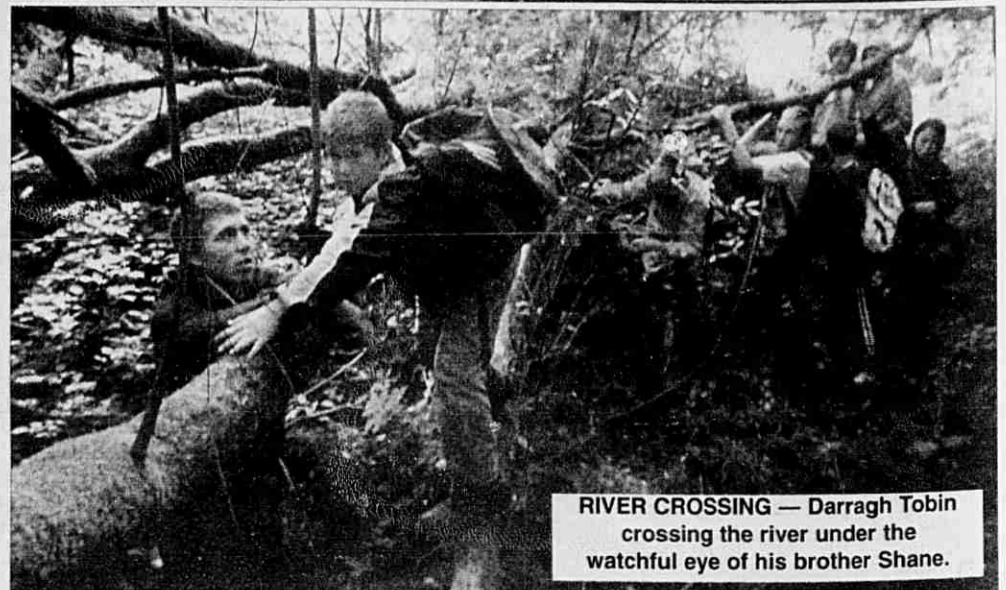
**SCOUTS TAKING A SWIM?** — Photo shows Mikey Daly (in front) who finds the water that bit too cold! In the background are Jamie Moore, Keith Healy, Gavin O'Dwyer, Stephen Day, Conor Noonan, J.D. Cummins, Glen Power, Ryan Delaney, Sean Hyslop and Conor Noonan.



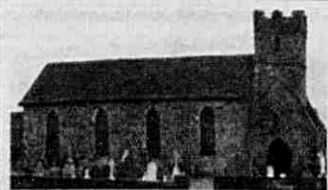
**BREAKFAST TIME** — Mikey Daly (with a funny looking knife), Keith Healy, Sean Hyslop, Conor Noonan and Stephen Daly help themselves to some breakfast.



**DAY TRIP TO LISMORE TOWERS** — Photo shows from left: Glenn Power, Sean Hyslop, Jamie Moore, Gavin O'Dwyer, Tadgh Tobin, Ryan Delaney, J.D. Cummins, Diarmuid Tobin, Keith Healy, Stephen Daly, Darragh Tobin, Mikey Daly and Conor Noonan.



**RIVER CROSSING** — Darragh Tobin crossing the river under the watchful eye of his brother Shane.



# ABBEYSIDE PARISH ROUND-UP



Picture shows children enjoying the last of the Ballinroad Summer Camps. The organisers of the camp would like to thank the children, parents, coaches and all involved for making the camps a huge success. Hope to see you all again next year.

## Liam Lawton in Concert in Abbeyside Church

The much awaited Liam Lawton Concert will take place in Abbeyside Church this Wednesday 28th September at 8.00 p.m. The proceeds will go towards Self Help Development in Africa where it will assist the people there towards self-sufficiency.

For those who have never seen Liam perform... a Liam Lawton live concert is both a visual and aural experience which will be long remembered. He has received a standing ovation every single night as his charismatic style and approach reaches out to give people a spiritual experience they will never forget.

Ordained as a priest several years ago, before he came to mainstream prominence, Liam

released 8 albums of liturgical music through Veritas, songs which are used in masses, weddings and funerals throughout Ireland, the UK and the US. The fact is, it's almost a guarantee that when you hear music in the church, it is Liam Lawton's.

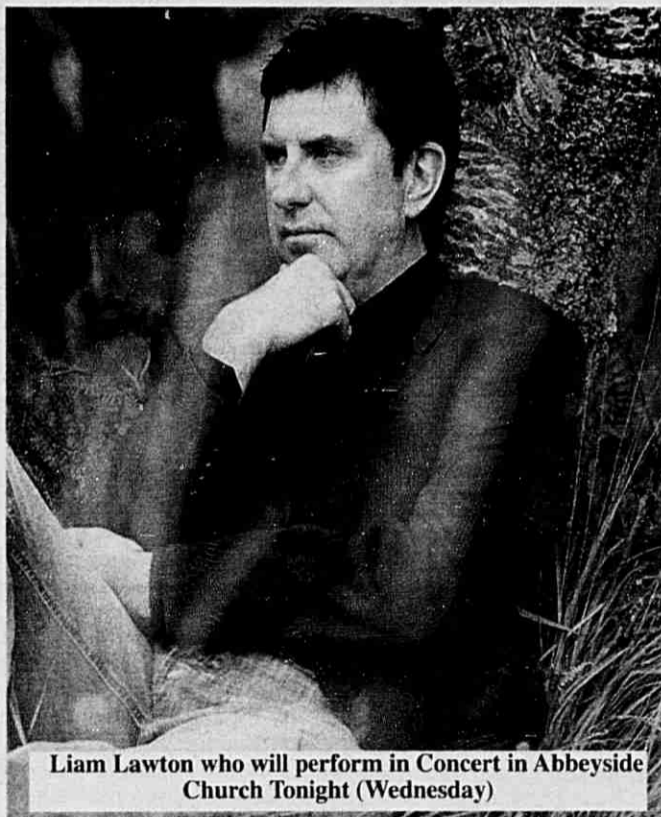
With him to introduce and competently oversee the proceedings will be RTE's Mary Kennedy, whose voice, features and warm personality are well known to viewers everywhere.

The cause is a very worthy one. Each night we see the results of starvation, neglect, civil war and international debt on the faces of suffering children and adults in Africa. Self Help Development in Africa is working to eliminate that suffering

and the work can be supported through this exciting event.

Tickets for what should be a most enjoyable and relaxed evening of music are still available from Kelly's Pharmacy in Abbeyside and also at the door on the night. A special

programme will be available which will also serve as the tickets for a very exciting raffle, with exclusive prizes. It promises to be an evening not to be missed. Enquiries to (087) 2046430 (Noeline) or (086) 3151895 (Ann).



Liam Lawton who will perform in Concert in Abbeyside Church Tonight (Wednesday)

## ABBEYSIDE REFERENCE ARCHIVE COLLECTIONS

We like to keep all our collections together at the Archive. Last week we brought all our church books together (total nine).

- 1 Rededication of Church of St. Augustine, Sunday 23rd April, 1972.
- 2 Journey of an Abbey 1292 - 1972.
- 3 The Augustinians in Abbeyside 1290 - 1990.
- 4 The Cathedral of the Most Holy Trinity, Barronstrand Street, Waterford.
- 5 The Cathedral of the Most Holy Trinity, Waterford, Bicentenary 1993.
- 6 St. Mary's Parish Church, Youghal 1796 - 1996.
- 7 St. John's Church, Parnell St., Waterford 1850 - 2000.
- 8 Parish of Templeorum 1999 - 2000.
- 9 Ballinroad 1804 - 2004.

This Sunday evening Emma Flynn will be at the Parish Office, Strandside South minding all the above books and all the other 'treasures'.

Visitors will be most welcome along to browse at leisure.

## ABBEYSIDE SCOUT NOTES

Saturday night's cub meeting was based largely around learning something about directions. The points of the compass North, South, etc were learned as well as learning how to use a Silva compass. This type of compass is the preferred compass particularly for orienteer's and hill walkers. The cubs learned how to use this as well as how to set a bearing and then which direction they should follow. After this session prizes of bags of crisps were handed out to the cubs who took part in the great Glenshallane river boat race of last week. The flavours of crisps on offer included the traditional ones of salt and vinegar as well as cheese and onion. The more unusual flavours included roast chicken and wild buffalo - only kidding! Following this it was time to let off some steam with some games before finishing up at 8pm. An event is currently being planned for the cub section and hopefully more details of this will be ready at the meeting this coming Saturday night.

### SCOUTS

The meeting began at 8pm and after some advice on uniform, it was down to business. This meeting was largely a planning one. Plans were drawn up by the various patrols along with their A/P/L's for walking hikes around the locality this coming Saturday. The reason the patrol leaders were absent from this planning session is that they along with assistant Karen were drawing up new patrols for the coming scout year. These new patrols will come into effect in two weeks time. The hikes that were planned will be carried out by the patrols as they have been this past year.

Congratulations to James Wilkinson on becoming a patrol leader. James has been a member for some time now and has gained a lot of scouting experience over that time, on one occasion standing in as patrol leader while on annual camp in Dundrum. Congratulations also go to Michael Organ who moves up to the ranks from patrol leader to the Eagle patrol where he did an excellent job, to senior patrol leader. Congratulations also to Damien Doyle on becoming assistant patrol leader in the Wolf patrol. These promotions come into effect in two weeks time. The patrols were reminded that their hikes on Saturday must finish back at the scout den at 5pm as information will be given out to all concerned in regard to a trip to Cork city the following Saturday. This trip is being planned as a uniform shopping trip where those who need to, can visit the scout shop to purchase any needed uniform parts. It is hoped that a few hours will be spent in the city perhaps to do some bowling before heading home. Don't forget this trip is for all scouts even those who have uniform.

### 75th ANNIVERSARY

As people may or may not be aware, this year we here in Abbeyside scouts are celebrating our 75th anniversary of scouting in the village this year. Seventy five years of continuous scouts with an annual camp being held for every one of those years is a record we are very proud of. To mark the occasion the present scouts undertook their annual camp in Switzerland and now another big event is in the pipeline. Friday, the 25th November is ear marked as the time when we will hold what we are calling a 'Grand Reunion' of all those who have scouted with Abbeyside scouts over those years. So if you camped in Colligan in 1930, Jamborora in 1977, Euro '88, Chalfont Heights in 1996 or any of the other camps over the years, this is the must attend event of the year for you. More details will be published over the coming weeks. For now the important thing is to mark the 25th of November in your calendar.

## BALLINROAD SCHOOLBOYS SOCCER NEWS

Property Partners Under 14 League  
Johnville 1 Ballinroad 1

Last Saturday we were away to Johnville, always a tough place to get a result, and this game was no different. Johnville were very physical from the start, but Ballinroad were well able to cope with this, and created the better chances. A great cross from Aidan Walsh was headed just over by Cian O'Connell. Then Johnville got a corner, our defence didn't clear and the ball went in off one of our defenders. We had a few more chances before half time but couldn't convert any of them. 1-0.

In the second half we were well on top, and after 10 minutes the pressure paid off, a cross from Ronan Sheehan was turned into their own net by one of the Johnville defenders. We made a change after that. We brought on Joey Doherty and he caused problems for Johnville's defence and was unlucky not to score off a great cross from Colm Hayes. With time running out we could have snatched the winner, a cross was dropped by the Johnville keeper and Michael O'Hallrahan was just about to dispatch to the net when the ball was taken off his toe, out for a corner but that turned out to be our last chance of the game. A game we could have won, but a result away from home, against Johnville we'd have taken before the match.

In goal Conor Hickey was very alert, the back four and midfield were on top all through, and up front we caused lots of problems for Johnville.

Panel: Conor Hickey, Conor O'Dwyer, Nickey Dee, Diarmuid Henley, Owen Lavelle, David Morrissey, Aidan Walsh, Michael O'Hallrahan, Cian O'Connell, Ronan Sheehan, Colm Hayes, Joey Doherty, Colm Whyte, Damien Dee, Michael Raheer, Colm O'Hare, Danny Kiely, Craig O'Connor.

Next training session Wednesday evening, 6:30pm in Ballinroad.

Under 13 match Saturday, October 1st. Be in Ballinroad at 11:15am.

## Diplomat Quiz To Aid Grow

Next Thursday night, 29th September, sees the return of the weekly Fun Table Quizzes to the Diplomat. Thursday night's quiz is in aid of Grow. It has been said that Grow is Ireland's best kept secret. That is understandable in the light of the confidential nature of its work in the field of mental health.

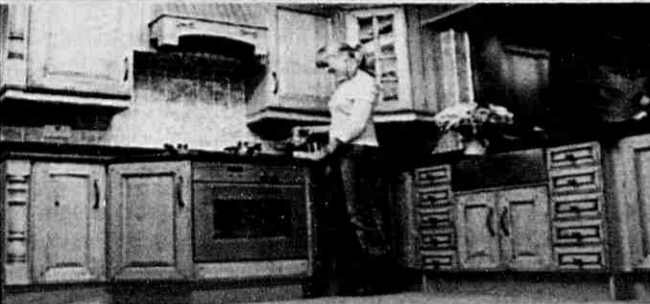
People in Grow soon discover that mental health isn't all about doom and gloom. They are steered in the direction of the basics of healthy living, friendship, laughter, love, personal value and community. Above all the message Grow would like to send to people is that life has a place for you; each of us is unique and together we can ensure that the future is well worth living. Grow is very active in Dungarvan and needs our support. By coming along to the quiz you will be helping. Tables of three cost just €15 and you will enjoy the night. Cheap entertainment at just a fiver a head and helping a charity at the same time. See you there.

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**Cappoquin Cllr. Elected GCCC Vice-Chair**  
 By Kevin Korrane  
 A Cappoquin-based councillor was elected Vice-Chairperson of the body representing the country's nine-hundred county councillors.  
 Fine Gael Cllr. Nora Flynn was elected to the high-ranking post on the General Council of County Council's recently.  
 The GCCC represents the elected members of the 29 county council's and 5 city council's in the Republic of Ireland. It acts as a collective vote for the Local Government concerns of the Irish public.  
 Mayor of County Waterford, Cllr. Ger Barron paid tribute to Cllr. Flynn on her election, saying she would be a "dynamic chairperson" next year.

**Plans For Walton's Park Ready For October**  
 By Kevin Korrane  
 Tentative designs for a re-vamped Walton's Park will come before Dungarvan Town Council next month.  
 The Town Council expect the new designs will attract people back to the amenity in the same way as Lismore's successful Millennium Park has done. They also hope a new open design will stop groups gathering to drink there.  
 Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty said a tentative design should be ready by the October meeting of the council for its approval.


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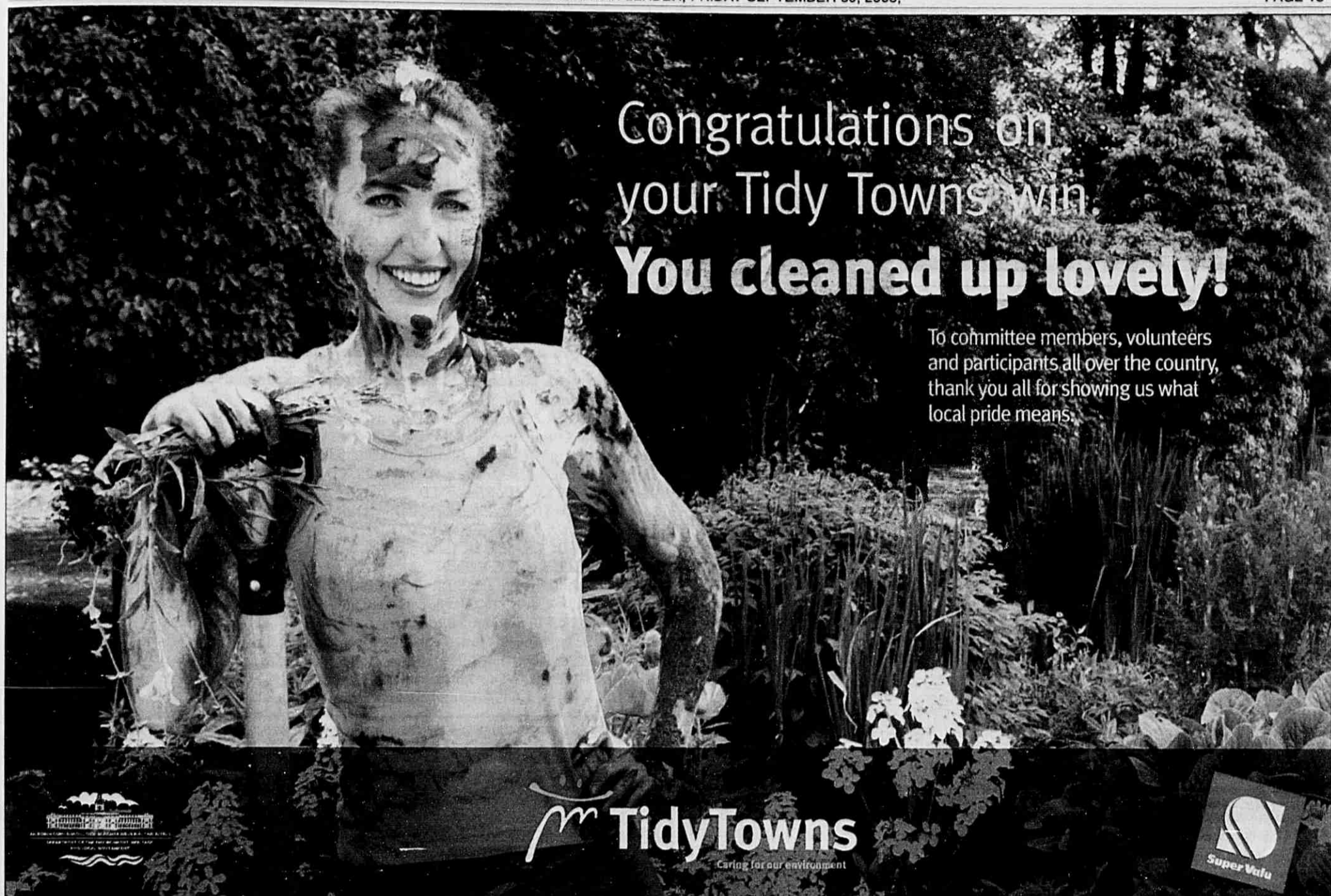
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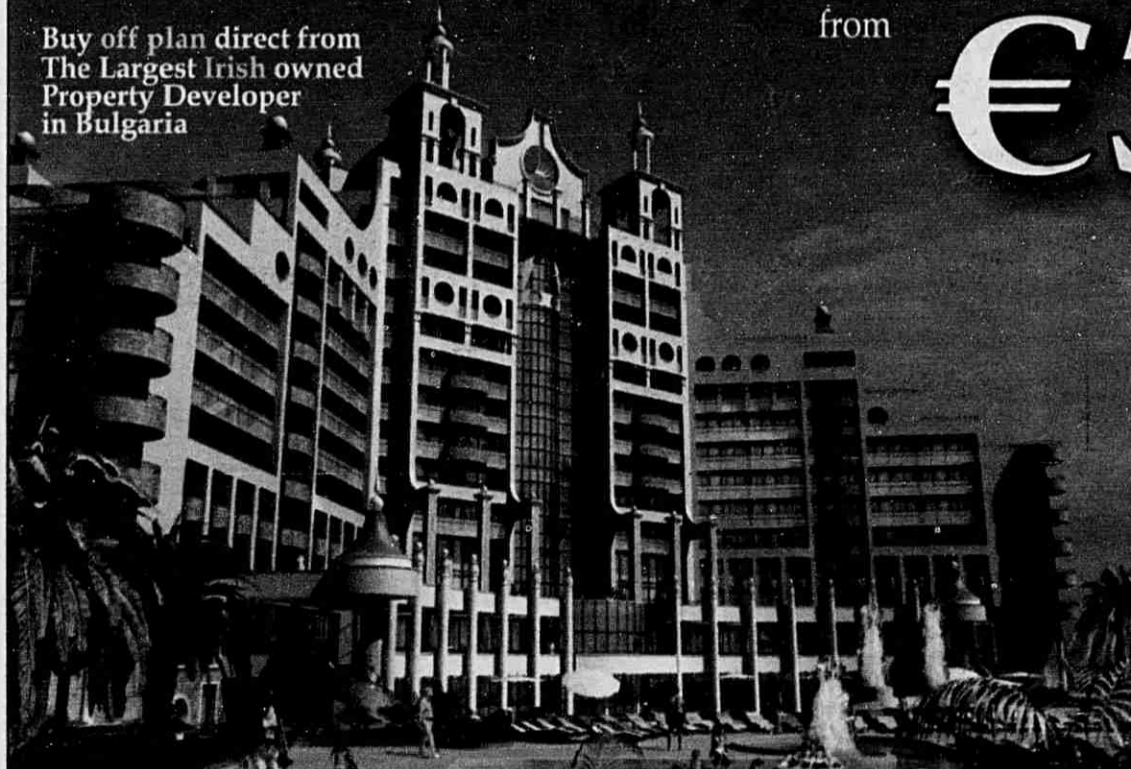
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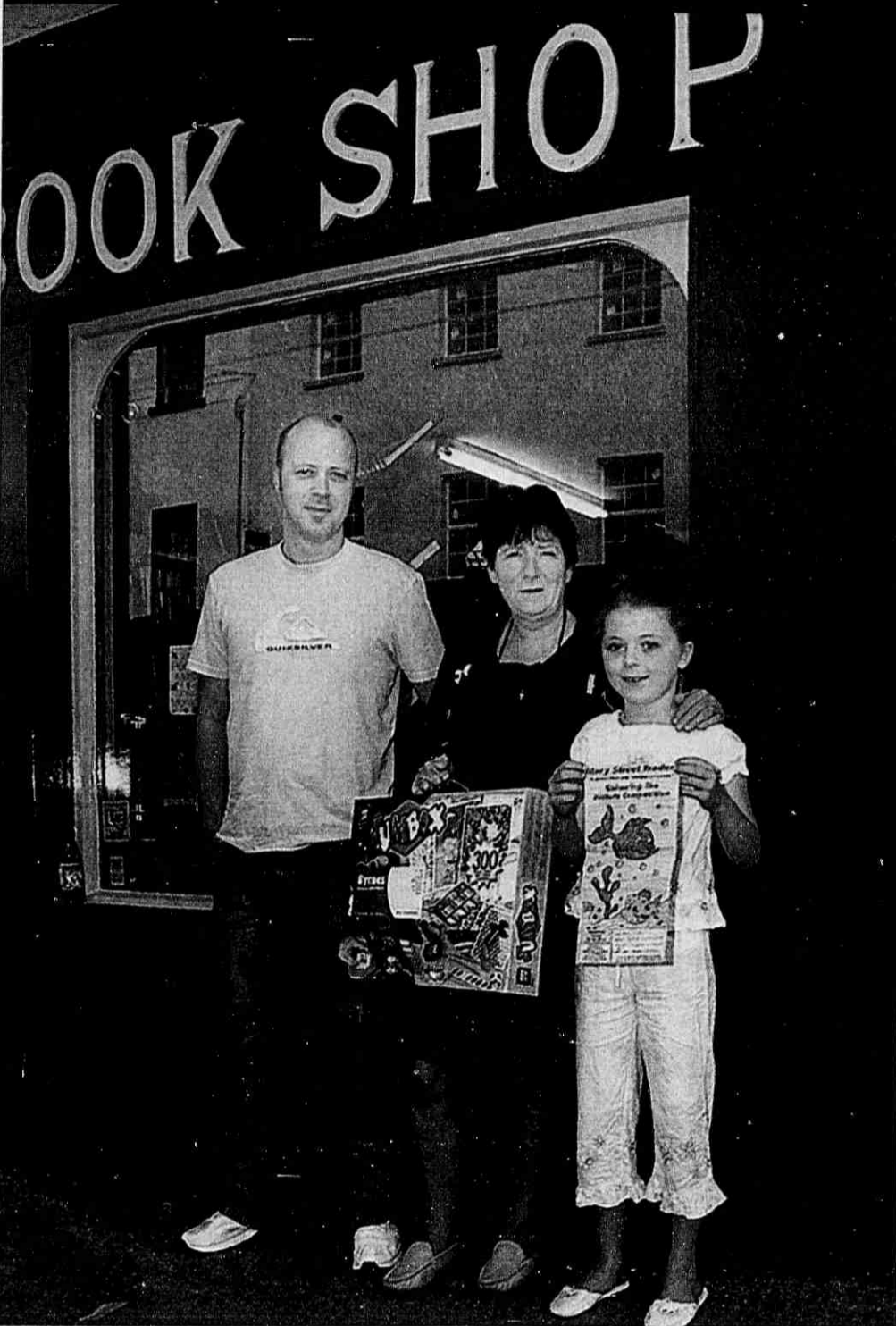
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Pat Fitzgerald, Manager Eason Dungarvan Shopping Centre, presenting book tokens to the value of €1,000 to Nicola Loftus, St. Mary's NS, winner of the competition during the recent launch of the new Harry Potter book. Included are Genevieve Gee and Marie Allen, Eason and Marcella McGovern, Principal St. Mary's NS. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

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garvan. Teresa Daly, c/o Dunga-  
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### HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB RESULTS

Thurs. 22nd Sept. 1st Ann  
Casey, Patsy Fay. 2nd Phil  
O'Brien and Pat Harrington. 3rd  
Noreen Tobin and Sally Walsh.  
4th Nellie Moloney and Mary  
Navin. Reminder play starts 6.45  
pm on 29th Sept.

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Our last race of the season was  
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and Decorating Contractor. Birds  
liberated at 8 am. 1st I. Harty  
1323.032 yards per minute. 2nd P.

Power 1305.941 yards per  
minute. 3rd I. Harty 1238.519  
yards per minute. 4th P. Power  
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Wed. 21st Sept. 1st Kay Shan-  
ley and Eileen O'Donoghue. 2nd  
Aida O'Neill and Guest. 3rd  
Maev O'Riordan and Doreen  
Keane. 4th Kay Kirwan and Ella  
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1st Eileen Tinnelly and Mary  
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# Dungarvan Dramatic Club News

Something for Everyone at Dungarvan Dramatic Club Events of the Season Launch.

On Tuesday evening last, 20th September, a large number of people gathered in Dungarvan Library to attend the Dungarvan Dramatic Club Launch of the Season night.

The photo boards, with photos dating back as far as 1942 made for some very interesting viewing, as well as a few laughs! Likewise the video of past productions, as compiled by Dave Lee and Margaret Dennehy! During the evening we were treated to performances by club members Vanessa Hyde, Margaret Dennehy, Brendan Morrissey and Shane Collender, which added greatly to the occasion and gave people a little taste of what we do.

The main purpose of the event was to launch the Events of the Season and tell everyone about what we have planned for the coming year. We will be kicking off with the auditions for "The Broken Jug" by John Banville, which will take place at 8 pm in the Park Hotel on Thursday 29th September (ie this week). All are welcome to attend, even if you are just interested in helping out with the production, not specifically in treading the boards. The play will be directed by Margaret Dennehy and will be staged in November (dates and venue to be announced).

Shortly after that, on Tuesday 11th October, we will be having the first of our Monthly Drama Club Activities, starting with a play reading. Details will be

available shortly - watch this space - but it is basically for anyone who wants to read a play with others - it can be great fun and the more the merrier! No problem if you just want to come along on the night to see how it works - you might decide to join in the next time. We will contact everyone that gave us their contact details at the event last Tuesday shortly to let you know the exact details of this reading. Further monthly events will include workshops, outings to see plays and other social activities.

Not forgetting the youth, we will be sending out details to the local Primary and National schools very shortly of a poster competition that we are going to run for Primary and National Schools. In March, we will hold a day of March Madness for the younger children, to include face painting, puppetry, workshops etc. Secondary Schools will be receiving information about a play-writing competition that we will be organising for secondary school students. We will also be running workshops for secondary school students throughout the year, and hope to follow these up with a youth production in Spring 2006.

It was great to catch up with some past members of the club, but also very heartening to see so many new faces among the crowd on Tuesday evening. It seems that Drama is as popular as ever among the people of Dungarvan. We are delighted to welcome all of the new members to the club and hope that you can all take part in (and maybe even help out with!) some of the events that we



The 2005-2006 Committee of Dungarvan Dramatic Club at the recent Events of the Season Launch which was held in Dungarvan Library

have lined up for the year ahead.

The successful, smooth running of the event was due in no small way to the Management and Staff of Dungarvan Library - our sincere thanks to Tracy and the team who helped us set up and were there in force on the night to help out. The Committee put a lot of work into organising the event, so thanks to all involved, include past committee members who got roped in too! Our thanks also to the members of Dungarvan Camera Club, especially Richard Cuthill, Liam Suipeal and Mary Tobin, who captured the night on film for us; to Dave Lee for putting such an entertaining compilation of past productions together, and to those members and friends of the club, who provided us with photos and other memorabilia to display on the

night. To Dungarvan Leader, Dungarvan Observer and WLR for helping us to publicise the event, our thanks also.

We were delighted with the turn out on the night, so thank you to all who attended and a special welcome to all new members of the club.

So now all that remains is for us to actually organise all of these wonderful events and dramatic activities mentioned above! If anyone is interested in assisting us with any of these activities, please contact a member of the Club or come along to any of the events as they happen during the year. Here's to a busy and dramatic year ahead!

Contact 086-1595213 for further details of any events or for information on joining Dungarvan Dramatic Club.

# Dungarvan Brass Band Made History Yet Again

Dungarvan Brass Band made history yet again recently when for the first time ever it entered three bands at the South of Ireland Band Championships in Clonakilty, Co. Cork.

The Déise Ensemble (Adult Training Band) competed for the first time in the Junior Section, while Dungarvan Youth Band (promoted after their Junior Section win in 2004); competed in the Intermediate Section, with Dungarvan Brass Band fighting it out in the hotly contested Senior Section.

The smallest of the three bands, the Déise Ensemble, a group of adult learner players, took their first daunting step into competition with a programme of music which was chosen to show off their strengths, while not overly focussed on highly technical playing. Their performance, the first of the day, brought them favourable comments and some constructive criticisms from the adjudicator, but a place among the prizes would have to wait for another day.

Dungarvan Youth Band, who in 2004 won the Junior section, were this year promoted to the Intermediate section, where they faced stiff competition as the only youth band against 9 more

established and musically mature adult bands. Their 15 minute performance which included "Festive Parade", movements from "A Cathedral Suite" and what proved to be an awe inspiring performance of Elgar's "Pomp & Circumstance No. 1" merited not only 4th place, but two awards on the day, with the coveted crystal trophy for "Best Young Musicians" to be joined by another award for outstanding performance. The adjudicators had been heartily impressed with the young players performance of the Elgar piece which brought the audience to its feet with applause. Dungarvan Youth Band continues to make sustained progress and a consolidated group of committed players of some ability is starting to emerge, and this bodes well for the future.

Dungarvan Brass Band no strangers to Clonakilty, were the last band to perform on the day, and at 6.00p.m. that evening, before a packed hall, gave a very polished performance of the famous brass band march, "Castell Coch", the spiritual "Motherless Child", Gregson's "Patterns" and



Members of Dungarvan Brass and Youth Bands display awards won at the South of Ireland Band Championships in Clonakilty recently. Left to Right: Róisín Caulfield, Daniel O'Mahony, Aisling Connolly, Amy Foley.

the "Rondo" from Malcolm Arnold's "Little Suite for Brass". The final performance of the day brought the band a well deserved 2nd place, just behind Lourdes Brass Band (Drogheda), with Barrack Street Concert Band (Waterford) coming in just behind in 3rd place.

**COMPETING IN WALES.**

On 18th & 19th November next the band will travel for the first time to compete in the U.K. at the South East Wales Brass Band Championships in Treorchy, Wales, where it will once again be flying the flag for Dungarvan, and indeed for Ireland being the first Irish band ever to compete in

this competition. Attended by the world famous Rhondda Valley colliery bands, this is likely to be the toughest contest the band has ever faced.

**JUNIOR MUSIC CLASSES**

Junior Music classes will soon get underway again, and Dungarvan Youth Band will hold a series of open nights during October and November for those interested in coming along to find out more. The next open night will be on Tuesday 4th October at 7.00 p.m. at the Bandroom on Davitt's Quay. Alternatively, you can contact the band at (087) 6741781 and leave your details, or e-mail: info@dungarvanbrassband.org.

# BALLYDUFF NOTES

## BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Ballyduff Community Council met for its September meeting on Tuesday 20th last. The new stage lighting system in St. Michael's Hall is now fully operational, and a group from within the community council will be responsible for finance and upkeep of system. Training will be given on basic knowledge and running of the lights to ensure several people who can use the lights are available at any time.

The local community care group has a small number of personal security alarms still available to elderly people in the area. These alarms are linked to a control center and are a great asset to those living alone. If anyone who does not already have an alarm is interested in getting one, please contact John Hogan.

Following the success of the indoor bowling exhibition during the recent festival, it has been decided to proceed with the purchase of mats and equipment. While targeted for the "settled" age group, the facility will be available to everyone and Paddy Ahern has undertaken the set up of this latest sport venture.

As the long nights are approaching, activities are beginning to start up again in both halls.

Badminton begins tonight Wed 28th in the sports hall, and once again Colette Mullen is the main contact for this group.

The Progressive 45 nights will resume in St. Michael's Hall on Wednesday October 5th at 8pm sharp. Paddy Jim and his committee will be on hand to welcome everyone back. We also encourage some younger card players to come along and join in. The older seasoned players can teach a lot of tricks to the younger players, and we would like to see more young people coming along. We do however, appeal to anyone parking near St. Michael's Hall on Wednesday nights to please give some thought to the older drivers. As most people are aware we have a serious parking problem in Ballyduff. If possible, people should park further down the street to allow elderly people park near the hall. This would avoid our older citizens having to walk long distances in poor street light.

Chairman Patjo Ahern appealed to all clubs and groups using both halls to ensure they are booking venues and times. The venues are very heavily utilized and users must book properly to prevent problems.

For St. Michael's Hall facilities, including meeting rooms, bookings must be channeled through Hugh Geary at 058-60277.

For the Sports Hall, all sporting events, children's parties etc. booking is through Colette Mullen in The Sabin at 058-60177. Please note both numbers and ensure you book for your event or meeting.

Tickets are still available for Friday nights West Waterford Hospice benefit concert.

St. Michael's Hall will be the venue for a concert featuring The Christy Moore Tribute Band. Well, no, its not exactly Christy himself, but definitely this is the next best thing to the Kildare man himself. Listen to the timeless classics such as "Nancy Spain", "The Voyage" and "Don't forget your shovel if you want to go to work". Great songs written by one of Ireland's best loved musicians and recreated by a brilliant artist. The ever relaxing setting of St. Michael's Hall, coupled with some light refreshments will make this an evening not to be missed.

So please come along and enjoy "the Craic" on Friday September 30th while supporting a very worthy cause. The show begins at 8.30pm and tickets at € 20 can be bought at Teresa Noonan's Quickpick or by phoning 058 - 60158. Raffle tickets are also on sale throughout the village.

Our next concert will be in late October when "The Three Tenors" will visit Ballyduff. More details later on this one.

On closing the meeting votes of sympathy were expressed to the families of Tom Sweeney and Bridie Kearney who passed away recently.

## BALLYDUFF COMHALTAS NOTES

Set Dancing Classes will resume on Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th October in Ballyduff Hall. Thursday evenings will be dedicated to beginners, and Wednesday evenings to the more experienced. Times will be available next week.

## BALLYDUFF UPPER GAA CLUB NOTES

### Minor Hurling

Our Minor hurlers played Cappoquin in the Western (B) final on Saturday afternoon September 24th. A tight first half between two evenly matched teams saw Ballyduff lead by one point at half time with the score Ballyduff 0-6 Cappoquin 0-5. In the second half Cappoquin got off to the better start and led by four points with ten minutes left. However with defeat staring them in the face our lads dug deep in true Ballyduff style to earn a draw with the final score Ballyduff 1-8 Cappoquin 0-11. No date and venue has been fixed for the replay.

### Intermediate Hurling

Next Saturday October 1st our Intermediate hurlers will play Clashmore in the intermediate championship quarter-final in Fraher Field. Throw in for this game is at 2.00pm.

### Club Lotto

There was no winner of the jackpot in the draw which took place in An Sabin on Tuesday September 20th. The €30 winners were Fechin Mullen, Mike Flynn, and Lena Martin. Next week's jackpot is €3,050 and the draw will be held in the Log Cabin on Tuesday September 27th.

### Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to the Kearney Family, Ballyheaphy, on the death of Bridie Kearney last week.

## DUNGARVAN YOUTH BAND

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**SHEEP****The All-Ireland Final is approaching for Mid Season flocks.**

For the vast majority of mid season flocks, rams will be turned out in the next 2 to 3 weeks. Given that ewes should not be disturbed for at least 30 days after the rams have been released, tasks carried out during the next 2-3 weeks are critical to the success of the enterprise.

Remember that just as the players of a football or hurling team train and work hard, all can be lost in a single poor performance. How will your team perform on that important day? For the sheep farmer the All-Ireland is the mating period – mistakes here cannot be rectified at a later stage – no replays and certainly no back door for this team.

**Ewe**

Firstly look at the ewe. Make sure that ewes are getting good quality leafy pasture and that condition score is 3.0 – 3.5. Select out thin ewes for a bit of extra feeding. If grass is scarce ask yourself why this is the case and learn from the experience by making sure that you don't find yourself in a similar position next year. Feeding 0.25 – 0.5kg concentrates per ewe prior to mating may help where scarcities exist.

**Feet and Tails**

Feet and tails are the all-important parts of the ewes for the next 2 months. Lame ewes will lose condition and not stand for the rams. Long wool around the tail end may very well put the ram out of business. Footbath all sheep and treat any lame sheep individually. Remember that a lame ewe is unlikely to dip her foot into the footbath solution. If dipping or dosing is to be carried out this is best done before the mating season.

**No Disturbance**

Approximately 7 days after conception the embryo is released from the fallopian tube into the uterus and it spends the next 20 odd days attaching itself to the lining of the uterus. Rough handling or galloping of ewes during this critical time can lead to the attachments between the embryo and the uterus breaking and may result in embryo loss and weaker lambs. Your dog has no business in the field for at least one month after mating has begun.

**Ram**

The second and equally important member of the team is the Ram. A general health check is in order. Lameness is the principle problem that must be avoided at all costs. Check all feet and treat any impending problems immediately so that the wounds have time to recover. Remember that rams that have had pneumonia or any other infections in the past few weeks may be infertile for a considerable period of time. Feeding a high protein ration (such as lamb creep) 0.25 – 0.5kg per ram depending on condition will set the ram up well for the mating season as well as making him easier to catch during the mating season for 'check-ups' and raddle changing. Where the flock is large enough to require more than one ram then it is important that the rams are accustomed to each other in advance of the mating season. This will greatly reduce the amount of fighting that takes place subsequently.

**Raddle**

The correct use of a raddle is not only a method to reduce costs on a sheep farm but also an important insurance policy. Using a raddle and changing the colour every 16 days helps to identify infertile rams (in small flocks a must). It allows for more efficient batching and feeding of ewes for lambing as well as accurate administration of clostridial vaccines (8 in one, Heptivac P etc.) four to six weeks from lambing time.

When using a raddle be it paste (powder mixed with a light oil such as cooking oil), rub on marker or a harness and crayon, make sure to start with the lightest colour first. Follow on with colours that will overmark this e.g. yellow to green, green to red, red to blue and blue to black. If you have to gather and flock ewes to change the raddle do so with extreme care and when changing the raddle use the opportunity to check the ram's feet and sheath for injuries.

**Pay off**

Time spent looking after the flock at this stage will be well rewarded at weaning time next year. Maybe an extra 5 or 10 lambs per 100 ewes and that's worth 350-750 per / 100 ewes. Not bad for a days work!

**REPS****Last slurry spreading in REPS**

October 1st is the last day for slurry applications in REPS until January 15th. While it is a requirement in each year of the plan that all the slurry produced on the farm is land spread by August 31st, September applications could be from imported slurry or that produced by animals now housed. A 10% penalty applies for spreading organic manures during prohibited periods.

**Farmyard manure**, spent mushroom compost and poultry manure must not be spread during the winter from November 1st. FYM may not be stored on land from this date with the exception of applicants with less than twenty Livestock Units, who may store FYM on land throughout the year.

Spreading of silage effluent must be completed by September 30th each year. Soiled water and dairy washings can be land spread all the year round where conditions are suitable and pollution risks minimal. Land spreading must be deferred where soils are saturated.

Regardless of dilution, the maximum volume per single application must not exceed 25 m<sup>3</sup> per hectare (2,200 gallons per acre) on shallow limestone soils and in no case exceed 50 m<sup>3</sup> per hectare (4,400 gallons per acre).

**Good Farming Practice**

Under Good Farming Practice, farmers outside REPS should not spread slurry, dungstead manure or chemical nitrogen in the months of November and December.

**FARMING LEADER**

Pat Ryan, (second from left) Lauragh, Cappagh, winner of the EBI 100 competition is pictured with (from left) Ruth Fennell, Teagasc Dungarvan, his wife Pauline, daughter Martha, parents Theresa and James, John Moloney, Teagasc CAO Waterford, at the Teagasc open day on his farm.

## Growers Demanding Minimum Price Contracts

### – WATERFORD IFA GRAIN CHAIRMAN

Waterford IFA Grain Committee Chairman Bill Shanahan has said that growers are demanding minimum price contracts from merchants that will cover production costs and return a margin before they will even consider growing a crop for the 2006 harvest.

Mr. Shanahan said "some progressive buyers are examining the option, while other members of the trade are running scared and are actively trying to dissuade growers from even talking about contracts. In the South East, a minimum price of €225 / tonne is on offer for the 2006 oilseed rape crop, while in the North East, €205 / tonne is on offer."

The Waterford Grain Chairman said "growers must do their sums before taking out the plough this autumn. With fuel and fertiliser prices continuing to escalate, it is vital that growers obtain a price for all their inputs and have a minimum price contract for grain in place before sowing. For many growers, it may be financially more rewarding to leave the land fallow rather than sow a crop, which could potentially eat into their Single Farm Payment."

"Cereal farmers are no longer prepared to carry all the risks associated with growing a crop. The compound feed mills and end users have an opportunity to lock into forward contracts for up to a year. This option is not currently available to cereal growers. If growers' businesses are to remain financially viable, they must also have an opportunity to avail of hedging. They are no longer prepared to subsidise grain production from their Single Farm Payment."

Mr Hutchinson said "growers have had a bitter experience with the trade this harvest and it is no longer good enough to do business on the basis of "we will look after you", when clearly there is a concerted effort by the trade to

manage the officially quoted on account prices within an acceptable range of the target price. No merchant would run his business without knowing the cost of his supplies and inputs."

### IFA SAYS MINISTER MUST CHANGE GENOTYPING PROGRAMME

Waterford IFA Sheep Committee Chairman Edward Morrissey has called on the Minister for Agriculture Mary Coughlan to remove the bureaucracy and red tape that is suffocating the new genotyping programme and preventing participation by sheep farmers.

Mr. Morrissey said prior to the scheme being announced, IFA strongly advised the Department of Agriculture to drop their insistence on differentiating between pedigree and non-pedigree. "This is proving impossible to prove at practical farm level and is destroying participation in the scheme."

Mr. Morrissey said if Minister Coughlan was to remove this bureaucratic impediment there would be a significant increase in participation at farm level. "The objective for the sheep sector, including the Department of Agriculture, must be to maximise participation."

The Waterford IFA sheep farmers' leader said the reality was that most sheep farmers have pedigree rams but cannot prove this to the Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Morrissey said farmers who participated in genotyping prior to Sep. 1st and still have rams in category 4 and 5 should qualify for compensation under the new arrangements. "Just because some farmers genotyped their rams prior to Sept. 1st should not exclude them from compensation if they are prepared to cull."

## IRISH DAIRY BOARD MUST PAY STRONG BONUS AND CO-OPS MUST HOLD MILK PRICES —Murphy

As co-ops boards meet to decide August milk prices, IFA National Dairy Chairman Michael Murphy called on them to hold prices, pointing out that they could expect a strong bonus from the Irish Dairy Board for all of 2005, worth at least 3c/gal.

"Dairy farmers have already lost an average €9,000 in income in the last 4 years, with a €2,000 hit in the last 6 months alone. In such difficult times, co-ops owe it to their suppliers to hold milk prices for the rest of the year," IFA National Dairy Committee Chairman Michael Murphy said.

He was disappointed that the Irish Dairy Board had cut the butter price by €180/t from 1st September, but pointed out that co-ops would receive a bonus for the product traded throughout 2005 which would more than make up for it.

"I have called on the Irish Dairy Board to pay a strong bonus this year. Last year, they paid out €15m to co-ops trading with them, and this was worth an average of 3c/gallon. I believe they can improve significantly on this for 2005, which would more than make up for the September butter price cut," he said.

"In times of rising costs, farmers have no way to make up for income losses, and their families are feeling the pinch. Farmers simply cannot afford to shoulder any more of the burden. Our co-ops must stop talking prices and the industry down, and get serious about working together to improve our processing efficiency and reduce our dependence on commodities. The Irish Dairy Board has a crucial part to play in this," Michael Murphy concluded.

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# RECENT DEATHS

## LATE MADGE RYAN



While the 6th September marks another day in our calendar year, it closes a chapter in the life of the Ryan family with the passing after a short duration of illness of Madge Ryan, Knockalisheen, Ballymacarbry at the Sacred Heart Unit, St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan.

Born on the 5th December 1916 to John Ryan, Glendalligan and to Mary (nee Dee) who hailed from Shanbally, Madge was the eldest of seven children. Educated at the nearby Garranbane N.S., she furthered her studies at the Mercy Convent Secondary School, Dungarvan where in June 1935 she completed her Leaving Certificate. A teacher by profession, Madge took up a position in Galbally, Co. Wexford, later she transferred to Baile Mhic Airt, Old Parish for some time. Newcastle N.S. also benefited by her presence and then to

Garbally, Co. Limerick.

On the 1st December 1938, she was appointed to Bennetschurch National School as assistant. An outstanding teacher who gave of her best at all times, often way above the call of duty. Her infectious enthusiasm and attention to detail motivated all her pupils to realise their full potential. Every child was so important to her, many today relate of Madge's kindness, encouragement and wise counsel to them during their tender years.

Married to Bill in the 1940's, Madge had to leave her teaching post due to the 'infamous' marriage ban. Thankfully July 1st 1960 saw her return to Bennetschurch National School as principal. Teaching was Madge's life, before the advent of the new curriculum, she saw in each child a garden where the seeds of learning had to be planted, nurtured and given scope to express themselves. An optimist by nature, she got to know virtually everyone in the parish. After 160 years of its existence, Bennetschurch closed its doors which saw Madge transfer to the central school at Ballymacarbry in 1972 until her retirement in 1982.

The passing of Bill on 23rd July 1999 greatly saddened Madge, but her interest in people never waned. Her wonderful memory could recall incidents and happenings from Memory Lane with ease. A wonderful and devoted mother to her children, she loved each and everyone of her grandchildren to whom she could relate to despite the generation gap. A lady in every sense of the word,

her many endearing qualities made her a great favourite. She was a woman of deep Christian faith who loved her God and her church and attended to her duties with admirable fervour and devotion.

Tá Madge imithe uainn, imithe ar shlí na firinne ach le cunamh Dé buailfidimid arís le chéile i lfontaibh Dé.

After journeying to the other shore, Madge's remains were taken home to Knockalisheen to lay in repose for some time. The Sacrifice of the Mass was offered by Fr. Willie in the home and also at St. Joseph's Hospital where staff were so attentive and caring, very much appreciated by the Ryan family. Later that Wednesday afternoon, huge numbers came to the Kiely Funeral Home to pay their respects, bade farewell and to console the bereaved. All Thursday, the hundreds and hundreds visited, each with a personal memory and a prayer in gratitude to someone who had touched and influenced so many lives. 'A true witness for Christ' as was said to me.

Later that evening Fr. Willie P.P. (son) led us in rosary and prayers before the funeral cortege, one of the largest ever seen at the Funeral Home, left for Fourmilewater Church. Pausing in prayerful tribute at Bennetschurch School (old) and at the junction of Ballymacarbry and Nire roads, Madge's remains were received at St. Laurence's Church, Fourmilewater by his Lordship Dr. William Lee who presided. Fr. Willie (son) assisted by fellow brother priests led us in the funeral reception liturgy.

The reading was shared by Claire Byrne, Prayers of Intercession was shared by Siobhan Desmond, Mairoa Ryan and Marie Hogan. Gifts were brought to the altar in celebration of Madge's life by Shane, Cathal and Donnchadh Dunne, Michael Ryan, Máiread and David Ryan. Michael Joseph O'Ryan gave a commentary on the significance of each. The huge concourse was joined by Rev. Fr. Flor O'Callaghan OSA, Rev. Fr. Cooney OSA, V. Rev. Fr. Milo Guiry P.P., V. Rev. Fr. Michael Cullinan P.P., V. Rev. Fr. Ed Tobin P.P., V. Rev. Fr. M. Enright P.P., Very Rev. Fr. M.J. Ryan P.P., Rev. Fr. P. Condon C.C., Very Rev. Fr. W. Meehan P.P. V. Rev. Fr. B. Crowley P.P., Canon Donal O'Connor P.E., Rev. Fr. Noel McGahan C.C., Rev. Fr. Gerard O'Connor C.C., Rev. Fr. Frank O'Connor P.P., Rev. Fr. T. Flynn C.C., V. Rev. Fr. James Griffin P.E., V. Rev. Fr. S. Nugent P.P., V. Rev. Fr. T. O'Riordan P.P., Canon Frank Hopkins P.P., Rev. Fr. Denis Luddy CSSR, V. Rev. Fr. John Kiely P.P., V. Rev. Fr. William Carey P.P., V. Rev. Fr. Raymond Liddane P.P., V. Rev. Fr. P. Fitzgerald P.P. and V. Rev. Fr. Richard Doherty P.P.

On Friday morning we gathered as a Christian community and family for the funeral Mass, the Holy Sacrifice offered in thanksgiving for Madge's life. His Lordship Dr. Michael Russell and a full choir of clergy were present. Fr. Willie Ryan (son) was main celebrant. The lessons were shared by Caroline O'Brien and

Conor Ryan. Prayers of the Faithful were read by Orla Power, Ciara Dunne, Aine Ryan. The offertory gifts were brought in procession by Geraldine Long, Martina O'Ryan and Edmond Hogan. Beautiful music was sung by Fourmilewater Parish choir while Paddy O'Brien also sang in tribute. A reflection was shared by Fr. Brendan Crowley P.P. while V. Rev. Fr. Sean Melody P.P. read words of appreciation, a tribute from family. A Guard of Honour was provided by Ballymacarbry National School, in tribute to a much loved and respected muinteoir.

Even the heavy laden skies shed their tears as we walked silently to the adjoining cemetery where following prayers and blessing Madge Ryan after lives labour was laid to rest in the presence of a huge concourse which also included Rev. Fr. Frank O'Connor C.C., Fr. Noel McGahan C.C., V. Rev. Fr. S. Melody P.P., Rev. Fr. Frank Lloyed C.C., V. Rev. Fr. B. Crowley P.P., V. Rev. Fr. Pierce Ahearne C.C., Rev. Fr. Paul Waldron C.C., Rev. Fr. Martin Keogh C.C., V. Rev. Fr. Michael Kennedy P.P., V. Rev. Fr. Michael Walsh P.P., Canon Thomas Nugent P.E., V. Rev. Fr. Ed Tobin P.P., Rev. Fr. Pat Condon C.C., V. Rev. Fr. C. Kelleher P.P., V. Rev. Fr. F. Lucey P.P., Rev. Fr. James Kennedy C.C., V. Rev. Fr. Michael Cullinan P.P., V. Rev. Fr. Michael Farrell P.P., V. Rev. Fr. S. O'Dwyer P.P., V. Rev. Fr. P. Cooney P.P., Rev. Fr. Colum O'Brien C.C., V. Rev. Fr. Michael O'Byrne P.P., V. Rev. Fr. Ed Cullinan P.P., Rev. Fr. Ed. Hassett C.C., Rev. Fr. G. O'Connor C.C., Rev. Fr. L. Power C.C. Rev. Fr. J. Tracey C.C., V. Rev. Fr. Raymond Liddane P.P., V. Rev. Fr. Jim Mulcahy P.E., V. Rev. Fr. P. Fitzgerald P.P.

We wish to convey our heartfelt sympathies to family Nuala, Maureen, Jim, John, Paddy Joe, Carmel and Fr. Willie, grandchildren, great grandchildren, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives and a large circle of friends.

Month's Mind Mass for Madge Ryan will be offered on Friday, 7th October at 7:30pm at Fourmilewater Church.

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

## LATE DENIS McGRATH



We received the sad news early on Saturday, 10th September of the passing of Denis McGrath, 32 Mary St., Dungarvan

at St. James' Hospital, Dublin where Denis had been a patient for the last few weeks. Predeceased by his parents Michael and Nora, sisters Bidy, Cait and Mary Frances, Denis was a native of Mitchel Street, aged 82 years and was employed for many years at the local leather factory where in gratitude for outstanding and sterling service he was given a gold watch.

Deeply interested in the affairs of his fellow worker, he was a driving force in ATGWU and performed secretarial duties for some years. He was a tireless worker for the Labour Party. He loved to view the many great sporting occasions unfold on television, was an avid reader and his classical music was so special.

A man who was well known and highly respected his passing is deeply regretted. We extend to his wife Patricia, daughters Margaret, Anne and Siobhan, son-in-law Michael, sister Angela Ford, grandchildren Rachel, Ciara, Jodi, Amy, Liagh and Laura, his nephews and nieces our heartfelt sympathy at this time.

Lying in repose at the Kiely Funeral Home, prayers and rosary were recited by Canon O'Connor P.E., while at St. Mary's Parish Church on Monday evening Fr. Cooney O.S.A. conducted the funeral service. The funeral cortege journeyed down O'Connell St., paused in tribute at ATGWU office and again at Denis' residence in Mary St. A guard of honour flanked the hearse comprising of Leather Factory colleagues, Labour Party and Trade Union members.

On Tuesday Fr. Cooney O.S.A. was Mass celebrant, assisted by Fr. Columba O'Donnell O.S.A. and Fr. John Daly O.S.A. (a near neighbour from Mary St.).

The lessons were read by Margaret (daughter) and granddaughter (Rachel). Prayers of the Faithful were recited by Marie Callaghan, Joanne Daly, grandchildren Jodi and Amy and daughter Anne. The offertory gifts were brought to the Altar by Siobhan (daughter), Ciara, Jodi and Laura (grandchildren). The much appreciated music of Dina Walshe, Ballymacmague made the Sacrifice a real celebration of Denis' life. The interment followed in the adjoining cemetery.

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

## LATE JAMES DRUMMY

We learned with great sadness on Friday, 2nd September of the passing of Jimmy Drummy of Inchindrisla, who enjoyed the respect of everybody.

Aged 86 years and a native of Inchindrisla, Jimmy hailed from a farming background. Employed at Crotty's Hardware for some time, he later took up the position of milkman with Central Dairies where he was to give of his very best over many years. The dairy itself was extremely lucky to have Jimmy as an employee, reliable, punctual and his duties were always carried out in a most professional manner.

He loved the affairs of the G.A.A. with a special grá for handball. A man of deep religious faith, he took up residence in Dunabney House some years ago. Everyday Jimmy could be seen walking in to town to do his own messages. Cheerful and with a wonderful sense of humour, he loved to recall happenings from his milk round which saw him come in contact with very many people.

Son of the late Margaret and John, he was predeceased by his brothers Michael, Monnie, Johnny and Willie, his sisters Nora, Mary, Bidy and Nellie. Our deepest sympathies we extend to his brother Paudie and other relatives at this time.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home, Fr. Michael Kennedy P.P. recited prayers and rosary before the funeral cortege journeyed to Kilgobnet church on Saturday evening. A true son of Kilgobnet, the green and white of his beloved parish draped his coffin in tribute. On Saturday Fr. Michael Kennedy P.P. spoke in glowing terms of Jimmy. The lessons were read by Laurence and Martin Curran while Kay Nugent shared the Prayers of the Faithful with all present. Nieces Jacinta and Noreen brought the Offertory gifts to the altar.

Dina Walsh, Ballymacmague gave of her music which made the Holy Sacrifice a real celebration of Jimmy's life. In the adjoining cemetery, a large concourse was present as one of nature's true gentlemen Jimmy Drummy, was laid to rest following graveside prayers and blessing.

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**Waterford County Council** — I, Padraig Walsh intend to apply to Waterford County Council for planning permission to construct garage beside existing house and new entrance gate into field adjoining the house site at Logleagh, Ballysaggart, Lismore, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

**Waterford County Council** — Jim & Alexis Long are applying for planning permission to construct a dwelling house at Cherrymount (Youghal), Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (€20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I, William Power reply to significant further information arising out of planning application (05/100) to Waterford County Council for Permission for the construction of one single storey dwelling with ancillary site works and new entrance with connection to public foul water sewer and public mains water supply at Newtown, Tramore, Co. Waterford. This further information in relation to the application is available for inspection or purchase at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy at the offices of Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, during normal opening hours, i.e. 9.00 am to 1.00 pm and 2.00 pm to 4.30 pm Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the further information may be made in writing to the Planning Authority on payment of €20 within the period of 2 weeks of the further information and revised plans being lodged with the planning authority.

**Waterford County Council** — I intend to apply to the above authority for permission for change of house-type Planning Reference no. 01/1038, to dormer-type dwelling house including garage, entrance driveway, bore-well, domestic effluent treatment unit, percolation areas, all associated site works and all ancillary services at Sunlawn, Affane, Cappoquin, Co. Waterford. Signed: William Foley. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Adic Braguta, am applying for permission to build a first floor bedroom and bathroom extension to my house at West End, Tallow. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

**Comhairle Contae Phort Láirge** — Is mian liom, Criostóir Ó Cionnfaolúidh cead pleanála a lorg chun tig conaithe a thogáil an slí isteach atha ann cheana fein a usaid damhach searchais agus rohar suite, oibreacha teagmhasacha riachtanacha fogala a chur i gcrích i Cnochán an Phaoraigh Iochtarach, An Rinn, Dún Garbhán, Contae Phort Láirge. Is féidir an t-iarratas pleanála a scrúdú ag Oifigi an Údaráis Pleanála, Oifigi Cathartha, Dún Garbhán, Co. Phortláirge le linn na huaireanta seo a leanas: 10.00r.n. go 4.00i.n. Luan go hAoine (seachas laethanta Saoire Baine). Is féidir aighneacht nó tuairim maidir leis an iarratas a dhéanamh i scríbhinn chuig an údaráis pleanála taobh istigh de threimhse cuig seachtaine ag tosnú ar an dáta a fhaigheann an t-údarás an t-iarratas, ach táille €20.00 a ioc.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Tom Dooling, am applying for permission for bungalow, septic tank and entrance at Gairha, Ballyduff Upper. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20.

**Waterford County Council** — Permission is sought for extensions and alterations to Carriglea National School, Ballyduff, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. The works will consist of three new classrooms, new entrance porch, staff room, storage area, toilet accommodation, new waste water treatment system and all associated works. 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: Board of Management, Carriglea National School.

**Waterford County Council** — Planning permission is sought for a two-storey dwelling and detached garage with puraflo treatment system along with all ancillary site works including road entrance at Munmahoge, Tramore, Co. Waterford. Signed: Martin Bourke. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (€20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

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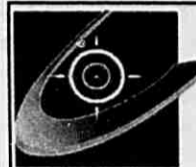
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# IN MEMORIAMIS



**BLAKEMORE** — Fifth Anniversary — Precious memories of a loving wife and mother, Chrissie, late of Youghal Road, Dungarvan who died on September 30th, 2000. R.I.P.

Memories have such loving ways,  
Of bringing back our yester-days,  
Happy memories kept forever,  
Of days when we were all together,  
No length of time can take away,  
Our thoughts of you from day to day,  
Though absent you are always near,  
Still loved, still missed, still very near.  
(Sadly missed, always remembered by your husband Charlie; son, Michael, daughters Yvonne, Suzette and Patricia and families at home and abroad).

**BLUETT** — In loving memory of my mother Eileen Bluett, late of 29 Shandon St., who died on 30 October. R.I.P. Mass in Saint Mary's Parish Church on 17 November at 9.30 am.

Time passes, memories stay,  
Thinking of you, especially today,  
Will those who think of her today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Always remembered your loving daughter Mary and family).

**COWARD** — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dearest mother Ellie Coward, late of 6 Congress Villas, Dungarvan who died on 30 September, 1983. Masses offered.

The saddest thing in the world to bear,  
Is to want your mother and she's not there,  
So with a sad heart I whisper low,  
God bless you Mam I love you so,  
I did not see you close your eyes,  
I did not see you die,  
All I heard was you were gone,  
Without a last goodbye,  
As long as I live I will always be glad,  
For the wonderful mother I was so lucky to have,  
Mam, your memory is like the heart of a rose,  
The older is gets, the sweeter it grows,  
Will those who think of her today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(So dearly loved, so sadly missed by your loving son Monnie, daughter-in-law June and granddaughter Helen).

**COWARD** — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of Ellen Coward, late of 6 Congress Villas, Dungarvan who died on 30 September, 1983.

She troubled none, her wants were few,  
And now, dear God, she lives with you,  
Take care of her as she takes her rest,  
For she was my mother and one of the best.

(Always remembered by your loving son Locky, daughter-in-law Kathleen and family).

**FLYNN** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband Paddy Flynn, late of Barrack St., Tallow who died on 2nd October 2001. On his soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

There never comes a moment,  
That I don't think of you,  
Or a day that passes,  
That your face is not in view,  
And when I am sad and lonely,  
And everything goes wrong,  
I seem to hear you whisper,  
Cheer up and carry on,  
Pad I want to tell you something,  
So there won't be any doubt,  
Your so wonderful to think of,  
But so hard to be without.  
Will those who think of Pad today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Never forgotten by your loving wife Marie).

**FLYNN** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father Paddy Flynn, late of Barrack St., Tallow who died on 2nd October.

I'm proud I was your daughter,  
I thought the world of you,  
To me you were someone special,  
You know I always loved you,  
If I could visit heaven,  
On this my saddest day,  
Maybe for a moment,  
The pain would go away,  
I'd put my arms around you Dad,  
And say those words so true,  
My life has been so empty,  
Since the day I lost you.

(Sadly missed by your loving daughter Eileen, son-in-law Michael, and grandchildren Michael, James and Robert).

**FLYNN** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear Dad and Granddad, Paddy Flynn, late of Barrack St., Tallow who died on 2nd October 2001.

I hold you close within my heart,  
And there you shall remain,  
To walk with me throughout my life,  
Until we meet again,  
So rest in peace dear Dad,  
And thanks for all you've done,  
I pray that God has given you,  
The crown you've truly won.

(Sadly missed and never forgotten by your loving daughter Mary and grandchildren Ricky, Jenny, Johanna and Jack).

**FLYNN** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear Dad and Granddad, Paddy Flynn, late of Barrack St., Tallow who died on 2nd October 2001.

Thank you for the years we shared,  
The love you gave,  
The way you cared,  
Time and years slip gently by,  
But love and memories never die.

(Always remembered and sadly missed by your son John, daughter-in-law Bernie and grandchildren Bryan, Clodagh, Conor and Shane).

**FLYNN** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear Dad, Paddy Flynn, late of Barrack St., Tallow, who died on 2nd October 2001.

I know all my life I'll miss you,  
For you meant the world to me,  
I have such great memories of you,  
That others cannot see,  
They are mine to keep forever,  
From which I'll never part,  
I'll hold them very close to me,  
Locked deep within my heart,  
In heaven one day I'll find you Dad,  
And all this hurt will go,  
I'll put my arms around you,  
And say Dad, I've missed you so.

(Always remembered by your loving daughter Colette).

**FLYNN** — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear Dad and Granddad, Paddy Flynn, late of Barrack St., Tallow who died on 2nd October 2001.

Although we sadly miss you,  
I know we are not alone,  
For you are watching over us,  
From a place you now call home,  
So always stay beside us,  
It helps to know you're there,  
And thank you for the memories,  
And the times we loved and shared.

(Always loved and sadly missed by your daughter Ann, son-in-law John and grandchildren Emma, Laura and Amy).

**KINNEEN** — In sad and loving memory of my dear mother Maisie and sister Ann, late of 1 Rice's Street, whose anniversaries occur around this time.

Nothing on earth can ever replace the two of you,  
The sound of your voices, or the smiles on your faces,  
No verse, no flowers, no tears can say,  
How much you are missed Mam and Ann everyday,  
I'll always remember and love both of you.  
Dear Jesus take care of them.

(Sadly missed by your daughter Margo, granddaughter Ruth, grandson Labhrás, daughter-in-law Pam, grandchildren Brendan and Maeve XXXX).



**KING** — Sixth Anniversary of a dear mother and grandmother, Phyllis King, late of Ring, whose anniversary occurs on September 30, and birthday remembrance occurs on October 1. Anniversary Mass on Saturday 1st October in Ring Church at 7.30 pm.

Sometimes it seems a lifetime now,  
Sometimes only a day,  
But deep down within our hearts,  
You are never far away.  
How dearly we loved you and prayed you'd live,  
But God just beckoned and we had to give,  
For no one knows our heartache,  
That lies behind our smiles,  
No one knows how many times,  
We have broken down and cried,  
We want to tell you something, Mum,  
So there won't be any doubt,  
You're so wonderful to think of,  
But so hard to live without.  
(Happy Birthday Mum, with all our love — your daughter Jenny and son-in-law Ramon X X X).

## NANNY

Little hearts still love you,  
Little hearts still care,  
Little hearts still wonder,  
Why our Nanny isn't there.  
The time we had together,  
Nan,  
Means more than you can know,  
For we will never forget you,  
Our love will always grow.  
(Loving you always — Davina and Tim).

**KING** — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of my wife Phyllis King, late of Ring whose anniversary occurs on September 30, and her birthday remembrance on October 1.

God came and stood beside your bed,  
He took your hand and gently said,  
You've suffered enough, more than you can stand,  
You'll come with me to a better land.  
You had a smile for everyone,  
You had a heart of gold,  
You left the sweetest memories,  
The world could ever hold.  
(From her husband Brendan).

**KING** — Sixth Anniversary of a dear mother and friend, Phyllis King late of Ring, whose anniversary occurs on September 30, and birthday remembrance occurs on October 1.

I think of you in silence,  
Without an outward show,  
But how I really miss you,  
Mum,  
No one will ever know.  
You worked so hard for all of us,  
When we were children small,  
And just when life was getting easy,  
You were taken from us all.  
You gave us everything you had, Mum,  
Your time, your love, your care,  
You never asked for anything,  
And you were always there.  
Your life was lived unselfishly,  
With your gentle, loving ways,  
No verse can say, no flowers repay,  
The wonderful Mum I lost that day.

(Sadly missed by your loving daughter Caroline X X X.)

**KING** — Sixth Anniversary of a dear mother and friend, Phyllis King, late of Ring, whose anniversary occurs on September 30, and birthday remembrance occurs on October 1.

We lost a mother with a heart of gold,  
How much we miss her can never be told,  
She shared our troubles and helped us along,  
If we follow her footsteps we will never go wrong,  
The angels sang amazing grace,  
The Lord came down and touched your face,  
Then he whispered soft and low,  
Come with me Phyllis, it's time to go.  
I did not see you close your eyes,  
Perhaps it's just as well,  
For I never could have said goodbye,  
To a mother I loved so well.  
When I am sad and lonely,  
And things are going wrong,  
I seem to hear you whisper,  
Cheer up and carry on,  
And when I see your photo,  
You seem to smile and say,  
Don't cry, I'm only sleeping,  
We'll meet again some day.  
(Sadly missed by your loving daughter Fiona and son-in-law Tom X X X).

**O'MAHONY** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Ellen O'Mahony who died on October 3, 2004.

A day to remember, sad to recall,  
Without farewell you left us all,  
Your name is often mentioned,  
Our thoughts are with you still,  
You haven't been forgotten,  
What's more you never will.  
(Sadly missed by your sisters and brothers).

**O'BRIEN** — In loving memory of Tom O'Brien, Shrough, Lismore, whose anniversary occurs at this time.  
(Jane and family).



**POWER** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Mary Power, Gortaclode, Kilmeaden whose anniversary occurs on 2nd October, 2004. Anniversary Mass at Ballyduff Church on 2nd October at 10 am.

You always had a smile to share,  
A laugh, a joke and time to share,  
Each of us in our own way,  
Have special thoughts of you today,  
Your name is often spoken,  
We talk about you still,  
You haven't been forgotten in all our lives,  
You know you never will.  
(Lovingly remembered by your sons and daughters).



**VEALE** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Ann Veale, Newtown, Kilmacthomas, whose anniversary occurs on September 30th. Anniversary Mass in Newtown Church on Friday, 30th September at 7.30 pm.

God saw you getting tired,  
And a cure was not to be,  
So He took you to your place of rest,  
Far far away from me,  
Your resting place I visit,  
A silent prayer to say,  
But no one knows the heartache,  
As I turn and walk away,  
On this your anniversary,  
You would not want me to be sad,  
Just to be remembered,  
And to continue your lifetime of care,  
For our Mam and Dad,  
A smile for all, a heart of gold,  
Never selfish, always kind,  
These are the memories,  
You've left behind.  
(Sadly missed by your sister Mary Walsh, Jim, Helena and Micheál, James, Michael and Aisling, Ballyduff Upper).

# IN MEMORIAMs



**WOODS** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Bridget Woods, 47, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on October 3, 1998.

I am home in heaven, dear ones,  
Oh, so happy and so bright,  
There is perfect joy and beauty,

In this everlasting light.  
All the pain and grief is over,  
Every restless tossing passed,  
I am now at peace forever,  
Safely home in heaven at last.  
Did you wonder I so calmly,  
Trod the valley of the shade,  
Oh but Jesus' love illumined,  
Every dark and fearful glade.  
And he came himself to meet me,  
In that way so hard to tread,  
And with Jesus' arm to lean on,  
Could I have one doubt or dread.

Then you must not grieve so sorely,  
For I love you dearly still,  
Try to look beyond earth's shadows,  
Pray to trust Our Father's Will.  
There is work still waiting for you,

So you must not idly stand,  
Do it now while life remaineth,  
You shall rest in Jesus' land.  
When the work is all completed,  
He will gently call you home,  
Oh, the rapture of that meeting,  
Oh, the joy to see you come.  
(From your loving daughter Mai, Mike and family.)

**WOODS** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear Nanny, Bridget Woods, 47, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on October 3, 1998.

Gone from our home that smiling face,  
The cheerful, happy ways,  
The heart that won so many friends,  
In bygone happy days.

Lonely is the home without you,  
Life to us is not the same,  
All the world would be like heaven,  
If we could have you back again.

In dreams we see your smiling face,  
And kiss her tender brow,  
But in our aching hearts we know,  
We have no Nanny now.

The voice is now silent, the heart now cold,  
The smile and welcome that met us of old,  
We miss her and mourn her, in sorrow unseen,  
And dwell on the memory of days that have been.

(From your grandson Patrick, Mai, Aaron and Amy.)



**WOODS** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother, Bridget Woods, late of 47, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on October 3, 1998. R.I.P. Mass offered.

We were there to see you die,  
To hold your hand and say goodbye,  
God took your hand and we had to part,  
It eased your pain but broke our hearts.

The love you gave us we treasure with care,  
Memories you left us we proudly share,  
We think of your smile, your wonderful ways,  
And we will always love you until the end of our days.

(Loved and missed by your loving daughter Nellie, and your loving sons John and Michael, and also Dinny).

**WOODS** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Bridget, late of 47 Caseyville, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on October 3.

A loving spray of memories,  
Tied up with all our love,  
Memories we will treasure,  
Of the one we dearly loved,  
In the centre of God's garden,  
There is someone special there,  
That someone is our mother,  
The best beyond compare.  
(From your son Matt and daughter-in-law Cait).

**WOODS** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Bridget Woods, late of 47, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on October 3, 1998. R.I.P.

No special day is needed,  
For us to think of you,  
Because you were a wonderful mother,  
And we thought the world of you,  
And though six years have now gone by,  
Since the day you passed away,  
Cherished memories of you live on,  
To guide us along the way.

(Always remembered by your loving son Francis, daughter-in-law Anette and family.)

**WOODS** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear grandmother, Bridget Woods, late of 47, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on October 3, 1998. R.I.P.

I held your hand the morning you died,  
I cried until I ached inside,  
No words I write will ever say,  
How much I miss you Nan today,  
Not just today, but my whole life through,  
I will always love and remember you.

(Never forgotten by your loving granddaughter Moira and Mike).

**POWER** — Thirty-sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of Christina Power, 8, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on October 4, 1969. R.I.P. Mass offered.

A day of remembrance, silently kept,  
Of one we loved and will never forget,  
Will those who think of her today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Never forgotten by her loving sons Michael and Robert and daughter Margaret).

**POWER** — Thirty-sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of Christina Power, 8, St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on October 4, 1969. R.I.P. Mass offered.

A heart of gold, a life so true,  
Loved and remembered by all she knew,  
Always willing, helpful and kind,  
What beautiful memories she left behind,  
Not today, but everyday,  
In silence we remember.

(Always remembered by her loving son Paddy, daughter-in-law Judy and grandchildren Robert, Catherine and Patrick).

**BROWNE** — Bridie, late of 16, church Street, Dungarvan — Fourth Anniversary. Mass offered.

Your presence we miss,  
Your memory we treasure,  
Loving you always,  
Forgetting you never.  
(Lovingly remembered by Phyllis, Dennis, Alicia, Frank, Breed, granddaughters, great-grandchildren).

## NOVENAS

**MIRACULOUS PRAYER** — Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked you for many favours. This time I ask you for this very 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 favour, not mine. Amen. Say this prayer for three days, promise publication and favour will be granted. Never known to fail. — M.C.

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

## Birthday Remembrances



**O'SHEA** — Treasured memories of Larry, late of Ballylemon and Cappagh whose birthday occurs at this time.

You may be out of sight,  
We may be miles apart,  
But you are always on our minds,  
And forever in our hearts.  
Missing you always, forgetting you never.  
(Love Mam, Dad and family).



**CASSIDY** — Birthday Remembrance of my dear mother Maureen Cassidy, Abbots Close, Abbeyside, whose birthday occurs on September 25.

A mother's love is a blessing,  
A gift beyond compare,  
You only know its meaning,  
When you find she's no longer there.  
So hold her in Your arms, dear Lord,  
Treasure her with care,  
For You have in Your possession,  
A mother beyond compare.  
(Never forgotten by her daughter Mary, son-in-law Joe and granddaughters Kiara and Kaitlyn).



**WHELAN** — Birthday Remembrance of James (Jimmy) Whelan, late of Melleray Road, Cappoquin, whose birthday occurred on September 26.

God called your name so softly,  
That only you could hear,  
And no one heard the footsteps,  
Of angels drawing near.  
The golden gates stood open,  
God saw you needed rest,  
His garden must be beautiful,  
He only takes the best.  
(Sadly missed by his daughter Colette, son-in-law Tom and grandchildren Rachel, Samantha, Ian, Lisa, Chloe and Dylan).



**O'DONOGHUE** — Birthday remembrance of Leslie O'Donoghue, late of Crowhill Lower, who celebrates his 28th birthday on September 24th.

Look around your garden Lord,  
For a person with a smile,  
He won't be hard to recognise,  
He will stand out a mile,  
So put your arms around him Lord,  
And kiss his smiling face,  
For he is very special, and never will be replaced,  
(Sadly missed by your loving parents Mam and Dad, brother Brendan, Pauline, Lyndsey, Donna and Owen, brother Adrian and Claire, sister Marcia, Jimmy and Oisin).

## TALK IT OVER

Listening and Support for those bereaved by suicide  
Info/Tel: 1850 201 249

## Acknowledgment

### LATE GERARD AND PATRICK POWER

**Cushcam, Dungarvan**  
The brothers and sisters of the late Ger and Patrick Power would like to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them on their sad loss. Thanks to all who attended the rosary, funeral Mass and interment. To those who sent Mass cards, message of sympathy and floral tributes our thanks. A special thank you to Fr. O'Doherty P.P., Fr. O'Riordan P.P., Fr. Collender, Fr. Fives, Fr. O'Donnell and Fr. Cooney. Thanks to Ballinroad Choir for their music and beautiful hymns. Thanks to the chapelwoman, bellringer, Altar servers, grave digger, Helvick Life Boat crew, Eddie Power for his beautiful rendition of "Will You Go Lassie Go" at the graveside. Thanks to Drohan Funeral Directors. A special thanks to the Daly family and the staff of Bridgie Terrie's for their kindness. Thanks to the kind neighbours and friends who helped in any way. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all your intentions.

### LATE JOHN FARRELL

**Tramore Road, Waterford**  
We the family of the late John Farrell who died on August 11th, 2005 wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with us on our recent bereavement. To those who attended the funeral and sent Mass cards, floral tributes and messages of sympathy. As it would be impossible to thank everybody individually please accept this acknowledgment as a token of our heartfelt appreciation. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions. Rest in peace.

### LATE KEITH CROWLEY

**50 Mount Nebo Avenue, Cork**  
The parents Donal and Geraldine, son Craig, sister Elaine, brother Colin of the late Keith Crowley together with their families would like to express our sincere thanks and gratitude to all those who sympathised with them on their recent bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, floral tributes, attended rosary, removal, funeral Mass and burial. As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

**PARENT HELPLINE**  
051-73833  
From 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Monday - Friday

# Dungarvan No Name Club

(TEENAGE FUN WITHOUT ALCOHOL)



Junior Leader, Clodagh Phelan, Gliddane, Dungarvan, receiving graduation Certificate from Eddie Keher, former Kilkenny All-Star hurler (No Name Club Founder) and John Donovan (Chairman Dungarvan No Name Club).



Junior Leader, Sarah Keane, Abbeyside, receiving graduation Certificate from Eddie Keher, and John Donovan (Chairman Dungarvan NNC).



Junior Leader, Simon Waters, Colligan, receiving graduation Certificate from Eddie Keher, and John Donovan (Chairman Dungarvan NNC).

## GRADUATION NIGHT

On Friday evening last (Sept 23rd) the club held the last and event of the year for the No Name Clubs Leaders of 2004/05. Over one hundred people gathered in the ballroom of Lawlor's Hotel to salute the thirty seven Hosts and Hostesses who graduated at the end of a phenomenally successful first year. The attendance included parents and some invited guests.

The evening kicked off with an informal buffet which was appreciated by all. Then it was on to the most important aspect item on the agenda - the presentation of Certificates of Leadership to our Junior Leaders. Each recipient was called individually to the stage where they were congratulated by Eddie Keher, the National Chairman

of No Name Club. Joe Moynihan was a wonderful Master of Ceremonies as he read out a citation for each of the Leaders. Simultaneously, a projection of the Leaders photograph and name was flashed on the big screen and when the citation was completed Joe triggered a carefully selected piece of music to herald each Host(ess) as they walked to the stage. The anticipation was immense as each Host and Hostess waited to be called and wondered what their signature tune would be. It's fair to say that some of the chosen music was well received, and some raised some questions. Whilst on stage each graduating Leader also was congratulated by John Donovan, Chairman of Dungarvan No Name Club. John also pre-

sented each of the members with a copy of a CD which contained 100s of photographs, taken over the last year of the various club activities.

The Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Fiachra O'Ceilleachair then addressed the gathering, and delivered a very supportive and appropriate speech encouraging the club and the young members in particular. The Mayor congratulated the No Name Club for being a positive force at a time when much attention is being focused on the negative aspects of Youth Behaviour.

The ceremony next came to a very poignant part of the evening. Just eight weeks ago Dungarvan No Name Club suffered a cruel loss with the sudden death of its founder member Paul Walsh. In order to acknowledge Paul's immense contribution to a club which he loved it was decided to create two special awards in his memory. Paul managed the Anne Le Roy Centre in Kilrush, and the No Name Club commissioned two trophies from the Centre. The carpentry section of the Ann Le Roy Centre expertly and lovingly created two wonderful trophies fashioned from a selection of different woods. The Paul Walsh Memorial Trophies will be presented annually to Dungarvan No Name Club's representatives in the Host and Hostess of the Year competition. Paul's wife Bridget Walsh honoured us by coming to our graduation night to present the trophies to our 2005 winners Alex Duff-White and Zane Mulcahy. Paul's son Christopher and his daughter Katherine were also present. We are deeply indebted to the Walsh family for coming to be with us so soon after Paul's untimely death. Paul's absence is acutely felt in Dungarvan No Name Club but we will remember him always.

Eddie Keher delivered a substantial and thought provoking talk at which he encouraged our wonderful young members to consider the worth of the No Name Club and to value the example they were setting to their peers. He had a challenge also for the adults present. He urged the adults to ensure that the example they were giving our young people was appropriate and to promote the right message of responsibility. Following Eddie's speech a presentation of a Waterford Glass lamp was made to him by Paddy Fitzgerald and Jenny Murphy (Junior Leader).

The entertainment continued next with two wonderful demonstrations of the talent of our young people. Roisin Fahey expertly danced her Brush Dance and Maurice Dunford sang a magnificent rendition of Tears in Heaven. Their performances captured the spirit and ability of a marvellous bunch of young people. Before the evening concluded a special presentation was made to Michael Burke of Lawlor's Hotel in recognition of his contribution to No Name over the past year. Whether it was congratulated by John Donovan, Chairman of Dungarvan No Name Club. John also pre-

cooperation above and beyond from Michael and Mary Burke and their staff. The presentation of an engraved mirror was made by Anne Dunford and Simon Waters (Junior Leader), and it was accepted on behalf of Mick Burke by Declan Sheridan of Lawlor's Hotel.

Kate Kiely, Roisin Fahey and Jenny Murphy came on stage before the end much to the surprise of the adult members. Kate made a wonderful speech in which she thanked the adult committee on behalf of all the junior leaders. The girls made a presentation of a comprehensive scrap book which the junior members had secretly put together. The book contained reports and photographs from all the club events held in the past year. All the leaders signed the book and noted their appreciation. As if this were not enough the juniors then made a presentation of a voucher to the adult committee. All the gang had raided their piggy banks and clubbed together to give a generous meal voucher to the adults. The adults are bowled over by this unexpected gesture, and even now are setting a date on which to enjoy the meal - no alcohol allowed of course. Thus we completed the formal part of the night and sent the adults home. For the next two hours the Group of Hosts and Hostesses along with the adult committee finished off the night as they often did before - enjoying each others company and having a music session. On hand to help us in this regard were the members of Livewire the club's adopted band.

And so, we bid farewell to the Gang of 2005/05. We have to say you have been brilliant. The incoming members of 2005/06 have a lot to live up to. It is amazing how time moves on and now several of the group are studying away from Dungarvan. To those that are not returning next year we say thanks for the memories and don't be strangers to us.

## WANTED - NEW MEMBERS

Are you interested in becoming a member of the No Name Club? If you are, and you are of the age group of TY, 5th Yr or 6th Yr then we want to hear from you. We have been in all the local schools recruiting in the last week. Membership is not confined to any particular schools or indeed to school goers. We may have missed you at school, or perhaps you are not attending school anymore. Fear not you can still apply.

If you want to be part of a fun group who promote non-alcohol activities for teenagers then contact us now on 087-2782825. We generally meet weekly over the next several months and for the year ahead we have a huge amount of activity planned. We will be holding a formation meeting shortly and if you contact us we will let you know when it is on.

## CONTACT DETAILS

You can get further details about Dungarvan No Name Club by telephoning 087-2782825, or by checking out our website on [www.nonameclub.ie/dungarvan/home](http://www.nonameclub.ie/dungarvan/home)

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

### Dungarvan Post Offices' Disgraceful Treatment Of Paying Customers

Dear Editor,

During a recent visit to Dungarvan Post Office, I had a very annoying experience. On arriving at 12:50pm approx, I got into a queue of about 15 people. I was surprised to notice that even though there are four service hatches available, only two were manned. After queuing for about ten minutes, eventually it came to my turn to go to the next available hatch. Just as I was approaching the hatch, the assistant put up the "Closed" sign and continued to converse with a co-worker completely ignoring me. As she spoke she then stared drinking Lucozade from a bottle (the ultimate act of ignorance). As she left I then went on to the now only assistant left. I told her I was here to collect my post as the Post Office had instructed us to do so. She said quite sharply "What, at lunch time"!!! and continued "You don't expect you can collect your post at lunch time"!!!. When I pointed out the notoriously poor service she reluctantly got my post. At this stage the queue had grown to at least 20 people and was now being served by one cashier which left three unmanned hatches.

I think the above service is a disgrace and shows a blatant disregard to paying customers. Have the Post Office ever heard of customer care? Have they ever considered putting on extra staff to cover breaks, lunches, etc so all four hatches are manned which automatically cuts down queuing? It's very obvious they have absolutely no policy on customer care. They don't have to, they have a monopoly and they know it, they showed a typical civil servants attitude to customers. This would be a great job, only for the customers!!!

I own and run a 24 hour retail business in Dungarvan. If I treated my customers like this I would be out of business in three months. I would like to know what other customers think of the service given by Dungarvan Post Office.

Yours sincerely,

John Foley  
Strandside North,  
Abbeyside,  
Dungarvan.

# MODELIGO NOTES

## SYMPATHY

We note with great sadness the passing at a relatively young age, of Jim Flynn, Lacken and we extend our sincerest sympathies to his mother Mary, his brother Danny, his sisters Kathleen, his nieces and nephews and their families. Following requiem Mass on Sunday, September 17th in Cappoquin, Jim was laid to his eternal rest at St. Declan's Cemetery. He will be remembered as a diligent and conscientious employee who worked at various jobs in the area. Recently he was employed at Tierney's in Ballinamult where he was highly regarded. Go dtuga Dia leaba so í measc na Naomh.

## 4 GOAL SHANE!

No one can quite remember when it last happened that any players scored four goals for Modeligo F.C. in a single game, but that just what Shane Troy did last Sunday at the Community field. Despite Affane going ahead in the early stages, Shane scored all the goals for Modeligo to beat their neighbours by four goals to one. The talented W.I.T. student completed the rout with a spectacular fourth goal that sealed Affane's fate. Next week we travel to Lismore, players will notified of date and time during the week.

## BADMINTON CLUB

Training is now commencing and will take place at the Community Centre on Tuesday and Thursday nights. Best wishes to the club for the year and all new members will be made very welcome. At the recent A.G.M. the following officers were elected - Chairman: Ml. Murphy; Secretary: Ber Burke; Treasurer: Maire Ormonde.

## MINI LOTTO

The lotto is now being held by the Ladies Football club. Numbers drawn on Saturday, 24th were 11-14-23. As there was no winner, there's E450 in the pota oir. E15 winners were Sarah Jane Cashell, Clashmore; Teresa O'Halloran, Clashmore; Michael Power, Modeligo; Breeda Wall, Clashmore and Biddy Power, Modeligo.

## MODELIGO PARENT & TODDLER GROUP

We had a big group again last Friday in the hall. There was a maritime theme in the craft corner where the older kids created and painted some beautiful boats.

Kirsty needs back all the greeting / christmas cards catalogues this Friday and any order forms that weren't handed in already.

After some group discussion it has been decided that we will have a night out on Friday 21st of October at The Mill restaurant, Dungarvan. Anyone who is interested in attending please give your names to Brenda or Loretta.

Lastly Karen and Lorraine are opening up on the 30th September.

## STRADBALLY NEWS

### SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to John, Margaret, Pat and David Kiely of Brenan, Stradbally on the death of their sister Caitriona Wyatt (nee Kiely), wife of Chris Wyatt and mother of Kenneth and Ellie. It was only recently that the Wyatt family had come to Ireland for a holiday and not long after her return to Sydney, Australia, Caitriona died after bravely battling an illness for some time.

The death of Bobby Power, Ballynob, Clonea Power on Wednesday 21st September was a great shock to all who knew him but especially to his immediate family. Sincere sympathy is extended to Bernadette O'Brien, Durrow and Mary Clancy of Island on the death of their father. Burial took place in Clonea Power after requiem Mass on Sunday, 25th September.

### ROSARY

The month of October is dedicated to Our Lady with special emphasis on the rosary and this great family tradition has fallen on lean times. In an effort to do something about it the rosary will be recited each evening at the statue of Our Lady in the car park attached to Holy Cross church, Stradbally at 7 pm. It is hoped that families will make the effort to come along and if not why not say the rosary at home. Perhaps the families with children preparing for their First Holy Communion might come along on different nights and so introduce their children to family prayer.

### SCHOOLS

The boys and girls primary schools in Stradbally combined to start the new school year by attending Mass with their teachers on Thursday morning, 8th September. The boys and girls took part in the Mass and their singing was organised by teachers Mary Crowley and Orla Costin. Present at the Mass was new principal of the girls school Mary O'Mahoney, principal of the boys Connie De Fusco and Rosemary O'Riordan.

### ENVELOPES

In the church year there used to be two collections at summer and at autumn time. In recent years there has only been one collection and that envelope should now be returned if one has not already done so. This collection along with the Lenten dues collection, the Easter and Christmas collections means that there are only four collections in the year for the support of the priests in the parish.

### TIDY TOWNS NEWS

"Somebody up there likes us"! What a wonderful sunny day for the World Heart Day Walk on Sunday 25th in Stradbally. The Tidy Towns committee was delighted with the turn out. In preparation for the walk the committee organised Ray Darcy local Hedge Cutting contractor to cut back the overgrowth to prepare the Sli route. Ballyvooney never looked better. Our sincere thanks to Ray for giving up his Saturday on our account. The new tarmac put in especially for disability access was much admired and following the walk some of the participants had their picnics there in the warm autumn sunshine. The committee would like to thank Garda Damien Ryan for his help and support for making the walk safe for everyone. Please return all sponsorship cards as soon as possible so that we can return all monies collected to the Irish Heart Foundation. Congratulations to Pat Burke from Waterford, winner of the beautiful basket of fruit raffled for all taking part.

The Stradbally Tidy Towns committee would like to say a public thanks to Senator Brendan Kenneally, Waterford for his intercession on behalf of our committee to Minister Dick Roche T.D. regarding our concerns with the directive that might see our local petrol stations closing. It appears that all petrol stations selling less than 10,000 tonnes per year were granted a derogations from this directive. We are delighted to have this confirmed in writing and can relax in the news that our petrol stations can continue in business.

## BALLYSAGGART NOTES

### CARDS RESULTS

22nd Sept. - Mike Feenesty and Sheila Lonergan; Kit Crowley and Helen Morrissey; Nellie Devine and Cissie Power.

Best of last 5: Pa Geoghegan and Cassie Hyland. Lucky tables: Mick Morrissey and Tom Cahill; Mary Power and Ber Coughlan. Raffle: Mike Feenesty x 2, Tommy Nugent.

### G.A.A. LOTTO RESULTS

We had a winner of our jackpot of E4,050 - Mary Shanahan, Ballyheaphy. Mary's winning numbers were 13-16-18-20. We congratulate her and wish her well. E15 winners as follows: Carmel Casey, Jamie Walsh, Mary Fennessy, Anne Kenneally, Mary Morrissey.

Jackpot for Tuesday 27th starts again at E300. Results next week.

### DEISE DRAW

The September draw in the Deise Draw takes place on this Friday night, 30th. While Lady Luck has not been on our side this series, maybe this will be our month. All money to be handed in before the weekend.

### HAPPY EVENT

We send our very best wishes to Tina, our First Aid Officer, and Matty, our goalie, on the happy event of the birth of their baby girl.

## TOURANEENA NOTES

### CAR BOOT SALE

Come along to the car boot sale being held this Saturday in Touraneena Community Centre where you are guaranteed some great bargains. We are expecting a great turnout for this sale as we have something for everybody. For the children we will have bouncy castles and a van selling lots of delicious ice cream.

There will also be a stall selling household items such as washing power, toilet rolls, etc at exceptionally low prices. Gem Meats from Cahir will also be selling high quality meat produce at very good prices and out local Kleenze representative will also attend with a wide variety of items on offer plus many more interesting stalls. The car boot sale commences at 2pm sharp on Sunday and will finish at 6pm. Don't miss out on what should be one of the best car boot sales in the Parish. Stalls cost E10 each, no entrance fee for those who wish to come and browse or come and buy. Inquiries to 058-47224 or 47424, 47244.

### SYMPATHY

We extend sincere sympathy to the sisters Helen, Mary, Brid and Anne of the late Sean Hennebry, Lower Lackendarra, whose death occurred recently. Also his brothers-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends. Following funeral Mass in St. Mary's Parish Church, Touraneena, interment took place in the adjoining cemetery. May he rest in peace.

### NON STOP DRAW

The Racquetball club will run a non stop draw where the winner each well will win E100. All families who have members playing with the club will have a card with 10 lines. Lines cost E2.

### MEETING

Parish Council meeting will take place in the Community Centre on Monday night, October 3rd at 8:30pm.

### JOHNNIE GLEESON MEMORIAL POOL TOURNAMENT

The 9th Johnnie Gleeson Memorial Pool tournament is due to start on Monday, October 3rd and the final will take place in Melody's on Saturday, November 19th. Entry fee is E10 to be paid before first round draw which will take place in Dunford's bar on Sunday night, October 2nd at 9pm. Entries can be given at Dunford's or Melody's. All proceeds of the tournament will once again go to Cystic Fibrosis. We would like to welcome the new members on to the committee. The present committee is as follows - Chairman: Brendan Tobin; Secretary: Patie Lonergan; Joint Treasurers: Maurice Cliffe and Anthony Sheehan; Committee members: David Lonergan, Mixer McGrath and Ollie Wall. Michael (Mixer) McGrath was appointed to do M.C. for the overall final.

The committee would like to thank our out going secretary Michael J. O'Regan for all his hard work over the years, he stepped down due to work commitments.



Pictured is the Junior Infants Class that started school at St. Mary's Touraneena National School in late August. The photo shows (from left to right): Laura Condon, Matt Morrissey, Tadhg Walsh, Cian Geary, Aaron Foley and Danielle Cantwell-Hopkins.

### SLIABH gCUA LOTTO

Winning numbers 9-24-29. No winner. New jackpot E1,100. 5 x E20 winners: Eamon Condon, Pat Keane, Eoin Kearns, Michael Kearns, Kenneth Burke.

Promoters prize of E20 went to Nuala Dunne.

Next draw in Dunford's on Sunday, 2nd October at 2pm.

### YOUTH GROUP

Well done to Chloe Lawlor and Sinead Kiely on their brilliant performance on "UP for the Match" last Saturday night on RTE 1. They opened the show, with their dance routine as part of the "RAGUS" show. You made us dizzy looking at you both!

Congratulations to the great Junior Cert achievements by our members - Danielle, Eimear, Elena, Daniel, Donnacha, Will. Well done to you all. By now, our former Leaving Cert students have started college, in their chosen fields. All four of them will continue singing with the Youth Group on Sundays. No doubt you will bring some new ideas back to us!

Now that the schools are back, the Youth Group practice is back to its routine Wednesday night practice. We held our first practice last Wednesday night, with a huge turnout by the young people and a very special welcome to Catherine Lonergan who is providing the vocal expertise! It is very clear the young people are anxious to get together and they are putting their own special touches to our Sunday Mass. Many people have been asking about us, but we have not gone away!

Next practice night is Wednesday October 5th.

### GAEILGOIRÍ SLIABH gCUA

Irish classes started last Monday night in the Community Centre. Anyone with a fair level of Irish interested in spending an enjoyable hour having a go at "Cupla 'focail' is more than welcome.

## Touraneena Racquetball Notes

### Richard Whitmore Winter League

The closing date for entries for this year's Winter Racquetball League which is been kindly sponsored by local businessman, Richard Whitmore Painter and Decorator is Friday next 30th of September. For anyone that is not entered and would like to, please contact Pat Dalton, Linda Skehan or Pat Keane.

The entry fee is free once your membership is paid. The league will be played on a knock out basis with first round losers entering a plate competition in each grade. The grades will be done up over the weekend and games can begin early next week. Players will get a maximum of 10 days to play their game (third level students will get 14 days). After that, once a game is not played, a walkover will be given to your opponent. The league will run through to December and the prizes will be given out at our end of calendar year night.

### Best of Luck

We would like to wish the very best of luck to 5 of our players namely Eileen Hickey, Julie Skehan, Garvan Dunford, Gemma Cliffe and Eithne Skehan who will be travelling to Kingscourt this coming weekend to participate in National trials to see who will represent Ireland at the World Junior Championships in December.

The Worlds will be played in the city of Juarez in Mexico from the 15-21 of December. The team will be flying out on the 10th.

### Congratulations to Naomh Brid

Our club would like to congratulate all involved with the Naomh Brid/St. Patricks under 12 football team on their recent victory in the county final. It was Naomh Brid's first ever county football title at juvenile level and it was great to see some of our players represented on the team.

### Club Coaching Nights

The club coaching sessions were made out last Thursday night and we start back again from this week. Monday, Thursday, and Friday nights will see the alley busy from here on in. The players who had their forms back on Thursday night last got first preference on the times. Monday and Thursday night sessions are completely booked up now so if anyone else want to join in the coaching, it will be Friday nights.

A full list of sessions and supervisors will be given to parents and supervisors are again reminded that if they cannot attend their allocated night, it is their responsibility to arrange a replacement.

### Jim Winterton to visit Ireland

The Racquetball Association of Ireland received a massive boost in recent weeks when it was confirmed that Jim Winterton from Colorado Springs, USA will be coming to Ireland next summer for a week long camp with the top juniors. Jim is regarded as the best coach in the world of racquetball. He has guided America to several world titles when he was National coach for 12 years. He also went to Mexico for a spell and again he steered them to the world title also.

He will spend a week coaching the juniors who will be on the development squads at the time so it is up to players who are not on them to work their way onto them. It is also up to the players who are presently on them to work hard and stay on them.

# BALLYMACARBRY NEWS



The children who began their school days at Ballymacarbry school recently. — (Photo - Tom Walsh B.C.L.)

## The End Of An Era As Bar Changes Hands

During the past week that well known bar in the picturesque village of Ballymacarbry 'Melody's' has changed hands and is now in the ownership at Martin Johnstone, a Clonmel man. This well known bar has been in the family for 150 years. First Johnny Connolly, then his nephew David Moroney, then his wife Bridget Moroney (nee Lonergan) and then Paddy Melody and now his son Pat Melody.

We thank them all for providing many decades of friendly service, good entertainment and above all, a well run premises ran by a kind staff. To the new owner we say welcome and to Pat and Carmel and the girls and their staff, enjoy your retirement.

## European Farrier Competitions In Clonmel

The last leg of the European Farrier Competitions will take place in Clonmel on Saturday, 1st October and Sunday, 2nd October. The only remaining horse shoeing competition in Ireland will be hosted at Ted Channons forge in Anglesea Street. This event, which will run each day from 9am to 5pm, is open to the public and competitors are expected from all over the country as well as from Northern Ireland, England, Scotland and Wales. The judges for what is the 14th annual event in Clonmel will travel from Northern Ireland. By coincidence, the competition ties in with the heritage and cultural aspect of the Ireland At Work exhibition, which is currently being hosted by the County museum at Mick Deahunty Square, Clonmel.

## Newcastle/ Fourmilewater Pioneers Celebrate

Fourmilewater Pioneer Council which was founded by the late Rev. Fr. Joseph Bracken C.C. in 1955, will be celebrating their Golden Jubilee in October. This special occasion will be celebrated with Mass in St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater on Saturday evening at 8pm. Pioneer pins and certs will be presented on the evening, and anyone who is entitled to a Gold Pin, 50 years in the association, or a Silver Pin, 25 years, or any young people who now wish to join Newcastle/Fourmilewater Pioneer Council, please contact Brendan O'Connor, President, Curraghateskin, Ballymacarbry or Mary Murphy, Secretary, Liam Lynch Tce, Newcastle.

## SOUTH TIPPERARY HOSPICE THANK YOU

The organisers of the Tea/Coffee morning held at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry on Thursday, 15th September in aid of South Tipperary Hospice wish to thank the many people who supported this worthy cause.

## PEAKS MOUNTAINEERING CLUB NEWS

John Byrne had the task of minding rather than leading the 9:30am walk. Starting from the Nire car park it was a nice warm up to the Gap, the Boolas and Crotty's lake. After that the walk got interesting with a gully out of Crotty's and a drop to Coumshingaun followed by a tough scramble in the middle gully before tapping out of Fas Coum. It was downhill then by Carrignagower and the Gap to the cars with all the crew well satisfied with a good start to the early morning walks for the year. Great to see Catherine and Philip back walking after a strenuous summer of walking all over Ireland. Just as well Catherine did not heed the advice of some less responsible member when she found a dead frog on the walk. There are easier and far safer ways of finding your prince, she does have her own Philip after all. Tommy Kearney led the 10:30am walk from the Mahon Falls, half the group took the gully to the right of the falls to the top while the rest made the long slog to meet them. When the group rejoined, Tommy headed for Knockanapeebra and a tour of the top, visiting Fas Coum, Coumshingaun, the Boolas, the Seanbean Ag Caith an Tabac, and the Coumloughs. Then dropping down to low ground at Countay, Tommy led his 13 well satisfied walkers home via the deserted farm to the cars.

The 12:30am walk was one of the largest to date with 30 walkers on the Comeraghs, some for the first time, and others making a comeback. The man in charge was Gerry Tracey, ably assisted by Andy Ryan and Justin McCarthy. The hardy and seasoned mountaineers Jimmy and Redmond also helped with advice and encouragement as appropriate. This walk started from the Nire car park and did a tour of lakes by way of Coumfea, Coumloughs and the Sgillegues visiting all the lovely lakes in excellent walking conditions. Well done to our first time walkers who got a pleasant introduction to the lovely Comeragh mountains in our own backyard.

Next outing Galtees.

## Fourmilewater Hurling Club Cards Results

1st: Tom and Margaret Brazil, Toureen West; 2nd: Larry Boyle, Knockmeal and Dick O'Donnell, Clogheen.

Lucky tables (2): Eugene and June Cooney, Clonmel; Pat and Mary Guiry, Rathgormack.

Cards each Friday night 9pm.

## LOTTO

Numbers drawn 4-13-14. No winners. 5 x E30 winners: Dean Power, Clogheen, Ballymacarbry; Mary Wall, "Hanora's Cottage", Glenanore; Biddy Ahearne, Mapstown, Dungarvan; Nellie Nugent, Newcastle; Eimear Gobnett, c/o Phelan's, Toureigh.

## COMMUNITY HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY

A public meeting will be held at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry on Thursday, 6th October at 9pm to discuss the need for community housing for the elderly in our neighbourhood, along the lines of the Newcastle development. The meeting will discuss if there is a need for such housing and what has the experience of other communities been. You are cordially invited to attend.

## TRAGIC DEATH OF 23 YEAR OLD CLONMEL WOMAN

It is with deep and sincere regret we record the tragic death of Miss Tracey Franey, Carrigeen, Clonmel who was fatally injured in a road accident in Limerick last weekend. Tracey was a passenger in a car that collided with a tractor and trailer at around 6am on Sunday morning at Grange East, Brittas, Limerick. She was removed by ambulance to the Regional Hospital in Limerick, where she died on Monday as a result of her injuries.

Aged 23, she was daughter of Charlie and Sandra and her untimely and tragic death has caused widespread shock and sadness in the local community. Pupils of the C.B.S. High School in Clonmel, where her brothers Anthony and Kevin are students, expressed their sympathy on Tuesday. Her remains were taken from the Regional Hospital, Limerick to Condon's Funeral Parlour, Clonmel where they lay in repose until Wednesday evening when they were removed to the Church of the Resurrection.

On Thursday morning requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of her gentle soul. After Mass her funeral took place to St. Patrick's Cemetery, Clonmel where she was laid to rest.

To her parents, brothers and her many relatives we extend our sympathy.

Go raibh loistin den scoit aici í measc na Naomh.  
(Undertakers Condon's, Clonmel).

## Man Crushed To Death By Slurry Tank

Tragedy struck Ballyclerihan, Clonmel at lunchtime on Tuesday last, 20th September when a 60 year old man was killed after a slurry tank crushed him. The accident happened just before 10am. The man who was not named up to Wednesday, was moving slurry tanks on to a trailer with the aid of a forklift when one of the tanks fell on him, pinning him to the ground. He was rushed by ambulance to Our Lady's Hospital, Cashel but he died later from the injuries he sustained. The accident is being investigated by Health and Safety officials.

## Late Mr. John Meehan

It is with deep and sincere regret we pen the death of Mr. John (Johnny) Meehan, Boolovounteen, Ballinamult which sad event took place after an illness of some duration at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan on Monday, 6th September.

Johnny in his early eighties was a member of a well loved and respected Sliabh gCua family, the Dick Meehan's of Boolavounteen. A man of outstanding qualities he possessed a wonderful, warm personality and made friends with ease. He was a caring neighbour abounding in Christian charity, who made an immediate and lasting impression, by virtue of his courteous and easy going nature.

A dairy farmer he supplied milk to the now defunct Knockmeal Co-op creamery with the horse drawn vehicle. He was a man who, when his days work was over, paid a visit to the local for a chat with his friends where they discussed prices at the fairs and later the marts. He was a devout Catholic and he rarely missed a function at Touraneena Church where he occupied the last seat at the rear of the Church.

On Tuesday evening his remains were removed after prayers were recited from the Kiely Funeral Home, Dungarvan to the parish church of St. Mary at Touraneena where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher P.P., Nire/Touraneena. On Wednesday, the feast of St. Cloud (confessor), requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his eternal soul. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher P.P. After Mass he was taken to his place of rest and he was laid to rest in the family plot with his parents Richard and Catherine and his brothers Willie and Tom, who predeceased him. Fr. Kelleher P.P. 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 treasure.

To his brother Tony and his many relatives, we extend our sympathy.

Maireann an chraobh ar an bhfal ach ni mhaireann an lamh do chuir.

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

## Late Sr. Elizabeth (Bridget) Comerford

It was with deep and sincere regret the district received the sad news of the death of Sr. Elizabeth (Bridget) Comerford, Melbourne, Australia, in her hundredth year in the loving care of the community of the Sisters of Nazareth, Camberwell, Victoria. Deceased was sister to the late Paddy Comerford, Garraduff, Grangemockler who died 3rd April 1982. His late wife was Bridget (Babe) Hickey, Knockroe, Colligan who died 3rd March 1982.

Sister Elizabeth's funeral took place on Wednesday, 21st September in Camberwell, Melbourne. A memorial Mass was celebrated in St. Mary's Parish Church, Grangemockler on Tuesday evening at 8pm.

To her nephews and nieces we extend our sympathy.  
Leaba í measc na Naomh go raibh aici.

## Wood Energy Demonstration At Lisronagh

A very successful demonstration of machinery suitable for wood energy production from farm forestry was held recently at Lisronagh by Teagasc, in association with Waterford Institute of Technology and the Forestry Development Association Co-operative. This event was attended by some 400 people, most of them owners of Farm Forestry which is approaching the first thinning phase.

With the increasing cost of fossil fuels, many are now considering the option of producing their own firewood for use in their own homes and also for sale. In addition, the possibility of selling wood chips for energy is now becoming a reality for farm forestry owners as more and more wood based heat and power options are installed throughout the country. Of particular interest on the day at the Lisronagh demonstration were the various machines for extracting thinnings from the farm forests including a quad based system with timber and a tractor and self loading trailer. Several wood chippers were demonstrated and in addition to the use of woodchips for energy production, there was particular interest among farmers in the use of woodchips for out-wintering pads for cattle. Many expressed an interest in adapting this approach on their farms. An impressive array of log splitters and firewood processors were on show, ranging from the domestic scale to commercial production scale. These make the job of firewood production more feasible. Several machines were sold on the day and there have been significant enquiries since the event.

The need to plan well in advance was the key message that John Casey, Teagasc Forestry Adviser in Mallow emphasised, as felling licences and road construction can take some time to organise.

## FOURMILEWATER GUN CLUB A.G.M.

Fourmilewater Gun Club held its A.G.M. at Doocey's bar, Ballymacarbry on Thursday, 22nd September. There was a full discussion on all aspects of the club's activities. A comprehensive report was given by the Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer. The Chairman thanked the landowners for allowing club members to shoot over their lands during the past season. All club members are covered by N.A.R.G.C. compensation fund. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President: Maurice O'Sullivan; Chairman: Paudie Halpin; Secretary: Patrick O'Sullivan; Treasurer: Bernard Hallinan; P.R.O.: John Lafford; Safety officer: Jim O'Loughlin.

## Two Physiotherapists Wed

Congratulations to two physiotherapists who are employed at the South Tipperary General Hospital, Clonmel who were married recently at Crooke parish church, Passage East. They were Dermot, eldest son of Michael and Kate O'Donovan, Ballinamona, Hospital, Co. Limerick and Angela, eldest daughter of Denis and Margaret Radley, Church Street, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. The reception took place in the Granville Hotel, Waterford and their honeymoon took place in the Bahamas.





# West Waterford Notes

## Fashion Show

Fashion show in aid of Youghal Community Hospital and Hospice will be held in the Walter Raleigh Hotel, Youghal on Wednesday, 5th October at 8pm. Admission is E15. Fashions by Touch of Class, Youghal. Models from Illusive Pro. Co. Your support would be very much appreciated.

## 21st Birthday Greetings

Belated congratulations to Richie Dee, Kilgabriel, Clashmore who recently celebrated his 21st birthday. Best wishes for the future and a very happy birthday to you Richie.

## Clashmore Ramblers

Ramblers played Lismore at home on Sunday and were defeated by the better team on the day with our only score coming from Vinny Coonan. Team for the Ramblers were Joe Collins, Brendan O'Connell, Shane Dalton, Pierce Coonan, Vinny Coonan, Anthony Lawton, Roger Ryan and Ger Ryan.

Subs used were Edmond Og Ledingham for Derek Cronin, Colm Hogan for Anthony Lawton.

Making a welcome return to our team is Derek Cronin, Derek returns after an extended stay in Sweden.

## Birthdays Greetings

Congratulations to Shirley Whelan who celebrated her 21st birthday with a party for family and friends at Ui Domhnaill's, Clashmore over the weekend. Happy birthday to you Shirley and all the best for the future.

Harvest Festival, Villierstown Villierstown Community Council are holding a weekend harvest festival commencing on Friday, 30th September with a Beauty Pageant in Villierstown Community Centre, to select the first ever Villierstown Harvest Queen, a supervised teenage disco will follow this. The fun and entertainment continues on Saturday night, October 1st with fun and frolics at the Cruiscin Lan.

On Sunday, October 2nd we have a family fun day with fancy dress starting at 2pm. Also face painting, bouncy castle, Bar-B-Que, etc. Music and craic again in the Cruiscin Lan on Sunday night. Don't miss out on all the fun and join us. Your support will be very much appreciated. Any queries or late entries for the Beauty Pageant are still welcome. Just contact Mary Landers or Michael Ronayne in Villierstown.

## Happy Birthday Sinead

A very happy birthday to Sinead O'Mahoney who celebrated her 18th birthday last weekend. Birthday greetings to you Shirley from all your friends.

## Craft Fair, Clashmore Heritage Centre

Now a renowned annual event, The Clashmore Craft Fair has gone from strength to strength and this year will be no exception. Based at the Heritage Centre in Clashmore, this prestigious event gives exhibitors both local and visiting an ideal opportunity to exhibit and sell their crafts and products. It also makes people

aware of the vast range of crafts available locally, leaving the stall holders receiving enquiries and orders long after the Craft Fair has ended.

Due to the lack of space available in the Heritage Centre, there is a limit to the amount of stands which we can accommodate each year, so it is advisable to book early. This year's Craft Fair takes place on Saturday, 26th and Sunday, 27th of November from 12noon to 6pm each day. To book a space a this year's Craft Fair contact Clashmore Enterprise Co-op Secretary Mrs. Veronica Curran at (024) 96229.

## Set Dancing

Set dancing resumes again in Clashmore. The venue for set dancing this season is the Heritage Centre and it resumes on this Thursday night at 8:30pm. Everyone is welcome and we would love to see some new dancers, beginners or otherwise, take the floor with us.

## West Waterford Pony Club

Activities at West Waterford Pony Club has slowed down with the return to school after a very eventful summer. Ponies and horses are on a well earned rest. Last Saturday 15 members were successful on gaining the C+ and C test which was held at O'Keeffe's, Tallow. Many thanks to Dr. Joe Oonagh and family for the use of their land and stables and to all who helped during the past few weeks. Congratulations to Shane Murphy and Kevin O'Brien both passed their C+ test. The following passed their C test: Colm McCarthy, Claire McCauliffe, Jane Mangan, Christina Toomey, Ashling McCarthy, Grace O'Keeffe, John Barry, Gavin Stone, Eimear Mulcahy, Roisin Smiddy, Laura Fitzgerald, Niamh Hegarty and Nicola McCarthy. Well done to you all.

## United Kingdom Trip

Welcome home to Christina Mooney who spent two weeks in England as a guest of the United Kingdom Pony Club. We hear you had a wonderful time and did West Waterford Pony Club proud.

## A.G.M.

Our A.G.M. will be held in the Devonshire Arms Hotel, Tallow on October 3rd at 8pm. It is vital to the survival of our club that all parents attend this meeting. We look forward to your comments on the past year and to your suggestions for the coming year. Please make an effort to attend. See you all there.

## Clashmore Visitor

Welcome home to David Hurton presently visiting his mum and dad John and Aggie Hurton in Ballyheeny. Hope you have an enjoyable break.

## Clashmore 45 Drive

Top of the winners list this week are Lucky Moloney, Bernard and Billy Allen, also Mairead and Michael Fahy both shared the top prize on eight games. In third were Tony Keane and Michael Hunt winning seven games. Best of the last five were Jim McGrath and Paddy Kelleher. Lucky last

game winners were Jim McGrath and Ed Hynes, Noel Nugent and John Cliffe. Well done all.

## The Lotto Jackpot E6,790

The Clashmore Lotto jackpot goes to an amazing E6,790 for next Monday night's draw which takes place at Ui Domhnaill's, Clashmore. Monday night numbers were 10-12-15-20 and the following were winners of E15 each. Well done to Shane Dalton, Piltown; Ann Seward, Piltown; Stags, Abbeyside; John Flynn, Cappagh; Anthony Dunne, Clashmore. Thanks to everyone for your continued support.

## Courses in Kinsalebeg Hall Beginning Shortly

If you would be interested in any of the following courses, which will be ran in Kinsalebeg Hall, beginning shortly, please phone Joan at (024) 94594 with your name and phone number as soon as possible.

### A. Family Learning

10 week course. E15 once off payment. This course is aimed at parents who feel that they need support in helping their children with homework and will include help with the curriculum, different approaches to reading and help with maths.

### B. Caring For The Older Person

This is a 10 week course (V.E.C. certificate of attendance). Cost is a once off payment of E15.

### Clashmore Fianna Fail Cumann

Senator Brendan Kenneally will be with us for his monthly clinic at the Rising Sun at 11:30am on this Saturday, October 1st. Everyone is welcome.

## CLASHMORE JUVENILE G.A.A. NEWS

A great week overall in all age groups with some great wins.

### U14 Football

I must have been very confused when I did the notes last week and I advised that the U14's were playing Ardmore in the Western semi final, they were in fact to play St. Pat's.

Apologies to all concerned.

The game against St. Pat's was played on Saturday evening last and the team put in their best performance to date and had a resounding win over the opposition. The Western final against Dungarvan will take place this coming weekend although the details have not yet been finalised. All players will be notified in advance. It is not often that Clashmore contest a Division 1 final so any support on the day would be very much appreciated by the players and mentors.

### U13 Hurling

We play Ardmore in the Division 3 Western final on Sunday morning.

Conditions were very blustery and at times wet, however, this did not detract from the quality of play. Both teams put up a great display and as one supporter said it was great entertainment for E3. All the Clashmore players put in a terrific effort right throughout the field and the final score was 1-6 to Ardmore 0-0. The scoreline certainly did not reflect the effort that Ardmore put into their play. Congratulations to all the team members and substitutes. It is great to collect a trophy after playing in the qualifying matches.

### U11 Hurling

We travelled to Fourmilewater on Friday evening last, where we took on a very competitive side. Play was very free flowing and it was great to see such an improvement in the style of play over the last number of weeks. We also recorded a win here. Final score: Clashmore 2-9 Fourmilewater 3-2.

The U11's have won all their matches to date and their next encounter will be with St. Oliver's which should also be a very close and enjoyable match. Players will be advised in advance to date and time, etc. but it could possibly be on this Friday.

### County Hurling Awards

This event will be held in Bushy Park Clubhouse on this coming Saturday at 8pm. Congratulations to two Clashmore players who are due to receive awards. Donal O'Connor at U14 level and Liam Keogh in U16. Well done to you both.

# Nótaí Na Gaeltachta

## An tOireachtas

Beidh clár teilifíse faoin amhránaí Nioclás Tóibín á sheoladh ag an Oireachtas i gCorcaigh i mbliana. 'Sé an tainm a bheidh ar an gclár ná 'Nioclás Tóibín, Orpheus an nDéise'. Beidh an seoladh ar an Aoine 4 Samhain ag 4pm in Óstán an Rochestown Park. Taistealóidh bus ón Rinn agus ón Sean Phobal go dtí an seoladh i gCorcaigh. Más suim leat taisteal ar an mbus, cur glaoh ar Lorcán ag (058) 46300 nó (087) 9107861. Beidh an clár féin le feiscint ar TG4 ar Lá Nollag.

## Ranganna Gaoluinne

Beidh oíche iontrála do na ranganna Gaoluinne sa Sean Phobal ar an Luain 3 Deireadh Fómhair i Halla Cholmáin ag 8.30 PM. Tosnóidh na ranganna ar an gCéadaoin 5 Deireadh Fómhair agus leanfaidh siad ar feadh 10 seachtaine. Má tá a thuilleadh eolais uait cur glaoh ar Chaitlín ar (058) 46299. Beidh an t-eolas faoi na ranganna Gaoluinne sa Rinn ar fáil i gceann seachtaine nó dhó.

## Clubanna Óige

Is féidir le clubanna óige cur isteach ar dheontas ó VEC Phort Láirge. 'Sé an 12 Deireadh Fómhair an sprioc-dháta do iarratais. Tá na foirmeacha iarratais ar fáil trí glaoh a chur ar an VEC ar (058) 45757 nó glaoh a chur ar Lorcán ar an uimhir (087)9107861. Beidh an cruinniú cinn bliana den bhun club / club óige sa Rinn ar siúil ar an Deardaoin 6 Deire Fómhair ag 8.00 sa Halla Phobail.

## Cúrsa céad-chabhrach

Má tá tú páirteach in eagraíocht deonach nó eagraíocht spóirt agus más suim leat freastail ar chúrsa céad chabhrach (First Aid) sa Ghaeltacht, téir i dteangmháil le Lorcán ar an uimhir (087)9107861.

## Deis

Tá an Chomhairle Ealaíon chun tabhairt faoi thionscnamh 3 bliana ar son na n-ealaíon traidisiúnta, ó 2005-2008. Tá €3 Mil-liún curtha ar fáil ag an gComhairle le haghaidh na céad bliana iomláine den tionscnamh. Beidh tacaíocht á thabhairt do cheol, amhránaíocht, rince traidisiúnta agus na healaíon béil, mar shampla an scéalaíocht agus an t-agallamh beirte. Tá Deis oscailte do dhaoine aonair, grúpaí, bannaí agus eagraíochtaí sa Ghaeltacht agus taobh amuigh den nGaeltacht. Is féidir a thuilleadh eolais a fháil ón Dr Liz Doherty ag (01) 6180269 nó ar ríomhphost liz.doherty@artscouncil.ie.

## Na Seanóirí

Beidh seanóirí na Gaeltachta ag buaileadh lena chéile ar an Máirt 4 Deireadh Fómhair ó 3 PM go 5 PM i Halla Pobail na Rinne. Buaileann na Seanóirí le chéile sa halla ar an gcéad Mháirt de gach mí.

## Eolas Teagmhála

Má tá aon eolas nó fógra go dteastaíonn uait foilsíú is féidir é a seoladh ar ríomh-phost go mfgdeise@eircom.net, nó cur glaoh ar Lorcán ar (087)9107861 nó (058)46300.

# Ballinameela

## Notes BADMINTON

A public meeting will be held on Tuesday next, 4th October at 8 p.m. in Ballinameela Community Centre with a view to forming a new badminton club in the area. As we now have state of the art facilities available in our new community centre - 4 badminton courts, showers, tea room, etc., we hope to have a large attendance at this information meeting. Ms. Brenda Barry (Badminton Union of Ireland) will attend the meeting and will inform us of every aspect of forming a new club. Parents who would like their children to play this wonderful sport should attend the meeting and we hope on the night to form a club.

So everybody interested, young or old, near or far, please come along on Tuesday - you are all very welcome.

# Bonmahon Notes

## NEWS FROM HAYSES

Congratulations to JP who was last weeks bonus lotto winner. Set dancing will take place on Wednesday night. Texas Holdem will take place on Friday night. Last weeks winners were Eddie McCarthy and Buddy Whelan.

## CONGRATULATIONS

To Nora Dwane who celebrated her birthday during the week. Wishing you many many more also wishing you a speedy recovery and hope to see you out and about again soon.

## KNOCKMAHON NS

Congratulations to the following boys and girls who have just started school in Knockmahon Fionn Sweeney, Alannah Barry, Liam Corbett and Thomas Hamersley.

## GREAT WIN

Congratulations to St. Anne's Ladies Football Minor team who beat Kilrossanty last Friday night in the Dunhill GAA grounds. This was the first round of the championship. The girls will now go on to play Ballyduff Upper. Wishing them the best of luck.

# New Look CENTRA for Abbeyside in Dungarvan



The new look of Nugent's Centra

The official opening of the new look Centra in Abbeyside, Dungarvan will take place on Saturday, 1st October,

2005, with a host of special offers and giveaways. The store which has doubled its size, has been totally revamped and

modernised to give a bright, spacious feel to the store.

Frank Nugent and all the Centra staff promise their customers a day to remember. Childrens favourite cartoon characters, Barney and Homer Simpson will be making a special appearance and a host of face painters, balloon makers and a magician will provide endless entertainment for both young and old.

A cheese and wine reception will be held all day instore, where staff members will be on

hand to introduce you to a wide range of wines stocked. Five TV's and a weekend break away will be raffled on Saturday along with lots of other great prizes and giveaways.

### COMMITMENT TO PROVIDING FIRST-CLASS SHOPPING FACILITIES

Frank Nugent says this expansion and local investment is in order to provide local people with first-class shopping facilities in their own community.

"We opened the store six years ago and since then our business has gone from strength to strength. We are conscious that we need to meet the needs of a growing community and provide the range and quality that shoppers de-



Large range of frozen food

serve, in a modern, convenient location, enabling more relaxed and hassle free shopping which is the ethos of the Centra brand. Our considerable investment in the store indicates

### FINEST FOOD AND WINES

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The fruit and vegetable section stocks a top class range of market-fresh produce. The delicatessen counter provides a great selection of specialty produce, as well as cheese, cooked meats, pate and freshly made salads. There's also a large range of hot foods, so customers can have nutritious meals without spending hours in the kitchen.

Another great feature is the wide choice of crusty bread, baked fresh each day in the store as well as a selection of cakes, doughnuts and pastries that are hard to resist.

The new state of the art licence stocks a complete range of fine wines and spirits. Wines from all the major wine pro-



Huge selection of fine wines and spirits

ducers in the local economy and demand from local shoppers for the kind of service Nugent's Centra provides"



The deli counter provides a great selection of hot and cold food

ducing areas are at surprisingly good value prices. Whatever your taste in wines or your preferred price range, you'll find plenty to suit in this store.



THOMAS HUNT  
Manager of Nugent's Centra

### CUSTOMER SERVICE TOP PRIORITY

Thomas Hunt, the newly appointed manager of Nugent's will manage the ultra modern store with a staff of 25 employees. Thomas is a native of Tramore and has ten years experience in the retail trade, having spent five years with Dunnes Stores in Waterford and the last five years with Su-

perValu in Tramore. Thomas paid tribute to the staff and said their constant dedication and professional approach is what has brought the store to this stage of its development. "The team in Nugent's set out to provide Abbeyside with top class shopping facilities and customer service and this further expansion is an acknowledgement of their commitment and hard work"

### SUPPORT FOR LOCAL COMMUNITY

Nugent's Centra are well known throughout Dungarvan for their support of local community development and are supporters of a number of local sporting, social and charitable initiatives throughout the year. Over the past three years, they have sponsored jerseys and goalposts for Abbeyside and Ballinacourty juvenile GAA teams and have also sponsored signage for Abbeyside FC. Frank Nugent believes that to invest in the local economy and become part of the community through sponsorship, job creation and the use of local services will contribute to the wealth and prosperity of the town.

### LEADER IN HYGIENE

Centra is leading the way in terms of hygiene standards, currently holding more Hygiene Mark Certificates than

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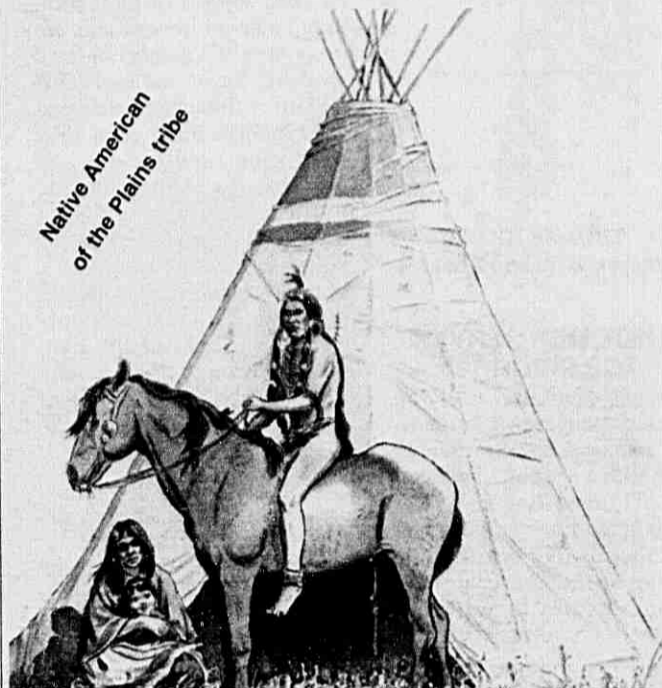
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# The First Americans

The first people to inhabit the Americas travelled from Asia, crossing the Bering Straits, between Siberia and Alaska, some 12,000 years ago. They gradually populated the whole of the Americas right down to Tierra del Feugo on the southern tip of South America. Over 11,000 years later, when Christopher Columbus landed in America, he thought he had reached the coast of India, so he called the native Americans that he met 'Indians'.



**Pilgrims Came From England**  
 Europeans began settling in North America from around 1540. First came Spanish missionaries who settled in present-day Florida and California. French and English farmers settled in what is now Virginia from 1584. The most famous group of settlers were the Pilgrim Fathers who came from England in 1620. They sailed from Plymouth, England, to found a colony in New England to escape religious persecution.

**Tea Was Thrown Overboard At The Boston Tea Party**  
 In the 18th century, the British imposed taxes on tea imported into America. The people of Boston, Massachusetts, decided that none of this taxed tea should enter America. They tried to get the ships turned around but this proved impossible so, on December 16, 1773, a party of men disguised as Native Americans boarded the ships and threw the tea into the water. This action, known as the Boston Tea Party, helped unite all the American colonists and 18 months later, the anti-British movement had grown so strong it led to the American War of Independence.

**DID YOU KNOW?**

★  
 The native peoples of North America spoke at least 300 different languages, so they sometimes communicated with each other using sign language.

★  
 Over half the states in the USA have Native American names

★  
 When Europeans arrived in America, they brought diseases against which the Native Americans had no natural resistance

★  
 The words chocolate, moccasin, tobacco, squaw and papoose are all Native American words

# Tallow Notes

## CIVIC RECEPTION FOR BRIDEVIEW DRAMA GROUP



Pictured above are members of Brideview Drama Group who were accorded a Civic Reception in the Civic Offices in Dungarvan recently. Also included are Co. Mayor Cllr. Ger Barron, Co. Manager, Ray O'Dwyer, Cllr. Nora Flynn, Declan Doocey and James Tobin.

By Kevin Kirrane

Waterford County Council honoured Brideview Drama Group with a Civic Reception to mark the Tallow groups success in winning the All-Ireland Drama Competition earlier this year.

Members of the group gathered in the Civic Offices in Dungarvan on Monday 12th of

September, where the reception took place.

Fianna Fail councillor, James Tobin, who proposed the honour, paid tribute to the members of Brideview Drama Group.

He said the group practices 3 or 4 days a week to perfect their performances. Only that week they had put on a great historic recreation outside the Carnegie Library in Tallow during the Horse Fair.

Amateur Dramatics in Ireland.

Brideview Drama Group has been in place for the past sixteen years. Last April's All-Ireland win in Tralee was the pinnacle of their success. The groups performance of the play "Moonshine" by Waterford playwright, Jim Nolan, wowed the audience and judges alike, leaving them at the very top of

Amateur Dramatics in Ireland.

Fine Gael councillor, Declan Doocey said it was with "great pride" that he seconded the proposal. Cllr. Doocey wished the group great success in the future, saying they provided great entertainment for those who attended the shows.

A presentation of a piece of Waterford Crystal was then made to the group.

## C.L.G. TULACH AN IARAINN – SPONSORED BY TALLOW AREA CREDIT UNION

### Committee Meeting

The monthly club meeting takes place this Thurs night in St Patricks Hall.

### Tallow GAA Lotto – supported by Kearney's Restaurant

19/9/05. Nos Drawn: 6, 10, 14, 22. No jackpot winner. Consolation prizes:

Dennie Cunningham, John Lyons, Diarmaid Hallahan, Jack. Promoter: Mairead Sheehan.

### Deise Draw

Please try and get all returns to Loretta by today (Wed) as she is travelling with the junior squad to Barcelona. As always she did an outstanding job organising the trip and collecting money. We will be staying in the Hotel Llorett, in central Barcelona. Where else?

### Glorious Tyrone

The unbridled joy that spilled on to the Croke Park pitch after Sunday's game was a sight to behold. I couldn't help but wonder, will we ever see the day.

### Sargent Cup Final 2004

Ballygunner defeated Tallow in this game played in Ballygunner on Sunday. I have no details as I was not in attendance.

### Tallow v Barcelona

Sounds good doesn't it. I always knew they would one day learn the beautiful game.

### HAT-TRICK FOR KNOCKANORE IN THE ACADEMIC FIELD

Congratulations to Knockanore Trio, Noel Cunningham, Laura Collins and Shane O'Neill who each won scholarship awards at the Blackwater Community School presentation evening last Friday in Lismore.

This was a tremendous achievement for the students and the parish of Knockanore, Glendine, Kilwatermoy to have 3 winners from 24 on the night.

All are past pupils of Knockanore N.S. Shane O'Neill collected the Gold Medal for Chemistry as well as the Scholarship Award for Arts. Laura Collins won the Scholarship Award for Tourism & Catering while Noel Cunningham won the Scholarship Award for Business. Congratulations again to all and we wish them continued success in their third level education. Thankyou to the Principal and Staff of the B.C.S for a wonderful evening.

### CARRIGLEA COLLECTION

In excess of 2000 euro was raised in recent collections at Tallow and Ballyduff churches. The money raised will benefit Carriglea Training Centre. The organisers would like to thank all those who contributed so generously. They would also like to thank Fr Farrell in Tallow and Fr. Cullinane in Ballyduff who facilitated the collections.

## BRIDEVIEW UTD A.F.C. NOTES

### Lotto

Our lotto was not won this week so our jackpot now stands at € 4500. We had one match 3 winner, Andy Cunningham and he receives € 20. Next weeks draw will take place in the Corner House and this will be on Saturday night.

### Junior Soccer – Premier League Gortroe 2 – Brideview Utd 2

This was a timely away win for Brideview and put them right back in contention for league honours again. William Henley gave Brideview a goal start five minutes into the game with a well taken goal. Soon after Gortroe levelled the game after a mix up in Uniteds defence. Brideview looked to be sailing when a low shot from William Curley hit the net to give us a 2-1 lead on thirty five minutes, but Gortroe pegged us back with an equaliser shortly before half-time. Brideview controlled the second half and goals from William Curley and brother Michael confirmed Brideviews superiority.

Brideview – JP Grey, P Henley, G O'Neill, S Pratt, K Casey, M Curley, S Barry, J Doyle, E Hickey, W Curley, W Henley.

### Second Division – Cappelquin 2 – Brideview Utd 2

Both teams deserve great praise for turning out on a night like this. Turn up they did and served up a very entertaining match. Ian Farmer scored a great free kick to give United the lead but Cappelquin equalised soon afterwards. Andy McCarthy hit a second goal and it looked as if we would hold out for a win. Aidan Kearney shot wide midway through the second half and Ian Farmer saw his header just fly wide after great work by the Brideview midfield. Michael Norris nearly put the game to bed but his shot just went the wrong side of the post. But on the stroke of full time Cappelquin goalied to make it 2-2. Brideview will be disappointed not to take all three points but it was great to see such heart from two teams.

### Ladies Soccer

Mary Pratt will be training our U-12 panel on Wednesday nights. At the moment our ladies are very enthusiastic about training and there is great camaraderie every night at these sessions. We are hoping to run a tournament shortly for them on the all-weather pitch.

### Under 12 – Brideview 3 – An Gaeltacht 5

On a wet Saturday afternoon we headed to Ring to play an An Gaeltacht in an Under-12 league match with a very young team. It was however the youngsters that shone and Michael and Stefan Tobin along with Lee McElroy all played excellent. Kieran Fraser and Sean Barry were solid in defence and Noel Condon didn't put a foot wrong. Jonathan "Dudek" Tarapacz got a hand to each goal that past him and Ray Barry who scored two fine goals and Andrew O Riordan played well in midfield. Up front Robert O Sullivan also scored a great goal by lobbing the keeper from long range. His partner up front was Shane Roche who played very well and kept up the long tradition of players from Knockanore and environs playing for Brideview.

Brideview – J. Tarapacz, Michael Tobin, Kieran Fraser, Sean Barry, Noel Condon, Robert O'Sullivan, Ray Barry, Andrew O Riordan, Stefan Tobin, Lee McElroy, Shane Roche.

### Under – 14 – Brideview 0 – Cappelquin 3

No Report to hand.

### Sympathy

To the Cahill Family (Nee Leech) of Fermoy and Castleyons on the sad and sudden passing of Jane. May she rest in peace.

### Birthday Greetings

Stephen O Hara celebrated his eight birthday last Wednesday and on Tuesday Martin Walsh will be six.

### Fixtures

No Junior games this weekend, schoolboys check with managers

### Pitch News

The pitch looks to be coming on nicely and within two to three weeks we will be back to playing at Brideview Park. For everyone involved it will be a great relief to have teams back playing at home again. When finished Brideview will have one of the finest grounds in Munster.

### Living In Tallow

Living in Tallow often takes you back to the way things were. When Brideview were starting out we played an away game in Curraglass (out beside Carr's) and we jogged out the road to play the game. After the game we had to return using the same mode of transport. Looking back it was fine but I'm glad we've come this far.

### Barcelona

We would like to wish the local hurling club a safe trip to Barcelona this weekend word has it that Ronaldinho is an avid GAA fan and Henrik Larsson played a bit of shinty during his time a Celtic. We have attached a few phrases which may help you on your travels

Quiero ver el menú, por favor – I would like to see the menu, please.

De postre quiero flan – For dessert, I'll have apple tart.

Queremos ir a un partido de fútbol – We would like to go to a football match.

Adónde podemos comprar entradas? – Where can we get tickets?

He perdido el autobús? – Have I missed the last bus?

No me siento bien. – I feel unwell.

Debo llamar en Irlanda – I need to telephone Ireland.



# LISMORE NOTES



## TIDY TOWNS COMPETITION 2005

# Lismore Clean Up In National Tidy Towns Awards

**TIDY TOWNS 2005**  
Centre: Lismore. Category C  
Date of adjudication 05/08/2005

	Maximum Mark	Mark 2005	Mark 2004
Overall Developmental Approach	50	47	47
The Built Environment	40	37	36
Landscaping	40	39	39
Wildlife and Natural Amenities	30	28	27
Litter Control	40	38	38
Tidiness	20	18	18
Residential Areas	30	26	25
Roads, Streets and Back Areas	40	36	36
General Impression	10	9	9
<b>Total Mark</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>275</b>

### ADJUDICATION REPORT

#### Overall Developmental Approach

Heartiest congratulations to your committee and all your supporters for winning the National Tidy Town Awards last year. Together with the Regional Award, the County Award and the Gold Medal Award you made a "clean sweep" in more ways than one. A wonderful effort which has been again repeated this year. All the information you have sent with the entry form indicates that there has been no letup in your efforts and that of you partners - Waterford County Council, Schools, FAS, local organisations and residents, the evidence of which was to be seen in Lismore on adjudication day. Your planning document which goes to the end of 2005, will now need to be updated for next year starting with a survey of what you would expect to achieve in 2006 and what will ideally be achievable for 2007 onwards.

#### The Built Environment

Again this year wonderful work has been carried out in the maintenance of your public buildings, all of which were seen on adjudication day - both Churches, Schools, Heritage Centre, County Council Offices etc. Blackwater Community School is a fine building and is matched in its presentation by the new Library. Work on the old Railway Buildings was in progress on adjudication day as indeed was work on other building sites throughout the town. Walls, both old and new looked resplendent and are a lovely feature as are, in many cases, their adornments by way of baskets of flowers. The blending of the old and new buildings continues apace through a mix of landscaping, stone walls and similar type open spaces. The monument in the centre of the town is a lovely feature but its railings, which were much admired last year, seems to have disappeared. Do replace it with something similar in preference to flowers or shrubs. The Grotto is a lovely presentation and were much admired also. Commercial premises throughout the town reflect greatly which their owners have in maintaining the impetus started last year and they are to be congratulated for it. It is true to say however the odd premises, although looking well, would benefit in the near future from a coat of paint.

#### Landscaping

The high standard of last year has again been reached this year with some wonderful displays all over the town. Large displays were again to be seen on the approach roads from Tallow and Cappoquin, at the Lismore Hotel, at both Churches, in the vicinity of the Grotto, at the new Blackwater Community School and indeed in many streets where large areas of flowers and shrubs looked resplendent in the summer sunshine. As one has now come to expect in Lismore individual commercial premises and indeed houses throughout the main areas made their contribution to the overall by the provision of hanging baskets, window boxes, tubs of flowers and planters. In fact one could not turn a corner without being faced with a blaze of colour from flowers and shrubs of all varieties. The advent of hanging baskets on lamp standards seems to have been extended this year and is to be welcomed. The astounding appearance of the Millennium Park just goes from strength to strength. A new sculpture has appeared there and was much admired. The waterfalls, the flower beds and the tree and shrub planting are just exquisite and was obviously being much enjoyed by the many visitors who were there on adjudication day.

#### Wildlife and Natural Amenities

Your list of priorities under this heading in your report have

been noted and obviously excellent work is being done through your Heritage Centre, with the Wild Life Ranger and with your re-stocking programme which is ongoing. On this occasion ducks were seen on the canal. Your proposal to erect a wildlife notice board is indeed a good one and perhaps could be augmented by the provision of a piece of literature giving details of what species can be seen locally which would be of interest to both residents and visitors alike.

#### Litter Control

For the second year running Lismore was litter free on adjudication day. What a wonderful achievement. When going around the town it was so gratifying to see people, particularly young people, putting their litter in the bins which seem to have increased in number since last year. Great credit is due to your community for their attitude to the litter problem, the result of which has manifested itself in Lismore again this year.

#### Tidiness

There was a good deed of building taking place in Lismore at the moment which is leading to some untidiness particularly in the area of the Church. This however will pass and has been allowed for in the adjudication. The town had a lovely neat and tidy appearance on adjudication day. In passing however it should be mentioned that car parking in the main street in particular is becoming a problem. Inadvertently this does create an 'untidy' appearance. Perhaps as part of your future planning you might consider discussing with your Local Authority the question of the provision of off-street parking.

#### Residential Areas

New housing estates in Lismore are maturing very nicely. Open spaces are being well maintained and some lovely landscaping was to be seen in many of them. Older estates equally looked very well and many had mature trees and shrubs which created a lovely atmosphere and living environment. Many, both old and new, had lovely gardens in full bloom on adjudication day which were lovely to see and had a high level of maintenance. Those living in terraced houses without front gardens were not to be outdone and provided beautiful window boxes, hanging baskets and tubs of flowers to augment the wonderful effort that is being made throughout the town. This type of collective and individual effort is most important under this heading. Again a big 'well done' to all concerned.

#### Roads, Streets and Back Areas

Approach roads are beautifully presented and create a lovely impression for the town. In this connection the Cappoquin and Tallow roads are some of the finest examples of what approach roads should look like but other minor approaches also look extremely well and one did not have to travel very far before being met by some lovely landscaped displays. Road surfaces are quite good the exception, on this occasion, being the roads in the vicinity of the Church where building work is taking place. However this has been allowed for in the adjudication and will, no doubt, solve itself in time. Pathways are also being very well maintained and in all of this great credit is due to your Local Authority for their efforts.

#### General Impression

After last year it is difficult to find words to describe Lismore which continues to develop, blossom and bloom and is always a joy to visit. A high standard of maintenance throughout the town, some lovely landscaping, the wonderful Millennium Park and Lismore's many historic buildings will ensure that this situation will continue for a considerable length of time to come. Great credit is due to all for another wonderful presentation.

#### Second Round Adjudication

The castle looked as majestic as ever on the Dungarvan approach. The fruition of Lismore Castle Arts is looked forward to. Once again Millennium Park was being well enjoyed. The public toilets were commendably clean. Prolific planting was to be seen throughout with scarcely a weed or piece of litter to be seen. Street cleaning was in progress during adjudication. It seems that the Community Centre carpark still has more scope. The town centre is improving every year but there are still several individual properties which could be enhanced. The Cathedral Mall is always enjoyed. Recent stone wall buildings in front of some heretofore open yards is welcome. Numerous exceptionally well tended gardens were noted and where the fine terraces immediately address the street exemplary floral displays were admired. Some untidiness albeit temporary has been created by the civil engineering works but the new road surfacing and paving augers well.

## New to Lismore 'Storybox' Carer And Toddler Group

We are opening this Thursday for our first meeting in the room above the Library (opposite the Bank of Ireland) at 10am and thereafter from 10.30 until 12 noon. This is a new group which aims to provide a service to the community where adults and children can develop friendships, share experiences and information and enjoy a short time together in a safe, supportive and friendly environment. We welcome all carers; mums/dads, childminders, grannies/granddads, au pairs... and their little ones.

We will have safe sturdy toys to suit all ages from 0 to 5 years old. There will be art and craft activities, dressing up clothes, circle time for singing and music and of course a story or two before we finish.

The adults will get the chance to meet other carers and have a cup of tea whilst having the opportunity to enjoy some time with the children too.

Everyone is invited to lend a hand with the organisation of the group and any ideas or suggestions are welcomed. Subs are 2 euros and there will be a registration fee of 5 euros payable before Dec 1st. We look forward to welcoming everyone on Thursday for our grand opening! Any further enquiries to Noreen or Debbie on 53601 or 086 1902912.

## LISMORE SOCCER NOTES

### Understrength Lismore Lose To Ardmore

On Sunday morning last we had league leaders Ardmore as visitors to Lismore. With a very understrength outfit we made our visitors work very hard in the first half, in fact we probably played the better football. Ardmore however took the lead early into the second half with a very suspicious offside looking goal, that lead lasted only 4 minutes. Nicky Donnelly crashing home the equaliser from 10 yards. As expected Ardmore came more into the game and took control on the 60th minute from the penalty spot. The away side were dominant for the remainder of the game and added 2 more goals late into the match to win by 4 goals to 1.

It has to be said the effort given by the bare 11 lads who toggled out on Sunday was excellent but when your playing the likes of Ardmore at this level you do need bodies, maybe our second string side who had a good win on Sunday with a panel of 23 players might have players with a bit more ambition to play at the top level someday, they would be welcomed but I guess it is top level!

#### LISMORE UNDERAGE SOCCER

Our under 12 side start their league games this Saturday with a trip to Valley Rangers (Conna). Cars will be leaving at 2.15 pm and cars will be needed. On Friday week the under 8 and 10's will start their games at the astroturf in Lismore for all their games under lights. Finally anybody who has not purchased the soccer draw tickets should do so this week.

# LISMORE NOTES

## Lismore to Host Munster Fleadh Cheoil 2006

The Heritage Town of Lismore has been selected as the venue that will host the 2006 Munster Fleadh Cheoil. This event will take place on the weekend July 14th - 16th 2006.

A full programme of traditional entertainment is planned for this weekend. It's five years since the Munster Fleadh Cheoil was first held in Lismore. Many will remember that particular weekend where thousands of music lovers basked in sunshine and enjoyed a weekend of outstanding traditional entertainment.

Planning is currently underway for the 2006 Fleadh and the organising committee is currently putting together a most ambitious programme of traditional music and entertainment. So be sure and note this weekend in your 2006 Diary. Further details on this weekend will be made available over the coming weeks; in the meanwhile all queries on this weekend should be directed to the tourist information office in Lismore Heritage Centre, Tel 058-54975.

## LISMORE HARRIERS HUNT CLUB

The Annual General Meeting of Lismore Harriers Hunt Club was held at the West End Bar on Thursday night the 15th. September. The meeting was well attended. In his address outgoing Chairman Matt Houlihan gave a resume of the club's activities during the year and thanked everybody including our sponsors for their support. He also expressed a special word of thanks to all landowners for their cooperation. New members are always welcome and encouraged to join.

After the presentation of the Secretary's and Treasurer's Reports, the election of Officers and the Committee for the coming year took place. Outgoing Secretary Nuala Rohan and Treasurer Mary Cliffe choose not to go forward for the coming year. The club greatly appreciates the dedication and commitment that Nuala and Mary have given over the years and who are always there to give their assistance when needed.

The following Officers were elected: Chairman - Matt Houlihan, Vice-Chairman - Michael Hannon, Secretary - Gerard Walsh, Assistant Secretary - Derrick Rohan, Treasurer - Ailin Walsh, P.R.O. - Ger-

ard Walsh. Joint-Masters: - Ben Daunt, Michael Hannon and Pat Cronin. Huntsman: - Ben Daunt. Whippers-In: - Richie Rohan, Kieran Norris, Bob McCarthy and Jonathan Hannon. Joint Field masters: - Michael Hannon and John Landers.

Committee: - Matt Houlihan, Gerard Walsh, Ailin Walsh, Michael Hannon, Ben Daunt, Pat Cronin, Mary Cliffe, Annette Cliffe, Catriona Cliffe James Sheehan, J.P. Houlihan, Pat McCarthy, Bob McCarthy, John Landers, Nuala Rohan, Richie Rohan, Derrick Rohan, Johnny Rohan, Kieran Norris, J.D. Leahy, Jonathan Hannon, Jennifer Hannon, Michael Cummins, Michael Walsh, Deirdre Walsh, Willie White, Tim Kirby, Aine Cronin, Leo Donnell, Eithne Walsh, Katie Prendergast, Stacey O'Gorman.

An Ordinary Meeting immediately followed the A.G.M. The main topic for discussion was the forthcoming Annual Fun/Charity Ride. This is the second year the club has organized this event. This year's Fun Ride will start in Lismore on Sunday 2nd. of October at 1pm. Everybody is welcome.

## Charity Theatre In Lismore This Weekend

Just a quick reminder about The Evening of Intimate Theatre, at Ballyrafter House Hotel this Saturday night, Oct 1, in aid of the National Breast Cancer Research Institute, with over 15 actors from all sorts of drama clubs doing all sorts of dramatic, funny and interesting pieces. There will be an extended interval so everyone can enjoy Ballyrafter's always excellent wine punch and savouries (included in your ticket price).

Tickets cost €15 and can be bought at Lismore Books, Main St, Lismore (call 058 54650).

Lots of West Waterford businesses have provided fantastic sponsorship and raffle prizes (thanks also to new sponsors, Bride View Bar, Roche's Centra Lismore and Phyl's Hairdressing Lismore). There is a huge amount of goodies to win at the raffle. Tickets for the raffle cost €5 a strip and can be bought in advance of the night from Sile at Blackwater Community School, at Lismore Books and at various Health Centres in West Waterford.

Tickets for the night are limited and selling well, so please phone or call, because we can't guarantee they'll be available at the door on the night.

## LISMORE HALLOWEEN FANCY DRESS

Due to the phenomenal success of last year's Halloween Fancy Dress Parade, Bonnie's Bouquets, New St., Lismore, will be holding the event again this year on Bank Holiday Monday, October 31st at 2.30 p.m. Please note assembly point at Bonnie's Bouquets. So there's lots of time to prepare costumes which we hope will be just as wonderful as last year. All proceeds will go to the Lismore/Ballysaggart Playground fundraising committee. Excellent prizes for the following U-5's, 6yrs - 12yrs, single/family.

## Boots Pharmacy Award-Winner Is Heart Of Community

At Ireland's first ever Pharmacist Awards this year, Mr. Bernard Leddy of Mari Mina Pharmacy, Waterford deservedly received the accolade of Retail Pharmacist Contribution to the Community Award, sponsored by Boots Healthcare. Over 20 Irish pharmacists were short-listed as award finalists and winners were announced at the gala black tie dinner and ceremony in Dublin's Berkeley Court Hotel on Saturday, 10 September 2005.

As chairman of the Lismore Mochuda Development Company Ltd., a company Mr.

Leddy has been with since 1996, he has actively been involved in transforming employment and tourism opportunities in the town. These include the highly-successful Lismore Business Park development and the Millennium Park project, which saw Bernard Leddy working tirelessly to retrieve land from the wilderness and transform it into a public park which was officially opened in May 2002 by Minister Martin Cullen.

He has also been a member of Lismore Town Council since 1993 and is a member of Waterford County Council's Culture and Heritage Strategic Policy committee, as well as being involved in Immrara (an old Irish word for journey), the Lismore Festival of Travel

Writing, which has been running in June of each year since 2003.

Having lived in Lismore for 24 years, Mr. Leddy, who is married with four children, said of his involvement in the community, "Much of Lismore has remained unchanged since the end of the eighteenth century when the Duke of Devonshire built it to service his castle. My work to ensure that any developments don't impinge on the natural beauty and history of the area was an absolute labour of love, which was born with pleasure and for no personal gain."

Mr. Leddy continued, "Every profession has its own equivalent of the 'Oscars' - a prestigious event where peers can converge to celebrate and commemorate the most auspicious professionals in their industry and aspire to become one of the honoured elite. Now pharmacy is also getting the recognition it deserves."

The event was open to all pharmacists working in hospital, community, industrial and academic pharmacy settings and highlighted excellence across the profession.



## C.L.C.G. Lios Mor

### Club Gear

We now have a range of Club Polo Shirts and Rugby Shirts for Sale. Anyone who wishes to purchase same - they will be available at the Community Centre on Monday nights between 7.30 and 8.00 p.m.

### Senior Hurling

Our Senior Hurlers played Stradbally in the quarter final replay on Saturday evening in Fraher field. Lismore got off to a great start with an opening goal from Michael "Chicken" Shanahan within minutes of the throw in. Six more points followed giving us a half time lead of 1-6 to 0-3. Within 2 minutes of the restart a Dave Bennett free found its way to the back of the net. Lismore continued to knock over points leaving us 2-15 to 0-5 at the final whistle. Team Brendan Landers, Mike O'Sullivan, James O'Connor, Shane Kearney, Shane Bennett, Peter Howard, William Cunningham, Eoin Bennett, David O'Gorman, Dan Shanahan, David Howard, Paul Prendergast, Michael Shanahan, Dave Bennett, and John Heneghan. Subs Mark O'Sullivan for P. Howard, Mattie Prendergast for W. Cunningham, Aidan Ormonde for M. Shanahan, Chris O'Keeffe for Mark O'Sullivan and Brendan Bennett for P. Prendergast. Well done to all the lads and best of luck to them in the semi-final against Ballygunner next Sunday.

### Fixtures

Senior Hurling Semi Final against Ballygunner is fixed for next Sunday afternoon in Fraher field at 3.15 p.m.

### Lotto

There was no winner of the €2550 jackpot on Monday night. The winning numbers were 1, 5, 18. Next week's jackpot will be €2700. The €15 winners were as follows: Stephen Curran, TSB Dungarvan, Jason Tobin, New Street, Lydia O'Brien, Kilbree and P. McGarry, Castlecourt.

### Lismore GAA Golf Classic

A sincere word of thanks to all those who supported our Annual Golf Classic. Again, this year we had fantastic response from all our sponsors and all those who participated in this our main fundraising event of the year. A special word of thanks to all those who helped in the organisation and co-ordination of the weekend which is no easy task.

## Lismore Golf Club

### RESULTS

Tuesday 20th Sept Bacon 1st Seamus Beecher, John McGrath, & John O'Sullivan, Sunday 25th September 12 Hole Stableford 1st Paudie Flynn (13) 28 Pts. Annual Ashes Match versus Dungarvan in Dungarvan, Dungarvan lead by 10 Holes.

### FIXTURES

Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd 18 Hole Stableford, Tee Reserved from 11.30 to 12.15 on Saturday 1st.

### LISMORE LADIES GOLF CLUB

Results - Wednesday, 21st September 18 Hole Stableford Ballyin Cup - 1st: M. Fives (25) 39pts; 2nd: M. Cashman (23) 38pts.

Sunday, 25th September Open 3 Ball sponsored by Pa and Joe O'Flaherty. - 1st: P. Lonergan (19), J. Cahillane (18), A. Bennett (22) 85pts.; 2nd: C. McCarthy (27), T. Barrascala (32), E. Daly (36) 80pts; 3rd: N. O'Sullivan (19), C. Dowd (19), M. Morrissey (21) 79pts; 4th: K. Moynihan (19), G. Barry (20), M. Fives (25) 77pts; 5th: A. Horgan (24), M. TJ Murphy (30), M. Murphy (33) 73pts.

Fixtures - Wednesday, 28th September 18 Hole Stableford FDI Ltd, Lismore.

18 Hole Daily Mail Foursomes until 6th October.



President's Prize to the Ladies at Lismore Golf Club - (l. to r.) Ted Keniry, President, JoJo Tobin, Winner and Bree Condon, Lady Captain. (Sean Byrne Photography)

Recipes



# COOKERY CORNER

## Caramel lamb with a redcurrant sauce

**CARAMELISED** lamb chops with sweet redcurrant sauce and sharp minty green beans.

- Ingredients:**  
 Serves 4  
 4 thick lamb chump chops  
 Salt and pepper  
 50g granulated sugar  
 1 x 15ml sp cooking oil  
 Butter  
 1 medium onion, thinly sliced  
 100g mushrooms, thinly sliced  
 1 x 15ml sp flour  
 2 x 15ml sp red wine vinegar  
 2 x 15ml sp redcurrant jelly  
 210ml lamb stock  
 1 or 2 fresh sprigs rosemary  
 Dash of Worcestershire sauce  
 25g butter (to fry beans)  
 200g green beans  
 1 x 15ml sp mint sauce

**Method:**  
 Preheat oven to 200°C/400°F/Gas Mark 6.

Season chops with salt and pepper and coat with sugar. Heat oil in a frying pan, add chops and fry for five minutes, turning halfway through until golden. Remove chops and place on a greased baking tray. Bake for about 12-15 minutes.

Meanwhile, melt a knob of butter in the pan and fry the onion and mushrooms until softened. Add the flour to the pan and cook for one or two minutes.

Increase the heat, add red wine vinegar and boil to reduce. Add the redcurrant jelly, stock, rosemary and Worcestershire sauce, and bring to the boil. Cook until thickened and season



to taste with salt and pepper.

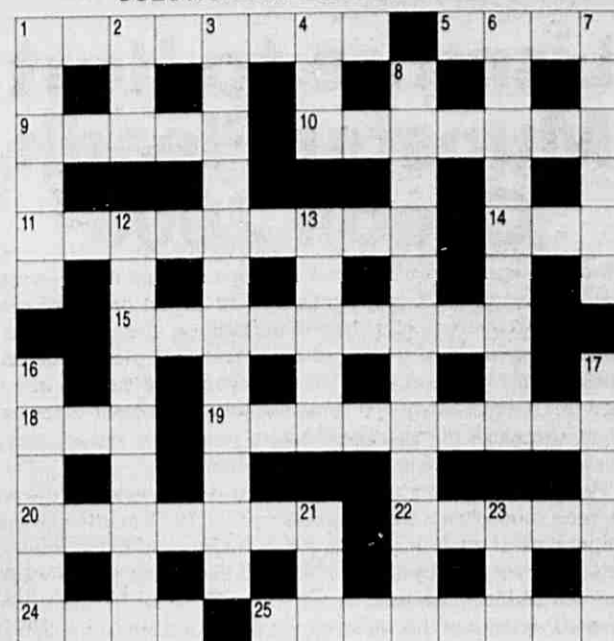
For the minty green beans, heat the butter in a frying pan, add the green beans and mint sauce. Fry for 2-3 minutes then season with

salt and pepper.

To serve, spoon the minty green beans into the centre of four plates, place a lamb chop on top and spoon the sauce over the top.

### Leader Crossword

SOLUTIONS AT BOTTOM OF PAGE



**ACROSS**

- 1 A spontaneous or natural liking (8)
- 5 Sultanate important for dates and oil (4)
- 9 A secret rendezvous between lovers (5)
- 10 One of the woollen textiles used for clothing (7)
- 11 Supplied with the means of living (9)
- 14 Andy Capp's wife (3)
- 15 Shines brilliantly (9)
- 18 "Award yourself the ——" urged the old TV commercial (1,1,1)
- 19 A person who dislikes or fears foreigners (9)
- 20 South American republic to which the Galapagos Islands belong (7)
- 22 Island is in New York Harbour (5)
- 24 Ballet costume that can be classical or romantic (4)
- 25 Walked in an ostentatious way (8)

**DOWN**

- 1 Bear witness to the existence or truth of something (6)
- 2 Any insect of the order Diptera (3)
- 3 Chemical compound often referred to as laughing gas (7,5)
- 4 A make of shoes (3)
- 6 A public declaration of policy and aims (9)
- 7 Wrestling hold that can be half or full (6)
- 8 First address by a new MP to the House of Commons (6,6)
- 12 — Studios was founded in 1912 as the Famous Players Film Company (9)
- 13 A claw of a bird of prey (5)
- 16 Anagram of CITIES (6)
- 17 Pulled or combed gently into separate strands (6)
- 21 Substance in cells that carries instructions from DNA (1,1,1)
- 23 — lines are associated with paranormal phenomena (3)

### Healthy hake with beetroot

HEALTHY, low fat, fast food. A tasty meal which won't pile on the pounds.

Ingredients: Serves 4

- 250g cooked beetroot, cut into matchsticks
- Fine strips from one orange
- Juice of one orange
- 4 hake fillets, approx 100g each
- 30ml fresh, chopped herbs, dill, chervil and tarragon
- Salt and freshly ground black pepper

Method:

Pop the beetroot strips into a pan with the orange strips and half the orange juice. Heat gently for eight to 10 minutes or until piping hot, stirring frequently. Arrange hake on a grill rack, and sprinkle with the remaining orange juice. Cook for 3-4 minutes or until the fish is cooked through. Divide the beetroot between four warmed plates.

Carefully arrange the hake on top and sprinkle with herbs and seasoning.



### Meringues and whipped cream

WHO can resist a light, sugary snack that melts in the mouth?

Ingredients: Makes 6

- 3 medium egg whites
- 180g caster sugar
- FOR THE FILLING:**
- 450ml double cream
- 50g icing sugar, sifted
- 1/4 x 5ml sp vanilla extract

Method:

Preheat the oven to 110°C/225°F/Gas Mark 4. Line a baking tray with baking parchment. Whisk the egg whites with an electric whisk until they are stiff – this will take about five minutes. Check that the egg whites are stiff enough by turning the bowl upside down. If the egg whites stay in the bowl, then it's the right time to add the sugar. The mixture should be stiff and glossy. With the whisks running, add the sugar a tablespoon at a time, making sure that all the sugar is absorbed before adding more. Using two dessert spoons, spoon the meringue mixture on to the prepared baking sheets – there should be about 12 mounds of meringue in total. Bake in the oven for 1 1/2 hours, or until dry and crisp. Turn off the oven and leave meringues to cool in the oven. Lightly whip the cream, and fold in the icing sugar and vanilla extract. Spoon the flavoured cream on to the flat surface of the six meringues. Top each with a plain meringue. Serve in paper cases.

### Health Tips from "Remedies"

#### FATTY ACIDS

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### Leader Crossword

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- ACROSS:** 1 Mishmash, 5 Norm, 9 Laird, 10 Sea legs, 11 Old school, 14 The, 15 Minelayer, 18 Ion, 19 Bath towel, 20 Castles, 22 Exide, 24 Muse, 25 Quotient.  
**DOWN:** 1 Milton, 2 Sci, 3 Medicine ball, 4 Sis, 6 Overthrow, 7 Musket, 8 Harley Street, 12 Demonises, 13 Owlet, 16 Sitcom, 17 Albert, 21 Sou, 23 Ice.

# Cappoquin Notes

## AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN GAA NOTES

### Minor Hurling B Western Final

#### Cappoquin 0-11 Ballyduff 1-08

This very exciting game was played last Saturday at the Lismore venue between two very evenly matched and committed teams.

JJ Devine opened the scoring for Cappoquin with two fine points early on before Ballyduff came back strongly to lead by two points at the break.

We started the second half well and added five points without reply to lead by three midway through the half. It was at this point that Shane Fives sustained a nasty head injury and had to come off after a long period of treatment. His loss was to prove a major factor in the team as Ballyduff struck for a goal to leave the minimum between the sides. Paul Murray pointed an inspirational point from way out on the side line to give us the lead again before Ballyduff scored a last minute free to tie the game.

This was a great game of hurling and the two teams should be proud of their performance on the day. Both teams were very well prepared for this game and the two management teams deserve great credit.

For Cappoquin, Paul Murray was outstanding at centre back and was also our top scorer with five points, two of which from play. David Kett had a fine game at full back as did Gearoid Coughlan at corner back while Shane Fives, JJ Devine and Mark Landers all had fine games while Ian Mason made two great saves near the end to ensure the game finished level.

#### Thanks

The club would like to thank Geraldine Murray and Phil Hannon Ballyduff for their help when Shane Fives picked up the injury.

The team and scorers were as follows: Ian Mason, Killian

Denn, David Kett, Gearoid Coughlan, Eoin Landers, Paul Murray (0-5), Shane Fives (0-2), Mark Landers, Joey Kett, Paul Barry, JJ Devine (0-3), Dan Dransfield, Shane O'Rourke, Olan Murray, Daithi Wilkinson. Sub: Finan Murray (0-1) for Joey Kett.

#### Minor B Football Western Semi-Final Affane 3-11 Ardmore 3-04

This game was played two weeks ago as we qualified for the western final again against Ballyduff. This game is fixed for next Sunday in Lismore at 2:00pm but players and supporters are asked to check with the management team because this fixture is not yet confirmed and could be changed.

The team played very well against Ardmore after a slow start.

The team was as follows: David Leahy, Gearoid Coughlan, Killian Denn, Shane Fives,

Mark Landers, Eoin Landers, Joey Kett, JJ Devine (0-1), Paul Barry, Paul Murray (2-7), Dan Dransfield (0-2), Ian Mason (0-1), Shane O'Rourke (1-0).

#### Club Lotto

Draw held in the Central Bar, Cappoquin 19th Sept.

Draw 1: €10,000 No winner  
Numbers Drawn: 15, 16, 18 & 26. Draw 2: €5,000 no winner. Numbers Drawn: 1, 4, 12 & 21.

#### Consolation Prizes

Jeremy Nicholson, Cappoquin, Noel Looby Kilbree, Roberta Cahill, c/o Paddy Cahill, Adam/Chris Kavanagh, Shanbally, James Morrissey, c/o The Central.

#### The Winners of the All-Ireland Football Tickets

Toinette Power, Catherine Scanlon, Pat Devine & Aidan Power.

## CAPPOQUIN F.C. NOTES

#### B Team

On Saturday night we played our first home game against Brideview on a miserable night. We had nearly a full strength team and started well with some good attacking. Tom Landers and Joe Barry were playing well in defence. It was very difficult to play in such wet and windy conditions but all players played well.

We went 1 up 5 minutes into the game when Paul Landers swung in a corner and big Mick got a foot to it and placed it in the bottom corner.

We then had a good shot by Colin Lander saved well by the Brideview goalie. We conceded a stupid free kick just outside the box and the Brideview player stuck it to the back of the net. We were putting in good work with Paudie and the two Johnnie's in midfield and Darragh up front. We went 2-1 down just before half time with some sloppy defending, the Brideview player got a touch and it rolled in to the net.

The second half started with Paudie playing a good ball through to Paul who fired just wide. Johnny Morrissey was then sent off after a Brideview player punched him. It was a very harsh decision by the ref! We pushed forward trying to get the equalising goal and it came five minutes from time when Darragh played in his brother Cathal who calmly stuck it away with a neat finish.

The game ended 2-2 which was a fair result.

Man of the match; Tom Landers.

Team; Mason, J. Barry, McCarthy, T. Landers, Bishop, P. Landers, Morrissey, Buckley, C. Landers, Paul Landers and Darragh.

Subs; C. Barry for Joe Barry. K. Casey for Buckley. C. Wilkinson for C. Landers.

## BUNSCOIL GLEANN SIDHEAIN

Since early September, the school has been a hive of artistic activities - all thanks to our involvement in the Waterford County Council's Artist in Schools Scheme. The school wishes to thank Rita Scannell who has acted as our resident artist throughout the month and also Margaret Organ, Arts Officer, Waterford Co. Council for her support and help. We have been delighted with the level of parental involvement in the scheme, we thank all parents who volunteered their help and talents to us on a daily basis. The school also thanks the transition year students from Blackwater Community School, Lismore for their help and commitment to us throughout the month of September.

An Art Exhibition of all pupils work including a framed piece of art to be exhibited in the front hall to take place on Thursday, September 29th in the school at 7 pm. All welcome to attend.

## WEST WATERFORD DARTS

We held our AGM last Monday week. We had a very good turn out. Our Chairman for the last couple of years Aidan stepped down. Aidan put some work into West Waterford darts and yes you will be missed. Thanks for all the work you've done.

The committee is as follows - Chairman; Liam O'Donnell. Treasurer; J. Quinn. Secretary; Pat Troy. PRO; T. Sullivan. There is a meeting next Monday night in the Village Inn in Aghlish at 8.30 pm sharp. All names and money must be in at the meeting. The draw for the 7 singles will be made. Any club not there will not enter the singles.

## CAPPOQUIN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LTD LOTTO RESULTS

Lotto for 26th September. €6,500. No winner. Winning numbers were 1-4-5-13. Next lotto jackpot will be €6,600. Consolation prizes went to: Maura Greene, Joan Walsh, John Dalton, Ossie Fraher, Garry Morrissey, Sir Richard Keane.

Next weeks draw will take place on Monday, 3rd October. All proceeds go towards the Community Centre.

## RAILWAY ATHLETIC F.C. NOTES

# Juniors Bow Out of Munster Cup

#### Railway 1 St. Otteran's 2

On Sunday last our junior team made their exit from this season's Munster Junior Cup at home to St. Otteran's. This was a real type of Cup game with both sides going for it from the very start. We played some very good football throughout the first half. It was no surprise when we opened the scoring. John Lynch made no mistake with a great finish. The away came more into the game but our work ethic was outstanding with every player giving his all. We created a few more chances before the break. But to no avail we finished the half well leading by one goal to nil.

In the second half the away side had a go at us. But could not break down our defence who done very well throughout. The away side got an equaliser from set play when only a half cleared effort fell to a St. Otteran's player who gave our keeper no chance to put us on level terms.

Once again we went at the visitors and put a lot of pressure on their defence but could not break them down. We had a strong appeal for a penalty but play was waved on. As always when a team is on top but can not score the other team breaks and scores, that happened, so overall we did very very well. Now we can look forward to the league.

#### Under 14 Property Partners League Railway 1 Hibs 1

On Saturday last our under 14 team had city side Hibs at home. Hibs came down from the A league. Our lads are having a very good season so far. This was a very close game, just before half time a cross from Gavin Pratt which Michael Nugent headed home in the second half Hibs were very strong but our lads defended well but with 3 minutes on the clock the visitors scored the equaliser. Probably a fair result.

#### Under 12 Property Partners League

Our under 12 side had played two games and won but on Saturday they came up a very strong Kilmacthomas side. This side are very young but did very well and played some lovely football at times.

#### Kennedy Cup and Under 12 Trials

On Sunday last we had our players involved in trials for the Waterford under 12 + Kennedy Cup squads. All our players done well. More details over the next few weeks.

#### Tots Training

Just a reminder any boys or girls from the age of 5 up are more than welcome to join our club. We have training on Tuesday at 7 pm and Saturday morning at 10.30 am.

#### Fixtures for Weekend

Saturday 1st October under 13 home to Hibs at 11.45 am.  
Sunday 2nd Oct Junior away to

Villa at 11.00 am, leaving at 9.15 pm.

#### Training

Thursday Schoolboys at 7 pm. Thursday Juniors at 7 pm.

## Cappoquin Macra Na Feirme Notes

#### BOWLING

Padraig Flynn and Thomas Foran represented the club in the bowling competition in Waterford last weekend. Well done to both.

#### KNOW YOUR AGRICULTURE QUIZ

The club will be attempting to retain their County title of the Know Your Agriculture Quiz this Friday 30th September in Keighry's, Kilmacthomas. Best of luck to the team.

#### KILKENNY NIGHT OUT

On Saturday 17th September, 18 members travelled to Kilkenny for a night out. By all accounts, it was a very enjoyable night and there are already plans for a return visit.

#### NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will take place on Friday night 14th October at 9.15pm in Affane Hall. Members are requested to bring their affiliation fee to this meeting. We will also be discussing the forthcoming Queen of the Land competition in Tullamore, Co. Offaly and the Macra Na Feirme National Conference which takes place in Sligo at the end of November.



# Horoscopes with Ali

This week's horoscopes are provided by Ali, one of Ireland's most gifted mystics.

For a more complete reading dial the 1550 number listed beside each star sign.



## ARIES Mar 21 to April 20

Let things take their own pace. Don't expect someone to tell all. Romantically, adopt an "all in good time" attitude and your path will remain positive. Appreciate that your deepest romantic dreams can be fulfilled. Don't just be a romantic dreamer in love, but in life too. Professionally, reach for the stars. The higher you aim, the higher you will go! ☎ 1550-920-257

## TAURUS April 21 to May 21

Professionally, you are quite the hero and leading the field. Personally, be prepared to protect your territory. Splashing out will give you a much needed boost but could land you in financial hot water. Essentially, don't spend what you don't have. Practice patience. Everything is ticking over nicely, so you can afford to take a well-earned rest. ☎ 1550-920-258

## GEMINI May 22 to June 21

Others will have to respect an important decision, even if they don't fully agree with it. As ever, you have taken everyone into account, although this might not be immediately appreciated. Spilling the beans too soon could prove to have disastrous consequences. Be thankful for small mercies and major miracles. Saturday promises a pleasant surprise. ☎ 1550-920-259

## CANCER Jun 22 to July 22

This is a day when the facts speak for themselves. Avoid thinking of yourself as being too old or too young for any course of action. Attitude and approach are all important. Someone does something really sweet for you and makes you smile. It is good to have a friend. In work or business, you feel that you have taken one step forward and two steps back. Keep trying. ☎ 1550-920-260

## LEO July 23 to Aug 22

At home, congratulate someone on a fine performance. At work and at play, team work is essential if you are to get things done. Avoid falling into the trap of making comparisons. Remember, we are all different and none of us are perfect. Over the week, the pieces of a jigsaw finally came together, giving you a complete picture. Family news proves intriguing. ☎ 1550-920-261

## VIRGO Aug 23 to Sept 22

Outwardly you give the impression of being confident but inwardly you are insecure. Life patterns are changing and this is especially evident today. You are more than capable of dealing with a challenge and will pass with flying colours. An amazing realisation gives you lots of food for thought but it is also important to take action. ☎ 1550-920-262

## LIBRA Sep 23 to Oct 23

Someone springs a surprise. Wait until the dust settles before responding. Typically so patient, at the moment, you are prone to over reaction. Avoid stress and tension. Set yourself realistic goals, ones that you know you are likely to achieve. Throughout what is left of the weekend, watch you don't burn yourself out. Don't overdo it. ☎ 1550-920-263

## SCORPIO Oct 24 to Nov 21

Don't forget to get adequate sleep. You may be super, but you are not super human! Avoid pushing yourself beyond your limits. This is a week that brings ups and downs but also the opportunity to clarify issues once and for all. If you are finding working on your own a hard slog, why not rope in a friend. Recognise that you don't have to go it alone. ☎ 1550-920-264

## SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 to Dec 23

You have new thoughts on old issues and must be prepared to listen to advice. Be prepared to trust those who are more experienced than you. Lacking incentive? Make hard work enjoyable by planning a 'reward' system. Slot in time for a favourite pastime. The satisfaction of reaching a goal will make all that sweat and effort worthwhile. ☎ 1550-920-265

## CAPRICORN Dec 24 to Jan 20

Now that pressures are easing off, recognise that an occasional lapse in your routine won't do you any harm. Today, be sure to allow for some spontaneity. Now that you have accomplished the impossible, give yourself a pat on the back and treat yourself to an extravagant reward. Remember that best friends stick together. Loyalties are important to you. ☎ 1550-920-266

## AQUARIUS Jan 21 to Feb 19

You need a stress strategy. Do something you enjoy to relax and unwind. Someone has a unique interpretation of right and wrong and you may differ on a point of principle. It is time to stop pussyfooting. Let others know that convenient excuses won't work anymore. You are in the mood for some straight talking. Shoot from the hip. Take no prisoners. ☎ 1550-920-267

## PISCES Feb 20 to March 20

It may be human nature to rewrite the past, but do your best to let sleeping dogs lie. Going back over old ground is barking up the wrong tree. It's a dirty job and someone's got to do it but does it have to be you? Be sure that those around you don't take your efforts for granted and are prepared to share the load. Finances improve through the week. ☎ 1550-920-268

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## Dungarvan Leader - GARDENING FEATURE

# Amazing splash of winter colour

If you are looking to brighten up the winter months, now is the time to consider planting some amazing amaryllis.

Modern amaryllis hybrids are properly known as Hippeastrum, which means knight star and have large flamboyant stary trumpets which spring from huge papery bulbs. Thick smooth leafless stems, often which can be half a metre tall, are topped by four or five of these outside blooms, making an impressive display.

Amaryllis have long been popular plants as they flower easily and produce huge showy trumpet-shaped flowers which brighten up any dark corner of a room.

There countless varieties available of this native of central and south America. Some are slightly scented, particularly the white flowers. Popular varieties are Red Lion (red) and Orange Sovereign (dark orange). An example with a sweet fragrant is the Apple Blossom in tones of pink and white.

If you would like something a little different from the usual trumpet-like blooms, look for the double-flowered amaryllis Blossom Peacock variety, which has striking flowers that are white, strongly striped and edged in red.

The amaryllis Papilio has extraordinarily beautiful maroon-and-white flowers, which are ideal indoors or in a conservatory. Once new variety which is making an impression is the Amalyis La Paz.

This is a beautiful and unusual variety, with delicate-looking cream- and red flowers quite unlike traditional varieties.

Plant the giant bulbs in late September, keep in a cool room, such as a conservatory, and within six to eight weeks two or more flower spikes will develop and explode into bloom.

If you plant bulbs towards the end of September or early October, you should be rewarded with a collection of showy flowers around Christmas. Before planting in a peat-free potting compost, soak the base and roots of the bulb in lukewarm water for a few hours. The large bulb should be buried up to its neck in the potting compost, being careful not to damage the roots. Press the compost down firmly to set the bulb securely in place after planting. Place the pot in a warm place with direct light since heat is necessary for the devel-

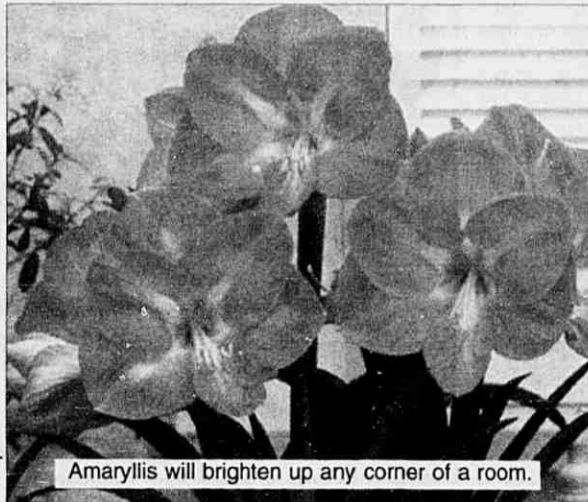
opment of the stems.

The ideal temperature is 20°C, 68°F and water sparingly until the stem appears, then, as the bud and leaves appear, gradually water more.

The stem will grow rapidly once started and bulbs will flower in seven-10 weeks as a general rule.

Naturally, in winter the flowering time will be longer than in spring so plan your planting schedule between October and April with this in mind. To achieve continuous blooms, plant at fortnightly intervals for stunning colour throughout the winter months. After the amaryllis has stopped flowering, it can be saved to flower again. Cut the old flowers from the stem after flowering, and when the stem starts to sag, cut it right back to the top of the bulb.

Continue to water and feed with weak liquid feed as normal all sum-



Amaryllis will brighten up any corner of a room.

mer, or for at least 5-6 months, allowing the leaves to fully develop and grow. When the leaves begin to yellow, which normally occurs in the early autumn, cut the leaves back to about 6cm from the top of the bulb and remove the bulb from the compost. Give the bulb a good clean and place it in a cool, dark place such as the crisper of a refrigerator for at least six weeks. But beware, do not store amaryllis bulbs near any apples as this will sterilise the bulbs. Remove bulbs from storage just before you would like to plant them - allowing eight weeks before you would like them to flower.

### THIS WEEK IN THE GARDEN

Sow schizanthus for spring flowering  
Sow now in order to have really large schizanthus for spring decorations in the greenhouse or conservatory.

Sow seeds thinly in well-drained seed boxes using a seed compost and germinate in a frame. The cooler the conditions the better.

Sow winter spinach and spinach beet  
Choose a sheltered place and make a sowing of prickly-seeded spinach to stand the winter. Sow the seed thinly in drills 2.5cm deep and 30cm apart.

You can make a sowing of spinach beet now for use in winter and spring. This useful variety of beetroot is grown solely for its leaves, used as a spinach substitute.

Start to gather mushrooms from outdoor beds  
If you were able to make a mushroom bed in the open in July you should examine it now for the first mushrooms.

Gather the buttons (young mushrooms) as they form. The bed should continue well into the autumn.

Make new strawberry plantations  
Strawberry runners pegged down early last month should have made good roots and can be severed from their parent plant. A few days later, lift them carefully and plant them in new beds. Choose a good open position and soil that has been deeply dug and well manured. Plant 30cm apart in rows 60cm apart.

Pick and summer prune apples and pears  
During this month and through September you should continue to pick apples and pears as they ripen. Continue to summer prune the trees but strive to complete the work by the end of the month.

# Colaiste Chathail Naofa

## No Name Club Presentation

The College was delighted to welcome the Dungarvan 'No Name Club' to the college during the week. A very informative presentation was given to our fifth year classes by club members, John Donovan and Paddy Fitzgerald. The students were then shown a video of events held throughout the year by the club. Simon Waters, a member of the club contributed to the question and answer session. Many application forms were given out to potential new members so well done to all concerned.

## New College Chaplain

The college extends a very warm welcome to Fr Paul Waldron who visited the college recently as our new Chaplain. We wish Fr Tim O'Riordan our congratulations and best wishes in his new role in Abbeyside. Sincere thanks to him for his involvement in the college.

## Sporting Activities in Colaiste Chathail Naofa Senior Gaelic Football

Result:- Colaiste Chathail Naofa / Scoil San Nioclás Ring 0 - 15 St Augustine's B 0 - 6

The combined team of ourselves and Scoil San Nioclás, Ring had a very good victory over the Friary B team on Friday 16th September. Representing the Coldiste were Craig and Graham Guiry (The Nire), Patrick Quinlan (Kilrossanty), Gavin Crotty (D'van), Simon Waters (Colligan), Kenneth Moore (D'van) and Fiachra Breathnach (An Ghaeltacht).

## Post Leaving Cert Courses

The college, once again has huge numbers attending the Post Leaving Cert courses. These courses lead to fulltime employment or help to access further education. The courses running this year are:-

1. Business Studies Administration
2. Information Processing
3. Childcare
4. Community Care
5. Beauty Therapy
6. Art, Craft and Design
7. Accountancy Technician

## Physical Education Swimming Lessons

Swimming lessons, which are being run as part of the PE programme will be starting after mid term. Details in relation to this activity have been given to all first and second years for their parents. If parents have any questions please contact Ms. Ryan.

## Extra - Curricular Activities

Badminton training has been running each Tuesday lunchtime for the past few weeks. Many pupils are training hard and all pupils are welcome and are encouraged to start. School teams will be selected shortly.

Table - tennis continues each Thursday lunchtime. The school is entering the Cork league this year and teams will be entered shortly. Anyone interested turn up on Thursdays.

Well done to the Ladies Footballers who played Meanscoil San Nioclás on Wednesday. Many girls gave superb performances with Sarah Fraher and Sarah Keohan taking some great scores. Well done to the First years - Aisling Kirwin, Katie Buckley and Colette Cleary, who had their first game with the school. It was a trial match as this year the schools are entering as a combined team and certainly there will be great competition for places. Next week they will have their first U15 league match against Presentation Clonmel. Best of luck girls!



On the 29th of July some of the third year Home Economics students entered their Junior Certificate craft project in to the Dungarvan Agricultural show. These students were delighted to have had the opportunity to enter these projects into a Home Industries class for all to admire their great work. Maria Fitzgerald came first in the appliqué class for her exquisite handmade appliqué cushion, while Sharon Power came second in this class for her fantastic appliqué baby quilt. The following students Sandra Cliffe, Sarah Daly, Jennifer Keegan, Elizabeth Morrissey and Natalie Tobin received highly commended prizes for their talented work. Well done to all students who took part in this local event.

This year the school is entering U15 and U18 Ladies Soccer teams. Competition will be commencing shortly, anyone interested keep your eye on the notice board for details.

## Junior Certificate Results

Students, Parents and Teachers

of Colaiste Chathail Naofa were very pleased with the excellent Junior Certificate results achieved this year. The fine results were the culmination of hard work and consistent effort throughout the last three years. In congratulating the students Mr

Buckley stated that they had laid a very solid foundation for pursuing their Leaving Certificate.

These students, along with many new students, are now following the Leaving Cert Vocational Programme or the Leaving Cert Applied Programme.

## St. Declan's Community College Notes

By now all students and staff are well back into the routine of school days following the long summer break. We would like to welcome back Ms. N. Lucey who has returned to the school following a career break and Ms. C. Prendergast who has taken up a new job as an English teacher in St. Declan's. A warm welcome also to our new school Chaplain, Fr. Keogh and to those teachers who have returned following maternity leave.

After a routine opening fortnight things have certainly got busier this past week with a number of events and activities taking place.

## OUTDOOR PURSUITS

Forty second year students travelled to the Balinglass Outdoor Education Centre for three action packed days from Monday 19th September to Wednesday, 21st September. These students were accompanied by Mr. B. Swaby and Ms. J. Cashman and stopped en route in Clonroche for a quad-biking session. It was on to Balinglass then for kayaking, abseiling, rock-climbing, and archery, hill walking and orienteering. These three days were thoroughly enjoyed by everyone despite some inclement weather and it was a tired and weary party who returned to St. Declan's.

## FIRST YEAR MASS

Our annual 1st year mass took place last Friday, 23rd September in our Lady of Mercy Church, Kilmacthomas. The 1st year mass is always a special occasion and serves to welcome this new group of students to St. Declan's. The importance of this new beginning was reflected in the readings and prayers. Fr. Crowley praised the students for their con-

tribution in the preparation of the mass. We would like to give a big welcome to our new Chaplain Fr. Martin Keogh. Unfortunately he couldn't be with us to celebrate this occasion.

## BENEFIT NIGHT

The Parents Council of St. Declan's Community College are holding a fund-raising event on Saturday 22nd October. A dog night will take place in Kilcohan Park and tickets for the event, priced at €10 are on sale from any member of the Parent's Council. The Parents Council have always played a huge role in helping the school and we would ask everyone to support this event.

## ECOLOGY TRIP

6th year Biology students travelled to Fota Wildlife Park on Friday 23rd September to study the ecology of the area which is one of the finest in Europe. Ms. Curran and Mr. Meleady accompanied these students who all gained an excellent insight into one of the most important parts of the Leaving Cert Biology course.

## INFORMATION NIGHT

This took place last week for the parents of first year students. It afforded the parents an opportunity to discuss all aspects of school life and pose any questions they had in relation to their children's second level education.

## EXAM RESULTS

Congratulations to all the Leaving Certificate and Junior Certificate students who all achieved excellent grades in their exams last June. We would also like to wish all last year's Leaving Certificate students the best of luck as they embark on their new careers.

## SPORTS NEWS

While no sports events or fixtures have yet taken place all the school teams are busy preparing for the new season. Once again St. Declan's will compete in a number of sports with teams entered in Hurling, Football, Soccer, Ladies Soccer, Hockey and Ladies Football. Students are reminded to watch the Sports Notice Board for details of training and fixtures news.

## EQUESTRIAN - ALL IRELAND EVENT

Our horse enthusiasts are back in action at the moment preparing for the All Ireland second phase event in Portlaoise on 9th October. This competition is a combination of show-jumping and hunter-trials in both an individual and pairs competition. This is a tough competition as it eliminates those that only show-jumping or only compete in cross-country. You have to have a pony/horse capable of both. We have new members from 1st year so here's to a safe season of competition to all our riders.

## HOCKEY CAMP

A Hockey Camp will take place for all 12 - 18 year olds on 29th, 30th and 31st October. The venue is Newtown in Waterford on the astro-turf pitch. Coaches from Munster and Irish teams will be present with a small cost of €50.

## U-13 IRISH SQUASH CHAMPION

Congratulations to Brian Dunbar (1st Year) who won the All Ireland in Galway last weekend. This is a superb achievement at such a young age for Brian. The Final was played against Sean Caheny from Connaught beating him 3-2. Well done Brian!!

## Blackwater Community School News

### Scholarship & Academic Awards Night a Resounding Success

Last Friday night saw the culmination of our awards scheme for the class of 2005 with the presentation of scholarships, gold medals and certificates to those who strove to be the best they can be. Mr Ring in his opening address said it was fitting to honour those who did well and wish them the very best in their future paths. He welcomed the sponsors, patrons, parents, students and guests to this special night and outlined how all were involved in rewarding and celebrating excellence in all its forms at BCS. He also advised the students not to be afraid to encounter risks in the future for it is in taking risks we learn to be brave. Go out and make a difference. The main awards on the night were:

### ADULT EDUCATION

Mr Brendan Dunlea, Head of Adult Education, presented award certificates to Mrs Mary Flynn and Ms Karen Higgins for successful completion of ECDL.

### GOLD MEDAL AWARDS

Gold Medals were awarded to: Eoin Landers in Irish, Patron Mrs Bridie Martin

Kirsten O'Brien in History, Patron Mr Liam Mulcahy, Knockanore Cabins

Eleanor Fitzgerald in Business, Patron Mr Ted Keniry

Eoin Landers in Mathematics, Patron CTEK Computers

Donna Tobin in Art, Mr Arthur Maderson

Kirsten O'Brien in Physics, Patron Dr Barry Lordan

Paul Barry in Geography, Mr Gerard Mc Grath

Eleanor Fitzgerald in Music, Patron Willie and Laura Roche

Eoin Landers in French, Patron Mrs Nora Flynn

Elizabeth Geary in Social and Scientific, Patron Mr Ollie Wilkinson TD

Kirsten O'Brien in Agricultural Science, Mr Dooley & Howard Auctioneers

Shane O'Neill in Chemistry, Patron Don and Michelle Hanrahan

John Fenton in Construction Studies, Mr Martin Rafferty

Eoin Landers in Applied Maths, Dr Noreen Barry

Brendan Bennett in Biology, Patron Mari Mina Chemist

Eoin Landers in Accounting, Patron Bank of Ireland, Lismore

### MEMORIAL AWARDS

The Tony Bolger/ Jack McCarthy Memorial Gold Medal in English was presented to Sean Coughlan. Elaine Meagher received The Florence McCarthy Memorial Award for Community Service.

### ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Michael Madden Scholarship for Education recipient was Eleanor Fitzgerald

Mossie Hyland Scholarship for Civil Engineering recipient was Brian Walsh

Kieran Fenton Scholarship for Diligence recipient was Karen Hannon

John Ring Performing Arts Scholarship recipient was Anita O'Keefe. Kitty Luskin Scholarship for Nursing recipient was Lisa Fitzgerald

Arts Education Scholarship Patron: James Hyde, Lismore Books recipient was Shane O'Neill

Apprenticeship in the Construction Industry Scholarship Patron: Mr Thomas Hyland recipient was Michael Higgins

Art and Design Scholarship Patron: Mr Jonathon Ackroyd recipient was

Science Scholarship Patron: Mr Michael Mc Grath recipient was Kirsten O'Brien

Sports and Leisure Scholarship Patron: Mr David Walsh recipient was Brendan Bennett

Business Scholarship Patron: A.I.B., Lismore recipient was Noel Cunningham

Scholarship for Legal Studies Patron: Mr Neil Twomey recipient was Aoife Walsh

Catering and Tourism Scholarship Patron Ann Marie Costello, Bride View Bar recipient was Laura Collins

Enterprise Award sponsored by Mr Tony Glavin was presented to Richie Houlihan

Creativity Award sponsored by The Lismore Dramatic Society was presented to Shane Fenton

The highest Junior Certificate Achiever Award and highest Leaving Cert Achiever Award sponsored by Tom and Marie Cavanagh were presented to Grainne Walsh and Eoin Landers, respectively.

Michael Moroney received the Overall Student of the Year, sponsored by Tallow and Lismore/ Cappelquin Credit Unions.

Julie Landers received the Community service award while one of the biggest cheers on the night was reserved for Sr De Lourdes who was the recipient of the Blackwater Community School Hall of Fame award.

### CAMOGIE

#### Blackwater v. Mercy Heights Waterford

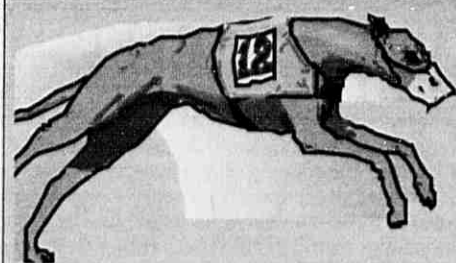
The BCS team comprised of players from first to sixth year and put on a performance to be proud of, the girls were beaten by a team a grade above them by a mere two points. It was evident from the start that this Blackwater school team was not going to give up easily. There were a number of strong contenders for player of the match, from our goalkeeper to goal scorer and everyone inbetween. It is very clear even after only three weeks that this team is a dedicated and skilful unit that will no doubt go far in the championship.

#### Camogie success

Best of luck to senior student Aisling O'Brien who has been selected to play in goal for the Irish Shinty (camogie) team that will travel to Scotland in early October to play against the Scottish team in championship. Aisling also plays in goal for the Munster team who will play against Ulster in Dublin on October 15th. She captained the Waterford U18 camogie team this year and came second in the Munster Long Puck competition.

#### SPHE Presentation

On next Monday night October 3rd at 7.30 pm Ollie Grace will give a presentation to the Parents/guardians of first and second year students outlining the SPHE programme for students its content and methodologies. All Parents/Guardians are invited to attend.



# GREYHOUND NEWS

BY MARK PHILLIPS

Friday Sept 23rd

## Swift Classic In A Hurry

The showcase event on last Friday nights twelve race card was the final of the Bet With The Tote 550 yard stake and it proved easy pickings for the John Stubbs owned and Tom Power trained Swift Classic (Honcho Classic-Vintage Swift) this 2/1 shot obliging a shade cosily in 30.44. Well drawn on the fence the progressive Swift Classic dashed into a first bend lead over a tightly packed group and while a slow starting Hessosmart ran on from the rear of the field Swift Classic went on to triumph by one and a half lengths.

In the only novice contest down for decision the Joseph Delahunty owned Bigwood Okee (Roanokee-Bringinthemoney) 5/2 dashed straight into an early lead from a middle draw and while Bobbie The Rail kept tabs on the winner throughout Bigwood Okee kept on well in the lead to run out a two lengths winner in 29.47.

The Catherine Redmond owned Reggae Blue (Carlton Bale-Peters Dog) the 6/4 favourite got off the mark at the tenth time of asking capturing race three in 29.50. Turning the first bend in front Reggae Blue dashed clear of Rathsilla Lou and Ballydurn Teddy and getting every yard of the standard trip Reggae Blue crossed the winning line with four lengths to spare over Ballydurn Teddy.

In a two bend dash the Leo Dunphy owned Mooncoin Star (Roanokee-Prestige Shauna) 2/1 made the slickest start possible from trap four to make every yard of the running in a decent 16.57. When Jamella Jamie checked at the first bend Sarshill Sal was left in second spot as Mooncoin Star went on to beat Sarshill Sal by three lengths Wexford trainer Nick Turner sent out the winners of races four and five as Ceim Araghaid (Top Honcho-Gold Commentary) and Settle It (Jamella Prince-Lightening Lizzie) both produced early paced performances to capture their respective contests each winner starting at odds of 3/1. In the fourth contest the gambled on De Dag 1/1 was bumped at the opening corner, as the Paddy and Ena Kehoe owned Ceim Araghaid made the long break for home. Greenview Cool caught the eye with a late flourish only to claim the runner up spot half a length in arrears of the front running Ceim Araghaid.

The Helen Turner owned Settle It had a much easier time of it in the fifth contest absolutely bolting up in 29.13. Dashing into a clear lead over the 6/4 favourite Ballingara Star Settle It was never in any danger of losing this contest the Wexford black romping to a five and a half lengths defeat of Ballingara Star.

The George Frisby owned Postmans Style (Jamella Tiger-Alex Pride) delivered in style recording a best ever 28.90 en route to capturing the seventh race with relative ease. Whiskey Dave was sent off the evens favourite in this contest but he stumbled badly leaving trap six and basically was out the back from trap rise. Meanwhile

Postmans Style stamped his authority on this contest leading around the first bend from Killaspy Molly and with this order of running remaining unchanged Postmans Style went on to beat Killaspy Molly by four and a half lengths.

Duffry Comet and Cushie Donna battled it out up front from an early stage of race eight but they were joined on the back stretch by the John Fitzgerald and Phil Gough owned Sparta Tina. Forging into the lead on the run to the penultimate corner Sparta Tina (Droopys Kewell-Valentina) quickly drew clear this 3/1 shot running out a handy three lengths winner over Duffry Comet in 29.07. It was back to the 550-yard trip in the ninth contest with victory here going to the Billy O Dwyer owned Granard Ali (Top Honcho-Egmont Honey) in 30.46. In the firing line throughout the Peter Brady Granard Ali did well to shake off the persistent challenge of Pades Hero and while Figlash Lady made rapid late headway Granard Ali held out by a short head from Figlash Lady with Pades Hero the same distance away in third.

A fast starting Copperfield Hill made a gallant effort to make all the running from trap four in the tenth but the eventual winner Coolside Joe (Larkhill Jo-Sunray Suzy) 4/1 was always close at hand and tracking cleverly on the rails off the final turn Seamus O Neill's Coolside Joe delivered his challenge up the inside of Copperfield Hill before coming through for a half a length win in 29.16. The eleventh contest is easily described as the Ciaran Hackett owned Tobar Spark (Mr Bozz-Burnpark Jewel) 4/1 came out through the bars of trap four to lead all the way in 28.96. Lauconaid Lad gave chase throughout but Tobar Spark stuck at it well to triumph by a length.

Another front-runner to oblige was the Thomas Walsh Jnr and Snr owned Sara Dara (Droopys Vieri-Brigids Charm) this 3/1 chance producing an eye-catching pillar to post 29.03 success in the final race of the session. This lady was out and gone from trap two and despite the best efforts of Ruths Hero Sara Dara kept on well in the lead to triumph by two and a half lengths.

Saturday Sept 24th

## Rain Stops Play

Driving winds and heavy rain stopped racing in Kilcohan Park last Saturday night as the stewards were forced to call a halt to proceedings after the fifth race as persistent rain caused the hare cable to slip. The remaining seven races were postponed to Tuesday night of this week.

In the opening 525 Tag Along Ivy led early on from Clonbonny Cross and Wilcox Rowena but bringing her stamina into play in the testing conditions the John J Hillis owned Threerocks Saffy (Top Honcho-Three Rocks Dubh) stayed on really well over the final two bends to outstay Tag Along Ivy by four lengths in 29.18.

Trainer Declan Byrne sent out the 7/2 winner of the second contest as Varra Homer (Droopys Woods-Varra Sal) appeared to relish the testing conditions staying on strongly for owners the Club Coco Syndicate in 29.15. Hows The Lack displayed early pace from trap four

to lead from Kielduff Shelly but hugging the rails the always prominent Varra Homer came through smoothly on the fence to outstay Hows The Lack by four lengths. Races three and four were semi finals of the Irish's Bar stake. Declans Catch produced his customary dash of early pace from trap six to power into an early lead over Winnies Appeal 4/1 but tiring off the final bend Declans Catch allowed Winnies Appeal the opportunity to come through on the fence and seeing out the trip well the Gerry Kiely trained Winnies Appeal (Staplers Joballybrazil) drew clear up the home stretch to beat Declans Catch by three lengths in 29.64.

In the second semi final the Turkish Syndicate owned and Perry Aylward trained Jeffys Kavanagh (Come On Lleyton-Vital Flash) the 6/4 favourite held a prominent position throughout before scoring in 29.40. Tested early on by Greenview Rose Jeffys Kavanagh beat off that early challenge on the rails and despite a late flourish by Dahra One a determined Jeffys Kavanagh stayed on stoutly to deny Dahra One by one and a half lengths. In the first semi final of the Kilcohan Park Winner of four Open 525 Glenbervie Sweep broke smartly from trap three but it was Blackie and Related Rumble who headed the pack down the back stretch. When Related Rumble forced Blackie wide off the home turn however the Damien O Regan and Sandie Holland owned Glenbervie Sweep (Top Honcho-Asata Sana) 4/1 finished best of all up the rails to come through for a length and a half success over Related Rumble in 29.78.

Trap Draw-Saturday -October 1st  
Irish's Bar Final

- 1 Dahra One
- 2 Winnies Appeal
- 3 Greenview Rose
- 4 Lough Benny
- 5 Jeffys Kavanagh
- 6 Declans Catch (W)

Selection-Dahra One

Dangers-Jeffys Kavanagh, Declans Catch

## Additional Dates in December

With the Christmas party nights always well supported at the venue Kilcohan Park will race on four consecutive Thursday nights in December. These are,

- Thursday-December 1st
- Thursday-December 8th
- Thursday-December 15th
- Thursday-December 22nd

## Dungarvan Success At Clonmel

Congratulations to Dungarvan owners Joe Organ and Pat Halloran on their recent success with their Greyhound Decies Tribe who after two promising outings at Youghal opened his account at Clonmel last Thursday night. Trained by Michael Kiely the black son of Honcho Classic and Vintage Swift eased himself into an early lead and showing good early pace the well-supported Dungarvan black powered clear to win out in 29.66. With some more racing experience under his belt connections are hopeful that Decies Tribe can go on to bigger and better things in the future.

# THE BALLYRAFTER CENTRE LTD, LISMORE

## RESULTS CASTLE LEAGUE QUALIFIER 22nd SEPT 2005

### 0 - 70cms

Div. Moira Flanagan's, Shady, Aimee Jordan, Rachel Raher's, Clonea Trampas, Rachel Raher, Maria Blomen's, Maye, Maria Blomen, Rena Landers's, Knockmaun King, Rena Landers, Anna Dangerfield's, Grey-stone Sardius, Anna Dangerfield, Michelle Griffin's, Sir George, Michelle Griffin.

### 0 - 80cms

Div. Tommy Dunford's, Blue Brigade, Michael Healy, Mark Hill's, Flagmount Willow, Mark Hill, Mairead Kennedy's, Colligan Star, Mairead Kennedy, Mary Healy's, Piper, Hollie Dunford, Caroline Quealy's, Barracree Tara, Noreen Quealy, Jan Musgrave's, Woody, Corinne Hyde.

### 0 - 90cms

Div. Corinne Hyde's, Millie, Corinne Hyde, Claire Coughlan's, Jessica Deir, Claire Coughlan, Melody Williams's, Foxhill Rambler, Melody Williams.

### 1 - 00m

Div. Claire Coughlan's, Jessica Deir, Claire Coughlan, Tommy McGrath's, Kilmoylan Toby, Joan Widger.

## RESULTS PONY FRIDAY AUTUMN LEAGUE QUALIFIER 23rd SEPT

### 128cms Grade D

Div. John Joyce's, Ballyknock Cream, Patrick Joyce, John Joyce's, Fairy Footsteps, Daniel Joyce.

### 128cms & 138cms Grade D

Div. Joe O'Keefe's, Minstrel, Ellen O'Keefe, Samantha McGuire's, Freddie, Jayne McGuire, Michael O'Neill's, Sunshine, Lorna O'Neill, Samantha McGuire's, Smokie, Jayne McGuire, John Joyce's, Silver Spruce, Patrick Joyce, Stephanie Hennessy's, Winnie Jackson, Killian Hennessy, John Joyce's, Buddy, Patrick Joyce, Sally Sweeney's, Stone-man Chaza, Sive Sweeney.

### 138cms & 148cms Grade D

Div. Samantha McGuire's, Red, Sally McGuire, James Cummins's, Dolly, Brienne Cummins, Martin Walsh's, Velvet, Sophie Walsh, Paddy O'Donoghue's, Flashaway, Marie O'Donoghue.

Div. Michael O'Neill's, Sunshine, Lorna O'Neill, Stephanie Hennessy's, Winnie Jackson, Killian Hennessy, Michael O'Mahony's, Silver Dolphin, Hugh O'Mahony, Kathleen McCarthy's, Dusty, Colum McCarthy, Ursula Walsh's, Alfie, Rachel Walsh.

### 128cms Grade D

Div. Julie Pratt's, Whos Little Wizard, Oliver Giles, Ann Foran's, Sir Hamlet of Kenmare, Thomas Foran.

### 138cms Grade D

Div. Pat Magner's, Bell's Way, Darragh Magner, Noel Devereux's, Knockenpower Cailin, Hollie Dunford, John Hannan's, Daddy DJ, Vincent Grimes, Barbara Bowles's, Mill Breeze, Marco Bowles.

### 138cms Grade C & D

Div. Pat Magner's, Bell's Way, Darragh Magner, Noel Devereux's, Knockenpower Cailin, Hollie Dunford, John Hannan's, Daddy DJ, Vincent Grimes.

### 148cms Grade D

Div. Pat Veale's, Dalligan Diamond, Kevin Veale, Laurence Fennell, Aidan & Mary Gregory McCarthy's, Sheakspeare's Lady, Tobias Gregory McCarthy, Liam Tully's, Aran Strand, Megan Tully, Larry Creed's, Such a Contradiction, John Reid, Thomas Horgan's, Rockett, Hollie Dunford.

### 148cms Grade C & D

Div. Elizabeth Chow's, Butler Flash, Sara Chow, Avril Barry's, Turlough Warrior, Paul Barry.

## RESULTS HORSE AUTUMN LEAGUE QUALIFIER 24th SEPT

### 0 - 80cms

Div. Michael Robinson's, Avondhu Pearl, Michelle Robinson, Marie Corbett's, Eoghan's Pride, Michelle Robinson, Noreen O'Hanlon's, Mack Donald, Colin Hannan, Marie Corbett's, Tantassaig Tyrera, Aoife Adams, Molly Owens's, Rhumans Goddess, Aine O'Connor, Thomas Griffin's, Rathdrum Queen, Monica Griffin, Gerard Murphy's, Shanaragoon, Gerard Murphy, Eibhlin Power's, Rigby Diamond, Una Power.

### 0 - 90cms

Div. Alice Fitzgerald's, Glenlickey Rose, Alice Fitzgerald, Dermot Woods's, RB Tazz, Dermot Woods, Cliona Ni Liathain's, Grey River, Cliona Ni Liathain, Patrick Duggan's, Total Enjoyment, Hilary Riordan, Pat Ronayne's, Coolbell Carrig, Pat Ronayne, Michelle Fitzmaurice's, Aherlow Prince, Michelle Fitzmaurice, Aine Cummins's, Clonard Master Nibs, Aine Cummins, Marian O'Callaghan's, Oh Danny Girl, Colin Hannan, Tomas Mill's, Sweet Reality, Colin Hannan, Michael Robinson's, Avondhu Pearl, Michelle Robinson, Marie Corbett's, Eoghan's Pride, Michelle Robinson, Anne O'Leary's, Srandhill Dancer, Amy McKeogh, Molly Owens's, Mystic Meg, Ciara O'Connor, Martina McGrath's, Coolbell Moss, Martina McGrath, Noelette Cooper's, Alfresco, Marianne Cooper, Gerard Murphy's, Shanaragoon, Gerard Murphy, Caroline Quealy's, Barracree Tara, Noreen Quealy, Martin Collins's, Banner Lucky, Christopher O'Keefe, Lar Fennell's, Killongford Clyde, Nicola Fennell, Aine Morrissey's, Otto, Aine Morrissey, Mary Ronayne's, Cherokee's First, Gina O'Brien, Pat O'Connor's, Coever's Sapphire, Daire O'Connor, Ann Meagher's, Tara, Jean Meagher, Gina O'Brien's, Touch Base, Gina O'Brien, Margaret Walsh's, Kilkeany Bob, Thomas Dunne, Margaret Walsh's, Kilkeany Sea Mist, Thomas Dunne.

### 1 - 10m

Div. John Hannan's, Conquering Star, Colin Hannan, Olivia Byrne's, Ballyquirke Flight, Niamh Tobin, Fintan Hunt's, Mount Falcon Kim, Fintan Hunt, Anita Hegarty's, Juan Time, Anita Hegarty, Eileen Hurley's, Lookout Cliff, Aoibheann Hurley, Richard O'Hara's, Baby Sam, Richie O'Hara, Dominic Bryan's, Hhs Cinderella, Martin Bryan, Rosarie Murphy's, Laura's Angel, Sean Kelly.

### 128cms Grade ABC

1st Joseph O'Keefe's, Glencairn Pebbles, Grace O'Keefe, 2nd Michael Crowley's, Parkmount Blue Boy, Brian Crowley, 3rd Peter Oates's, Port Mor Sooty, Aoife Oates, 4th Rosaleen Sorensen's, Bouncing Ben, Jack Owens, 5th Michael Moloney's, Shangan Copper, Dearbhla Moloney, 6th Sharon O'Sullivan's, Turbo Boy, Colin O'Sullivan.

### 138cms Grade B & C

1st William Madden's, Castle-martyr Charles, Niall Madden, 2nd Anne O'Leary's, Pedro de Bronski, Anna Mckeogh, 3rd Monica Hartley's, Miss Fairy Gold, Rebecca Kinchella, 4th Peter O'Donovan's, Cappagh Bam Ba, Sarah-Kate O'Donovan, 5th Samantha McGuire's, Mgc Midnight Ash, Sally McGuire.

### 138cms Grade ABC

1st Michael Moloney's, Shangan Paddy's Flash, Mikey Moloney, 2nd Elsie Murphy's, Greybrook Idea, Nikki Murphy, 3rd Anne O'Leary's, Pedro de Bronski, Anna Mckeogh, 4th Mary Mahony's, Mon Amie, Jill Mahony, 5th Eleanor Kent's, Babuscha, Louise Kent, 6th Elsie Murphy's, Cappagh Sparrow, Nikki Murphy.

### 148cms Grade B & C

1st Ann Kelly's, Attyrory Gold Star, Edel Kelly, 2nd James Foran's, Lady Gingernut, Margaret Foran.

### 148cms Grade ABC

1st Susan Liddy's, Two Tone Tom, Ciara Ennis, 2nd Michael Moloney's, Shangan Eric, Aoife Moloney, 3rd Niall Flynn's, Ballycough Castle Storm, Aisling Flynn, 4th Michael Blake's, Sandstorm Tiger, Alan O'Regan, 5th John Moloney's, Jacknell Street, Peter Moloney, 6th Elsie Murphy's, Some Man for One Man, Nikki Murphy.

### 148cms Grade D

Div. John Moloney's, Westside Wonder, Peter Moloney, Trish Fives's, Winter Sun, Edel Kelly, Elizabeth Dunne's, Brazen Boy, Emma Dunne, Kevin Bartley's, Miss Mambo, Lauren Bartley, Ann Condon's, Scelig Heron, Seamus Condon, Richard Wall's, Ashfield Dreamer, Orla Wall, Anne O'Leary's, Ruby Mardi, Anna McKeogh, John Oomkens's, Emer's Boy, Peter Moloney, Elsie Murphy's, Greybrook Miller, Janet Deasy, Tomas Kelly's, Ashlair Lady, Nikki Murphy, Tim Reardon's, Westside Phantom, Laura Reardon, Teresa Bowen's, Carramore Sheeba, Elizabeth Bowen, Patrick Walsh's, Emerald Lucy, Pdraig Quinn, Donal Dollery's, Cosmic Glider, Lorna Dollery.

### 138cms Grade D

Div. Catherine Kiely's, Glenavadra Percy, Paul Kiely, Catherine Kiely's, Strapped for Cash, Paul Kiely, Ronan Daly's Attyrory Tiny Tim, Edel Kelly, Muriel Harvey's, Midnight Dream Catcher, Alison Harvey, Eamon Phelan's, Ballyneety Prince, Rachel Phelan, Shirley O'Shea's, Snowbell, Hannah O'Shea, Pat Magner's, Bell's Way, Darragh Magner.

### 138cms Grade C & D

Div. Richard Wall's, Arragon Teddy, Orla Wall, Catherine Kiely's, Strapped for Cash, Paul Kiely, Samantha McGuire's, Mgc McGuire's Magic, Sally McGuire, Peter O'Donovan's, Cappagh Bam Ba, Sarah-Kate O'Donovan, Samantha McGuire's, Mgc Midnight Ash, Sally McGuire, Catherine Kiely's, Glenavadra Percy, Paul Kiely, Shirley O'Shea's, Snowbell, Hannah O'Shea, Pat Magner's, Bell's Way, Darragh Magner, Donal Healy's, Chocolate Boy, Maria Healy, Donal Healy's, So Little Time, Evelyn Healy.

# CUNNIGAR PITCH & PUTT CLUB NOTES



Our photo this week shows Chairperson Wyn Colligan and T.F. McCarthy, President, receiving sponsorship from Jimmy O'Donnell, O'Donnell Shoes, Mary Street. Jimmy has been a great supporter of the Cunnigar Pitch & Putt Club over the years - and the Committee & Players would like to say a "Big Thank You" again for your kind sponsorship.

It was wonderful to see the course open for the Ladies Competition last Wednesday - we had a large turnout and thanks to the work done by T.F. & Johnno (not forgetting the ladies themselves) the course is coming back to its former glory. Well Done All!

Wednesday's match was won by Mary Donnelly taking the gross and Corinne McGee taking the net. Wind & weather does not seem to affect the ladies game and everybody gets out there and enjoys themselves. The Snowball was won this week by Helen O'Connor - congrats Helen.

Don't forget the Captain's Prize on 9th October - Alfie would like to see all the men and ladies coming along in support, I am sure there will be a great turnout for this popular Captain. And another day not to be forgotten is the A.G.M. on the 13th October - all members are requested to attend.

# Dungarvan Ladies Hockey Club Notes

Dungarvan Ladies travelled to C. of I. Garryduff on Saturday 24th to play in the 4th league tournament that they won last year. They played four games and were runners up after a very entertaining afternoon. After a slow start in the first match, Dungarvan soon started to come into their own. Some very good performances and a real team effort. Well done to the defence who kept a clean sheet. From the performance of our midfield and forward line, we have some very exciting hockey to look forward to this season. Player of the tournament Carol Elstead.

Team; Lucinda Shrubbs, Louise Conroy, Nollaig Sheehan, Carol Elstead, Sinead Hehir, Martina Landers, Capt, Derval Donnelly, Maria Conroy, Ann Brennan, Louise Enright, Anna Casey, Thea Riordan and Sarah Power. Coach Tony Bones.

## TRAINING

Training every Tuesday and Thursday at 7 pm. Junior hockey Saturdays at 10 am, venue St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan.



# W.W.E.C.

West Waterford/East Cork Junior League



## Ardmore Go Top

### ACCRINGTON LOSE DERBY

### WEEKEND OF HAT-TRICKS TROY SCORES FOUR

Ardmore signalled their intention of winning back the title with their victory in Lismore, whose run of 18 undefeated league games came to an end. In the local derby in Fermoy, Kilworth defeated leaders Accrington. There were three hattricks scored while Shane Troy found the net four times for Modeligo.

#### LISMORE 1 ARDMORE 4

In our preview of this game we said this clash could see the eventual league champions, even at this early stage of the season. League champions Lismore had gone 18 league games undefeated but were very much understrength for this top clash and the visitors signalled their intention of claiming back the title they relinquished to Lismore last April. After a scoreless 1st half Ardmore opened up in the 2nd period and Denis Flanagan scored only for Nicky Donnelly to equalise. Flanagan scored twice more to complete his hat-trick with Richie Hennessy scoring the fourth. A very important win for the seaiders and other results going in their

favour, they are in our opinion favourites at this early time in the league for the championship.

#### ACCRINGTON CELTIC 0 KILWORTH CELTIC 2

A local derby in Fermoy with so much at stake and with the home side starting as joint league leaders this had the makings of a cracker. Unfortunately both sides were short some of their normal starting line ups and Kilworth opened the scoring through Ryan Thullier after 7 mins. in the opening half. Keith Power scored a second goal to ensure the points went to the visitors.

#### GORTROE 2 BRIDEVIEW 4

The Tallow side will be delighted to get their first league win of the season. The teams

were level at the break 2 goals each, but both sides were guilty of many misses. Scorers were William Curley 2 gls, William Henley and Michael Curley a goal each. Patrick O'Sullivan and Tom Clohessy scored the Gortroe goals. See match report.

#### MOGEELY 6 PINWOOD RGS 2

Mogeely got their first league points of the season when they easily accounted for the Ballymac side in Mogeely and led at the break by 3 gls to nil. However the visitors came more into the game in the 2nd half but Mogeely went on to score 3 more goals and end up comprehensive winners. Scorers for Mogeely were Jake O'Shea and Brian Carroll 2 goals each and John Wade and John O'Dono-

van one goal each. Pinewood scorers were Craig Guiry and Shane Whelan.

#### ARAGLEN 3 VALLEY RGS 4

Plenty of goals here and the home side will be bitterly disappointed with the result as the two winning scores were own goals. Diarmuid Hogan opened the scoring after a few minutes play but John Keane equalised and Donal Caplice had the visitors in the lead again before David Browne equalised again before the break. Pa Kenneally scored early in the 2nd half but then came the pair of own goals and the points to the Conna side.

#### INCH 0 AN GHAELTACHT 4

Leading by a David Condon goal at the break the visitors had to wait until late in the game to clinch the points in this game played on Saturday evening and on a pitch which cut up due to the heavy rain. Condon scored twice more to complete his hat-trick with Shane Kelly scoring the other goal. This win has them joint top with Valley Rgs.

#### MODELIGO 4 AFFANE 1

Shane Troy was man of the match here scoring all four goals, two in either half. Pat Morrissey gave the visitors an early lead before Troy took control and Modeligo now top the table after two victories.

#### CLASHMORE 1 LISMORE 4

A good display from the visitors who opened the scoring through Kevin O'Donoghue. Vinny Coonan equalised for the home side before the visitors scored again when Eoin O'Donoghue converted a penalty and this was the score at the break. In the 2nd half Kevin O'Donoghue scored twice to complete his hat-trick and give Lismore a deserved win as they were the better team on the day.

#### CAPPOQUIN 2 BRIDEVIEW 2

Played on Saturday night under lights and in constant rain the home side had to come from behind twice for a share of the points. Ian Farmer had the Tallow side ahead before Michael McCarthy equalised before the break.

Andy McCarthy restored the lead for the visitors and they looked to have secured all three points when with literally the last kick of the game Cathal Wilkinson popped up to put the ball in the net to give the Cappoquin team a share of the points.

## W.W.E.C. League Table

(WEEKENDING 25/9/05)

MARI MINA  
PREMIER DIVISION

	PL	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Ardmore	4	4	0	0	9	1	12
Kilworth	4	3	0	1	14	8	9
Accrington	4	3	0	1	8	5	9
Lismore	5	2	2	1	4	11	8
Brideview	4	1	1	2	6	7	4
Inch	3	0	1	2	2	5	1
Cappoquin	4	0	1	3	4	11	1
Gortroe	4	0	0	4	7	14	0

SHERRYFITZGERALD REYNOLDS  
DIVISION ONE

Valley Rangers	2	2	0	0	5	3	6
An Ghaeltacht	2	2	0	0	7	2	6
Mogeely	2	1	0	1	6	3	3
Araglen	2	1	0	1	4	4	3
Castlebridge	1	0	1	0	1	1	1
Inch	2	0	1	1	1	5	1
Blackwater Rgs.	1	0	0	1	2	3	0
Pinewood Rgs.	2	0	0	2	2	7	0

KENEALLY ROCHFORD ASSOCIATES  
DIVISION TWO

Modeligo	2	2	0	0	5	1	6
Lismore	2	1	1	0	7	4	4
Clashmore	2	1	0	1	3	5	3
Brideview	2	0	2	0	5	5	2
Cappoquin	2	0	1	1	3	4	1
Glenview	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
Affane	1	0	0	1	1	4	0
Castlebridge	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## W.W.E.C. PREVIEWS

#### Ardmore v Accrington Celtic

League leaders Ardmore welcome Accrington on Sunday morning. The visitors suffered their first defeat last week while Ardmore scored four times against Lismore. The seaiders seem intent on winning back the title this year and must be slight favourites even at this early stage. This will be a big test for the Fermoy side but we cannot go against Ardmore.

#### Gortroe v Cappoquin

The home side have yet to register a point on the league table, while Cappoquin have only one point from four games. Both sides would appear to be evenly matched and we predict a draw, but for both teams it has been a very poor start to the league.

#### Kilworth v Lismore

The visitors lost their first league game in 19 matches last week and will look to get back on winning ways on Sunday, which will be pretty difficult especially with the home side buoyed up after their win against Accrington and they are now a point ahead of Lismore. We think Kilworth may be too strong on Sunday for Lismore and we think the Cork side will collect the points.

#### Pinewood v An Ghaeltacht

The visitors are literally flying at the moment and have promotion as their goal. Pinewood have lost their two opening games and will find it just as difficult on Sunday. We predict An Ghaeltacht to collect all three points.

#### Blackwater Rgs v Mogeely

The visitors had a very good win on Sunday last and we think they will be too strong for the Aglish side who lost their opening league

game. Mogeely will be strong contenders for promotion but they will have to be more consistent than they were last season. Mogeely to win.

#### Inch v Araglen

Both sides lost last week, but of the two Araglen were the unluckier as their defeat included two own goals. Inch have scored only one goal in two games and may not be strong enough to stop the Araglen outfit who we think will take all three points.

#### Valley Rgs v Castlebridge

A local derby in Conna with the home side joint league leaders. Castlebridge have one point from their opening game but as this is a local derby it is difficult to forecast but with Valley top of the table we think they may be the favourites. However any other result will not surprise us.

#### Glen View v Clashmore

The visitors should be back to full strength for this clash and while defeated by Lismore last week they should account for the Melleray side who are team building and have a young and inexperienced team at present. Clashmore to win.

#### Cappoquin v Castlebridge Celtic

The home side had a lucky draw last week against Bride View but should prove too strong for the visitors who will be playing their very first league game since joining the league. Cappoquin to win.

#### Lismore v Modeligo

The league leaders come to the Castle Farm Ground to face a strong Lismore side in what could be a very entertaining game of football. Both recorded good wins last week but with home advantage Lismore to win.

## W.W.E.C. FIXTURES

SUNDAY 2ND OCTOBER

MARI MINA PREMIER DIVISION

Ardmore v Accrington Celtic, 11.30, A. Horgan

Kilworth v Lismore, 11.30, M. Hartnett

Gortroe v Cappoquin, 11.30, T. Griffin

SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS 1ST DIVISION

Pinewood v An Ghaeltacht 11.30, P. Marks

Blackwater v Mogeely 11.30, J. McMahon

Inch v Araglen 11.30, E. Cusack

Valley Rangers v Castlebridge Celtic, 11 am, P. Browne

KENEALLY ROCHFORD ASSOCIATES

2nd DIVISION

Glen View v Clashmore 2.30 p.m., N. O'Donoghue

Lismore v Modeligo 11.30, E. McCarthy

FRIDAY 30th SEPTEMBER

FAI YOUTH CUP

Cappoquin v Freebooters Kilkenny, 7.30 p.m.

A. Horgan



# W.W.E.C.

## West Waterford/East Cork Junior League



### MARI MINA PREMIER DIVISION MATCH REPORT

# First League Victory For Brideview

#### GORTROE 2 BRIDEVIEW UTD 4

Played in good condition (although a stiff breeze did favour the homeside in the first half) both of these sides served up a good open game which kept the fans on their toes right up to the final whistle. Indeed, if both sides took their chances we could have ended up with ten or twelve goals here.

Utd took the lead after just 5 minutes when William Henley scored. At the other end Thomas Clahessy saw his shot well saved by Utd's keeper J.P. Grey. Clohessy was in again in the 14th minute but shot wide from close range.

The Tallow side should have went further ahead in the 16th minute when a great through ball from Stephen Pratt found William Henley whose dummy deceived the keeper but Henley's shot went into the side netting. Gortroe were back on level terms after 20 minutes when a mistake by one of Utd's defenders left Thomas Clahessy in to score from close range. Brideview went back in front on the 30th minute when Eric Hickey's shot came back off the crossbar and William Curley was on hand to shoot home the rebound.

The lead lasted just 5 minutes when Clohessy shot home a

fine shot to leave the sides level, 2-2 at the break. The Tallow side went back in front for the third time in the 49th minute when a great volley from William Curley went all the way to the net. This goal seemed to lift both sides as the football flowed from end to end.

Clohessy and Kelly both went close for the East Cork side. At the other end both Pratt and Curley missed from close range. Brideview did increase their lead after 70 minutes with a well worked move that saw Graham O'Neill perfect cross to the far post headed home by Michael Curley.

The homeside pilled on the pressure and Liam Sloane and Leonard Byrne were both denied by the Utd's keeper Grey. Maurice Sheehan saw the post deny him late in the game while the post also rescued Gortroe from a great shot by Hickey.

At the end of a bright game, Utd were happy with the points.

**Gortroe** — M. Griffen, J. Barry, J. Broderick, B. Sharkey, M. Sheehan, G. O'Leary, P. O'Sullivan, G. O'Mahoney, T. Kelly, T. Clohessy, L. Byrne. Res used: L. Sloane, L. Clohessy.  
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### DELEGATE MEETING

A reminder to all clubs that the next Delegate Meeting will take place in The Red House Bar Lismore, this Monday 3rd October at 9 pm. Monies and tickets for the Super Draw must be handed in to League Treasurer Anthony Kenneally on the night.

### SUPER DRAW

A reminder to all clubs that the first Draw in the Super Draw will take place at The Swallow Inn, Araglen on Saturday 8th October 2005.

1st prize on the night is a Nissan Micra and the 2nd prize is a Premiership trip for two. Other prizes include a washing machine, spin dryer, 28" Flat TV, Trip to Oakwood, Digital Camera, his and hers watches, plus many other prizes.

Tickets cost 30E each or 4 subscriptions of 10E.

# Launch Of Regional Development Officer



This Friday night 30th September, at The Quality Hotel Youghal, The West Waterford East Cork Junior League, in partnership with the F.A.I., will be launching the league's Regional Development Officer. As we have written already, the W.W.E.C. League has been selected by the F.A.I., to develop and co-ordinate the implementation of various F.A.I. programmes leading to the development of football in the region, and both the league and the F.A.I. will work in partnership to fund the appointment of a development officer to operate within the West Waterford East Cork area and this is a pilot scheme by the F.A.I. As such it a wonderful honour for the league, a league which may be small in comparison to most leagues in the country, but is seen as a league with the capacity to fulfil all the recommendations as set down by the governing body of football in the country.

Present at the launch will be the Chief Executive Officer of the F.A.I, Mr. John Delaney and the Technical Director of the Association Mr. Packie Bonner. Both have been in constant communication with the league and it was on their request that the league accepted the pilot scheme role.

The league was delighted when Michael Looby was selected as the R.D.O. for the

area, as Michael's involvement with football in the league stretches back all of 25 years, as a player and then administrator with his beloved Cappoquin FC. But his work with the underage sector for many years has seen schoolboy football grow in the past few years and his knowledge of the game at all levels has made him an ideal R.D.O. for the league. Indeed it would have been difficult to find anyone more suitable for the post than Michael, especially as we know his love of the game and particularly the W.W.E.C. League.

Special guests on Friday night will be the many sponsors of the various competitions organised by the league, for adults, schoolboys and ladies football.

All clubs are reminded to have a minimum of two representatives present, as this is a very important occasion in the history of the league. When one recalls the humble beginnings back in 1972 with just 4 teams and look at the present where there are close on 1500 playing football each weekend one can understand how those, who have been involved for all those years and have seen the growth of the game to the present, will be feeling on Friday night.

It will be an emotional night and many ex committee members are joining the present committee on the night to witness a new chapter in the history of the league.

Hope to see you all in The Quality Hotel Youghal on Friday night at 9 pm sharp.

### OSCAR TRAYNOR CUP

# First Game At Home

Our Oscar Traynor cup side are at home in their opening game against South Tipperary followed by two away games against Kilkenny and the Munster Senior League.

One of the managers, Joe Tobin is hoping that a panel of players will be announced shortly. We are hoping to get a game between around thirty local players from which a panel will be picked.

For a variety of reasons we will see many new faces on this years squad, stated Tobin. Many of the leagues younger players will be given a chance, added Tobin. Once a panel is picked, training will begin straight away. It is hoped to announce the full list of players at the delegate meeting on Monday night next.

# BEST OF LUCK

The league wish the very best to our teams playing in national and provincial cup competitions this weekend.

On Friday night Cappoquin play Freebooters of the Kilkenny league, in the 1st round of the F.A.I. Youth Cup.

The visitors are one of the top clubs in Ireland at both Junior and Youth football and will be a big attraction at the Cappoquin venue under lights and we hope a large crowd will turn up to cheer them on.

Inch travel to Ferrybank to play the host team in a preliminary Lucozade Munster Junior Cup game on Sunday. This game was to have been played in Inch last Sunday, but the ground was unplayable after the rain on Saturday night and they must now concede home advantage as per rule and we wish them the very best at the wonderful Ferrybank complex.

## Sincere Sympathy

Every one involved in the W.W.E.C were shocked on Friday last when word reached us of the tragic death of Jane Cahill, Rathcarrig, Pyke Road, Fermoy and late of O Leary's Cross Castleyons. Jane was married to Noel and daughter of John Leetch, both of whom have been involved with Castlebridge Celtic for many years.

On behalf of the entire league our heartfelt sympathy to the Cahill and Leetch families. Ar dheis de go raibh a anam.

Sincere sympathy from the league to the Flynn family, Lacken, Cappoquin, and Af-fane FC on the death of Jim Flynn which sad event occurred recently.

## MANCHESTER UNITED SUPPORTERS CLUB WATERFORD BRANCH

### Meeting

The next meeting will take place on Friday week, 7th October in Lawlor's Hotel at 8:15pm. It will be preceded by a committee meeting at 7:30pm. A full attendance is requested.

### Home Draw Carling Cup

United have been drawn at home to Barnet in the 3rd round and should progress.

### Christmas Draw

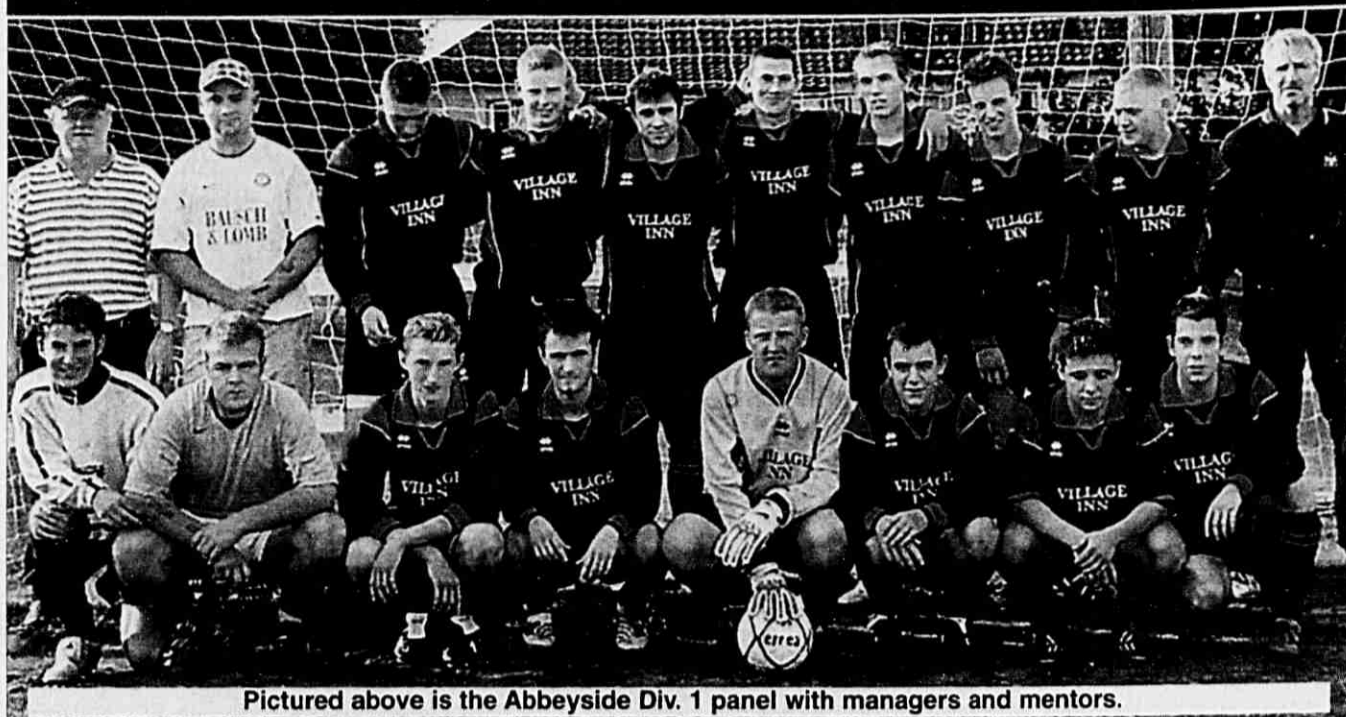
This years draw will take place on the 16th December in John Keane's. The prizes are 1st: Trip for 2 to Old Trafford including flights, 2 nights accommodation and match tickets or E500; 2nd prize: A piece of Comeragh Crystal; 3rd prize: A hamper.

Fabulous prizes for just E1 and tickets are now available from most members and the committee, so remember if you're not in, you can't win.

### Newcastle In March

Names were taken for this trip on Friday night last at the meeting and the trip is now full. If you would like to put your name down on standby contact the secretary on 086-3925677.

# ABBEYSIDE A.F.C. NOTES



Pictured above is the Abbesside Div. 1 panel with managers and mentors.

## DIVISION 1 B LEAGUE MATCH REPORT

# Abbesside Take Points After Tight Contest

### ABBEYSIDE 1 CRUSADERS 0

In a very close encounter the Villagers collected all 3 points at home last Saturday with a goal from Mark Barry 10 mins. from time.

The highlight of the game was the brilliant penalty save by Declan Byrne who once again kept a clean sheet and when he seemed to be beaten 5 mins. from the end, up popped Henry Morrissey to head the ball off the goal line following a Crusaders corner kick.

This was a very gutsy and spirited performance by all 13 players who didn't leave the

club down on the day.

A special word of thanks to Nathan Burke and Jim Mulhearn and Youth players Diarmuid Sheehan and Shane Delahunty who had played and won a Western Minor Football Final earlier in the afternoon.

Training: Tuesday and Thursday at 6.30 pm.

### FIXTURE

Div. 1 League Saturday 1st October away to Hibs, cars leaving Crotty's Corner at 1 pm.

Players Wanted For Div. 1 team panel: Any players who are not attached to other clubs or who have played soccer in

the past and are interested in playing again, please contact team manager on 058- 41548 or 085-3565486.

### FAI JUNIOR CUP VERSUS CARRICK UNITED

We have been drawn against Carrick United (last year's beaten finalists) in 2nd round at

home in a few weeks time. A game against one of the favourites to win the FAI Junior Cup this year is something really to look forward to next month.

We will profile the game when we receive time and date of this fixture.

## Abbesside A.F.C. News

### WEEKEND RESULTS

- 1B — Abbesside 1 Crusaders 0.
- 3rd Div. — Abbesside 2 Bolton 0.
- U-16 — Abbesside 1 Kilmac' 3.

### FIXTURES

U-15 Abbesside v St. Paul's on Saturday 2.30 kick off.

### TRAINING TIMES

1st, 3rd, Youths, Tues and Thursday at 7 pm. U-15/16 Tues. 6 pm. U-12 Wed. 7 pm.

### MEMBERSHIP CARDS

Anyone wishing to become a club member can do so by contacting any committee member. Cards cost 10 euro.

### SEAVIEW TICKETS

Seaview tickets now on sale at 30 euro each, four monthly tickets available from any committee member.

### BAG PACKING WEEKEND IN AID OF SCHOOLBOYS

Thursday, Friday and Saturday last we had a fundraising bag pack weekend at Herlihy's Super Valu. It went very well, we would especially like to thank Tina Fitzgerald, Kay Fahey, Bernie McCarthy, Bennie Kiersey, Breda Whelan, Karen Kevens and Supervisor Margaret Mansfield, Paul Herlihy, Brendan O'Grady and all their team.

We would like to take this time to thank Erica Reddy, Collette Cleary, Sean Fehilly, Stephen Kinghorn, David Crotty, Mark Fehilly, Peter Marriott, Wesley McCarthy, Aaron Joyce, Jack Leahy, Mark O'Connor, Eoin O'Donnell, Aisling Reynolds, Mark Earley, Jim Di Fusco, Josh Jenser, who gave countless hours of their spare time. We also like to thank Sa Walsh and Christine Power for helping us make this possible.

### WILLIE JOHN KIELY

It was great to see that Willie John was on the bench for Aberdeen's game against Livingston in their premier league game last Saturday. After a scoreless draw his boss Jimmy Colderwood must be tempted to give his young striker a first time debut before very long.

# Kilmacthomas AFC Notes

### DIVISION 1A

#### Portlaw 0 Kilmac 0

This was a good result for Kilmac in the Paddock on Sunday morning last considering that we were missing nine players from the squad for a variety of reasons.

### SECOND DIVISION

#### St. Pauls 3 Kilmac 2

Kilmac got off to a flyer in this game and were 1-0 up after only a minute when Paudie Kirwan scored at the second attempt after a good cross from Pat Weldon. This lead barely lasted two minutes however as St. Pauls duly grabbed the equaliser. Midway through the half they converted a penalty to make the half time score 2-1 to the home side. St. Pauls proceeded to get a third goal in the second half but Pat Weldon pulled one back for Kilmac when he scored with a great curling shot. Kilmac pressed for the equaliser but were unfortunate when Anthony Power hit the crossbar on two occasions and claims for a penalty were waved away by the referee.

Team: Niall Kennedy, Derek Cleary (Keith Mulcahy), John Cleary, Adi Kirwan, Danny Kennedy (Pat Mulhearn), Pat Weldon (Ger Fitzgerald), Andy Hubbard, Michael Kirwan, Anthony Power, Paudie Kirwan, Martin Coffey. Sam Battye, Conor Coffey, Bobby Power.

### UNDER 16

#### Abbesside 1 Kilmac 4

Two goals apiece from David Kiersey and Pat Kennedy, and a fine team performance, saw our Under 16 team get a great result in Abbesside on Wednesday night last.

### FIXTURES

Sat. 1st Oct.: Under 13 v. Southend (H) 11.45 a.m.; Division 1A v. Piltown (H) Kick Off TBA. Sun. 2nd Oct: Second Division v. Stradbally (H) 11.00 a.m.

### TRAINING

Training for the 1A and Second Division teams continues in Currahaha Park every Wednesday night at 6.45 p.m. sharp.

### BEST WISHES

Best wishes for a speedy recovery go to Aoife McCormick who was also injured in the Ladies Soccer League Final in Cappoquin recently.

### FANCY DRESS DISCO

Our annual Fancy Dress Disco takes place in Kirwans Lounge Bar on Bank Holiday Sunday 30th October. The theme of the night will be revealed shortly.

# An Ghaeltacht Soccer Notes

We kicked off life in the first division last Sunday week when we defeated Blackwater 3-2. We took a long time to settle into the pace of this game and it came as no surprise when Blackwater took the lead on 25 minutes we equalised on the stroke of half time through David Condon. Blackwater regained the lead early into the second half but 5 minutes later we were back on level terms thanks to Liam O Lionain. We got the winner on 80 minutes when new signing David Hickey scored from the edge of the

box.

Foireann: A. Power, T. Curran, M. Toibin, C. Flynn, D. Power, D. Condon, O. Simms, S. Kelly, M. J. Murphy, L. O Lionain, D. Hurley. Subs used M. Burke, D. Hickey, E. Power.

We wish Micky Burke a speedy recovery from injury sustained in this game.

We made it two wins out of two when we travelled to Inch last Saturday evening and came away with a 4-0 victory. David Condon was really on fire in this game as he helped himself

to a hat trick, Shane Kelly was our other scorer.

Foireann: B. Sheehan, D. Power, D. Power, T. Curran, C. Flynn, D. Condon, S. Kelly, S. Wade, D. Hickey, M. de Paor, L. Grace, O. Simms. Subs used T. Power, E. Power, D. Hurley.

Training continues every Thursday night at 8-9 pm on the astro turf, all youth and junior players please attend.

The U-12's kicked off their league campaign at home to Brideview and recorded an excellent 5-3 victory. Our scorers were M. French (2), F. O Cuir-

rin, C. Toibin, F. Kelly.

Foireann: R. Kelly, C. McDermott, Lucas O'Cuirrin, Lorcán O Cuirrin, J. Barron, O. O Hullachain, M. Coffey, C. Tobin, F. O Cuirrin, M. French, F. Power. Subs used; I. Curran, I. Sandford, T. Manahan, F. Kelly, S. McIntosh.

Tickets are still on sale for the super draw from any committee member. The first draw takes place on the 8th October. A big thanks to G.P. Motors and Tandem Travel who sponsored a new kit for our U-12 junior teams.



Pictured above is the An Ghaeltacht Aontaithe squad prior to their match with Blackwater Rangers. An Ghaeltacht won the game 3.2. Also included in manager Tomas Duggan.

# DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C. NOTES

## WEEKEND RESULTS

U-14 Dungarvan Utd 1 Waterford Crystal 2.  
U-16 Ferrybank 3 Dungarvan 4.  
1st Div. Carrick 1 Dungarvan 1.  
Premier Dungarvan 3 Southend 0.

## WEEKEND ROUND-UP

The schoolboy section kicked off proceedings over the weekend with our under 14 squad taking on Waterford Crystal. Physically stronger the visitors just about shaded a great game with a 2-1 win. The under 16 squad visited Abbeylands against Ferrybank and recorded an excellent 4-3 win. On the junior side the 1st division squad kept up their good start to the season with a fine 1-1 draw away to Carrick despite missing an amount of regulars. To cap off a great weekend the premier squad defeated a visiting Southend outfit with an excellent 3-0 win.

## ASTRO TURF TIMES

At this moment in time there are very few slots available for hire due to a big demand for spare times. Anyone wishing to avail of the limited times can call 087-6489251.

## SCHOOLBOY TRAINING TIMES

U11 (A)/(B) Sunday, 6:30pm to 8pm.  
U13/14 Tuesday, 6pm. E. Egan, J. Cullinane, Ross Power, S. Hamilton, Alan Landers.  
Under 16 Monday, 6pm. J.P. Donnelly and Christy Ross Power.

## SCHOOLBOY AWARDS NIGHT

The Annual Awards for 2005/06 schoolboys took place last Thursday at 9 pm in the Clubhouse in Kilrush Park. We had a great attendance to witness the presentation of the beautiful shields and trophies. With much consideration and hard thought Colin Walsh - Schoolboy Secretary, along with Club Chairman Francis go proceedings underway.

Under 12 award went to Darren Duggan, under 13 went to Philip Walsh, under 15 Trevor Crotty, under 16 Sean O'Hare. What was in clear evidence was the support and high regard that the other players had for the recipients.

Many thanks to Adrian Kelly, Kelly's Foodstore, Seamus Mansfield from Mansfield EBS, Brian Keohan, Keohan's Cleaners for their kind efforts for the sponsorship provided.

## UNDER-14 MATCH REPORT

# Unlucky Defeat For Blues

### DUNGARVAN 1 WATERFORD CRYSTAL 2

In previous games between these two sides saw very little to suggest that the next time that they met in a game, that very little would divide them. Physically stronger, Crystal settled quicker into the game being dominant in most departments. However, the young Blues were not to be overawed by this and came thundering into the game courtesy of their slick football and gritty determination. A big setback for Dungarvan came on ten minutes when Crystal latched onto a loose ball to put them one up after a good finish. This lead they held to the end of the first half in the face of fierce Dungarvan pressure. In the early stages of the second half the Blues levelled with a great strike courtesy of Mickey Byrne following an excellent build up. From here we pushed for the lead goal after a great period of pressure. Alas it wasn't to be as Crystal grabbed the winning goal with 10 minutes to go. This was a great effort by all our squad and if we can build on this we will most certainly be amongst the crowd looking for honours at the end of the season.

Squad — J. Daly, D. Duggan, E. Healy, P. Walsh, Corey Roche, A. Kelly, Luke Egan, M. Byrne, J. Barry, D. Coward, K. Moore. Subs Jamie Coward, S. Hickey, E. Duggan, Luke Rio, M. Burke. Training at 6 pm sharp every Tuesday.

## SEAVIEW TICKETS

Are now available from any committee, why not try your luck.

## FIXTURES

Schoolboy Saturday 1st October  
U-11 A Dungarvan v Ferrybank at 10.30 am.  
U-11 B Carrick B v Dungarvan B at 10.30 am.  
U-13 Dungarvan v Villa at 11.45 am.  
Junior Saturday 1st October.  
1st Div. Dungarvan v Tramore at 2.15 pm.  
Premier Sunday 2nd Oct. Tramore v Dungarvan at 11 am.

## SCHOOLBOY TRIALS

Sunday last saw us represented at under 12 trials in Ozier Park by Damien Coward who acquitted himself very well. On the Kennedy Cup side of things we had Adam Kelly, Damien Duggan, Christopher Murphy, Johnny Barry, Luke Egan all on duty. With a bit a luck we will see a few of our faces in the final shake up.

## LOTTO

Jackpot 1,100 euro. No jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 1-12-23. New jackpot 1,300 euro. 25 euro winners; Johnny Sheehan, Michael Needham. Next weeks draw Keane's Bar.

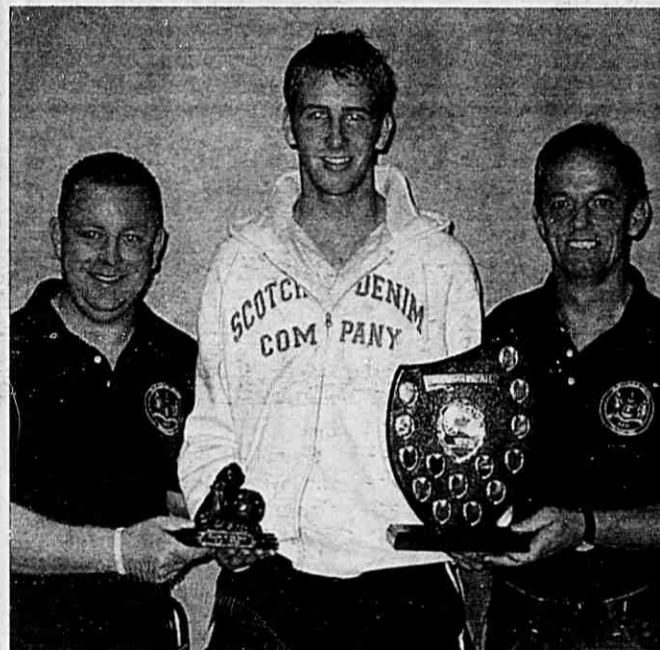
## SCHOOLBOY AWARDS NIGHT



Pictured above is Trevor Crotty receiving his Under-15 Player of the Year Award from Colin Walsh, Schoolboy Secretary. Also included is Francis O'Brien, Chairman Dungarvan United A.F.C.



Photo shows Darren Duggan being presented with his Under-12 Player of the Year Award by Adrian Kelly, Kelly's Foodstore (sponsor). Also included is Colin Walsh, Schoolboy Secretary.



Pictured above is Sean O'Hare, Under-16 Player of the Year, being presented with his award by Colin Walsh, Secretary Dungarvan Schoolboys and Noel Hackett, Manager Dungarvan United Under-16.



Photo shows Philip Walsh receiving his Under-13 Player of the Year Award from Seamus Mansfield, Mansfield EBS (sponsor). Also included is Colin Walsh, Schoolboy Secretary.

## PREMIER LEAGUE MATCH REPORT

# Dungarvan Step Up A Gear To Send Southend Packing

### DUNGARVAN UTD 3 SOUTHEND 0

Anyone who wasn't at this game on Sunday morning missed a determined and committed display from Dungarvan Utd. and outplayed Southend for the majority of this game. Confident play could be seen by every player in a blue shirt and the passing and movement about the field was a pleasure to watch.

Dungarvan attacked Southend from the start and but for strong Southend defending could have had a couple of goals early on. Constant pressure from the Blues brought its reward in the 33rd minute when we were awarded a penalty.

Kevin Walsh stepped up to the penalty spot and hit a cracking shot which came back off the crossbar.

Two minutes later Dungarvan got the lead when new signing Peter Goch finished the ball to the Southend net after a good build up. The score remained at 1-0 until the 70th minute when Kevin Walsh got a second. Not happy with two goals Dungarvan went in chase of a third and this was scored by Mark Crotty.

Dungarvan have put in a couple of performances already this season which was disappointing but can be encouraged by this display. Well done to one and all on the day.



# Senior Hurling Semi-Final Shock as Champions Mount Sion Sensationally Defeated by De La Salle at Walsh Park

DE LA SALLE 1-12 MOUNT SION 0-14

This was hectic stuff, drama, and controversy. Electrifying excitement and tension in a contest that led to the fall of the mighty, as city rivals, De La Salle defeated Mount Sion for their first time ever in a championship encounter.

A crowd of about 2,000 saw the game at Walsh Park and at Fraher field where An Rinn and Ballinameela played football, the crowd there listened to a blow by blow account of the history-making contest on WLR.

The final result seemed to have pleased everyone there and also the majority at Walsh Park, as it is part of the nature of things that neutrals invariably support the underdogs.

De La Salle who last won the county senior hurling championship back in 1915, had never in their history defeated Mount Sion, who were unquestionably

the best senior hurling team to have played hurling in Waterford. Their 34 county senior and a huge record of underage titles prove this.

Star of the show was former county minor James Quirke the team captain for De La Salle and he contributed a total of 1-7 (all from frees). County star, John Mullane who was carried away in an ambulance after an injury at Fraher field a week earlier was back in action and very prominent but failed to get his name on the scoring list.

Ken McGrath was Mount Sion's top scorer with a total of 8 points (5 from frees).

Mount Sion took an early lead following two splendid Ken McGrath points from play. De La Salle fought back and at the end of the first quarter it was 0-3 to 0-2 in favour of Sion. But by halftime De La

Salle had put themselves into the drivers seat and led by 0-8 to 0-5.

This lead was later increased to double scores (0-10 to 0-5) soon after halftime when James Quirke and Derek McGrath hit early scores. At this point the alarm bells were sounding in the Mount Sion camp, but true to tradition they failed to panic and despite fierce resistance from the De La Salle defence, they reduced the gap to a single point and might have equalized had a late free gone the right way.

However, De La Salle held out for that narrow win and their sweetest of victories to qualify for a county final meeting with Ballygunner or Lismore at Walsh Park on Sunday October 16th.

## SENT OFF

Two Mount Sion players, Ken and Eoin McGrath were

given direct red cards for disputing refereeing decisions near the end of the game.

Scorers: De La Salle - J. Quirke 1-8, L. Lawlor, P. Nevin, D. Russell, D. McGrath, 0-1 each; Mount Sion - K. McGrath, 0-8, E. Kelly 0-2, E. McGrath 0-2, K. Stafford, M. White 0-1 each.

De La Salle - S. Brennar, A. Kelly, E. Flynn, M. Doherty, D. Russell, B. Phelan, C. Watt, P. Nevin, K. Moran, L. Hayes, B. Farrell, D. McGrath, J. Mullane, J. Quirke, L. Lawlor. Subs. M. Barden, W. Power;

Mount Sion - I. O' Regan, J. O'Meara, A. Kirwan, K. Flynn, J. Cleere, T. Browne, B. Flannery, E. McGrath, F. O'Shea, E. Kelly, K. McGrath, K. Stafford, M. White, R. McGrath, B. Browne. Subs. J. O'Farrell, D. Kelly, P. Kelly.

Referee John M. Kelly (Shamrocks).



Brickey Rangers who lost to Passage East in the Bord na nOg under 11 (Division 2) ground hurling County Final at Kilmacthomas —(Photo: Rory Wyley)



Lismore who were defeated by Ballygunner in the Bord na nOg under 11 (Division 1) ground hurling County Final at Kilmacthomas —(Photo: Rory Wyley)

## Clashmore Kinsalebeg GAA Club News

### INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

On Saturday we take on Ballduff in the Intermediate Western hurling semi-final. Ballduff have just come down from senior and should be a tough challenge. All support will be needed. Look elsewhere in the paper for fixture details.

### 7-A-SIDE ALL-IRELAND

On Saturday we played in the Kilmacud 7s football competition in Dublin. We were in a tough group with the finalists of the last two years from Donegal and Meath and also this years eventual winners, St Galls from Antrim. All the lads played well and done themselves proud and found how it felt to be playing top flight football against the very best from all over Ireland. Well done lads and thanks for travelling.

### LOTTO

The lotto rolls on with still no winner found. The jackpot is nearing €7,000 so keep on buying those tickets.

## Tourin GAA and Neighbourhood Notes

### CAR BOOT SALE

Sunday, 2nd October is the venue for our Car Boot Sale which will be held at Tourin GAA Grounds, (i.e. 2 miles over the bridge heading towards Knockanore from Cappoquin) commencing at 10 am. There will be a Trader Fee. (No fresh food produce or fresh baked goods allowed as these rights have been sold) So if you feel like picking up a bargain or organising your own stall - please come and join us. Contact 087 956 2839 for further details.

### ALL IRELAND FOOTBALL FINALS

Kerry and Tyrone did battle on Sunday last. Kerry were quicker off the mark but Tyrone came fighting back and made great progress just before half time. The second half was tough, but it was Tyrone who finished the better side. Well done to Tyrone and commiserations to Kerry. Down overcame Mayo in the Minor encounter.

### PLOUGHING

All roads lead to the National Ploughing Championship this week as they are being held in Mogeely, Co. Cork this year. Well done to one of our local ladies namely Gráinne Flynn, Tourin, who competed in the Farmerette Class (3 Furrow) at Knockanore (3rd Place) and Lismore (1st Place) ploughing venues last weekend.

## Co. Waterford Board na Nog Notes

The Waterford GAA Supporters Club Dublin Player of the Match Awards will take place in the Brickie Rangers Club House on Saturday night next (1st Oct) @ 8:00p.m.

County U/11 Ground Hurling Finals took place last Saturday at the Kilmacthomas GAA Grounds. In division 1 Ballygunner defeated Lismore by 3 goals to 1 goal. In division 2 Passage defeated Brickie Rangers by 2 goals and 1 point to 2 goals. In division 3 Butlerstown beat Ardmore by 3 goals and 3 points to 2 goals.

On a day to be announced the Waterford GAA Supporters Club Dublin Player of the Match Awards for Under 14/16 Hurling Championships will take place at the Brickie Rangers Club House.

The following are the receipts in the player of the match Under 16 Hurling County Finals:

Colm Clancy - De La Salle  
Karl Duggan - Dungarvan  
Sean Lawlor - Four Mile Water  
Martin De Paor - St. Mary's  
Sean O' Cuirin - An Gaeltacht  
Liam Keogh - Clashmore  
Conor O'Neill - St. Staviour's  
Denis Drislane - Ballyduff Upper

The receipts for the Under 14 County Hurling Finals are:

Stephen O'Keeffe - Ballygunner  
Niall O'Sullivan - Mount Sion  
Brian Power - Sacred Heart  
David O'Connell - St. Oliver's  
Ciaran Power - Killrossity  
Kevin Barry - St. Staviour's  
Niall Fitzgerald - Portlaw/Mollerans  
Donal O'Connor - Clashmore

Waterford senior hurler Seamus Prendergast will be in attendance along with Ann Ryan representing the Waterford GAA Supporters Club Dublin.

# Stradbally GAA Club Notes

## SENIOR HURLING

Our senior hurlers made their exit from the championship following a heavy defeat by Lismore in the quarter final replay on Saturday evening.

We matched Lismore early on but the loss of John Coffey was a major blow to our chances. Lismore pulled away in the second half to run out comfortable winners.

Team: Trevor Curran, Oliver

Costelloe, John Halpin, Tomas Walsh, Kevin Coffey, John Coffey, John Hearne, Paddy Doyle, Ger Power, Stephen Cunningham, Stephen Lawlor, George Walsh, Niall Curran. Subs used Paddy Kiely, Maurice Casey.

## SPEEDY RECOVERY

We wish a speedy recovery to John Coffey who picked up a serious leg injury in the game on Saturday evening. Also best wishes to Eoin Cunningham

who picked up a serious arm injury recently.

## DEISE DRAW

This months draw takes place on Friday night and is hosted by the Kill GAA Club. Please have all money with Noel Costelloe early this week.

## SYMPATHY

Our club would like to express deepest sympathy to Mary Clancy, Island and Bernie O'Brien, Durrow on the death

of their father, Bobby Power last week. May he rest in peace.

## DOG NIGHT

Our Annual night at the dogs takes place in Kilcohan Park on Saturday night, November 26th. A great nights entertainment is assured.

## DANCING CLASSES

Dancing classes with John and Maura will recommence on Wednesday, October 12th at 8.30 pm. All are welcome.

# BRICKEY RANGERS G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

## Minor Football Western Final

We were beaten by Ballinacourty in the Minor A Western final on Saturday last. Final score: Ballinacourty 2-14 Brickey Rangers 2-5.

Our young teams played some good football in the first half and early in the second half, then we seemed to lost our way to a stronger and bigger Ballinacourty side who ran out winners. Well done to all concerned,

managers, mentors and players.

Team: James Corcoran, Alan Curran, Johnny Cooney, Cian Kearney, Stephen McCarthy, Conor McGrath, John Cummins, Mark Scanlon, Mark Shalloe, Eoin McCarthy, Christopher Power, Shane Kearney. Subs used: David Curran, Christopher Daly.

Manager: Anthony Murphy, selectors: Conor Fitzgerald, Fintan Gee, Vinny McCarthy. Thanks to all our supporters.

## Junior Hurling Championship

We play Ballinameela in the Western final on Saturday, 8th October. We also now know that it's Ring we play in the Western final of the Football on a date to be fixed.

## Deise Draw

The September draw takes place in Kill on Friday, 30th September. All tickets and monies to be handed in to club co-ordinator Nollaig Halpin on

or before Thursday, 29th.

## Brickey Mini Lotto

The lotto draw took place in Tommy Power's bar on Thursday last. Numbers drawn were 7-17-21. There was no jackpot winner. E25 winners were Paddy Murphy, Esther Twohig, Noel Fitzgerald (Snr), Sarah Hickey.

This weeks draw will take place in Bridie Dee's bar and the jackpot will be E1,550. Tickets only E2 each available from any promoter.

# LADIES FOOTBALL

## Comeragh Rangers Advanced to Semi-final of the Munster Club Championship

### COMERAGH RANGERS 5-13 ST. AILBE'S 0-8

Waterford Junior champions, when they defeated Limerick representatives, St. Ailbe's at Ardinnan on Sunday last. Both sides were playing their first ever game in the Provincial Club Championship, but Comeragh Rangers were far too strong for a team that fielded 14 minors, ten of those being under 16.

Comeragh too have a youthful side, nine are minors but they have a sprinkling of experienced players with physical strength and experience. They got off to a great start, shooting 1-3 in the opening five minutes, the goal scored by Linda Drohan, but St. Ailbe's struck back with three consecutive points by the 15th minute.

Then Comeragh Rangers moved up a gear and Marie Hogan's 20th minute goal put them on the way. Ruth Kirwan (0-2), Marie Hogan (0-2) and Linda Drohan (0-2) all shot points to give them a 2-9 to 0-3 interval lead.

St. Ailbe's made a number of switches but it made no difference as Rangers dominated the second half, scoring four further goals from Marie Hogan (0-2), Nicola Cahill and Ruth Kirwan and sailed into the next round.

Every single member of the Comeragh Rangers side played well. Several of their players have played international county football and it clearly showed. They have a high level

of fitness, combined well as a team and the hard work they have all put in all year, is paying dividends. It's great to see Leanne Kirwan back in action, she appears to have overcome her injury problems.

Next up is a clash against Clare v Kerry representatives. That opposition will be much stronger, but Comeragh Rangers, if they play to their potential, have every chance of advancing to the Munster Junior Final.

Comeragh Rangers: Marian Hogan, Aoife McGrath, Michelle Henneby, Marie Doran, Nora Dunphy, Edel Kirwan, Stacy Whelan, Nicola Cahill, Marie Hogan, Ciara Dunphy, Leanne Kirwan, Ruth Kirwan, Linda Drohan. Subs: Bernie Murray, Jenny Gough, Michelle McGrath, Cathy Murray, Edel Curry, Niamh Curry, Eibhlinn Power, Ann Dunphy, Mairead Walsh, Eileen Fitzpatrick, Marguerite Hassett, Emma Nugent, Catriona Flynn.

## UNDER 12

Lyndsay Harty took the Under 12 team to Clare on Saturday for a blitz competition involving teams from Clare, Kerry, Cork, Limerick, Waterford, Galway, Dublin and Wexford. She was working from a small panel of just 18 players, whilst most of the other counties had 30 players. Nevertheless, Waterford played some very good football in games with Wex-

ford, Kerry, Galway and Limerick. The girls really enjoyed the day and you can gradually see an improvement. One noticeable feature is that the other teams seem to have much taller players and this gives them a big advantage. The players that travelled are Sinead Grant, Breda Cooney, Roisin Tobin, Martha Cosgrave, Marie Byrne, Siobhan Ryan, Karen McGrath, Katie Buckley, Kelly Sheehan, Aileen Wall, Zoe Scanlon, Fiona Morrissey, Niamh Collins, Clodagh Walsh, Clodagh Ryan, Mairead Walsh, Liz Flavin and Shannon Dunford.

## PRESENTATION NIGHT

The presentation of the Under 16 Munster medals took place at a superbly organised function in Leamybrien last Friday night. This function was run in association with the Special Olympics, and at the end of the night, a considerable cheque was handed over to Special Olympics committee member, Tom Scanlon. The medals were presented by three Special Olympic athletes, David Sheehan, William McGrath and Nicola Fennell, along with Mary O'Donnell and sponsor, Indra Kenneally. David, William and Nicola all took part in the 2003 World Games and are busy preparing for next year's National Games in Belfast and the 2007 World Games in Shanghai.

J.F. Foods and The Diplomat Off Licence were generous sponsors of this event and that is greatly appreciated. Nora Kirwan and her helpers organised the event superbly. Fiona Kiely produced a marvellous programme. Presentations were made to guests, officers and mentors. The following players received medals: Aimee Jordan (Abbeyside); Bronagh Donovan (Abbeyside); Catherine Power (Tramore); Ciara Dunphy (Comeragh Rangers); Claire Hassett (Capt. Brickey's/ Kilrossanty); Emer Scanlon (St. Oliver's); Gillian Frewen (Ballyduff Upper); Gillian McGrath (St. Oliver's/ Old Parish); Julie Buest (Brickey's/ Kilrossanty); Julie Kirwan (Brickey's/ Kilrossanty); Kate Feeney (Ballyduff Upper); Kate Power (Brickey's/ Kilrossanty); Kelly Moroney (St. Pat's); Kerry Dunphy (St. Anne's); Laura (Comeragh Rangers); Lenora Kirwan (Brickey's/ Kilrossanty); Lynn Marie Grant (St. Anne's); Mairead Wall (Ballymacarby); Michaela O'Grady (Brickey's/ Kilrossanty); Michelle Norris (St. Pat's); Niamh McGrath (Brickey's/ Kilrossanty); Nora Hassett (Brickey's/ Kilrossanty); Sarah Kiely (Abbeyside); Sinead Ryan (Ballymacarby); Siobhan Brackett (Abbeyside).

The mentors were Johnny Kirwan (Manager); Jimmy O'Rourke, Peter Jordan and Jenny Whyte.

# WATERFORD G.A.A. FIXTURES

Friday, September 30th

Lawlor's Hotel Senior Football Championship Relegation Play Off

At Stradbally: 5:30pm Kilrossanty v Kilmacthomas (J.M. Kelly)

Saturday, October 1st

Lawlor's Hotel Senior Football Championship Relegation Play Off

At Bushy Park: 3:00pm Ardmore v John Mitchells (D. O'Leary)

Comeragh Oil West Intermediate Hurling

Championship Quarter Final  
At Fraher Field: 2:00pm Ballyduff v Clashmore (T. O'Sullivan)

Pat McCarthy Car Sales East Junior Hurling Championship Semi Finals

At Walsh Park:  
2:00pm Fenor v Ballygunner (J. Murphy)  
3:30pm Mt. Sion v Ballyduff Lower (V. O'Toole)

Sunday, October 2nd

Lawlor's Hotel Senior Football Championship Semi Final

At Fraher Field: 2:00pm Nire v Rathgormack (M. Condon)

Top Oil Senior Hurling Championship Semi Final

At Fraher Field: 3:30pm Ballygunner v Lismore (J. Hunt)

Pat McCarthy Car Sales East Minor (A) Hurling Championship Final

At Walsh Park: 2:00pm De La Salle v Dunhill/Fenor (M. Wadding)

Pat McCarthy Car Sales East Intermediate Hurling Championship Semi Final Replay

At Walsh Park: 3:30pm Passage v Tramore (V. O'Toole)

# WATERFORD G.A.A. RESULTS

Top Oil Senior Hurling Championship

Semi Final: De La Salle 1-12 Mt. Sion 0-14

Quarter Final: Lismore 2-15 Stradbally 0-5

Pat McCarthy Car Sales East Intermediate Hurling Championship Semi Finals

Passage 0-14 Tramore 2-8

Clonea 1-14 St. Mollerans 0-11

Comeragh Oil West Intermediate Hurling Championship Quarter Final

Colligan 1-9 Geraldines 0-9

Radley Engineering West Intermediate Football Championship Semi Final

Rinn Ua gCuanach 3-11 Ballinameela 2-8

Qualitile East Junior Football Championship Quarter Final

Fenor 1-5 Ferrybank 1-4

Park Hotel West Minor (A) Football Championship Final

Ballinacourty 2-14 Brickey Rangers 2-5

Jim Quirke West Minor (B) Hurling Championship Final

Ballyduff 1-8 Cappoquin 0-11

Sargent Cup Senior Hurling 2004 Final Replay

Ballygunner 4-17 Tallow 2-16

East Minor (B) Football Championship Semi Final

Roanmore 7-9 Tramore 0-3

# Gaelic Games Coaching Corner

## UNDER 11 TOWN AND COUNTRY FINALS:

The above finals take place this Saturday in Fraher Field commencing at 10.30 with three finals to be played. More on this next week.

## SCHOOL COACHING VISITS

For Tuesday 4/10/05 to Friday 7/10/05

Tuesday 4/10/05 Ballyduff Upper

Wednesday 5/10/05 Coolnasmeear/Kilbrien

Thursday 6/10/05 St. Marys

Friday 7/10/05 An Rinn

## G.A.A. NOTES

## BY "COMMENTATOR"

## Exciting Double Header at Fraher Field

With the finish of the championship approaching, I suppose every programme is exciting, but here with top football and hurling teams involved in county semi-final clashes the fare is sure to be of particular interest.

The board is predicting the biggest crowd of the season, so far, and I will be surprised if it does not hit record proportions for a semi-final programme.

### SENIOR FOOTBALL SEMI FINAL

#### Rathgormack v. The Nire

I don't know what other pairing would arouse such interest as there is in this meeting of clubs who are neighbours but nevertheless separated by the Comeragh mountains. They have been rivals and crowd pullers for years and when they clash, the football fare is invariably exciting and close. On their most recent form this clash should be no different.

Last year, the Nire, having played great stuff throughout the championship, played a very exciting low scoring draw, before losing the replay to a very determined Stradbally.

So far this year, the Nire have done nothing wrong and will be difficult to beat by any of the three remaining clubs.

Now out of the hurling championship, their total focus will be on football.

Rathgormack were seen in devastating form here against Clashmore recently and a repeat of this form could seriously rattle the Nire who are their neighbours from the other side of the Comeraghs. I recall having written something like this last year when Rathgormack were due to play Ardmore in the championship and was then surprised to see them decisively defeated on a 2-9 to 1-6 scoreline.

I have a strong feeling that the Nire will survive this one and go on to play Stradbally, whom I fancy to defeat Gaultier in the other semi-final.

### SENIOR HURLING SEMI-FINAL

#### Ballygunner v. Lismore

With the unexpected defeat of county champions Mount Sion on Sunday last, the championship has been thrown wide open and now the surviving three clubs will fight might and main to replace them and represent the county in the Munster Club championship sometime next month.

It is certain to intensify interest in the outcome of the clash involving Ballygunner and Lismore at Fraher field on Sunday.

It was one great game last year when these teams clashed in the county semi-final but it did have an explosive finish that spoilt the occasion.

The odds against such an occurrence here are mighty and I expect to see a sporting game of splendid hurling with the result in the balance until near the finish.

A draw cannot be ruled out but this is the last thing that the board needs at the present time. Last year the game finished in controversy with Ballygunner coming from behind to defeat Lismore (who had looked all over winners before the fracas began). The final score was 2-15 to 2-13.

After this Ballygunner went on to contest the county final against Mount Sion and were defeated by 4-14 to 4-7.

Now Lismore and Ballygunner have each qualified to play in yet another semi-final and with each side having shown very good form in the lead up, a super contest can be expected.

Lismore did, I suppose meet with a set-back in allowing Stradbally to draw with them three weeks ago, but then came back to prove themselves on last weekend with a decisive victory over the 'Reds' in a one sided replay.

Ballygunner showed top form recently when accounting for Ballyduff East in decisive fashion and on last Sunday evening they scored a 4-17 to 2-16 win against Tallow in a thrilling replay of the 2004 Sargent Cup final.

A significant feature of this tie was the splendid display of Paul Flynn who has returned after injury and is now certain to play against Lismore here on Sunday.

Lismore are hoping to have James Shanahan back after injury and if so will be at full strength and will line out with most of the team which defeated Stradbally in the replay.

Ballygunner with Fergal Hartley, Andy Moloney, Stephen Frampton, Alan Kirwan, Nial O'Donnell, Colin Kehoe, Tom Fives, Billy O'Sullivan, Daragh O'Sullivan, Paul Foley, Ray Whitty (goal), will likely start slight favourites, but this is one match in which I find it difficult in finding a reason for showing a preference for one or the other. It can be a draw, but I hope this will not happen as such a result would likely put back the county final which is fixed for October 16th.

### MINOR FOOTBALL "A" FINAL

## Great Second Half Display By Ballinacourty

BALLINACOURTY 2-14  
BRICKEY RANGERS 2-5

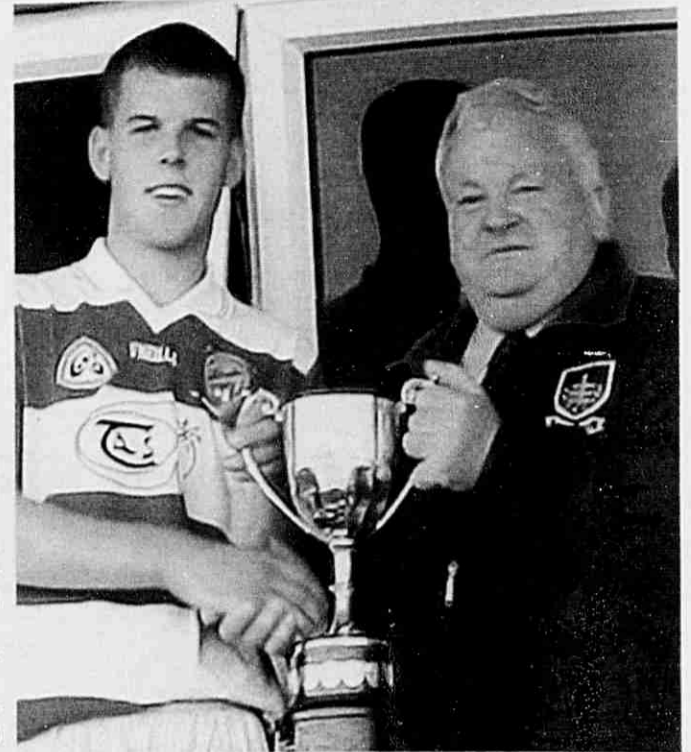
Two early goals gave the Brickeys a splendid start and they led by 2-3 to 1-5 at halftime. Amazingly Brickeys kicked no wide ball in the first half.

Ballinacourty gradually took control in the second half and at the three-quarter stage, led by 2-9 to 2-4. Try as they certainly did, the Brickeys never got back into a challenging situation and left Ballinacourty run out deserving winners by nine points.

Despite the scoring gap, this was a splendid contest and a credit to both clubs.

Following the game, the Cup was presented by board vice-chairman Tom Cunningham, to Ballinacourty team captain Jason O'Brien.

Referee Tommy O'Sullivan, Cappoquin/Affane.



Tom Cunningham, Vice-Chairman Western GAA Board presents the Minor "A" Football cup to Abbeyside's captain, Jason O'Brien.



Abbeyside (above) who beat the Brickeys (below) in the final of the Park Hotel sponsored Western Minor "A" Football championship. —(Photos by Sean Byrne Photography).



## Minor Championship Results

The game between Cappoquin and Ballyduff in the final of the minor "B" hurling championship ended in a draw at Lismore after Ballyduff held a one-point lead at the break, having played with the very strong breeze in a thrilling contest on Saturday last. It was the kind of result that the board had feared because it will help to choke up the minor championships in two different codes. The same clubs are also due to meet in the minor football "B"

championship. When these teams clashed in the league section of the minor championship, the match ended all square after a most exciting contest. It was therefore unusual that a similar result would obtain when they clashed in the final. At the halfway stage, Ballyduff, having played with the strong breeze, held a narrow one point advantage and at this point a win for Cappoquin seemed very likely. In a splendid second half, however, Ballyduff held on

for a deserved draw.

A further meeting between the sides cannot be arranged for at least a couple of weeks as a

number of Ballyduff's players will be engaged with their intermediate hurling team in the championship on Saturday next.

## MINOR HURLING FINAL OFF

Because of De La Salle's involvement in the county senior hurling final on October 16th the minor hurling county final involving Abbeyside and De La Salle which had been listed at the curtain raiser, has had to go off.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

SENIOR HURLING REPLAY

# Lismore On Top All The Way Against Stradbally

What a difference from the drawn game? One well known Stradbally supporter remarked coming out of the ground that the cause of the Stradbally collapse was diagnosed as 'footballitis' and that the five-in-a-row ambition affected their approach to the hurling replay.

Be that as it may, it will not change the fact that they were unable to match the superior Lismore side in this rather one sided contest that had attracted a big crowd to the venue for the third game of the afternoon on Saturday.

The Lismore goal came in the second minute when Michael Shanahan rounded his marker for a clear strike to the Stradbally net. Points by John Heneghan, Dan Shanahan and David Howard left them six points clear by the 13th minute.

Ger Power, who had a splen-

did game, opened with a point for Stradbally in the 16th minute and he added another in the 17th. Eoin Bennett and David Howard added Lismore points before an exchange of scores involving Stephen Cunningham and Dave Bennett saw the halftime tally at 1-6 to 0-3 in Lismore's favour.

A Dave Bennett free dropped into the Stradbally square and the ball found its way to the net after a 'mix up' to leave the winners a clear nine points ahead after only a minute of the second half. Michael Walsh pointed a Stradbally free and Dan Shanahan responded from play. Then another pointed free in the 13th minute by Michael Walsh bought their tally to five points and this marked the end of their scoring for the hour.



Lismore (above) who defeated Stradbally (below) in the replay of their Senior Hurling Championship game at Fraher Field on Saturday evening last. —(Photos by Sean Byrne).



Stradbally did continue to battle away, but to no avail as Lismore continued to dominate with regular scores to run out rather easy and deserving winners.  
Scorers: Lismore - D. Bennett

1-5, M. Shanahan 1-0, D. Shanahan 0-3, J. Heneghan and D. Howard 0-2 each, D. O'Gorman, P. Prendergast and E. Bennett 0-1 each; Stradbally - M. Walsh 0-2, G. Power 0-2, S.

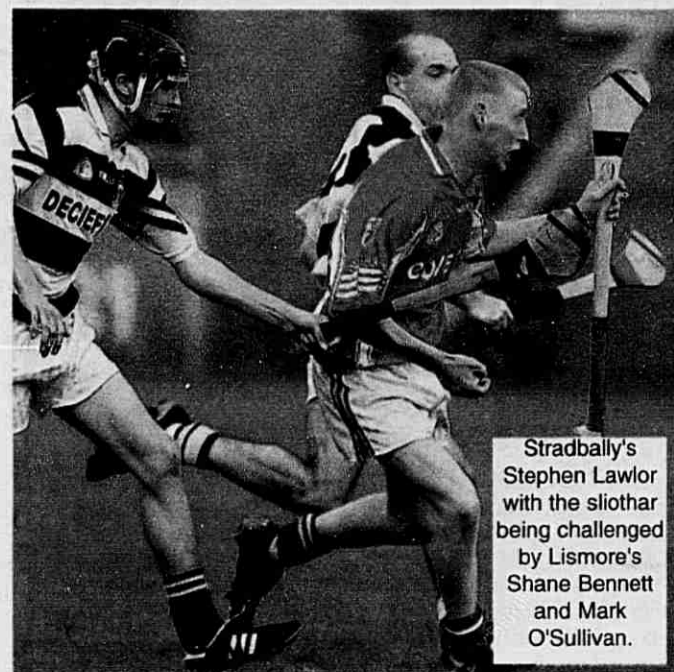
Cunningham 0-1.  
Lismore — B. Landers, M. O' Sullivan, J. O'Connor, S. Kearney, S. Bennett, P. Howard, W. Cunningham, E.

Bennett, D. O'Gorman, D. Shanahan, D. Howard, P. Prendergast, M. Shanahan, D. Bennett, J. Heneghan. Subs played - Mark O' Sullivan, M. Pren-

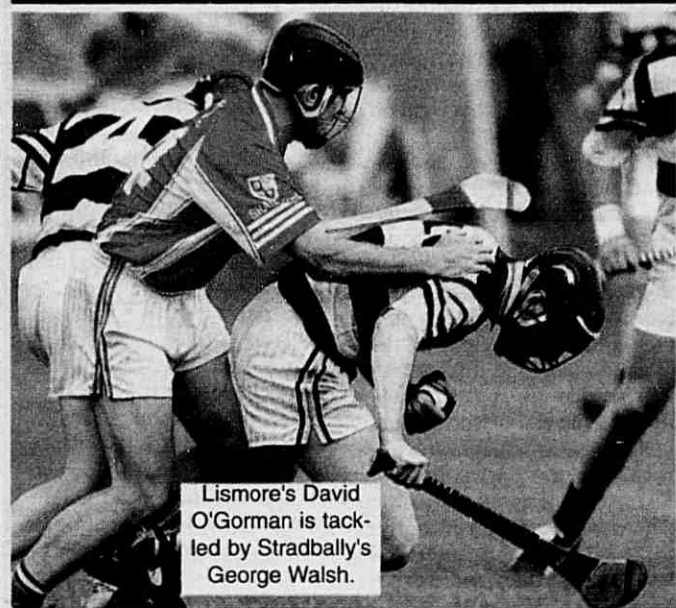
dergast, A. Ormond, C. O'Keffe, B. Bennett.  
Stradbally — T. Curran, T. Walsh, J. Halpin, T. Costello, O. Costello, J. Coffey, P. Doyle, M. Walsh, J. Ahearne, S. Cun-

ningham, G. Power, N. Curran, K. Coffey, G. Walsh, S. Lawlor. Subs played - P. Kiely and M. Casey.  
Referee: Tommy O' Sullivan, Affane/Cappoquin.

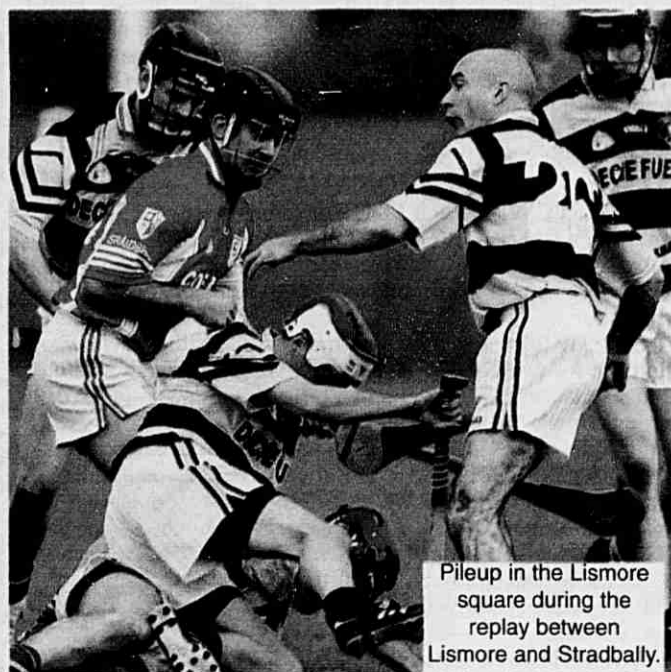
## LISMORE 2-15 STRADBALLY 0-5



Stradbally's Stephen Lawlor with the sliothar being challenged by Lismore's Shane Bennett and Mark O'Sullivan.



Lismore's David O'Gorman is tackled by Stradbally's George Walsh.



Pileup in the Lismore square during the replay between Lismore and Stradbally.

## G.A.A. NOTES

## BY "COMMENTATOR"

## INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

## Colligan Best In Close Encounter

**Colligan 1-9 Geraldines 0-9**

This was an enjoyable and very keenly contested quarter final of the intermediate hurling championship and close to the finish it looked to be heading for a draw.

The match had been level on three occasions in the first half and the sides were locked together at 0-5 apiece at the break.

They were twice level again in the second half until a Pat McGrath goal in the 55th minute 'broke the duck' which saw Colligan through to the semi-final of the championship.

Mark Flynn opened with a point for Colligan and Ger O'Donovan responded for Geraldines. Michael Murray, Ger O'Donovan and Stephen Kenefick had Geraldine points to give them an 0-4 to 0-1 lead by the 11th minute.

Colligan hit back with points (2) from John Wall and Michael McGrath to draw level in the 21st minute. An exchange of points involving John Wall and Ger O'Donovan saw them then locked together on the scoreboard at 0-5 each at halftime.

### SECOND HALF

A brace of points by Ray Bannon was followed with two from Ger O'Donovan and it was 0-8 apiece when John Wall and Ger O'Donovan rifled over scores. Then John Wall from a '65' had Colligan's 9th point and was followed with the Pat McGrath goal. Three minutes later Ger O'Donovan had the final point for the attacking Geraldines.

Colligan — J. D. Casey, J. Cliffe, A. Walsh, J. Kiely, M. Flynn, J. Morrissey, M. McGrath, J. Wall, R. Bannon, R. Kirwan, N. Drohan, K. Casey, P. McGrath, P. Landy, P. Flynn, Sub. S. Dempsey.

Geraldines — E. Donovan, E. O'Brien, D. Tobin, T. Curran, S. O'Connor, A. Cullen, E. Mernin, K. Cotter, S. Keane, M. Murray, P. O'Donovan, N. Ahearne, S. Kenefick, G. O'Donovan, C. Landers.

Referee John M. Kelly, Shamrocks.

### INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL SEMI-FINAL

## An Rinn Survive Late Ballinameela Pressure

**An Rinn 3-11 Ballinameela 2-8**

This was an entertaining game played with great earnestness at sunny Fraher field on Sunday afternoon following the All-Ireland football final at Croke Park.

An Rinn, who seemed to be cruising to a big win were put under pressure following two goals kicked by Eoin Walsh and James Fletcher in the closing ten minutes of the second half.

The winners will now meet Brickey Rangers in the divisional final in about three weeks time.

Ballinameela opened with an Eoin Walsh point and Mike O Toibin replied from a free for An Rinn in the 4th minute. Two Eoin Walsh points put Ballinameela ahead, but the lead changed quickly when Liam O Cuirin kicked to the net for a goal for the Gaeltacht team in the 10th minute. A Liam O Lonain point was followed with another goal from Liam O Cuirin in the 13th minute. Eoin Walsh and Mike O Toibin exchanged points and a further exchange by the same players left the half-time score at 2-4 to 0-5 in favour of the Gaeltacht team.

### SECOND HALF

Shane O Ceallaigh and M. O Toibin had points for An Rinn and when Shane O Ceallaigh and substitute Micheal S. O Murchadha added two further scores, a nine points gap was opened up and the result in favour of An Rinn looked to be inevitable.

However there was to be no surrender by Ballinameela who hit back for two goals as reported above, but An Rinn held on and so qualified for a meeting with Brickey Rangers in the divisional final.

An Rinn - C. O hUallachain, L. O Muiri, B. Breathnach, E. De Faoite, N. O Murchu, E. Breathnach, E. O Crottaigh, L. O Lonain, S. O Ceallaigh, M. O Toibin, G. Breathnach, C. O Manachain, S. MacCraith, L. O Cuirin, P. O Murchu.

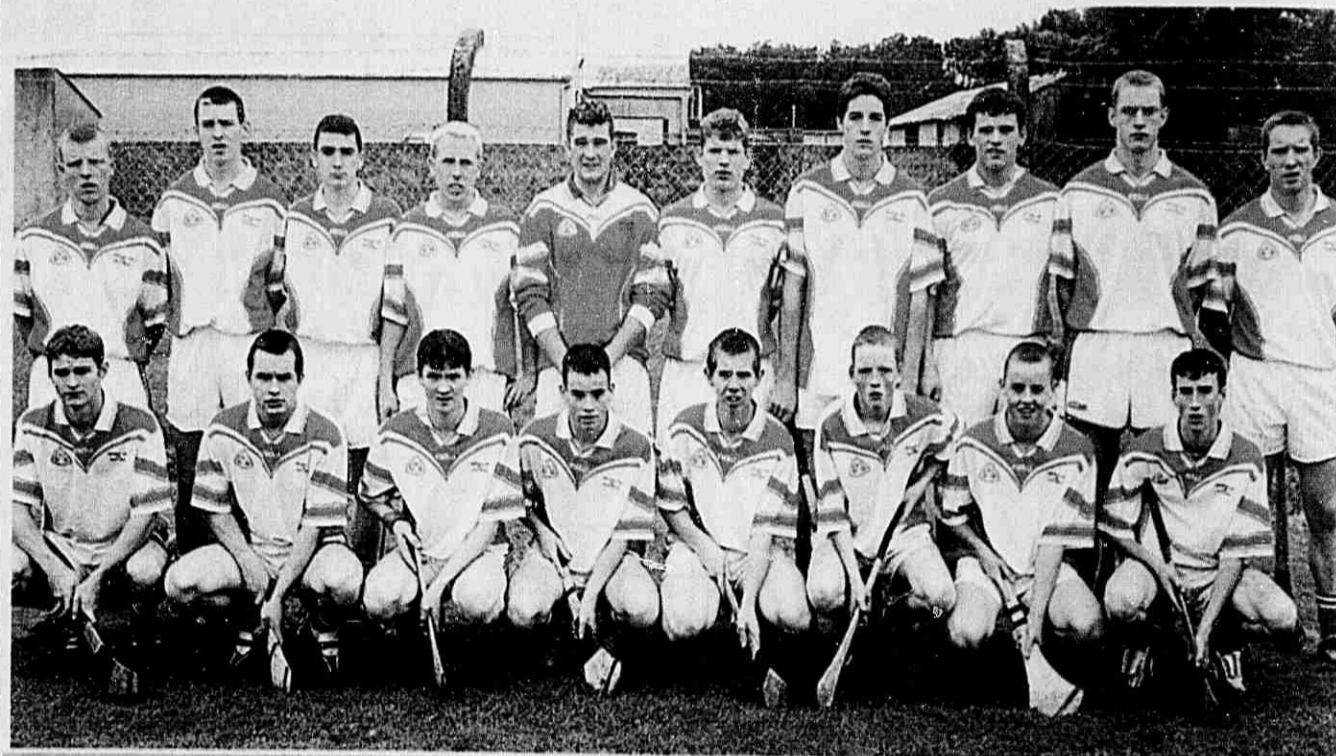
Ballinameela - S. McGrath, T. Walsh, M. Walsh, P. Barron, K. Stack, K. McGrath, R. McCarthy, A. Ahearne, R. Fitzgerald, J. Fletcher, Eoin Walsh, Eamon Walsh, Ed. Walsh, B. Pheilan, J. Stack.

Referee: Maurice Condon.

## Western Minor "B" Hurling Championship Final Ends All-Square



Cappoquin (above) and Ballyduff (below) who drew 0-11 to 1-8 in the Western "B" Minor Hurling Championship final at Lismore on Saturday last. —(Photos by Sean Byrne).



## Western Board Fixtures

Highlights of the Divisional Board programme for the weekend will be the intermediate hurling championship quarter-final involving Ballyduff and Clashmore. This attractive tie takes place at Fraher field on Saturday.

At the start of the season, Ballyduff who had been relegated after two nail-biting games with Fourmilewater and Abbeyside, were installed favourites to win the intermediate title and regain senior status but with a few other contenders waiting in the wings to challenge this prediction, pundits are regarding the title run to be that bit more open.

I have seen Clashmore improve over the past couple of seasons, but I would not rate them to be on a par with Ballyduff who have more skillful players and also are more experienced.

## Senior Football Relegation Games

The two senior football relegation matches involving Ardmore v. Mitchels and Kilrossanty v. Kilmacthomas have now been fixed by the GAC.

On Saturday next at Bushy Park, Ardmore will play John Mitchels at 3 p.m.

The Kilrossanty v. Kilmacthomas tie is fixed for Stradbally venue and it will be played on Friday evening at 5 p.m.

The form book points to wins for Ardmore and Kilrossanty and if this forecast is correct, then Kilmacthomas and neighbours, John Mitchels will be in a battle for survival in the senior football championships next year.

## The Guinness Hurling Legends

It's a competition to find the players who played best in the 15 positions on the field in the Guinness hurling championship over the past 10 years since the company became involved in sponsorship.

The team will be announced at a banquet in the Guinness Storehouse on this Friday night and this will put an end to speculation about the selection, which has aroused considerable interest, since it was announced some months ago.

## Munster Club Fixtures

The Provincial Council are due to meet on Tuesday night next to make draws and fixtures. Because of the deferred draws, the Club Championships are not likely to start until late October.

If our present rate of progress continues and we have no further senior championship draws, we should have no problems about being ready for the Munster Club competitions for early December.

**BALLYMACARBRY LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB NOTES**

# Ballymac' Retain County Senior Title

**BALLYMACARBRY 1-13  
OLD PARISH 2-6**

Ballymacarbry retained the County Senior title, defeating Old Parish in a thrilling match at Stradbally last Saturday evening. Ballymac's winning run in Waterford which stretches back to 1981, began in Stradbally and the indication before the game was that this year's final was to be their biggest test in years and that's exactly what happened as a very strong Old Parish team really put it up to them.

Old Parish won the toss and played against the wind. Ballymac started well and Michelle Ryan and Marian Ryan kicked early points but Old Parish settled with two good points from Niamh Briggs to level the scores after 7 minutes. Old Parish keeper Fiona Kiely made a brilliant save from Catriona Casey, Sarah Hickey did likewise at the other end and a large crowd was kept well entertained.

Ballymac at last began to take advantage of the wind and in a 10 minute spell shot five consecutive points. Claire Ryan hit two in rapid succession, Marian Ryan

## SENIOR CHAMPIONS 2005



Pictured above is the victorious Ballymacarbry ladies football panel who defeated Old Parish in the county senior final on Saturday evening last.

added another and Sinead Ryan (2) left the score 0-7 to 0-2 after 20 minutes. Then came the game's crucial first goal as Michelle McGrath's pass found Sinead Ryan and the 14 year old corner forward beat Fiona Kiely with a low drive.

Niamh Briggs responded with an Old Parish point, Michelle Ryan's drive went inches over the bar, Marian Ryan and Sinead Ryan tacked on further points. Deep in first half injury time, Ballymac goalkeeper Sarah Hickey pulled off a great save but Niamh Briggs slammed the breaking ball to the net to leave Ballymac 1-10 to 1-3 ahead at the break.

A 7 point lead didn't look to comfortable against a very strong breeze in the second half. Ballymac made a couple of crucial switches at half time. Rebecca Hallahan went to full back, Eibhlis Cooney to centre back, Sinead Ryan moved to full forward and Linda Wall played as an extra defender.

Old Parish dominated the early second half exchanges and the game was in the melting pot when Evelyn O'Brien scored a super goal in the 37th minute. Ballymac responded and Sinead Ryan won a ball on the halfway line, took on several defenders and shot a great point from 30 metres. Mary O'Donnell pointed for Old Parish with her left foot and the Ballymac defence was under intense pressure. Rebecca Hallahan deflected Niamh Briggs' drive over the bar. Ballymac broke downfield and Fiona Kiely pulled off another great save. Gillian Moore tidied up a dangerous situation and Eibhlis Cooney took the ball out of defence on a number of occasions.

Old Parish missed a couple of chances before Niamh Briggs reduced the deficit to 3 points with four minutes remaining. Then wing back Louise Ryan surged upfield and combined with Mairead Wall and drove over an insurance point. Old Parish rallied but Aine Ryan, Rebecca Hallahan and Brid Whelan kept them out. Michelle O'Gorman came on and won vital possession and referee Maurice Condon

called it a day with Ballymac four points to the good.

Both teams deserve credit for a great game. It was a tough, tense affair, Ballymac's mobility in attack and greater experience won the day. Sarah Hickey was outstanding in goal, the backs Aine Ryan, Brid Whelan, Louise Ryan, Eibhlis Cooney, Gillian Moore and particularly Rebecca Hallahan formed a tremendous unit. Michelle McGrath and Marian Ryan won vital possession at midfield. On occasion the attack combined superbly, Mairead Wall, Michelle Ryan, Catriona Casey and Claire Byrne put together some great moves. Sinead Ryan caused endless problems and shot 1-4 whilst Linda Wall had a superb second half. Michelle O'Gorman also did her bit when she came on.

Scorers: Sinead Ryan (1-4), Marian Ryan (0-4), Michelle Ryan (0-2), Claire Ryan (0-2), Louise Ryan (0-1).

Ballymac: Sarah Hickey, Aine Ryan, Eibhlis Cooney, Brid Whelan, Louise Ryan, Rebecca Hallahan, Gillian Moore, Michelle McGrath, Marian Ryan (0-4), Linda Wall, Michelle Ryan (capt, 0-2), Mairead Wall, Sinead Ryan (1-4), Claire Ryan (0-2), Catriona Casey.

Subs: Michelle O'Gorman, Louise Prendergast, Brid Ryan, Laura Cronin, Aoife Reynolds, Niamh Fahey, Orla Kearney and Stephanie Whelan.

Full credit to team manager Mike Guiry and his mentors Brigid Grant and Catherine Ryan and physio Declan Spellman on sending out a very well prepared team.

### CONGRATULATIONS

To Aileen Wall on playing in Croke Park on Sunday. She wore the Kingdom's colours and her team were victorious.

### 7-A-SIDE

Next Saturday Ballymac are off to Dublin for the annual 7-a-side tournament.

Aine Ryan is off to England and Michelle Ryan is going to France. Hope to see you both back for Munster club. Thanks to the Oriel Bar for sponsorship.



County Board Chairperson Michael Ryan presents the cup to Ballymacarbry captain Michelle Ryan.

# Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Club Notes

## ADULT COMMITTEE MEETING

Next meeting of the Adult Committee will take place at the Parish Office on Thursday the 29th of September at 8pm.

## JUVENILE COMMITTEE MEETING

The next meeting of the Juvenile Committee will take on Thursday 6th October at 8pm in the club grounds.

## WESTERN MINOR HURLING TITLE

We won our 6th Western Minor Hurling and Football double last weekend on Saturday the 24th of September at Fraher Field. When we defeated a very gallant Brickies team when we also picked up our 20th Western Minor football title. Doubles don't come very often and in our case we achieved this feat 1950, 70, 76, 2002, 2003 and now 2005. This was a game in which we had to work tremendously hard to gain victory. In fact the Brickies were ahead at half time on a scoreline of 2 goals and 3 points to 1 goal and 5 points. Our lads had to work hard right to the end for Captain Jason O'Brien to lift the cup.

Our team on the day was as follows Stephen Enright, John O'Driscoll, Diarmuid O'Hare, Donal Henley, Eoin Brackett, Richie Foley, Brendan Walsh, John Gorman, Sean O'Hare, Shane Delahunty, Jason O'Brien (Captain), James O'Mahoney, Jason Healy, Mark Ferncombe and Diarmuid Sheehan. Substitutes used were Stephen Slater, Billy Ryan, Donnacha Enright, Alan Tobin and Alan Deegan. Others on the line were Anthony Flynn, Eoin McCullagh, Cormac Enright, Stephen Lanigan and Rory Moloney.

Scorers were as follows Mark Ferncombe 1-3, Jason O'Brien 1-2, John Gorman, James O'Mahoney and Diarmuid Sheehan 2 points each, Sean O'Hare, Jason Healy and Stephen Slater 1 point each.

Well done to Captain Jason O'Brien and his merry men and to mentors Bernard Gorman, Seamus Murray, Jim O'Mahoney, Paudie Donnelly and Pat Joe Lanigan. Also assisting on the line on the day were Chairman Tony Mansfield, Jimmy O'Leary, Pat McGovern, Mattie Kiely and Vice Chairman Tom Whelan. We now await the winners of the Eastern Minor Finals.

## UNDER 10 HURLING

The curtain came down on an-

other summer of outdoor activities for the youngest members of our Club when we played a tournament for the Danny Lenihan Cup on Saturday morning last. This year marks the twenty-fifth anniversary of the presentation of the cup to the Club. Four teams of players from 7 to 10 years, captained by Brian Looby, Aidan Moloney, Cian Dwyer and Patrick Collins, competed in this year's competition. While our 5 and 6 year olds also played a little game under the watchful eye of Larry Cliffe.

After two rounds of matches the final was a keenly contested affair between Aidan and Cian's teams. When referee Michael Collins' whistle sounded at the end Cian's team were victorious on a score of 3-1 to 2-1. We were delighted to have Mrs. Helen Lenihan in attendance to present the cup and medals to the winning team. Everyone who took part also received a medal to mark the occasion.

And so ends another summer of Saturday morning sessions, and what a summer it was with only a couple of mornings lost to inclement weather. A word of thanks to everyone who helped out in any way since April, to the coaches who gave of their time, to the parents who assisted with transport on our away days and especially to all the boys and girls for their excellent behaviour. As the winter nights begin to draw in our thoughts turn to indoor activities, so keep an eye on the notes in the coming weeks for details.

For the record the members of the winning team in the Danny Lenihan Cup Tournament 2005 were Cian Dwyer, Capt., Stephen Fehilly, Lee Cummins, Sean Daly, Tom O'Rourke, Laurence Power, Ronan Mansfield, Seamus Ryan, Sheamie Fennell and Paul Wade.

## SAHAKALIN ISLAND

Just received an e-mail from Tom Enright from Far Eastern Russia. Just goes to show that this great club of ours has very long tentacles indeed. Along with Fr. Colin Fives in Nigeria, Tom in Russia, Michael Fives and Liam O'Connor in Limerick there are endless places we can choose to play challenge matches. We hope you are keeping well Tom and we send your best wishes to brothers Cormac & Donnacha in their endeavours with the minor team this year.

## THE NO NAME CLUB

I was privileged to be at Lawlors Hotel last Friday night the 23rd of September to see two of our minors Brendan Walsh and John O'Driscoll (including a host of other lads and lassies from the Parish) receive their end of year certificates from the No Name Club. We pride ourselves along with every other GAA club on our work in developing young people into adult hood as well as adjusted team players and leaders. Also we are involved in keeping young people out of harms way by filling their time with training and games. There is an organisation called the No Name Club, which also deserves huge credit for their work with young people and developing them into team players and leaders. Their ethos is based on giving young people activity based options other than the Pub or the normal night club activities that so many of our young people are drawn to. The Chairman of this excellent organisation is the great Eddie Kehir who travelled from Kilkenny for the presentation and what a role model he turns out to be. Paddy Fitzgerald of Dungarvan GAA Club is one of the mentors along with John Donovan, the Friary's Joe Moynihan, Ann Dunford, Audrey Donovan, Michael Dunford, Michael Fitzgerald and Fr. Tim O'Riordan (Parish Priest of Abbeyside). This really is an organisation going about its business with real purpose. Well done to Brendan, John and all members who received certificates as well as their mentors.

## SYMPATHIES

The Club would like to extend sincere sympathies to the Brady family of Seapark on the death of Tony's father in Dublin who was also grandfather to Kelvin who lines out in the colours of our club. 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 [HYPERLINK "mailto:dunballin@hotmail.com"](mailto:HYPERLINKmailto:dunballin@hotmail.com) 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.



Cian Dwyer's team, winners of the Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA Club's tournament for the Danny Lenihan Cup.



Aidan Moloney's team, runners up the Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA Club's tournament for the Danny Lenihan Cup.



Brian Looby's team who competed in the Danny Lenihan Cup tournament run by Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA Club recently.



Patrick Collins team who competed in the Danny Lenihan Cup tournament run by Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA Club recently.

# CLG na Rinne

**Torthaí Lotto**  
**Pota Óir €5,750**

Umhreacha 8, 9, 13, 16, ní raibh aon bhuaiteoir  
20 an duine ag Val Kenneally, Ciarán Mac Craith f/ch  
Tomás, Fiona Ní Chadhla, Mag & Cairo, Agnes Uí Chionnfhao-  
laidh f/ch Seán Ó Cuirrín. An tseachtain seo chugainn, Tigh an  
Cheoil €5,900.

**Peil Idirmheánach**

**Cluiche Leathcheannais an Iarthair**

**Rinn Ó gCuanach 3-11 v Baile na mBialach 2-8**

Bhí an-bhua ag na peileadóirí sa chluiche seo. Bíodh gur  
ceistíodh an cinneadh imirt in aghaidh na gaoithe sa chéad  
leath, ba mhaith an rogha ar dhá chúis é: bhíomar go maith  
chun cinn ag an mbriseadh a bhíochas do dhá chúil ó Liam Ó  
Cuirrín agus chomh maith leis seo, bhí ár gcéillí comhraic i  
bhfad níos aclaí ná sinn rud a d'fhág sinn ag cosaint  
d'fhorhmór an dara leatha.

D'imir an Rinn peil an-mhaith agus bhí a mbua 6 chúilín tu-  
illte acu. Beidh orthu é a ardú céim eile anois do chluiche  
ceannais an iarthair in aghaidh Ródaithe na Brice.

An Fhoireann: Cormac Ó hUallacháin; Lorcán Ó Muiri,  
Darach Breathnach, Éanna de Faoite (c); Eamonn Ó Crotaigh,  
Eoghan Breathnach, Noel Ó Murchadha; Liam Ó Lonáin (1-1),  
Séaghan Ó Ceallaigh (0-2); Mike Tóibín (0-6), Gearóid Breath-  
nach, Ciarán Ó Manacháin; Séimí Mac Craith (0-1), Liam Ó  
Cuirrín (2-0), Pádraig Ó Murchadha.

Fir ionaid: Micheál Seán Ó Murchú (0-1) do G Breathnach,  
Billí Breathnach do C Ó Manacháin. Séamas Ó hAodha, Liam  
de Grás, D\_áithí Ó Condúin, Nioclás Ó Lonáin, Aaron de  
Róiste.

Réiteoir: M Ó Condúin

## Brickey Rangers Juvenile G.A.A. Club Notes

**Under-14 Football**

We played Lismore in the Division 2 semi final of the  
Western championship last Friday evening in Lismore  
having tossed a coin for home or away advantage. We  
got off to a good start and led at half time by a goal. How-  
ever, Lismore came more into the game in the second  
half and drew level at 2-3 a piece. Brickeys finished the  
stronger and ran out winners by 3-6 to Lismore's 2-4. We  
now play St. Oliver's in the final this weekend.

**UNDER-11 HURLING**

Last Saturday morning we played Passage in the Divi-  
sion 2 final of the Ground Hurling championship. Midway  
through the first half Passage took the lead with a goal  
and went on to lead at half time by 2-1 to no score. We  
were guilty of a couple of bad misses in the half. We  
pulled a goal back early in the second half after this it was  
Passage's turn to have one or two bad wides. We  
grabbed a second goal with a few minutes remaining but  
time ran out to leave Passage winners by a single point.

Final score: Passage 2-1 Brickeys 2-0.

Panel of players: S. Ahearn, K. McCarthy, J. Ahearn, J.  
Drohan, C. O'Grady, M. Barry, S. Wheelan, N. Wheelan,  
J. Kiely, C. Curran, G. O'Dwyer, L. Houlihan, C. Morrissey,  
M. Houlihan, J. O'Donnell, D. O'Keefe, S. Houlihan, J.  
McGoey, C. O'Halloran, N. McCarthy, S. Nugent.

Well done to all for getting to a County final.

**UNDER-11 TOWN AND COUNTRY LEAGUE**

We will play the final of this competition this Saturday  
morning at 11:30am in the Fraher Field against Killeagh.

**COMMITTEE MEETING**

A juvenile committee meeting will be held this Friday  
night at 8:30pm in Bushy Park.



Ardmore who lost to Butlerstown in the Bord na nOg Under-11 Division 3 Ground Hurling  
County Final at Kilmacthomas. (Rory Wyley)

## West Minor B Hurling Championship Final Ends All Square

**BALLYDUFF 1-8  
CAPPOQUIN 0-11**

An injury time point from a  
free conveyed by Patrick Kear-  
ney earned Ballyduff a draw  
with Cappoquin in a thrilling  
Jim Quirke sponsored West  
Minor B Hurling Champi-  
onship final at Lismore on Sat-  
urday last. The opening quarter  
produced five points with Cap-  
poquin leading by 0-3 to 0-2  
after the sides were level twice  
in the opening 13 minutes. Centre forward J. J. Devine  
gave Cappoquin a two point  
lead in the 16th minute. Points  
from Shane Kearney and  
Patrick Kearney, the latter from  
a '65' saw the Reds on level  
terms by the 25th minute. Bal-  
lyduff went two points in front  
when Shane Kearney found the  
range in the 26th and 28th min-  
utes before Cappoquin pulled a  
point back on the stroke of half  
time to trail by one 0-6 to 0-5 at  
the break. The Cappoquin  
points in the opening half came  
from J. J. Devine, Paul Murray  
(2), Shane O'Rourke and  
Daithi Wilkinson. Within 4  
minutes of the restart Cappo-  
quin were on level terms when  
substitute Finan Murray found  
the range. Points from Shane  
Fives, J. J. Devine and a brace  
from the impressive Paul Mur-  
ray in the 36th, 38th, 44th and  
57th mins saw Cappoquin in a  
strong position as they led by  
0-10 to 0-6 in a low scoring  
second half. Ballyduff had to  
wait all of 29 minutes for their  
first score of the second half  
and what an important one it  
proved to be. A free from  
Patrick Kearney dropped short  
into the Cappoquin goalmouth  
and Bernard Flynn was on hand  
to flash the ball to the net. A  
single point now separated the  
sides with a minute of normal  
time remaining. Three minutes  
into injury time Flynn had the  
equalising score when he hit  
the ball over the bar to tie the

### INJURY TIME POINT EARNS BALLYDUFF A DRAW

scores at 1-7 to 0-10. In the  
65th minute Paul Murray con-  
verted a free to give Cappoquin  
a slender lead 0-11 to 1-7 and it  
looked as if victory was head-  
ing to the cornerstone boys.  
From the puck out Ballyduff at-  
tacked and when they were

awarded free up stepped  
Patrick Kearney to send the  
ball between the posts for an  
equaliser to send the game to a  
replay on a date to be an-  
nounced.

Scorers for Ballyduff; B.  
Flynn (1-1), P. Kearney (0-3),

S. Kearney (0-3), Seamus Han-  
non (0-1).

Scorers for Cappoquin; P.  
Murray (0-5), J. J. Devine (0-  
2), F. Murray, S. O'Rourke, D.  
Wilkins, S. Fives (0-1 each).  
Referee; D. O Murchadha  
(Rinn Ua g Cuanach).

## BALLYSAGGART LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB NOTES

Ballysaggart recorded their first victory in  
the Junior 'B' 15 a side league/championship  
against Kilmacthomas on Sunday afternoon.  
Though missing a few regulars, Ballysaggart  
managed to hold off a strong challenge from  
Kilmacthomas in the second half and ran out  
winners by the scoreline 3-7 to 1-7. Thanks  
to Kilmac for making the rather long journey  
and most of all the sporting manner in which  
they played the game.

Thanks to Adrian & Barry for stepping in at  
such short notice as Sharon (Trainer) was not  
available and to our supporters. Team was as  
follows: Deirdre O'Donnell, Rachel Murphy,  
Noreen O'Brien, Mel Hale, Honor O'Donovan,  
Martina Landers, Elaine Meagher, Liz Fuller,  
Jennifer Hannon, Carmel Hale, Helena Kear-  
ney, Marie Murphy, Noelle Fennessy (Capt),  
Aoife Hannon and Julianne Bennett. Sub:  
Aoife Bennett (used).

After a turbulent two weeks of deciding  
when our 7 A Side semi final match should be  
played v Stradbally - Clubs at a County Board  
meeting (19/9/05) voted that this match had

to played by 2nd Oct. This game had previ-  
ously been postponed twice, the first time -  
the referee deemed the pitch unsuitable for  
playing (which I presume was a fair decision)  
but the second time round because there was  
not adequate notice of the fixture for the op-  
position. Having inadequate notice is bad  
enough (and we managed!), but to travel 40  
miles or more (roundtrip) - some even trav-  
elled from further distances for a game that  
was never going to take place was ludicrous.  
But in the true spirit of our club and football  
- we will be fulfilling this fixture. This game  
is a home venue next weekend so your sup-  
port would be appreciated.

Belated wishes to Elaine Meagher who cele-  
brated her 18th Birthday recently. We also  
wish Elaine, Linda and Lisa the best of luck as  
they head off to college.

Well done to one of our players namely  
Gráinne Flynn who competed in the  
Farmerette Class (3 Furrow) at Knockanore  
(3rd Place) and Lismore (1st Place) ploughing  
venues last weekend.



# Cois Bhride Juvenile G.A.A. Club Notes

## U-7 & U-9 HURLING

Our younger hurlers made the short trip over the border to Killeagh last Sunday for a very enjoyable morning's hurling in what has to be said are the superb grounds of the host club. Two fine pitches are soon to be joined by a third one in what is obviously a very progressive club. These were probably the last outdoor games for these age groups this year, and so they made the most of their opportunities.

The U-7's faced a strong Killeagh side but stuck to their task gamely, and though they were defeated their performance left plenty to be pleased about. I think a special mention should be given to our two girl hurlers, Sinead Roche and Chloe Beecher who certainly held their ground and hurled very well.

Team — Dylan Mangan, Tom Roche, Conor McCarthy, Jack Crawford, Cathal Geary, Jake Grey, Chloe Beecher, Billy Hynes, Sinead Roche, Edward O' Neill, Adam Feeney, Cathal O' Neill, Darragh Mulcahy.

The U-9 match was a much closer affair with two evenly matched teams scoring goals in both ends. In the first half the strong wind favoured Killeagh, and they were ahead by three goals to two at the break. With the wind at their backs in the second half, Cois Bhride dominated the play, and goals from Paul O' Mahony, Colm Roche, Jake Beecher and Jordan Farmer left the final score 6-2 to 3-0. This was a great workout for all the lads, and our thanks go to Killeagh/ St. Ita's for their kind invitation. Team; David Tobin, Pdraig Roche, Matty Barry, Will Hogan, Kelvyn O' Farrell, Paul O' Mahony, Ryan Grey, Colm Roche, Jack O' Donoghue, Jake Beecher, Adam Crawford, Jordan Farmer, Edward Hynes, David Beecher, Darren O' Neill, Colm O' Donoghue.

## UNDER-8 HURLING

Our U-8's play their final outdoor match of the season this Saturday in Tallow against Lismore at 11 O'Clock. If all players could be there at 10.45 please.

## OUTDOOR TRAINING

Outdoor training for the Primary School ages will continue for the next two Fridays.

## GET WELL SOON

This week our thoughts go out to Edward Hynes who only hours after playing for our U-9 hurlers in Killeagh suffered an unfortunate accident at home and is at present recuperating in hospital. Edward, we hope you get well soon.

## TRIP TO CROKE PARK

This trip, which was planned for this Saturday, has been deferred to a later date for several reasons. It will now go ahead sometime in November, probably on a Saturday.

More details will be forthcoming in due course.

## UNDER-13 HURLING

The semi-final of this grade is to be played this weekend I believe, probably on Sunday. The selectors will notify all players.

## TIR EOGHAN ABU!

A vintage year for Gaelic Football ended fittingly in the best final for quite a while last Sunday when Tyrone proved conclusively their pedigree with a thrilling victory over favourites Kerry. What a way for the legendary Peter Canavan to bow out! While a lot of our members would be supporters of the Kingdom, even the most partisan of supporters would concede that the better team won. Looks like the Red Hand Flag is out to stay at Muller's house!

## GERALDINES GAA NOTES

### INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

We were beaten by Colligan last Saturday by 3 points, 1-9 to 0-9. We were missing Johnny Healy, Paul Connery and Caimin Radley through injury while Alan Ronayne was on honeymoon. Ed Donovan took over between the posts and played well making a superb point blank save in the second half. Both defences were on top throughout resulting in a low scoring game but Colligan got a lucky break to goal following a collision in our goalmouth while we never tested their keeper.

Team — Edmund Donovan, Vinny O'Brien, Donnacha Tobin, Tomas Curran, Steven O'Connell, Alan Cullen, Eamon Mernin, Stevie Keane, Kieran Cotter, Nicky Aherne, Pat O'Donovan, Michael Murray, Stephen Kennefick, Ger O'Donovan and Colin Landers. Subs used: - James O'Brien, Brian Guiry

### LOTTO

23rd Sept 2005 - Winning numbers 5,24, and 28. No Winner. €20 winners — John Tobin, Aglish, Steven Donovan, Wayne Daly, Aglish, Bunny Ronayne, Aglish, Staff + Co. Aglish. Next weeks draw in Cruiscin Lan— Jackpot €800

### DEISE DRAW

We had one winner in last months draw which was Fr.Lucey PP. who won €200. It's still not too late to buy a ticket yet. For just €10 per month, you have the chance to win 1st prize €10,000, 2nd prize €5,000, 3rd + 4th prizes €2,000, 5th prize €1,000, 6th + 7th prizes €500, a further 10 prizes of €200 + numerous special prizes each month. Tickets can be purchased from Alan Ronayne, Kieran Cotter, David Cullinane, Nicky Aherne, Pat O'Donovan, Michael Murray or Jock O'Connell. Next Draw is on Friday night in Kill.

## Ardmore GAA Notes

### TG4 - UNDERDOGS

"Have you ever watched DJ score a hatful and thought "i could stop him"? Or seen Peter Barry block and catch and hook all day and said "I'd have scored 1-6 on him"?"

Have you got what it takes to play against the Kilkenny Senior Hurling Team?

Have you got what it takes to be an Underdog? Last year, the Underdogs capped a hugely successful series with a sensational victory over the All-Ireland Football Champions, Kerry in their own back yard. Now it's time for hurling. In December 2005, the Hurling Underdogs team will take on the mighty Kilkenny on their home turf. It's the Dogs against the Cats, and you could be part of the scrap. If you have never played senior county hurling at league or championship level, then you are an Underdog. The above text is taken from the TG4 webpage and highlights what it takes to be an "Underdog". Well, an Ardmore Club man has been in intensive training over many weeks as he successfully met the criteria to be a "TG4 Underdog".

Richie Hennessy, son of John & Mary Hennessy has made that cut and now he can play alongside the great Kilkenny players as did/does Declan & Seamus Prendergast & Clinton Hennessy. Richie, who many believe has the potential to be an Inter-county Hurler is fully committed to the strict training regime that is led down by Eamon Creegan .who was a pivotal member of Limerick's All-Ireland winning team of 1973, and won three All-Stars in '71, '72 and 1980. Eamon led Offaly to the 1994 All-Ireland, beating his native Limerick in the final. Also on the selection panel is Pat Fleury - who was a key figure in Offaly hurling, winning the All-Ireland in 1981. Two All-Stars later in 1982 and 1984, Pat was captain in 1985, and lifted the Liam McCarthy after defeating Galway in the final; Cathal Moore - won two Senior League's with Gal-

way, and played in the 2001 c' -ship campaign where Galway were beaten by Tipperary..a lot of experienced people trialing the dogs.

As mentioned above last years TG4 Football underdogs took on the might of Kerry and beat them interesting to note that Kieran Donaghy played with the underdogs and went onto play with Kerry seniors after his wonderful performance against his home county last year. At the time he marked William Kirby in midfield, who is also his midfield partner for club - Auston Stacks. Kieran Donaghy play's basketball for the Tralee Tigers and is one of

the top players in the country.. So to be an underdog has its attractions.you may become a basketball player.

The club would like to congratulate Richie in making the cut and wish him the best in his preparation for the final showdown against Kilkenny in December. We understand that many matches have been played over the past weeks in preparation. We look forward in anticipation to the program being broadcasted on TG4 in the coming weeks, where Richie and his team mates will be part of our weekly viewing..and bit like Fair City or should I say Coronation Street. Best of luck from the all Club patrons in Ardmore & Grange.

### SENIOR FOOTBALL

Unfortunately my notes did not make it last week...but I did have a paragraph that was focused on our Senior Football campaign for 2005...or may I say the lack of it. This Club is now fighting a relegation battle to stay Senior football for 2006. This club has gone through many ups and down in football especially, where at one stage in 1996 there was a proposal to go down to Junior and build on the flock of players that were coming through.

Gladly some of the elder players at the time took this as an insult and proved many wrong by winning the Intermediate football championship in 1997.

Since then Ardmore has played Senior football...and in the past couple of years we have been tipped as potential Conway Cup champions. Rather than expand on the present commitment we hope that all players can read into what club patrons are thinking at this time. Ardmore are down to play John Mitchels on Saturday at 3pm in Bushy Park. All players are also asked to be at the training field on Thursday night to prepare and hopefully reflect on the meaning of wearing the Ardmore Jersey with pride and passion. Some may argue the point, but after all its a team game...as the business phrase goes

"There is no 'I' in Team".

### CONGRATULATIONS

The Club would like to extend its congratulation to Anita & Johnny Hennessy on the birth of a lovely baby girl on Monday. Anita - daughter of Ann and Michael Supple all GAA followers, and who's son Michael is presently down under in Australia, his presence badly missed by our club in both football & Hurling. Johnny, son of Richard & Nora Hennessy, again avid Ardmore GAA patrons. Richard was a member of the 1977 Senior football team that brought Senior Football honours to Ardmore.

Anita who only recently came out of the recording studio with

her Uncle John Supple and other Ardmoreans to record the very popular CD "At the Drop of a Hat" will now have the time to sit back and listen in comfort...for some parts of the day anyway. Johnny - who is still the backbone of our Senior Football & Hurling panel has also lined out for his county in all under age levels and in the past couple of years played a vital role in Waterford Inter County football. Congratulations from the Ardmore GAA club. We all look forward to seeing Johnny and especially Anita and baby back in Ardmore soon.

### UNDER 11 HURLING

Our Under 11 Hurlers were in action last Saturday morning, when they played Butlerstown in the ground Hurling County Final. Ardmore were without the assistance of Liam Power and John Gartland came very close to snatching victory. Ardmore led at the break with goals by Christopher Power & Tomas Mooney. In the second half Butlerstown began to take control and held on to win by a goal. We congratulate Butlerstown on winning and complement our panel of players for their commitment. Eddie O'Shea presented Butlerstown with the winning trophy and also paid tribute to Ardmore Under age success this year.

### UNDER 13 HURLING

Our Under 13 Hurlers lined out against our close neighbours Clashmore in Dungarvan last Sunday morning in the Western Final. Ardmore and Clashmore came through the league system to book a final place in this competition.

Even though Clashmore ran out convincing winners the score did not reflect the chances Ardmore missed. Sean Barron was unlucky in the first half for some points as was Seamus Keating in the second half for a goal...only for the keeper making a fine save. Ardmore tried hard led by Conor O'Shea and Kevin Murphy, Glen Lynch and Declan O'Mahony. We say well done to all players and would like to thank Pat O'Shea; Tony O'Mahony & Margaret Murphy for their assistance through out the year.

### TEACHING POST

The Club would like to extend its congratulation to our Club Treasurer Lyndsey Harty who was successful in attaining the Teaching post of our local Ardmore Primary School. Lyndsey who is very much involved in the coaching will be a welcome sight to our younger players in the Ardmore school.

Lindsey's parents, Billy and Ber are very keen supporters of GAA and have a deep love for Ardmore GAA. Billy (snr) was the inspiration that led Ardmore to Senior Football glory in 1977 where he managed and trained the team. I am also sure that our Club President Dr John McNamara is proud to see his grandchild taking up such a responsible role in the community. Congratulations and best wishes.

### DECIE DRAW

Its that time again..all co-ordinators - please contact Noel Conway re your respective numbers for this months draw. Again your support is most appreciated.

### CLUB MEETING

A Club meeting will be held on Monday night at 8:30 pm in the club house. all committee members are asked to attend as important club affairs will be discussed.

## Shamrocks G.A.A. Club Notes

### CLUB LOTTO

Numbers drawn on last Saturday night at the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore were 3-12-15-17 and there was no jackpot winner. E20 prizewinners were Rebecca O'Keefe, Kilwinny; Noel Tobin, Headborough; Billy Griffin, Propogue; Eileen Coady, Shamrock Inn; Mick Hynes, Ferrypoint. In next Saturday nights draw the jackpot will be E3,375 and tickets at E15 each can be had from the usual promoters.

### DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The next draw will take place on this Friday night, September 30th and we would appeal to all members in the draw to have money with Johnny Baldwin, club co-ordinator before that date.

### WESTERN INTERMEDIATE HURLING SEMI FINAL

We expect to be in action within the next two weeks and we would ask all members of the panel to attend all training sessions on Tuesday and Thursday nights and next weekend. We hope that some players who are on the injured list will be fully recovered before the championship date.

### CONGRATULATIONS

We offer sincere congratulations to former under age club player, Denis O'Regan, Lackaroe, who was successful at Lis-towel races last week when he rode the winner of an important race.

# GoldCoast Golf Club Notes

**RESULTS**

**Weekly 10 Hole** — John Walsh (15) 24 pts.

**Thurs 22nd Sept: Seniors Open 18 Hole Stableford, CSS 38 pts** — Cat 60 — 64: 1st: Frank O'Connor (23) 47 pts; 2nd: Denis O'Sullivan (17) 44 pts Mitchelstown; 3rd: John F. O'Brien (21) 40 pts Mahon.

**Cat 65 - 69** — 1st: Jim O'Brien (10) 42 pts Mallow; 2nd: Michael O'Sullivan (18) 40 pts Muskerry; 3rd: Harry Jones (9) 38 pts Muskerry.

**Cat 70+** — 1st: Jackie Fahey (19) 37 pts; 2nd: Patsy Donnelly (18) West Waterford; 3rd: Michael Finnigan (20) 36 pts Mahon.

**Fri 23rd Sept: Open 18 Hole Stableford, CSS 37 pts** — 1st: Thomas O'Flynn (2) 40 pts Fota; 2nd: Kevin Drummy (18) 38 pts; 3rd: Andrew O'Shea (8) 29 pts Fota.

**Sat 24th Sept: 18 Hole Stableford, CSS 34** — 1st: Paul Murray (15) 35 pts; Gross: Brian O'Connor (7) 27 pts.

**Sun 25th Sept: 18 Hole Stableford, CSS 37 pts** — 1st: Jimmy O'Dwyer (8) 38 pts; 2nd: Frank McClintock (17) 37 pts; 3rd: David O'Connor (5) 30 pts.

**FIXTURES**

Mon to Fri 30th Sept: 10 Hole Stableford.

Wed/Thur 28/29th Sept: Dungarvan Pro-Am

Thurs 29th Sept to Sun 2nd Oct: Fundraising Golf Classic.

**WINTER LEAGUE MEETING**  
All team captains are requested to attend a meeting at the GoldCoast on Friday 7th October at 8.30 p.m.

**FUNDRAISING CLASSIC**  
Our annual classic takes place next weekend from Thursday to Sunday. This classic helps to fund the teams representing the club in the various GUI competitions and also helps the club with the purchase of prizes for different competitions.

The format is: three men or ladies, no mixed teams, €20 per person to enter, €10 to re-enter. One to count for the first twelve holes, two to count for the next three and three to count for the final three. The presentation of prizes for the classic and all outstanding prizes will take place at 9.00 p.m. on the Sunday night.

**GOLDCOAST CUP.**

Congratulations to Ger Kelly, who won the final of the GoldCoast Cup, beating Jimmy O'Dwyer in a very tight match. Both Ger and Jimmy are at their best at the moment and Jimmy proved this by going and winning on Sunday. Well done to both players.

**PRO-AM.**

On Wednesday and Thursday Dungarvan and the GoldCoast will play host to sixty teams, each consisting of one Professional and three amateurs, in this year's Pro-Am. Last year's event was a huge success and this year's looks like being the same.

**JUVENILE MATCHPLAY**  
Colm Keane will meet Austin Kiely Jr in the final.

**NEXT PRESENTATION OF PRIZES**

The next presentation of prizes will take place on Sunday 2nd October at 9.00 p.m. All prize winners will be notified by post.

**END OF SEASON PRESENTATION**

The annual awards night will take place on Sunday 9th October at 7.30 p.m. in the GoldCoast Golf Hotel. On this night the Golfer of the Year Award, the Order of Merit Award, the Juvenile Golfer of the Year Award, the Juvenile Match Play, The Willie Barron Memorial Fourball, The Micheal White Memorial Foursomes, The GoldCoast Cup, Mixed Foursomes Matchplay will all be presented to the various winners. Tickets for this event are reasonably priced at €27.50 and are available from the kiosk.

**LADIES NOTES**

**Results** — Club Competition 19th September — 1st: Joan Mansfield (17) 39 pts; 2nd: Aisling Fennell (20) 35 pts; 3rd: Ann Scannell (23) 34 pts.

**Fixtures**: — 10 Hole ongoing competition with prize for best beginner.

18 Hole ongoing competition with prize for best beginner.

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**ANNUAL AWARDS DINNER**

This will take place at the GoldCoast Golf Hotel on Sunday 9th October at 7.30 p.m. Presentation of the annual awards to the winners of Ladies Matchplay, kindly sponsored by Sheila Norris, and Lady Golfer of the Year, kindly sponsored by Rose Keane/Helvick Seafoods will take place after the meal. Tickets at €27.50 are available at the kiosk.

**LADY GOLFER OF THE YEAR**

This year's Lady Golfer of the Year is Teresa Queally. With a score of 211 points, which is the six best scores Teresa returned from the eight competitions set out at the beginning of the year for Golfer of the Year points. The runner to Teresa is Mary Clancy with 201 points. Congratulations to both Teresa and Mary and many thanks to the sponsors.

Well done to Mary Fenton who was first in the Minor section of the south East Coastal Alliance at Faithlegg recently.

**SINCERE SYMPATHY**

The Club would like to extend its sincere sympathy to Mary Clancy on the death of her father, Bobby Power. Ar dheis De go raibha

# WEST WATERFORD GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB

**RESULTS**

Friday 23rd, Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th September — Club Competition.

1st: Gerard McGrath (19) - 44pts. 2nd: Peter Purcell (16) - 39pts. Gross: Seamus Power (+1) 38pts. 3rd: Tim Cooke (15) - 39pts.

**FÁILTE HOUSE OPEN QUALIFIER.**

Result from Wednesday 21st September — 1st: Michael Caples (17) Fermoy G.C. - 40pts. 2nd: Evan Walsh (15) Dungarvan.G.C. - 42pts. Gross: Morrie Ferncombe (5) W.W.G.C. - 30pts. 3rd: Fintan Gee (15) W.W.G.C. - 39pts. C.S.S. 39pts

Timesheet posted for next weeks Failte House Open Qualifier on Wednesday 28th September. Visitors are asked to note that GUI cards are mandatory.

**HIGH HANDICAP**

Result from Tuesday 20th September 9-hole Stableford

**High Handicap A** — 1st: Pa McCarthy (23) - 22pts. 2nd: Pat Spratt (20) - 20pts. 3rd: Malcolm Ashby (20) -20pts

**High Handicap B** — 1st: James Murphy (20) -20pts. 2nd: Tommy Radley (18) -18pts. 3rd: Jimmy Mansfield (22) -14pts. Guest: Billy McCarthy (15) - 20pts. Next High Handicap Tuesday 27th September, 7-hole Stableford

**BRICKEY GOLF SOCIETY**

The Captain's Prize (John Fleming) of the Brickey Golf society took place in Youghal Golf Club on Friday last and as expected there was a big turnout on the day. — 1st: Michael Sheehan (17) 41pts. 2nd: Justin Spratt (15) 40pts. 3rd: Tommy Butler (10) 40pts.

The next Brickey Golf Society outing is scheduled for Saturday 15th October.

**FÁILTE HOUSE OPEN QUALIFIER GRAND FINAL**

The timesheet for the Fáilte House sponsored Grand Final takes place on Sunday 23rd October is now available. All qualifiers thus far have been notified and one and all are urged to telephone West Waterford on 058-43216 or 058-41475as soon as possible to secure a tee-time for the Grand Final. The timesheet for the Grand Final which is an 18-hole Stableford competition, is running from 9.30 am to 1.51pm. The presentation of prizes for the Grand Final and all Wednesday winners will take place on Sunday 23rd in the Clubhouse at 6.15 p.m.

**OPEN WEDNESDAY COMPETITIONS**

Owing to the ongoing success of the Failte House Open Wednesday qualifiers, we are going to continue with an Open Wednesday competition from Wednesday 26th October onwards. These competitions will be known as Autumn/Winter Open Wednesday competitions and will commence on Wednesday 26th October following the Failte House Grand Final. The entry fee for visitors will be EUR20.00. Prizes will be awarded each and every Wednesday and will be dependent on the number of entries. This is hoped to maintain interest and impetus on the Wednesdays up to Christmas, following the Failte House Grand Final. Further details on these Wednesday competitions will be printed in the notes and posted in the clubhouse in the near future, so watch this space!

**FIXTURES**

Tuesday 27th September — High Handicap  
Wednesday 28th September — Failte House

Open Qualifier, Open 18 - hole Stableford,

Friday 30th September, Saturday 1st, Sunday 2nd October — Club Competition, 18-hole Stableford.

Tuesday 4th October — High Handicap  
Wednesday 5th October — Failte House Open Qualifier, Open 18-hole Stableford.

Friday 7th, Saturday 8th October — Club Competition, 18-hole Stableford.

Sunday 9th October — Club Competition, Golfer of the Year

A full list of our fixtures and other information is available on our website.

**DUNGARVAN GOLF TRIANGLE**

Golf tourism as we all know is now a big business in Ireland and the Dungarvan area is ideally placed to garner its share of this ever expanding market. A major selling point of our three courses, Dungarvan Golf Club, Gold Coast Golf Club and ourselves West Waterford Golf Club is that we are all within 10 minutes drive of Dungarvan town center. The 'Dungarvan Golf Triangle' effectively, allows you to purchase a ticket that enables you to play each of the three courses, Monday to Friday for the combined price of €75, and in this era of high green fee rates, this represents good value. 'The Dungarvan Golf Triangle' is being advertised through all the usual mediums and is on sale in each of the three golf clubs.

**CLUB MIXED FOURSOMES**

The Club Mixed Foursomes kindly sponsored by Abbey Autos Services (Paudie Landers), is now approaching conclusion with Suzanne Dalton and Chris Gough set to meet Marie Curran and Michael Landers in what promises to be a fascinating final.

**CLUB FOURBALL**

The Club Fourball kindly sponsored by Fitzgerald Insurances is also drawing to a close with the pairing of Brendan Cullinan and Billy Nugent coming up against Tommy Butler and Peter Purcell in the final.

**CLUB SINGLES MATCHPLAY**

The Club singles, which is kindly, sponsored again this year by East Cork Oil, is now nearing completion. Responsibility of arranging matches lies with the top pairing on the draw sheet in each round.

**GOLF LESSONS**

T.W. Murphy E.G.T.F is available for golf lessons. Timmy can be contacted by ringing 086-3521070 for an appointment.

## LADIES BRANCH

**Fine Win for Betty Healy** — Betty Healy has been playing great golf lately and last week end entered the winners enclosure with 34 points playing off 36. In second place was Mary Quinlan playing off 23 with 33 points while in third place we had Phil Byrne playing off 13 with 33 points.

**Dalton Jewellers Matchplay** — Please note that all third round matches have to be played by Sunday next October 2nd.

**Forthcoming Events** — Thursday/Sunday September 29, October 2nd — 18 Hole Stableford competition

**CLUB CONTACT DETAILS.**

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# DUNGARVAN GOLF NOTES

**PRO AM**

The Sherry Fitzgerald Reynolds and Tara Crystal Dungarvan Pro-Am jointly hosted by Dungarvan and Gold Coast Golf Clubs is taking place on the 28th & 29th September. Best of luck to the Professionals and participating teams.

**Gents Results**

Thur/Fri/Sat. Open Team of 4 Inter-Pubs Classic Sponsored by Carlsberg — 1st Mick O'Leary (10), Robbie Donovan (12), Noel Ryan (18), J. Lawlor 105pts, "Jack DoYLES Cobh"; 2nd A. Lynch (11), M. Lynch (13), J. Collins (16) J. Power 19 101pts; 3rd E. Slater (9), S. Power (11), P. Power (20), M. McNamara 100pts.

Sun. Singles 5/for — 1st M. Drummy (6) 42pts; 2nd D. Walsh (4) 40pts; Gross Kevin Stack (1) 36pts; 3rd Vincent Hayes (11) 39pts; 4. John Condon (12) 39pts; CSS 37.

**Gents Fixtures**

Sat. 1st — Singles Stroke BOI September Monthly Medal.  
Sun. 2nd — Singles Stroke EA Ryan Cup - David Walsh Office & School Supplies.

**Ladies Results**

Tues. 20th — 1st Maeve O'Riordan (18) 39pts; 2nd Moyra Baumann (18) 38pts; 3rd Ann Stack (22) 38pts; CSS 73. Well done to Ann Stack on her hole in one on the 16th.

Thur/Fri/Sat. Open Team of 4 Inter-Pubs Classic — 1st Bertha O'Connor (21), Maeve Fitzgerald (22), Mary Flahavan (22), Ita Fahey (24) "B Team" 101pts; 2nd Tish Baumann (9), Mary Kyne (11), Niamh Reynolds (11), Rose Prendergast (21) "The Mill" 96pts.

**Ladies Fixtures:**

Sat. 1st Oct. — 18 holes s/for. Tues. 4th — 18 Holes 5/for.

**Dungarvan Golf Triangle**

Play three magnificent Championship Golf Courses, Dungarvan, Gold Coast and West Waterford for the price of two, only 75. Tickets are valid Monday to Friday expiry 31st December 2005. Tickets can be purchased in all three golf clubs. Phone 058 43310 for details.

**SOUTH EAST JUNIOR ALLIANCE**

1st fixture Sunday October 2nd in Clonmel, 2nd fixture Sunday October 23rd in Dungarvan. Dungarvan Delegate: Jack Estead.

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Next Competition on 5th October, draw for partners and 2p.m. Results 21st September - Mallow Owls Visit — 1st Eamonn Kelleher (6), Jack Clancy (24), Fidelma Glavin (36), Mary Hofstede (26) 58½; 2nd Gerry Callan (12), Johnny Hogan (15), Michahel Foley (16), Margaret O'Donnell (12) 60½; 3rd Sean Power (13), Joe Drennan (16), Declan Sieveright. (20), Mary Kyne (11) 61.

**DUGARVAN GOLF CLUB MINI LOTTO**

Week Ending: 25.09.05. Numbers drawn were 5, 13, 17, 19. No jackpot winner. €15 winners: Tom Frost, c/o P. Terry, S. Baumann, c/o Des, Kay McKeogh, c/o Pronnsias Breathnack, Ml. Troy, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, Patrick Towe, 24 The Hermitage. Next week's jackpot will be €6,150 Next Draw 02.10.05. Thank you for your support.

## WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

### EUROSPAR AUTUMN LEAGUE

# Record Numbers Running In The Rain

All roads seem to be leading to St. Augustine's College at the moment as last week we witnessed record numbers of 125 participants lining up for the second stage of our Eurospar Autumn League. Despite the inclement weather everyone seemed to be enjoying their chosen distance and there is room for more, so why not come along this Thursday at 6.15 p.m. and enjoy the fun and fitness that results from participating in this very popular Eurospar League.

A huge entry of 42 participants in the one lap distance and

well done to each and everyone of you. Some have already achieved their target of running non-stop for one lap while many more are delighted with their improving times. A total of 26 participated in the two lapper and here again the improvement in fitness is noticeable at the finish line.

In the three laps, a number of this Summer's two lap runners have made the move up to this distance. Well done to Marie, Joan, Richie and Ann. The effort will be worthwhile, have no doubt. Likewise, in the four laps, Earl, Jennifer and Alice

are running the longest distance available while all our regular runners are once again conquering this distance in preparation for the Winter League. The League continues every Thursday at 6.30 p.m., bring a friend if you have one.

### EUROSPAR LEAGUE GUIDELINES

- Please follow traffic signs and park at the rear of the college
- To figure on final League Tables, participants need to attend on four of the six nights
- Penalty points for missing a night are the total amount of participants that attend in your category
- ENJOY!!!

ONE LAP			
1. Aaron Cowming	8.55	22. Susan Cronin	12.53
2. Mandy Brown	10.25	23. Sinéad Power	13.14
3. Jeanette O'Brien	10.26	24. Ann Robson	13.21
4. Munir Zaman	10.43	25. Claire Murray	13.26
5. Louise Conroy	10.54	26. Geraldine O' Connor	13.27
6. Ciara Mulcahy	11.00	27. Caitriona Cullinan	13.27
7. Michelle Mullaney	11.04	28. Susan McGrath	13.30
8. Eileen Kelly	11.05	29. Ann Power	13.54
9. Andrea Gaffney	11.27	30. Carol Whelan	14.00
10. Josie Hartly	11.42	31. Helen Carey	14.19
11. Lisa Cronin	11.43	32. Mandy Dwane	14.25
12. Sinéad Ni Fhaoilain	11.47	33. Carmel O'Connor	14.34
13. Sinéad Moore	11.48	34. Charmaine O'Brie	14.55
14. Paula Early	11.51	35. Tina Power	15.19
15. Annice Ni Chuirrin	12.02	36. Cora Kearney	15.36
16. Ann Wall	12.07	37. Marie O'Sullivan	16.39
17. Mary O'Sullivan	12.08	38. Margaret McNamara	16.41
18. Gillian Fennell	12.10	39. Kathleen Young	17.18
19. Emma Kirwan	12.15	40. Teresa Wright	19.37
20. Lisa Power	12.17	41. Breda Walsh	19.38
21. Philomena Power	12.35	42. Eleanor Sandford	19.39

TWO LAPS			
1. Corinna Walsh	17.04	14. Betty Sheehan	23.46
2. Mary Cashman	19.32	15. Clare Walsh	23.59
3. Liam Ryan	19.34	16. Hugh Foley	24.37
4. Eamonn Flavin	21.46	17. Anna Fahey	24.59
5. Liam Power	22.03	18. Trevor Riches	25.08
6. Noel Hogan	22.04	19. Muriel Ni hAodha	25.23
7. Marian Keane	22.09	20. Colette Sullivan	25.33
8. Angeline Drennan	22.11	21. Sinéad Blackwell	25.54
9. D. Cunningham	22.11	22. C. McCarthy	25.56
10. Tomás Murphy	22.17	23. Sharon Power	27.10
11. Niamh Reynolds	22.30	24. Emer Power	27.32
12. Ger Enright	23.10	25. Ursula Power	27.33
13. Onra Power	23.24	26. Pamela Power	30.18

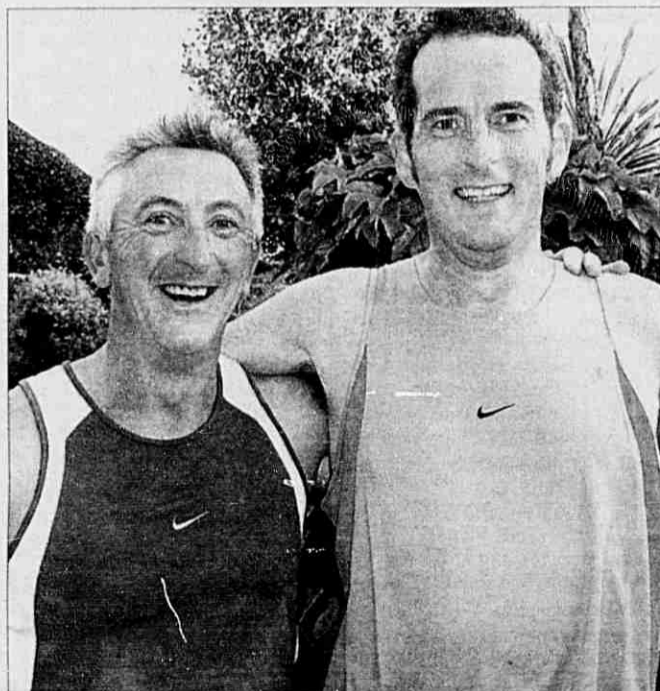
THREE LAPS			
1. Judy Hanrahan	28.38	21. Vincent Tutty	36.11
2. Ludovic Martin	29.38	22. Jim Barry	36.12
3. Peter Barry	29.38	23. Brian Collins	36.12
4. Aisling Weldon	29.56	24. Kieran Coleman	37.04
5. Joy Hearne	29.57	25. Mairéad Flynn	37.33
6. Brid Veale	29.57	26. Josie Ui Chuirrin	37.58
7. Elaine Murray	30.03	27. Ann Whelan	38.16
8. Marie Murray	32.22	28. Paschal Proctor	38.56
9. Joan Navin	33.22	29. Earl Navin	39.00
10. Richie Kelly	33.33	30. Pat Morrissey	39.26
11. Mary Harney	35.59	31. Paul Brunnock	39.27
12. Ann Sheehan	35.41	32. S. O' Donoghue	39.43
13. Nuala Hearne	37.22	33. Pat Connaghton	40.04
14. Paula Nugent	37.23	34. Pat Lennon	40.32
15. Denise Nugent	37.27	35. Dave Pollock	41.32
16. Gillian Nugent	37.28	36. J. Ui Dhuibhir	41.33
17. Una de Paor	39.10	37. Alice Shanley	46.53
18. Caroline Lenane	41.02		

## EUROSPAR AUTUMN LEAGUE RESULTS (STAGE TWO)

FOUR LAPS			
1. Ravis Zakis	29.05	21. Vincent Tutty	36.11
2. Jason Travers	29.11	22. Jim Barry	36.12
3. Seán Stilwell	29.32	23. Brian Collins	36.12
4. Kevin Kenneally	29.35	24. Kieran Coleman	37.04
5. Johnny O'Connor	30.23	25. Mairéad Flynn	37.33
6. Benji Whelan	31.36	26. Josie Ui Chuirrin	37.58
7. Barry Healy	32.09	27. Ann Whelan	38.16
8. Richie Power	32.20	28. Paschal Proctor	38.56
9. Michael Wade	32.24	29. Earl Navin	39.00
10. Brett Lynam	32.40	30. Pat Morrissey	39.26
11. Donal Looby	32.49	31. Paul Brunnock	39.27
12. Eamon Phelan	32.57	32. S. O' Donoghue	39.43
13. Tim Foley	33.10	33. Pat Connaghton	40.04
14. Ann Dunford	34.01	34. Pat Lennon	40.32
15. John Foley	34.09	35. Dave Pollock	41.32
16. Paddy Power	34.53	36. J. Ui Dhuibhir	41.33
17. Norma Wall	35.31	37. Alice Shanley	46.53
18. Billy Coleman	35.59		
19. Benny Flynn	36.02		
20. Liam Kavanagh	36.06		



Annice, Charmaine and Jacinta pictured at the Enrights Eurospar Autumn league at St. Augustine's College last Thursday evening.



Pictured are best friends after racing but fearsome enemies when the battle is one - Martin Hayes and Michael Dwyer.

## PERSONAL BEST FOR BILLY IN BERLIN

Well done to club member Billy Maguire who recorded a personal best time of 3.16 over the Marathon distance last Sunday in the Berlin? Held in very warm conditions with temperatures over 25 degrees Billy was delighted with his performance on the day.

# EUROSPAR LEAGUE TABLES

ONE LAP		
<b>Division 1</b>		
1. Aaron Cowming	(2)	
2. Janet O'Brien	(7)	
3. Mandy Browne	(7)	
4. Ciara Mulcahy	(12)	
5. Michelle Mullaney	(15)	
6. Andrea Gaffney	(18)	
<b>Division 2</b>		
1. Eileen Kelly	(18)	
2. Josie Hartly	(25)	
3. Sinéad Moore	(26)	
4. S. Ni Fhaoilain	(26)	
5. A. Ui Chuirrin	(27)	
6. Munir Zaman	(32)	
<b>Division 3</b>		
1. Louise Conroy	(33)	
2. Emma Kirwan	(35)	
3. Lisa Cronin	(39)	
4. Sinéad Power	(41)	
5. Paula Early	(42)	
6. Ger O'Connor	(43)	
<b>Division 4</b>		
1. Ann Wall	(44)	
2. Kate Dobbyn	(44)	
3. Janet Dunphy	(45)	
4. Mary O' Sullivan	(45)	
5. Gillian Fennell	(46)	
6. Emma Kirwan	(47)	
<b>Division 5</b>		
1. Susan McGrath	(47)	
2. Lisa Power	(48)	
3. Kim Kirwan	(49)	
4. Philomena Power	(49)	
5. Susan Cronin	(50)	
6. Carol Whelan	(50)	
<b>Division 6</b>		
1. Ann Power (50)		
2. Ann Robson	(52)	
3. Yvonne Power	(53)	
4. Claire Murray	(53)	
5. Caitriona Cullinan	(54)	
6. Cora Kearney	(59)	
<b>Division 7</b>		
1. Tina Power	(59)	
2. Helen Carey	(59)	
3. Charmaine O'Brien	(60)	
4. Mandy Dwane	(60)	
5. Carmel O'Connor	(61)	
6. Marie O'Sullivan	(65)	
<b>Division 8</b>		
1. Margaret McNamara	(66)	
2. Monica Power	(67)	
3. Kathleen Young	(67)	
4. Teresa Wright	(68)	
5. Breda Walsh	(69)	
6. Eleanor Sandford	(70)	
<b>TWO LAPS</b>		
<b>Division 1</b>		
1. Corinna Walsh	(2)	
2. Mary Cashman	(6)	
3. Liam Ryan	(8)	
4. Eamonn Flavin	(10)	
5. Liam Power	(12)	
6. Angeline Drennan	(16)	
<b>Division 2</b>		
1. Marian Keane	(16)	
2. Tomás Murphy	(22)	
3. D. Cunningham	(22)	
4. Onra Power	(25)	
5. Niamh Reynolds	(25)	
6. Ger Enright	(27)	
<b>Division 3</b>		
1. Rosemary O'Riordan	(28)	
2. Laura Hogan	(29)	
3. Clare Walsh	(31)	
4. Hugh Foley	(33)	
5. Liam Hogan	(33)	
6. Helena Morrissey	(37)	
<b>Division 4</b>		
1. Anna Fahey	(37)	
2. Muriel Ni hAodha	(38)	
3. Betty Sheehan	(41)	
4. Christine McCarthy	(43)	
5. Sinéad Blackwell	(43)	
6. Mary Lynam	(44)	
<b>Division 5</b>		
1. Trevor Riches	(45)	
2. Emer Power	(47)	
3. Colette O'Sullivan	(47)	
4. Sharon Power	(48)	
5. Ursula Corcoran	(50)	
6. Kathleen Deegan	(52)	
7. Ursula Power	(52)	
8. Pamela Power	(53)	
<b>THREE LAPS</b>		
<b>Division 1</b>		
1. Judy Hanrahan	(4)	
2. Peter Barry	(5)	
3. Ludovic Martin	(6)	
4. Elaine Murray	(13)	
5. Richie Kelly	(17)	
6. Ellis Ni hAodha	(17)	
<b>Division 2</b>		
1. Aisling Weldon	(17)	
2. Joy Hearne	(18)	
3. Brid Veale	(19)	
4. Marie Murray	(20)	
5. Linda Bradfield	(21)	
6. Ann Sheehan	(21)	
<b>Division 3</b>		
1. Joan Navin	(21)	
2. Mary Harney	(22)	
3. Davy Casey	(23)	
4. Michelle Flynn	(25)	
5. Nuala Hearne	(25)	
6. Paula Nugent	(26)	
<b>Division 4</b>		
1. Kim Coffey	(27)	
2. Denise Nugent	(27)	
3. Gillian Nugent	(28)	
4. Helen Frost	(29)	
5. Una de Paor	(29)	
6. Caroline Lenane	(30)	
<b>FOUR LAPS</b>		
<b>Division 1</b>		
1. Ravis Zakis	(2)	
2. Jason Travers	(6)	
3. Johnny O'Connor	(7)	
4. Kevin Kenneally	(7)	
5. Benji Whelan	(11)	
6. Barry Healy	(13)	
<b>Division 2</b>		
1. Michael Wade	(16)	
2. Donal Looby	(19)	
3. Paddy Power	(19)	
4. Brett Lynam	(20)	
5. Eamon	(21)	
6. Richie Power	(23)	
<b>Division 3</b>		
1. Timmy Foley	(24)	
2. Ann Dunford	(28)	
3. Norma Wall	(33)	
4. Billy Coleman	(37)	
5. Liam Kavanagh	(40)	
6. Kieran Coleman	(41)	
<b>Division 4</b>		
1. Benny Flynn	(41)	
2. Brian Collins	(46)	
3. Dermot Dwyer	(49)	
4. Mairéad Flynn	(50)	
5. John Foley	(54)	
6. Eoin O'Brien	(55)	
<b>Division 5</b>		
1. Ann Whelan	(55)	
2. Josie Ui Chuirrin	(57)	
3. Earl Navin	(58)	
4. Tom O'Grady	(58)	
5. Vincent Tutty	(60)	
6. Paul O'Gorman	(61)	
<b>Division 6</b>		
1. Jim Barry	(61)	
2. Rosarie Kealy	(63)	
3. Paul Brunnock	(63)	
4. Joanne Dunford	(64)	
5. S. O' Donoghue	(64)	
6. Pat Connaghton	(66)	
<b>Division 7</b>		
1. Dixie Deegan	(67)	
2. Paschal Proctor	(67)	
3. Dave Pollock	(69)	
4. Pat Lennon	(69)	
5. Pat Morrissey	(69)	
6. Margaret Power	(73)	
<b>Division 8</b>		
1. Jennifer Ui Dhuibhir	(74)	
2. Triona Wall	(75)	
3. Alice Shanley	(76)	



# WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES



Terri Gough, Tom Scanlon, Ann Moroney and Triona Wall pictured after completing the An Tobar Ardmore 5 recently.



EVERYONE IS AT IT — COME OUT TO THE FRIARY ON TUESDAY NIGHT AND SEE FOR YOURSELF!

*“A New Beginning”*

## “The One Lap Challenge Club”

**Aim :** WALK AND RUN OR RUN 1 MILE  
**Venue :** St. Augustine’s College (by kind permission)  
**Dates :** Tuesday Evenings in September / October At 6.30pm  
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# PLENTY TIME TO JOIN ONE LAP CHALLENGE CLUB

With just two evenings gone of the one lap challenge for beginners run/walk at St. Augustine’s the event continues to bring big numbers and many new faces to the Friary. Held on Tuesday evenings at 6.15, the numbers taking part are up around the 100 mark. If you’re not one of these, there’s still time for you to take on the challenge of completing one lap of the famed Friary grounds by walking, or running and walking. The event is organised by West Waterford Athletic Club in association with and funded by Waterford Sports Partnership. Why not grab a friend if you have one left and come along Tuesday night to St. Augustine’s College and join in the fun starting at 6.15 p.m. Take the challenge. All are welcome.

# MARATHON CORNER

### STRETCHING :: AN INTRODUCTION.

There seems to be an endless debate in the running world of whether stretching before and after a run is necessary or not. One camp suggests stretching avoids injury and protects the body from the harshness of the road, while the other camp believes stretching offers little benefits and in fact can actually cause injury. So who’s right? Well both camps are right to a point. Stretching, when done properly, can decrease the chances of an injury but if not performed properly, can actually increase your chances of an injury.

Stretching is one of the most important aspects of any training programme. It can protect the body from the severity of the road by reducing muscle soreness, risk of injury to muscles, joints and tendons and it can improve your athletic performance. Care should be taken when stretching - if you stretch too quickly the muscle can contract and increase tension, therefore, muscles should always be stretched slowly and the stretch should be held for approximately 30 seconds, this way the muscle tension falls and the muscle can be stretched further.

When stretching don’t ‘bounce’ the muscle! It’s a common mistake but doing it can pull or tear the muscle you’re trying to ease. Don’t stretch if you feel tightness in the muscle or if you feel any pain or discomfort. Stretching should form part of your training session, both before and after, your run. Whilst you may not get the same kind of enjoyment from it as running, the benefits from stretching correctly can only improve your performance.

**Calf Stretch** — Position your body about three feet from a wall and stand with your feet at shoulder width. Place your hands on the wall with your arms straight for support. Lean your hips forward and bend your knees slightly to stretch your calves.

**Leg Stretch** — From the previous position, bend forward to lower your body to waist height. Bring one foot forward with your knee slightly bent. Lift the toes of the front foot to stretch the muscle under the calf. Stretch both legs.

**Hamstring Stretch** — Lie down with one leg straight up in the air, the other bent with foot flat on the ground. Hook a towel over the arch of the lifted foot, and gently pull on the towel as you push against it with your foot. Push gently only to the point where you feel your muscles contract. Stretch both legs.

**Quadriceps Stretch** — Kneel on your knees (without resting back on your heels). Lean back with your body erect and your arms to the side. Hold for 10 seconds.

**Heel To Buttock** — Stand on one foot, with one hand on a wall for balance. Hold the other foot with the opposite hand and raise the heel of the lifted foot to the buttocks (or as near as possible), stretching your quadriceps. Keep your body upright throughout. Repeat with the other leg.

### HOW OFTEN SHOULD I DRINK WATER AND SPORTS DRINKS DURING TRAINING AND THE RACE ITSELF RACE?

Each individual runner has to set his or her guidelines. The way to do that is to practice drinking while training, particularly in the long runs. How much water and how much sports drink I take depends partly on the weather. The higher the temperatures, the more water vs. sports drink. But don’t drink too much. If you over-hydrate, you’ll either need to duck into alleys or behind bushes, which isn’t always fun. We all have different sweat rates, and we sweat more or less depending on the temperature and humidity, so experience plays a more important part than any hard-set rules.

### IF I MISS SEVERAL WORKOUTS DUE TO INJURY/ ILLNESS, WHERE DO I PICK UP THE SCHEDULE WHEN I AM HEALTHY AGAIN?

It depends on how much time you lose because of the illness or injury. If you miss only a few days, you can probably resume training on schedule. (Forget any missed miles; they’re gone forever.) If you lose a week or more, you need to be very cautious while catching up to make sure you don’t re-injure yourself or delay your recovery from illness. If you lose several weeks or more, you may need to reconsider your commitment

to your planned marathon.

### HOW DO I PREVENT BLISTERS/CHAFING.

Bodyglide is one product that every runner troubled by the above problems should have in his or her travelling bag. It’s a wax-like substance similar to stick underarm deodorants that you slather over sensitive parts. Yes, you could use Vaseline or any slippery substance, but Bodyglide lasts longer and won’t stain clothing like Vaseline will. Body glide is available from your local running sports store. Various other products can be purchased to protect against blisters, although you need to determine what causes the blisters. Often the answer is in the shoe or more often than not it’s the sock. The clothing you wear often compounds the problem. Smooth, synthetic fibers as you get in the likes of dryfit chafe less than cotton. Of course all West Waterford runners have no problem here as the club vest is made from coolmax and won’t chafe.

### IS IT HELPFUL TO HAVE SOMEONE PACE YOU?

More and more marathons have begun to provide pacing teams to help runners reach specific times. This makes it easier to achieve your goal. Running a steady pace has been shown to be the most efficient way to run fast. And one of the worst errors a well-tapered runner can make in a marathon is running the first few miles too fast because it “feels so easy.” If you don’t want to join a pacing team, or the marathon you selected doesn’t have one, try to locate other runners who want to run at your pace. Finding people to pace you in practice is another good strat. For making running more enjoyable

### BUS FOR DUBLIN MARATHON

Numbers for those travelling to Dublin on the bus are being finalised this weekend. Please contact Jacinta before Saturday. This is a two-day excursion.

### RUNNING QUOTE

Get going. Get up and walk if you have to, but finish the damned race. —Ron Hill to Jerome Drayton during the 1970 Boston Marathon.

# WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES



## DUBLIN CITY MARATHON 2005 Participant Fact File

Name **Ann Moroney**  
 Address **Ballinroad**  
 Date of Birth **10-11-56**  
 Athletic Club **W.W.A.C.**

Your sporting influences **Sonia O'Sullivan**

Who encouraged your sporting interest in school. **They didn't have sport in school in my day**

Your own memorable sporting achievement  
**1 — 400 km in 4 days Grand Canyon 2000**  
**2 — First Marathon Dublin 2002**

Most memorable Waterford sporting achievement  
**Waterford beating Tipp in Munster final 2002**

Your chosen charity for the marathon  
**Alzheimers homecare team, West Waterford Branch.**

For what reason.  
**Brilliant care and support given to my late mother.**

When did you start running?  
**A few years ago**

Who are you training partners?  
**The Albert's Crew**

Favourite training area?  
**Ballinroad, Ballinacourty, Clonea, of course.**

What brand of running shoes do you prefer?  
**Asics**

Favourite West Waterford Event  
**Ger Wyley/Nike Summer Series**

Will you finish the marathon?  
**I hope so.**

Ann's Favourites

Car	<b>Toyota</b>
Food	<b>Chinese</b>
Singer	<b>Phil Collins</b>
T.V Programme	<b>Late Late</b>
Biggest ambition	<b>to drive a coach</b>
Can't live without	<b>Coffee</b>
Worlds best invention	<b>internet</b>
Worlds worst invention	<b>Chewing gum</b>
Drink	<b>Whiskey and Red</b>
Waterford hurler	<b>Ken McGrath</b>
Soccer Team	<b>Leeds United</b>
Saying	<b>You'd annoy a saint</b>
Film Star	<b>Pierce Brosnan</b>
Method of relaxation	<b>Set Dancing</b>
Item of clothing	<b>Track Suit.</b>
Play station game	<b>Space Invaders</b>
Sports Lady	<b>Paula Radcliffe</b>
Holiday	<b>Algarve</b>
Pub	<b>Minnies (of course)</b>
What would be your dying words.	<b>Are we home yet!</b>



Helena Morrissey pictured after completing the An Tobar Ardmore 5 recently with her own fan club, sons John and Conor.

## POLITICS DEPRIVE'S RAVIS OF PARTICIPATING IN NEW YORK MARATHON EVENT

The whole club are in awe of the decision by the United States Embassy who have decided not to issue club member Ravis Zakis with a visa to there country to take part in this years New York City Marathon. It's a sad day when politics between countries denies an athlete of this calibre from participating in a running race. It's every marathon runners dream of one day taking part in the worlds most famous marathon race the New York City Marathon and Ravis is no exception here. He has prepared well over the last 6 months but this dream of participating on the big stage is now in shatters. It is hard to fathom why this visa is denied as all paper work was in order. It appears that the decision was made by one individual who just seems to form an opinion on meeting you and that's that no going back or no reasoning with the powers that be. All involved in athletics or indeed any sports minded person will feel aggrieved by this decision. O.K. it's not the end of the world you might say, it's only a marathon, but those who run will understand the disappointment felt and we all know how much this race meant to the genial Ravis, but the super power of the United States of America says no and that seems to be that.

### ST. SENAN'S OPEN CROSS COUNTRY

## Ryan Brothers Shield (Rd. One)

Round one of the Ryan Brothers shield club challenge between St Senan's AC and West Waterford was held in Kilmacow as part of the Open Cross country fixture at the Kilkenny venue. Tony Ryan had his charges in top form for the opening day of the Cross Country season with both the mens and ladies teams taking the top awads. In the mens race Ravis Zakis had a great run to finish second behind Gowran's Mick Kelly, in a top class field he led his team to victory on a total of 28 points with Ballynonty second 47 points and Gowran third with 61 points. Sean Stilwell was 7th overall and also took the Junior mens award with Jason Travers 8th, Kevin Kennelly 11th, and Con Kelleher 12th.

Con was 2nd Master also. Johnny O'Connor 13th and Richie Power 27th. Likewise our ladies got the season off to a flier taking first team with Eibhlis Ni hAodha laying down a marker for the cross country year finishing a solid 2nd behind winner St.Senan's Adele Walsh. Eibhlis also won the Masters over 35 section here. Corinna Walsh made a welcome return to competition after being sidelined with an injury and she finished well up in 4th place. Norma Wall was 7th and looking well up for the coming season along with Anne Whelan 9th and

Judy Hanrahan 10th. In the club team competition between ourselves and St Senan's we have 53 points going into the final round the Century Homes race on Sunday October 16th and the Kilkenny outfit are on 120 points, but were far from home and dry yet lads and lassies.

### COUNTY NOVICE ON THIS SUNDAY

The County Novice Cross Country Championships are being held this coming Sunday at St. Augustine's College grounds at 1 p.m. Eligible members are requested to be at the venue in good time. The Munster Novice Cross-Country Championships are also fixed for Clare on Sunday, October 23rd.

### CLUB MEETING

All committee members please note our next club meeting will be held on Thursday, October 6th at 8.30 p.m. in Minnies Bar, Abbey-side.

### CONGRATS' JEAN

Congratulations this week to Jean on shattering Ray's record last Saturday morning on the weekly long run. All that can be said is it's water under the bridge now, Floods even.?

### INTERESTED IN TRAINING FOR CROSS-COUNTRY WITH WEST WATERFORD

Now that the road running season is on hold for a while, (well at least for those not training for the Dublin OR New York Marathon's) why not try your hand at cross-country running. West Waterford Athletic Club will commence group training sessions for Cross Country on this Friday September 28th at St. Augustines College at 6.30 pm. The cross country season got under way for the club at the Kilmacow open Cross Country fixture last Sunday and both our Men's and Ladies team won, our next big outing will of course be the Century Homes Cross Country race on Sunday October 16th in St Augustines college. After the great season the club had last year at cross-country we hope to build on this during 2005/06 season.



West Waterford Men's Cross Country Team who took first team at the St. Senan's Open Cross Country race last Sunday in Kilmacow. The race was also round one of the Ryan Brothers Shield with round two the Century Homes Cross Country race on in St. Augustine's College on Sunday, October 16th next. Back row (l. to r.) Kevin Kenneally, Jason Travers, Con Kelleher, Johnny O'Connor. Front row: Sean Stilwell, Richie Power and Ravis Zakis.



West Waterford Ladies Cross Country team who took team honours at the St. Senan's Open Cross Country fixture last Sunday. P ictured (l. to r.) are Judy Hanrahan, Norma Wall, Eibhlis Ni hAodha, Anne Whelan and Corinna Walsh.

## EAST WATERFORD G.A.A. FIXTURES

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1ST

Morris Oil East Intermediate Football Championship  
At Portlaw: 5:15pm De La Salle v Rathgormack

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2ND

East Minor (B) Football Championship Final  
At Fenor 5:15pm St. Mary's v Roanmore

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4TH

Qualitile East Junior Football Championship  
At Walsh Park: 6:00pm De La Salle v Gaultier

## Dungarvan GAA Notes

### JUVENILE CLUB TRAINING

Due to the lack of light in the evenings training on Wednesday evenings has been cancelled. Saturday morning training will continue for another few weeks until further notice.

### U-10 AND U-12 HURLING

Our U-10 and 12 hurlers travelled to Middleton last weekend to take part in their annual Hurling Tournament. Four teams took part and along with ourselves and the hosts Middleton you had Clonaulty from Tipperary and Douglas of Cork.

Our U-12s found the going a bit tough on the day and didn't progress beyond the group stages. Our U-10s managed to reach the final and despite putting in a great effort we lost to Middleton, who one has to say, were a very good team with some quality hurlers. For their efforts the boys came away with a lovely set of runners up medals so well done to both our teams. Likewise I would like to thank all the people that provided transport on the day and last but not least the Middleton Club for the invitation.

### FIXTURES

We are currently awaiting fixtures for our U-11 hurling, U-14 Football and U-16 Hurling Western Finals. Anyone interested should keep in touch with any of our juvenile club committee as a couple of these matches will definitely be played this weekend.

### ADULT CLUB WEEKLY LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 6 - 8 - 11 - 22. No winner. Two winners of €35 were Ann Brennan of Tournore Court and Teresa Daly c/o Dungarvan Crystal. Jackpot goes up to €750 next week.

Deise Development Draw

The next draw is coming up soon so please return all payments to club Coordinator Mary Fitzgerald, who incidentally, is making great recovery from a recent leg operation.

On the Mend

We wish Ciaran "Jack" a speedy recovery from a hand injury he picked up in a challenge match last week. Watch this space to see who will be the next victim in a long line of injuries. If we keep going the way we are we will be lucky to be able to field a team for the up and coming Intermediate Western Hurling Semi-Final.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Congratulations to Wacky Ferncombe who reached the ripe old age of 40 recently. It's hard to believe your only 40 wacky as it seems like you've been around for ever. Wacky is a member of our Intermediate hurling backroom team and over the years has contributed enormously to the club by way of assistance to our adult and underage teams. He was also an outstanding player in his day and probably hung up his boots a bit early. He has been known on occasions to boast of keeping a few good players of underage teams when he was playing but I wouldn't like to comment on that.

Anyway, here's to another 40 wacky - that's if Susan can put up with you!

## St. Olivers G.A.A. Notes

Under 21 Hurling

The under 21 hurlers have training in Aghlish this Friday Sept. 30th at 7.30 p.m.

It is important for all players to attend training or if not you are able to attend please inform your trainer.

No date has yet been set for the Under 21 B final.

Under 14 Football

The under 14 footballers are due to play The Brickeys in their Western final this weekend.

Time and venue are still to be confirmed.

## Brickey Golf Society

A great day and even better night was enjoyed by all who played in John Fleming's Captain's prize outing to Youghal last Friday evening.

The beautiful prize was won by Michael Sheehan 'who has taken time out recently to improve his golf' (it's working!). In second place was Justin Spratt followed by Tommy Butler, Denis Herlihy, Ronan Culloo and Richie Hurley. The high handicap section was won by Patsy Donnelly, Billy McCarthy and John Keane won the front and back nine respectively. Our thanks to Declan Ahearne, Tudor Bar for his sponsorship.

Next outing is on Saturday, October 15th, Tipperary Golf Club.

## KCK Athletic Club Notes

**KCK ATHLETIC CLUB WINS THE FINTAN O'SULLIVAN MEMORIAL CUP FOR BEST OVER ALL CLUB AT KILMACOW OPEN CROSS COUNTRY**

Club athletes travelled to Kilmacow on Sunday last for their Open Cross Country and it was a great day winning the Fintan O'Sullivan Memorial Cup. Which we also won in 2002 and was won for the last two years by Ferrybank A.C. We had three individual wins from Eoin Bray, Paul Murphy and Patrick Hogan and a brilliant second place in the girls under 16 from Laura Behan.

Eoin Bray had a brilliant run in the boys under 8 coming through in the last few strides to snatch the gold medal. In the girls under 9 Leah Kiersey ran well to finish in 22nd place with Lauren Whelan 24th.

Dan Cusack had a very good run in the boys under 9 to finish in 8th place. With Derek Hogan not having one of his best days finishing in 12th place. Fine running from Ruth Cusack to finish in 11th place in the girls under 10. A big improvement from Paul Murphy who had a very good win in the boys under 10. With Stephen Keane in third place and Michael Behan in 14th place. Good running from John Halley to finish in 12th place in the boys under 12. Our under 14 boys had a great win as they were all moving up a year. Led home in 4th place by James Greene with Gerry Cantwell in 5th place and a very good run from new comer Tom Kiersey to finish in 7th place. And the 4th scoring member Brendan Behan in 13th place.

In the girls under 16 Laura Behan had a brilliant performance moving up a year in a very competitive race to finish in second place. Also fine running from Elaine Flavin a few places further back.

The boys under 16 had a great team win and a brilliant run from Patrick Hogan to come an easy winner. With Nial Browne 5th, Martin Cantwell 10th and Sean Browne 14th, Aidan Halley 15th.

Next Sunday the first round of the juvenile County Championships will be held at the Friary College grounds starting at 1 pm sharp. All club athletes should make a special effort to attend on Sunday next.

## ML O'RIORDAN'S CELTIC SUPPORTERS CLUB NOTES

### NEW SEASON TAKING SHAPE

After a bad start to the Gordon Strachan's career at Parkhead, he seems to have turned things around. It was never going to be easy to replace Martin O'Neill. The two Poles appear to have settled in and may prove great buys. On the other hand, the new full backs have a lot to prove.



Pictured are a group of West Waterford A.C. Juveniles who took part in the St. Senan's Open Cross Country last Sunday.

## STRADBALLY SOCCER NOTES

### UNDER-12

We played at home to Ballyduff last Saturday morning and after a very entertaining game we came out on the other side of a five goal thriller. Paul Connors opened the scoring in this game with a super goal and the first for this team and live wire Robert Finn's non stop running was rewarded with a second. Good performance by all.

### UNDER-16

This team went down by three goals away to Ballinroad last Saturday morning. Well done to most of the players who give their all till the final whistle. No matter what the score we should play with dignity till the end.

### YOUTH

The opposite result to the previous day's match against the same opposition with ourselves registering three excellent scores, from Nicholas Drohan, Andy Doyle and Tommy Connors. This team is a credit to the club in sporting endeavour and discipline and are an example to any team in our club on how to conduct yourselves on the pitch.

### SEAVIEW DRAW

Tickets are still on sale. We need every cent to keep the development on track. At the end of the day, the development is for everyone of you in this community. Tickets at 30 euro each with four cars and numerous prizes up for grabs.

### LOTTO

The latest draw took place in Whelans last Sunday evening

with a jackpot of 2400. With no one claiming the jackpot the following won 25 each, Martin Scurry, Gerry Walsh, Kathleen Connors and Mikie Kiely. Please continue your support. Everyone will be a winner at the end of the day when the development is complete.

### ACADEMY

Academy back this weekend at 12 noon.

### FIXTURES

Sat 1st Oct Under-11 Away V Mooncoin 10.30am

Sat 1st Oct Under-15 Away V De La Salle 2.30pm

### COURSES

There is many excellent courses coming up in the coming couple of months which will be of interest to coaches, parents and players.

The FAI kicstart 1 course will be held on Friday evening the 14th of October and Sunday the 16th of October. This is ideal for coaches starting off and parents and our youth players. You do not require a knowledge of soccer only interest. This is a course that we as a club are trying to have a number of participants on. Please contact Brigid or Garvan if interested as soon as possible as this course fills up well before the date of the course. The course is been run in Dungarvan. The fee of 45 euro is been paid by Waterford Sports Partnership's grant scheme as they continue to increase the standard of all sports coaching in the county.

Waterford Sports Partnership was also put together a calen-

dar of courses coming up. On the 7th of October from 4 pm to 10pm there is a course on SAQ conditioning. Please contact Brigid if you are interested immediately as places are limited.

On the 15th of October there will be a SAQ level 1 course, a First Aid Course on the 22nd and 23rd of October and a Drug Awareness and Information Workshop on the 21st and 28th of November.

## Ardmore A.F.C. Notes

### LISMORE V'S ARDMORE

Ardmore laid down their marker for the season on Sunday when they took on the current Red House League champions Lismore. After a first half that failed to produce a goal but did create some excellent chances for both teams, Ardmore could have been ahead. The second half began with an all out attack style of play adopted by both teams and with some great interplay between that family partnership of Jamie Hennessy and Denis Flanagan the first score went to the seaisiders. Lismore replied very promptly equalising within two minutes. Changes came from the Ardmore bench in the shape of Ritchie Hennessy and Jason Lenane whose introduction proved vital. Jason was fouled in the penalty area, Denis excellently converted the resulting spotter. This time the lead was never going to be given up. Ritchie Hennessy took a fantastic goal and Denis grabbed a fourth to complete his hat trick.

A quiet Saturday night proved a godsend for Adrian O'Donnell who produced one of his best performances in an Ardmore shirt. However the man of the match award has to go to the hat trick hero Denis Flanagan.

bers are always welcome. The past year has had many highlights, including the visits of Bertie Auld, who accepted the club's Presidency, Billy McNeill, Joe McBride and Tommy Gemill. All Part of the Celtic Team of 67.

The clubs new email address is mloriordan\_csc@yahoo.ie. If you want to be included on the mailing list please let us know by email.

Following last w'ends victory, Celtic are keeping in touch with Hearts and pulling further ahead of Rangers.

Next up on Saturday is the visit to Livingston which has a 3pm start.

### AGM

This has been fixed for Wed Oct 5th at 9.30pm in MI O'Riordans Sport Bar. All members are asked to attend. New mem-

# HORSE RACING SNIPPETS

BY MARK  
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## UNIVERSITY VISIT

Leading trainer Richard Hannon is puzzled by the loss of form of his horse Gaelota. This horse has disappointed in the latter half of the current flat campaign and recently Richard Hannon took his charge to the Veterinary Unit at Bristol University to see if they could find any problems with this talented sprinter.

## DARIOLE HONOURED

The connections of the versatile nine-year-old Dariole (Prilo-Dance Land) were recently feted at the August festival of racing in Tramore. At the start of 2005 the Management and Directors of Waterford and Tramore racecourse decided that along with celebrating the success of jockeys and trainers in Tramore they should also acknowledge a horse that has contributed to the success of the racecourse. This could be a horse that runs consistently well at Tramore or perhaps a horse that runs at Tramore and goes on to greater success at a national or international scale. When a review of the horses that were eligible for such a reward one horse stood out. The unique nature of the track means course specialists are a regularity at Tramore however no one horse can boast a strike rate to match the Rathcoffey Syndicate owned and Michael Halford trained Dariole. Since 1999 this horse won at five consecutive Festival meetings. His roll of honour reads as follows

- 1999 Anglo Irish Maiden
- 2000 O'Neill's Bar Maiden Hurdle
- 2001 Richard Power Bookmakers Handicap Hurdle
- 2002 Richard Power Bookmakers Handicap Hurdle
- 2003 Queally Group Handicap

Dariole ran in sixty different races and was ridden by twenty different jockeys. Unfortunately Dariole sustained an injury in June 2004 and has since been retired from racing.

## THIS WEEKS FIXTURES

- Wednesday** — Downpatrick 2.25pm, Newcastle, Lingfield and Salisbury
- Thursday** — Thurles 2.50pm, Ayr, Hereford and Newmarket
- Friday** — Hexham, Newmarket and Lingfield
- Saturday** — The Curragh 2.30pm, Redcar, Newmarket, Epsom, Southwell, Fontwell and Wolverhampton
- Sunday** — Tipperary 2.15pm, Kelso, Market Rasen and Uttoxeter

## GODOLPHIN PURCHASES

The Godolphin team bought three new horses last week namely Proclamation, Plea Bargain and Imperial Stride. All three will not race again this year and will winter in Dubai.

## PAT IN HOT WATER

Leading jockey Pat Smullen found himself in hot water with the Listowel Stewards last week. He was seen to elbow fellow rider Colm O'Donoghue during a race and received a ten-day ban for his trouble. The ban covers the Arc weekend in France.

## JESSICA ON THE MEND

A number of Irish trainers went to Kenya recently for a well deserved break but Moscow Flyers trainer Jessica Harrington had the misfortune after a freak accident to suffer a hairline fracture of a bone in her neck Jessica was hospitalised in Nairobi for a couple of days and we here hear that she is well on the way to making a full recovery.

## INJURED AMATEUR

Well known North of Ireland rider and trainer Brian Hamilton is in a Belfast Hospital with serious chest injuries after a schooling mishap at his stables.

## IRISH POINT TO POINT SEASON

The Irish Point To Point season recommences on Saturday October 1st.

## FRENCH STEWARDS

The Jockey Club stewards in France are tightening their rules on the use of the whip on horses and now riders cannot strike their mount more than eight times in any one race.

## WELL-RELATED SISTER

The Aidan O'Brien trained Chenchikova which won a maiden on the flat recently at Tipperary is a full sister to the great High Chaparral.

## BACK IN IRELAND

Remember the name of Ken (KF) Coogan? Ken rode countless winners in Ireland when attached to the David Ainsworth yard. Ken immigrated to Kenya nearly thirty years ago where he was champion jockey and a leading trainer in that country. Ken is back home now living in Ireland and he made an interesting point about when they abolished bookmakers from the only track in Kenya in favour of the Tote that subsequent fixtures lacked atmosphere and racing went into decline and attendances suffered.

## GOOD AND BAD NEWS FOR NINA

County Waterford trainer John Queally sent out a nice winner recently at Killarney for owner Michael Ryan when the five year old Classic Approach 6/1 under Nina Carberry. Nina however picked up a seven day ban as she allowed her mount drift in on top of the runner up Little Rascal who ran a nice race in defeat and appears well capable of picking up a bumper at the same level. The same Classic Approach 2/1 went on to land a maiden hurdle at Listowel last Friday under a strong drive from Ruby Walsh.

## EURO LEADER SHOWED THE WAY

Ruby Walsh did ever so well to win the Munster National aboard the Willie Mullins trained 11/2 chance Euro Leader at Listowel last Wednesday. The top weight was forced to dig deep in the closing stages to deny the favourite Monterey Bay.

## INCREASED PRIZE MONEY AT CHELTENHAM

Cheltenham racecourse will have a total prize money pool of £4.82 Million for the upcoming jumping campaign. Prize money for the annual National Hunt festival will reach a new high of £2.87 Million with a number of the following feature events showing an increase on the 2005 prize fund.

Race	2005 Prize Fund	2006 Prize Fund
Smurfit Champion Hurdle	£300,000	£340,000
Queen Mother Champion Chase	£250,000	£290,000
Ladbroke World Hurdle	£200,000	£230,000
Tote Gold Cup	£350,000	£400,000

## ON LINE AUCTION

The Irish Horse Welfare Trust are having an online auction on some fabulous items including the ultimate in racing, solid emerald green racing colours, fancy a fourball with Ruby Walsh, Barry Geraghty's breeches, a days hunting with Paul Carberry or how about owning a horse for a day at the races. There is a great selection of racing memorabilia included and great offers for racecourse membership / badges. Check this and more on [www.ihwt.ie](http://www.ihwt.ie)

## LISTOWEL CAUSALITIES

Tom Ryan was stood down for 21 days after suffering severe concussion after a heavy fall at Listowel on Thursday afternoon. On the same card Barry Cash damaged a finger having been unseated from his mount in a chase.

## LARGE STRING

County Limerick trainer Michael Hourigan reports that he has 80 to 100 horses in training for the winter and jockeys Andrew McNamara and Denis O'Regan will share the mounts between them.

## HAYLEY LOST HER CLAIM

Riding her 95th winner at Pontefract last Thursday lady jockey Hayley Turner has now lost her claim.

## AZAMOUR TO MISS ARC

The John Oxx trained Azamour has been slow to respond to treatment for a damaged back muscle picked up in the Irish Champion stakes and will now miss the Arc in Paris. There is some hope however that the colt could go to the Breeders Cup in the USA.

## THIS WEEKS TV RACING

Thursday-Channel 4-Racing from Newmarket 1pm  
Friday-Channel 4-Racing from Newmarket 1pm

## DUNDALK DECISION

A decision is due from Horse Racing Ireland (HRI) this week whether or not to give Dundalk racecourse the go ahead to construct the first all weather track in Ireland.

## LISTOWEL WINNERS

Waterford trainers Henry De Bromhead, Pat Flynn and John Queally all visited the winner's enclosure at Listowel last week while Slieverue trainer Eoin Griffin was also among the winners. It was nice to see David Casey get off the mark since returning after injury. David's winner arrived courtesy of the Charlie Swan trained Strong Project in a chase on Friday afternoon. David went on to ride a double at the same venue on Saturday afternoon.

## STARCRAFT STRIKES IN QE2

The Luca Cumani trained Starcraft caused a mild upset in the Queen Elizabeth 11 stakes. Questions were being asked prior to this race about the booking of French rider Christophe Lemaire for the Australian owned Starcraft but the French man got the tactics right on the day as Frankie Dettori went on a wild goose chase up the centre of the track and then when he switched Dubawi back over to the stand side the giant striding Starcraft had the advantage of the rails easing his way clear for a three quarters of a length victory. The enigmatic Rakti disappointed once again failing to get in a blow at the principals.

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### Azamour Misses Out

Trainer John Oxx has announced that stable star Azamour has not recovered in time from a tweaked muscle in his back to make the line up for the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe at Longchamp on Sunday and instead will be aimed at the Breeders Cup in Belmont in late October. His absence from the race could mean that there will be no Irish trained runner this year although trainer Aidan O'Brien could still run recent English St Leger winner, Scorpion, and a decision on his participation will be made later in the week.

### Irish Horse Welfare Trust Auction

Bidding on items in the internet auction in aid of the Irish Horse Welfare Trust continues apace and has been fast and furious ever since it was launched at the Curragh races on Saturday 17th September. The most popular item in the auction is the set of all yellow racing colours with €26,000 being the leading bid at the time of writing while other items attracting the bids are the likes of a Steven Gerard signed England shirt, golf packages, a day's racing with bookmaker Barry Denis, a trip around Jonjo O'Neill's Jackdaw Castles establishment with jockey Tony McCoy, a date with racing presenter and T.V. personality Tracy Piggott while one can also bid for last year's champion apprentice Catherine Gannon's riding saddle. The Irish Horse Welfare Trust do great work in caring for retired racehorses and if anyone is interested in making a bid or viewing the items for auction please log on to 'bid@ihwt.ie'

### Kicking King Set To Return

Tom Taaffe's Cheltenham Gold Cup hero, Kicking King, has a choice of engagements for his seasonal debut with his trainer yet to decide whether to go for the National Lottery Agent Champion Chase at Gowran Park on October 8th, a race he won last season, or the newly formed Daily Star Steeplechase at Punchestown on October 20th. Taaffe indicated that he would probably take up the Punchestown option en route to a tilt at the Betfair Steeplechase in Haydock in late November in which he is likely to clash with Best Mate. The Noel Meade trained Harchibald is a possible runner in the John James McManus Memorial Hurdle at Tipperary next Sunday in which it is likely that the James Bowe trained Solorina, successful in this race last year, will again be in the line up in what will be her final year racing.

### Border Cat Springs A Surprise

The David Wachman trained Border Cat left his two previous runs well behind him when winning the Irish Stallion Farms European Breeders Fund Premier Nursery Handicap at Listowel on Monday. Well handled by young Wayne Lordan, Border Cat (14/1) had a length and a half to spare over Camisado at the line as he really appreciated the step up to a mile after disappointing over shorter trips in recent months.

### Don't Be Bitin Emerges Best

The Eoin Griffin trained Don't Be Bitin (9/2 joint favourite) made a successful seasonal re-appearance when getting the better of Cellarmaster (12/1) to win the featured Lartigue Handicap Hurdle at Listowel on Tuesday. Given a strong drive by Ruby Walsh, the winner is now likely to be stepped up in distance and will be aimed at some more valuable handicap hurdles during the winter months.

### Euro Leader leads them home in Kerry National

A thrilling renewal of the €150,000 Guinness Kerry National Handicap Steeplechase at Listowel on Wednesday saw the Willie Mullins trained Euro Leader (11/2) defy top weight of 12 stone in determined fashion as he just thwarted the well fancied Monterey Bay (5/1 favourite) in a memorable contest. Given a superb ride by Ruby Walsh who was following up his success in this race twelve months earlier on Banasan, Euro Leader was ridden very patiently throughout and only began to get into contention early in the last half mile. Kept to the inside rail as he made his challenge between the final two fences he just got the better of the always prominent Monterey Bay who had been taken to the front by Jimmy Murphy at the end of the second circuit much to the delight of the huge crowd which thronged the enclosures.

### Kilbeggan's The Lad in Guinness Hurdle

The €50,000 Guinness Handicap Hurdle at Listowel on Thursday was won by the Michael Hourigan trained Kilbeggan Lad to credit up and coming jockey Denis O'Regan with another big race success. In a race run at a strong pace throughout, Kilbeggan Lad (14/1) was produced with a perfectly timed challenge to lead at the final flight and he stayed on well to defeat Dbest and Blue Corrigan in good style. This was the second consecutive year that Michael Hourigan landed this valuable contest as The Screamer had obliged for the stable in 2004.

### Skerries Doubles Up

A winner over the same course just three days earlier, the Harry Rogers trained Skerries made all the running to win the featured Guinness Handicap at Listowel on Friday. Given a very positive ride by Declan McDonogh, Skerries (7/1) kept on strongly in the straight to defeat the staying on Kestrel Cross (8/1) by two lengths with Bawaader (11/2 favourite) just a neck away in third spot.

### Bobby Too Strong For Lad

Michael Hourigan's Kilbeggan Lad (7/2 favourite) attempted to follow up his win in the Guinness Handicap Hurdle two days earlier when lining up for the Edmond Whelan Memorial Handicap Hurdle at Listowel on Saturday but he was unable to get to grips with the Tom Cooper trained Owennacurra Bobby (10/1) who stayed on strongly in the straight to win by three and a half lengths.

### Murtagh Back In Business

Jockey Johnny Murtagh returned to action after serving a three week suspension with a full book of rides at Fairyhouse on Saturday and he recorded a fine double in the opening two races. He partnered High Chaparral's full sister, Helena Molony (3/1), to a comfortable win in the opening maiden race before guiding the Ger Lyons trained Flashy Beau (7/2 favourite) to victory in the first division of the Clonee Handicap.

### Upcoming Fixtures

Thurles - Thursday, 29th September - first race 2.50 pm  
Curragh - Saturday, 1st October - first race 2.30 pm  
Tipperary - Sunday, 2nd October - first race 2.15 pm  
Roscommon - Monday, 3rd October - first race 3.15 pm



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# Mayor Pays Tribute To St. Augustine's Superschools Stars



Pictured above at the presentation of special Superschools medals in St. Augustine's College are the members of the victorious College team with the Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Fiachra Ó Céilleachair, Mr. Paddy McGrath, Asst. Coach College Principal, Mr. Joseph Moynihan and Br. Patrick Lennon, School Coach.

The final act in the Superschools 2005 Competition was played out in the Assembly Hall of St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan last Friday morning when the victorious twenty-member College team was presented to the student body and teachers and each presented with a commemorative medal to mark the occasion. For many of the athletes, this was another to add to their collection, for they had between them assembled a haul of forty-two awards, including twenty-nine Gold medals in a glorious three-day raid on the international event in Nottingham.

New College Principal, Mr. Joseph Moynihan welcomed the Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Fiachra Ó Céilleachair who had come to add his congratulations and present the commemorative medals to the participants. The Principal spoke of how proud he was of the team, their conduct on and off the field of play and naturally that they had brought back the international title to Duckspool again. He paid tribute to Br. Lennon and his assistants who had coached the team and to the athletes who had trained diligently through the summer.

In his address to a happy student body, ready for a celebration, the Mayor said that one of our greatest Irish sportsmen, Roy Keane was often quoted as saying "Fail to prepare, prepare to fail". "If Roy had a look around this school," he continued, "he'd see an excellent staff working with some 270 girls and 370 boys. Then, amenities at their disposal such as six GAA and one soccer pitch, an indoor gym, facilities for track and field, outdoor basketball courts, an all-weather hockey pitch, two Squash Courts and two handball alleys. No surprise then, that students at St. Augustine's are well prepared to succeed."

He said that the motto of Dun-

garvan's coat of arms, is "ní maraidhe go stiúrthóir" - meaning you're not a mariner until you've helped steer the ship. "This afternoon," he continued, "I congratulate those who steered the St. Augustine's College ship to be first across the finish line in 2005. On behalf of the people of Dungarvan, I say "well done" to you all."

He paid tribute also to the team members' families for their support and congratulated Brother Patrick Lennon, Paddy McGrath, Fr. Gerry Horan, Emma Walsh and others for their work with the "Superschools" team as well as the Príomh Oide Joe Moynihan

and his staff.

He then presented the team and coaches with their medals and declared a half-day for the students.

In reply, Br. Lennon paid tribute to the 'team player' concept which was greatly responsible for their phenomenal success in Superschools through the years. "Any athlete with intentions of gaining a place on the Superschools squad will have to be a team player," he said. "That is how we surmounted the loss of our Captain after the first day, when the rest of the team were prepared to do what was necessary to carry the school through." He thanked

the many who had helped to prepare the team and acknowledged the value of the Clonea Strand Leisure Centre's use of their pool, which was in no small way responsible for their excellent showing in the swimming, which gave them the extra points at a vital stage of the competition.

A presentation was also made to Br. Lennon to acknowledge his success in steering the College to three wins and two runner-up spots in the competition since 1997. Superschools will be held next in Collège Pierre et Marie Curie in France when St. Augustine's will be expected to defend their title.

## West Waterford East Cork Schoolboy League

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### SYMPATHY

The Schoolboy League would like to express its sincere sympathy to Noel Cahill of Castlebridge Celtic on the unexpected passing of his wife Jean during the week. Jean was daughter of John Leetch who is Chairman of the Castlebridge club while Noel is their ever efficient secretary. As a mark of respect no underage games involving Castlebridge went ahead at the weekend. May she rest in peace.

### LAUNCH OF THE R.D.O

Michael Looby will be unveiled as the new R.D.O at a function in the Quality Hotel in Ballymacoda on this Friday night. All Schoolboy clubs will have been notified by now and we expect a full turn out for this important occasion. For our league to make progress we must have proper coaching and this we hope will be the start of much greater things in the future.

### RESULTS

#### UNDER-14 LEAGUE

##### Cappoquin 3 Brideview 0

The points went to the home side in this floodlit encounter which saw Cappoquin get their campaign off to a winning start with a home win.

#### UNDER-12 B LEAGUE

##### Gaeltacht 5 Brideview 3

In this high scoring encounter the home side just got home in front after a right tussle with eight goals in all being scored.

Phone Results to 024-94335 or text to 087-9126566 after games please.

### REGISTRATION

Forms are now with the clubs and players should sign before playing. Please return forms to Liam Fraser, Chapel Street, Tal-low, as soon as possible with the €10 fee per player.

### FIXTURES

#### SATURDAY 2ND OCTOBER

##### Under-16 League

Ballybridge vs. Pinewood 4.00 pm. J McMahon  
Clashmore vs. Watergrasshill 3.00 pm. Maurice Hartnett  
Valley vs. Brideview 4.00 pm. Paul Marks

##### Under-14 League

Castlebridge vs. Cappoquin 3.00 pm Eamon Cusack  
Valley vs. Watergrasshill 3.00 pm. Paul Marks

##### Under-12 B League

Valley vs. Brideview 3.00 pm Paul Marks  
Gaeltacht vs. Lismore 3.00 pm. Paul Browne

##### Under-12 A League

Ballybridge vs. Pinewood 2.30 pm. J McMahon  
Watergrasshill vs. Castlebridge 4.30 pm. Eamon Cusack.

#### SUNDAY 3RD OCTOBER

Ardmore vs. Cappoquin 2.30 pm. Ronnie Barrett

## Colligan Equestrian Centre

AUTUMN SHOWJUMPING LEAGUE  
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23RD

**Mini League** — Razzle Dazzle, Jodi Walker; XL, Daniel Slevin; Tailor, Caoimhe Curran; Seablue Range, Matty Raher; Stinger, Yeliz Garch; Crystal, Rosie Hartley; Whisper, Lucey Hartley; Mojo, Jean Butler; Flicka, Tommy Hartley; Bobby Kennedy, Sinead Flynn; Old Road, Niamh Butler; Jake, Laura Connors; Dawn, Megan Dowley.

**Midi League** — Kit Kat, Laura Connors; Prince, Caoimhe Hearn; Hot Shot, Catriona Slevin; Canty Teddy, Jenny McCarthy; Buster, Megan O'Connor; Ballyneety Prince, Olivia Phelan; Thunder, Ellen Ferncombe.

**Midi Plus League** — 1st: Brazen Boy, Ciara Dunne; 2nd: Czech, Aimee Moloney; 3rd Rigby Diamond, Una Power.

**Maxi League** — 1st: Indie's Crusade, Maeve Walsh; 2nd: Blake, Peter Moloney; 3rd: Sprinter, Aimee Moloney; 4th: Brazen Boy, Emma Dunne; 5th: Bamba, Sarah Kate O'Donovan.

## Dungarvan Rugby Notes

### THANKS

Dungarvan RFC would like to thank Power Transport Ltd, Dungarvan and Underfloor Heating for their kind and generous donations to the club. Dungarvan RFC are currently getting back on their feet both on the field and with their grounds following a period of lapse, these donations are greatly appreciated.

### TRAINING

Ladies training each Monday and Thursday at 7:30pm. It is great to see such large numbers attending and that interest in ladies rugby is broadening in the region.

Gents and underage continue each Tuesday and Friday at 7:30pm. New players are always welcome to any of our training sessions.

### COMMITTEE MEETING

Dungarvan RFC committee members are invited to attend a meeting in the clubhouse on Wednesday, 5th October at 8pm.

### LADIES FRIENDLY

The ladies are in action against New Ross in a friendly on Sunday 9th October. This is another opportunity for the ladies to practice new moves and allow some of the new girls to see how the game works. Following their recent success over Waterpark, the ladies will be hoping to add another win to their achievements.

### MEMBERSHIP

This is the last week of paying membership. All players are asked to give it to their membership officer Cliona Kirwan for the ladies and Eddie Connors for the gents by Friday at the latest. No membership, no game and also you're not eligible for match tickets. Anyone interested in becoming a member of Dungarvan RFC should contact any committee member. Only current and paid members of Dungarvan RFC are eligible for national and international match tickets.

## Dungarvan Cycling Club Notes

### WEEKEND SPINS

A good group of cyclists were out over the weekend in weather that is still holding out. Taking part in two good paced spins were Mark Power (Ballinroad), Pdraig de Burca, Mark Power (Abbeyside), Frank O'Rourke, Benny Flynn, Frank Browne, Eamon Phelan, Brett Lynam, Francis Barry, David Tobin and Liam Rossiter.

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The AGM for the Dungarvan Cycling Club will be held on Friday 7th October in Bean a Leanna at 8.30pm. Election of office bearers and committee members for 2006 will take place. All members are invited to attend.

### TIME CHANGE

As from this Saturday October 1st the Saturday spin from Kilmish and Sunday spin from the Square will depart at 10am due to popular demand. This is to provide advance warning for all.



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- Dungarvan Credit Union: Arts, Culture and Heritage
- Ardmore Technologies: Children and Youth
- Century Homes: Community & Neighbourhood Services
- Pinewood Healthcare: Social & Community Support.

An overall award will also be made to one of the category winners. If you need a form, contact Orflaith Ramsey at 058 21193.

## TRUCKS CAUSING TRAFFIC HAZARD

By Kevin Kirrane

A new roundabout near Tourmore, and the strict enforcement of the traffic laws, will alleviate the serious traffic hazard created by trucks parking on the N25 near the estate.

Sightlines are being blocked on a daily basis by trucks illegally using the section of the road near the petrol station as a layby.

Town Manager, Denis McCarthy and Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty both confirmed discussions will take place with the Gardai in the hope of bringing the problem to an end.

Mr. O'Flaherty also said the design of a new roundabout may solve the difficulties residents have coming out onto the N25.

It followed concerns raised by Cllr. Teresa Wright at the September meeting of the Town Council.

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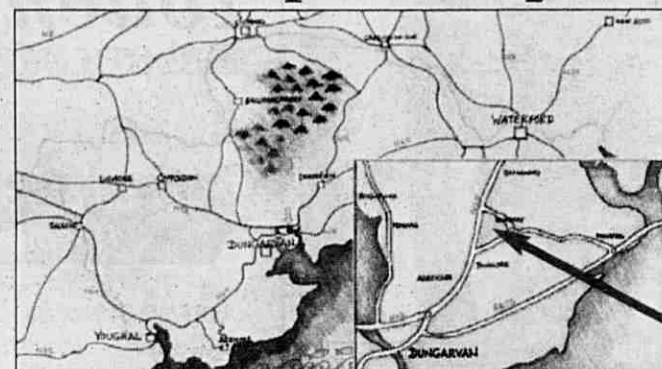


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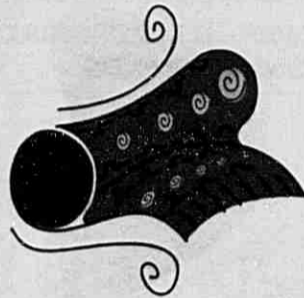


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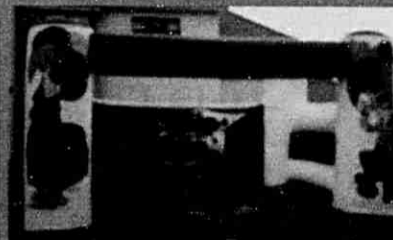


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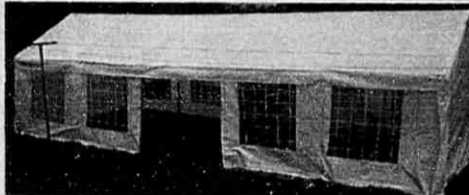


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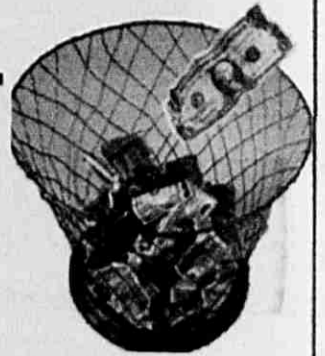
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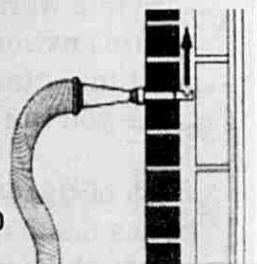
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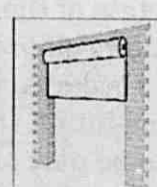
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