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Finan Murray, Blackwater Community School, celebrating his success for his project "The Unbreakable Hurley" at the BT Young Scientist Exhibition recently. Included are School Principal Denis Ring, Science teacher David King and Deputy Mrs. Anne Fitzgerald. See story page 33.

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of both Waterford County Council and Waterford City Council who planned to utilise the new fifty acre landfill when it was developed. Conversely of course it has delighted the many campaigners who have been totally opposed to the deset. When the county council was finally given the planning **CONTINUED ON PAGE 9**

Town Council Live To Fight Another Day

IMATES ADOPTED ONE

In the end it was a tense and ble margin. close run affair, but Dungarvan uncannily copy cat repeat of of the council. the dramatic Waterford County What it all means is that the Council budget meeting twelve new rate for 2006 is 55.53 days earlier when the estimates euros which represents a four of that local authority were also per cent increase on the 2005 passed by the narrowest possi- figure. The estimates also pro-

Town Council lived to fight an- publicly declared his intentions other day on Monday night in advance of the meeting, the when the estimates for 2006 general expectation was that he collection in addition to the exwere adopted by a solitary vote. would line up with the Labour It was the classic case of "back and Sinn Fein members in opfrom the brink" with the crucial posing the estimates. However vote of the lone Independent, when the crunch vote was Cllr. Michael O'Riordan, en- called he rowed in with the Fiabling the Council to survive anna Fail and Fine Gael quartet and avert probable disband- of councillors in supporting ment by Environment Minister them, and it was his decisive Dick Roche, in what was an vote that ensured the survival

vide for the controversial intro-While Cllr. O'Riordan hadn't duction by County Manager Ray O'Dwyer of an annual flat charge of 130 euros for refuse isting bin and tag recycling charges. Before the meeting proper got under way the councillors were told that Ray O'Dwyer had in fact signed in the new 130 euro flat charge into law. What was left to them now was to take a decision on the book of estimates.

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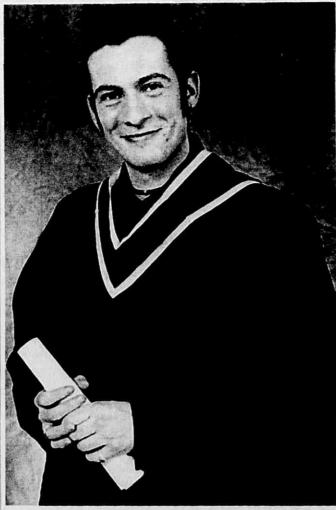


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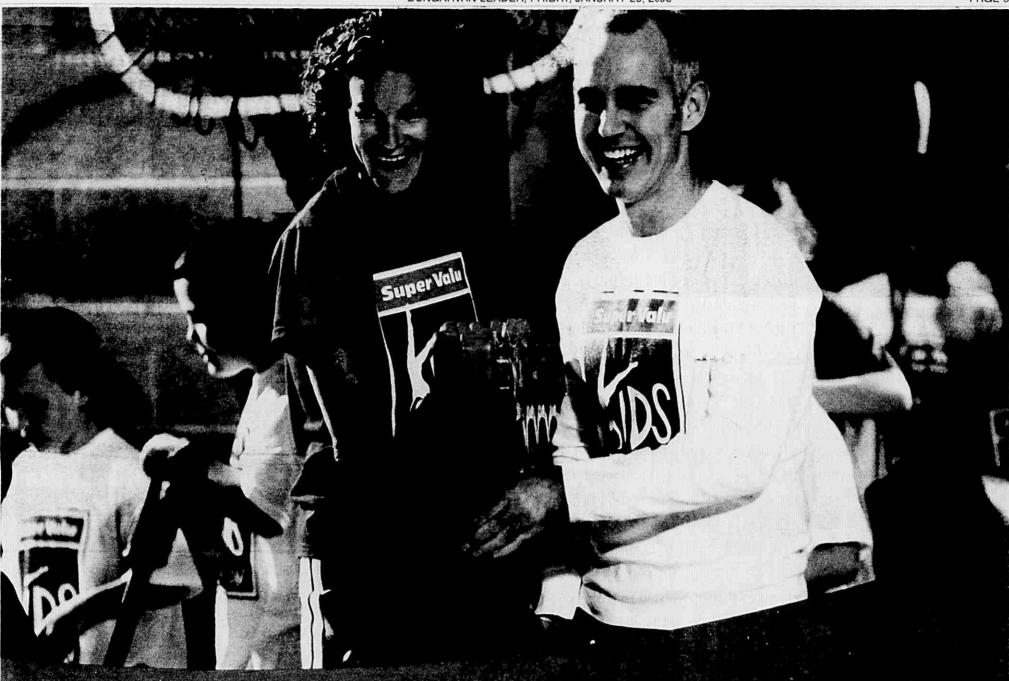
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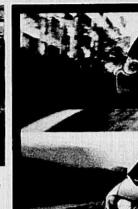
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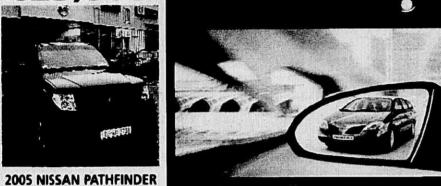
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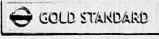
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Dungarvan Mini Rugby Notes

Successful Start to 2006!

Despite the blustery and muddy conditions there was plenty of high quality mini-rugby action in Carrick-on-Suir last Sunday. Dungarvan U8s to U12s travelled to play teams from Carrick and Kilfeacle. Under-12A

The U-12A played two games, the first match was against Kilfeacle A. This was as good a display of mini-rugby, the pace of the play and the intensity of the tackling was awesome. Both teams were evenly matched as reflected in the 2-2 half time score. Dungarvan maintained the intensity in the second half and enjoyed good possession but could not turn it into scores. Kilfeacle took their chances very well but overall were fortunate to run out 3-2 winners. The second match was against Carrickon-Suir. Dungarvan played open, high paced rugby. We proved too strong for a game home side and won the game with a 6-0 score line. This was some of the best running seen to date especially in the conditions. The lessons learned here are to play open rugby and pass across the line as we have some very fast players with good ball handling skills.

Under-12B

Our U12B team, comprising most of our U11s played Kilfeacle B who was almost as strong as their A Team. Kilfeacle were physically stronger but Dungarvan gave as good as they got. In a tough encounter Dungarvan conceded only one try and then scored a fine try of their own. The final score was 1-1 which was a tremendous result for this ever developing team. Good omens for U12 again next season. Their second match was against Kilfeacle A as Carrick had only one U12 team. Kilfeacle A was well on top as expected but found it hard to score against a rugged Dungarvan defence. Eventually strength counted and Kilfeacle ran in 4 tries. We do not normally mention names as every player gives his/her all for Dungarvan in these matches. However Matthew French played fantastic rugby in both matches and was key to earning the draw against Kilfeacle B.

Under-10A

The under 10's had a tough start to 2006 with matches against Kilfeacle and Carrick. From previous seasons we have always known Kilfeacle to be a hard physical team and with this in mind we met them in our first match. Even though the conditions where very heavy underfoot both teams did there best to entertain the crowd with some good running rugby. Dungarvan held onto the ball well made Kilfeacle work hard to defend against us, they got one break in the first half and scored a try. With our confidence up we rallied in the second and got our just re-ward with a great try finished one a piece. Our next match was against Carrick who we played at our last home blitz and once again we proved much too strong for them running out winners with a final try count of 4 to 1. This was a great start to 2006 and one we hope to continue with for the rest off the

Under-10B

Dungarvan U10B made up of most of our under 9 squad met Kilfeacle B team in their only match. This was a fierce game with our

Ballyduff Walking Club The Ballyduff walking club went

on their first walk of 2006 on Sunday, January 8th. Twenty walkers took part as they met in Carrigane cross and walked via Tubbernahul-

Next Walk - The walking club will hold their next walk on Sunday, January 22nd. The club will meet in Ballyhooly bridge at 1:30pm and we will walk on the Nagle mountains in Ballyhooly.

squad standing up to a bigger stronger opposition valiantly! Dungarvan played extremely well in this rigorous game. We defended well with good tackling. In the end the strength and size of Kilfeacle brought the breaks and they eventually won 4-0. This being said they had to earn the game from a Dungarvan side who were always the underdogs in the match. Dungarvan 10B showed great courage and will in playing a bigger more experienced side. As a team they have steadily progressed throughout the season. Watch out Kilfeacle

UNDER -8A

Dungarvan U8 played 2 matches
on Sunday against Kilfeacle A and
Carrick A. The first match was against Kilfeacle A. Kilfeacle are always a tough team to play and this game was no exception. The pitch conditions were poor and this made for a very scrappy down and dirty game of rugby. That being said the U8s probably played their best game as a team of the season with very effective blocking tackles and good running and passing. Kilfeacle got the upper hand in the first have scoring 1 try and getting to the line on 2 more occasions only to have Dungarvan knock the ball out of hand before grounding. Dungarvan rallied in the second half and 5 minutes before the end scored the equaliser. The second match was against Carrick. This was an even better game than the first! Both Carrick and Dungarvan played very effective rugby with both sides defending well and running the ball at every opportunity. Dungarvan dominated the game with most time spent in the opposi-tion half. However Carrick got the breaks and by half time were 2-0 up. Dungarvan rallied and forced Carrick back in the second half to

The U8B team played a single match against Kilfeacle U8B.The team started slowly and looked a little rusty. They conceded a few early tries before they really got going. Once they did get going however, the match became very competitive. The standard of tackling was good but not quite up to the standard it has been and the awareness and support play definitely need to improve. Having said that, all the players put in a very good effort and the eventual score was 6-3 to Kilfeacle. Two new players played their first com-petitive match for us and they both look excellent prospects for the fu-

Upcoming Events
We have a full season in 2006 with matches home or away every second weekend between now and mid April. Our next match is at home on Sunday January 29th when we will host Fethard and Clonmel. There will be matches for all players from 7s to 12s. Kick-off is at 11am with players to arrive to 10.30am. We invite parents and spectators to come along to support the growing phenomenon that is Dungarvan Mini-Rugby! MINI-RUGBY FAMILY

MEMBERSHIP TICKET RAF-FLE:

Our 2006 family membership raffle has now started. For those of you who have joined as family members to the club for the remainder of the season we will be holding a draw to see who has first option to purchase match tickets from the mini-rugby committee's allocation. The draw takes place the week before each match. Congratulations to Nan Dee who won the draw next Saturday's Munster game against Sale.

Training for all squads next Sat-urday morning at 10.30 as usual.

MANCHESTER UNITED SUPPORTERS CLUB WATERFORD BRANCH

There will be a general meeting on Friday, 27th January at 8:15pm. This will be preceded by a committee meeting at 7:30pm sharp in Lawlor's Hotel. Full attendance of members is requested.

A.G.M. - After some silly interference the meeting began and the following committee was returned: Chairman: Pat Grant Snr; Treasurer: Kevin Hayes; Secretary: Kevin Moore and committee members Anthony Fahey, Pat Grant Jnr, John O'Donnell and John Moore. So well done to the above and lets hope they can keep the club running as smoothly as is currently the case. The turnout was small but those who turned up who are travelling to Newcastle match were entered into a draw to win their ticket and Noel Hogan came out of the hat so well done to Noel and proves if you're not in, you can't win or in this case if you're not there, you won't be drawn.

Derby Day Blues — United suffered a 3-1 defeat to our neighbours Man. City. On the day the better side won and we are just as gracious in defeat as we are in victory. Congratulations to some of our blue rivals namely Thomas Duggan who was still celebrating and as he said "It was their World Cup to beat United". To Michael Fraher Inr who came into Keane's for the craic (albeit at half time with City 2-0 up) and his father saw the game live at the Eastlands Stadium. Well done, you got a good

Guinness Promotion — The final of our Guinness promotions takes place on Sunday next during the clash with Liverpool, so come along to Keane's and enjoy the Guinness and the match.

Liverpool This Sunday - All members are asked to fill John Keane's next Sunday for the titanic clash with Liverpool and wear your jerseys and bring in your scarves and flags as the 'Pool boys in town have promised a full house of their supporters. It should be an absorption

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Town Council Live To Fight Another

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million euros which will be an 2005. The annual Waterford County Council charge for the year is 1.3 million euros.

ferred from the elected councillors to the unelected council officials and there was no point in them staying until midnight discussing the estimates because at the end of the day they had no real power.

Geoghegan, "that this legisla-Minister for Local Govt. Martin Cullen, but it was done over our heads and there is nothing we can do about it"

Cllr. Michael O'Riordan said that made it a very sad day for democracy and councillors have now largely become irrelare being eroded more and more", Cllr. O'Riordan went on, euro flat charge". "and eventually there will be no

al Councils and they will also sition to vote for the adoption portant vote. Cllr. Geoghegan increase of 865,000 euros on end being nothing more than of the budget as he was on two proposed the adoption of the talking shops".

county manager could change to do so. Fine Gael's Cllr. Damien Ge- his mind in relation to the new The mayor said that between which they had no control. He oghegan angrily complained 130 euro flat charge for refuse income tax and PRSI the work- was seconded by his party colpower back is by every local authority in the country voting these crippling charges.

"It is regrettable", said Cllr. Cllr. Billy Kyne, said that if tion was brought in by the then day for democracy now is the those self same workers in time to vote "no" to the book of 2005" estimates."If we vote for these estimates we are in essence votthe county manager is introducevant. "Every day our powers mates which are unquestion- their officials are now recom-

The mayor, Cllr. Fiachra O increases in local taxes.

left will be County and Region- First Citizen was to be in a po- it was then time for the all imprevious occasions. This time Cllr. Teresa Wright said the round however he was unable doing so without acceptance of

collection but clearly he didn't ers in Dungarvan had paid an league Clfr. Fred Forsey wish to do so. The only way enormous eight, if not nine, figthey can hope to get their ure sum to the Govt. every year. "Tonight", he said, "we are looking at an annual budget of against estimates that include local authority services for the town of which the Govt. contri-Her Labour party colleague, bution is but a tiny percentage dan. of all that multitude of millions they really believe this is a bad taken from the earnings of

Mayor O Ceilleachair said ing in favour of the new charge for an additional one million euros to ensure they could coning", said Cllr. Kyne. "Tactical-tinue providing sewerage, ly a "no" vote is the only way to water, footpaths, street lights, show our opposition to the esti- and refuse collection services ably built around this new 130 mending to them that the short-

Town Councils. All that will be Ceilleachair, said his aim as The verbal contributions over, estimates, insisting that he was the new 130 euro charge over

> With the FF and FG members certain to cast political party divisions aside on this one, it was now crystal clear that the future of the council would stand or fall on the vote of Cllr. O'Rior-

The Independent threw his lot in with Cllrs. Geoghegan and Forsey (FG) and Cllrs. Nuala Ryan and Ann Marie Rossiter (FF) to ensure their combined that instead of asking the Govt. five votes prevailed over Labour's Cllrs. Billy Kyne, Teresa Wright, and the mayor Fiachra O'Ceilleachair along with Sinn Fein's Cllr. Brendan Mansfield.

It had been a close run thing, but in the end the estimates fall be met by massive were voted in and the council had survived.



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Waste Management Crisis Set To Deepen

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after years of controversy, agitation, opposition, and legal challenges right up to the High Court, it seemed that the development would at last proceed.

However that was always dependant on the EPA giving the necessary waste licence for the site, and now in what is being described by council management as "a devastating setback" to its plans the Agency has indicated that it does not propose to grant that licence.

What it all means is that plans for the proposed fifty acre landfill on a 200 acre site off the main Waterford/Cork road have come to a grinding halt unless the county council can succeed in having the EPA refusal reversed.

The local authority has twenty eight days in which to make the necessary submissions to try and do so, and the reliable expectation is that the council will go down that route in what will be a definite last throw of the dice in the protracted and often embittered saga.

In citing a number of reasons for its decision to refuse the waste treatment licence, the EPA has ruled that the area of Garrynagree is one of high amenity and that the proposed landfill could seriously impact on the rich nearby Lickey

Predictably the decision has de-lighted the local Lickey Concern Group which was set up first day to oppose the council's plans to development of the landfill at the Garrynagree location. Members of the group had to dig deep to fund their protracted legal battle which also included a lengthy Bord Pleanala oral hearing.

'We are very pleased that the EPA has recognised the importance of the river Lickey and of the general location as an area of special preservation", one group member

BAD BLOW

However the mayor of county Waterford, Ger Barron, said the EPA decision is a bad blow to the county council who has been looking for a site on which to develop a much needed landfill since 1998.

'We felt that we had picked the proper site at Garrynagree, and we are surprised and disappointed with the EPA decision", the mayor said. "It is a bad day not only for Waterford County Council but a very bad day too for the majority of householders of the county'

However his Labour Party colleague and mayor of Dungarvan, Fiachra O Ceilleachair, who resides

proposed landfill site, is viewing the EPA decision in a sharply contrasting way. He said Waterford County Council and Waterford City Council have had eleven years to look for a suitable site for the land-

fill and had failed to do so. "I told them as far back as 1999 that they would not succeed in getting a landfill site at Garrynagree, and the decision of the EPA to re-

County Waterford is presently without a landfill following the closure of the one in Tramore last month and before that the one in Dungarvan. On the insistence of the EPA the cash strapped county council has had to raise a multi million euro loan to fund the rehabilitation

in the Ring gaeltacht close to the ronment also providing substantial funding for the work.

Since the beginning of this year the council is transporting its waste to neighbouring Carlow with massive financial implications.

Controversially the county manager, Ray O'Dwyer, has used his legal powers to introduce a new annual flat charge of 150 euros per household to part fund those costs and other spiralling expenditures fuse the waste licence is a wonder-ful lesson in local democracy", he added. under its waste disposal pro-gramme. He is also proposing a 130 euro charge on households in Dungarvan town.

WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL DISAPPOINTED AT EPA DECISION ON WASTE LICENCE APPLICATION FOR FACILITY AT GARRYNAGREE, **DUNGARVAN**

Waterford County Council is disof both with the Dept. of the Envi- appointed at the notification of a

13 January 2006, from the EPA to refuse to grant a waste licence to the Council to carry out waste disposal activities at Garrynagree and Reanagullee townlands, Dungar-

The Council is particularly disappointed as An Bord Pleanála had given permission for this facility over a year ago.

The proposal to site a waste facility at this location is in accordance with best national standards as set out by the EPA and the construction works and operation of the facility were to be carried out in accordance with best international practice in relation to environmental protection.

Waterford County Council is currently assessing the decision and is considering its options in relation to the matter.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

EPA Decision On Garrynagree

cence for a landfill site at Garrynagree in the local have spent the last 5 years identifying a site that media over the weekend. Many of the intervie- was actually suitable for a landfill facility. wees seem to be ill informed of the facts of the by An Bord Pleanála, I know that this is not the case. In fact, WCC were well aware of the fresh- stages, WCC could have conceded that Garryna-1996, when it was stated in the County Development Plan that these mussels were in the river that actually meets the EPA guidelines. and should be protected. Thus, from day 1, selec- I am pleased that the EPA had the political tion of Garrynagree as a suitable site was in contravention of the EPA guidelines on site selection. not been passed on by WCC to the project consultants, it was certainly clearly highlighted in the as by their own Environmental Impact Assesment charges be then? (EIA). Unfortunately, the EIA completely dismissed the importance of the mussels, in direct contravention of the EPA site selection guidelines regarding rare and sensitive species. If the statutory procedures had been correctly followed, WCC

would have identified Garrynagree as an unsuit-It has been frustrurating to listen to coverage of able site at this early stage and would have saved the EPA proposed decision to refuse a waste li- hundreds of thousands of pounds/euro. They could

Since then, of course, there have been letters case. More than one expressed the view that the from Dúchas in 2001 informing WCC that the EPA decision was questionable because Waterford River Lickey is a candidate Special Area of Con-County Council (WCC) followed the EPA guide- servation and a formal letter of notice from the lines to the letter of the law. As an interested European Commission to the Irish Government in party who viewed all the documentation in the 2004 pointing out that siting a landfill facility at council offices and attended the oral hearing held Garrynagree would be in contravention of the EU Habitats Directive, among others. At any of these water mussels in the River Licky as far back as gree is not suitable and could have saved money by revisiting the selection process to choose a site

courage to make the correct decision in this case. Had they not, with the increasing activity of the Moreover, if this information had inadvertently European Commission in enforcing compliance with environmental directives, WCC could have been faced with fines imposed by the European first public consultation stage by many local indi- Court, which were 20,000 per day for a landfill viduals and by the Lickey Concern Group, as well case in Greece in 2001. What price would bin

Moira Keaney Gorteen, Ring, Co. Waterford 15 January 2006

KICK THE HABIT

January is the time for putting all those New Year resolutions into action, and for many smokers it's a good opportunity to kick the habit for good.

As many people who have tried to quit will testify, giving up smoking is not easy. Nicotine is one of the most addictive drugs around. A person who is addicted to cigarettes will believe all sorts of myths about smoking in order to justify the habit. For example, many people claim that smoking helps them to relax when in fact nicotine is actually a stimulant which mimics the effects of stress on the body.

Cigarette smoke causes damage to the skin and leads to early ageing: the skin of a 40 year old smoker is more like the skin of a 65 year old. Smoking also damages the lungs leading to serious respiratory diseases such as bronchitis and emphysema.

Cigarette smoke contains free radicals and other toxic substances which can cause cancer. They encourage cholesterol deposits to build up on the inside of the blood vessels, leading to heart disease or even limb amputation. Smoking can also lead to reduced fertility, impotence in men, and damage to the unborn child during pregnancy. Infants of children who smoke have an increased risk of asthma and cot death.

Smoking depletes a number of essential nutrients from the body including vitamin A (beta carotene), vitamin C, vitamin E, selenium and zinc. If you have recently given up smoking, and especially if you are still smoking or living with a smoker, it is important to take a supplement to replace these essential nutrients. Vitamin B complex supplements help to support the nervous system which is

helpful when giving up smoking.

If you are trying to quit in 2006 there are ways to help take the edge off your cravings but it is important to be committed. The psychological addiction to cigarettes can be very powerful and nothing will completely remove the need for will power.

The feeling of emptiness that can accompany a cigarette craving is often mistaken for hunger, which can cause people to overeat. When coupled with the temporary drop in metabolism which occurs after giving up smoking it can lead to weight gain. It is important to remember that this empty feeling has been caused by the addiction to smoking. Having a cigarette may take away the feeling temporarily but it will only create more discomfort later. If you

recognise the sensation for what it is and realise that it will pass, you will be less likely to reach for a cigarette or to overeat instead.

However, for a little help with giving up smoking, herbs can help to take the edge off those cravings. If you feel like a cigarette, chew a small piece of roasted dandelion root or dried liquorice root. These are available from good health food stores. Lobelia contains constituents which attach to nicotine receptors in the body thus reducing withdrawal symptoms, and oatstraw supports the nervous system. Lobelia and oatstraw are combined to make anti-smoking drops which are available from Lismore Clinic of Herbal Medicine.

Now that smoking is banned almost everywhere many people are finding it easier to kick the habit, and even those who continue to smoke are smoking less. Smoking is really becoming a thing of the past so make a healthy start to the year and give it up.

Marie Reilly is a qualified medical herbalist practising in Lismore. To make an appointment for a private consultation please telephone 058 53200 or 087 934 5910.

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Nótaí na Gaeltachta

An Leabhar Mór

Thug An Leabhar Mór cuairt ar Ghaeltacht na nDéise ar an Déardaoin agus Aoine, an 12 agus 13 Eanair. Is bailiúchán filíochta agus ealaíona ó Alba agus Éire atá sa Leabhar Mór. Tá thart ar céad píosa ealaíona agus filíochta sa mbailiúchán féin. Tá camchuairt á thabhairt ag an mbailiúchán seo ar cheantracha Gaeltachta na hÉireann faoi láthair. Bhí roinnt den mbailiúchán le feiscint sa Rinn an tseachtain seo chaite. Ba é Comhlucht Forbartha na nDéise a d'eagraigh an taispeántas le cabhair ó Mheánscoil San Nioclás agus fuarthas tacaíocht airgid ó Ealaín na Gaeltachta agus Comhairle Chontae Phort Láirge. D'oscail an taispeántas i Meánscoil San Nioclás, An Rinn ar an Déardaoin 12 Eanair nuair a labhair an fear atá i gceannas ar an mbailiúchán Kevin Anderson le daltaí scoile ón Rinn agus ón Sean Phobal. Mhínigh an tUasal Anderson céard a bhí i gceist leis an Leabhar Mór, ar conas a chuireadh lé chéile é agus dhein sé cur síos na pictiúir agus ar an bhfilíocht.

Ar an Aoine, 12 Eanair, the an file Louis de Paor agus an amhránaí John Spillane can chuairt ar na scoileanna sa Ric agus sa Sean Phobal. Ina dteannta bhí an t-Aisitheoir Pobail don Rinn agus don Sean Phobal, Lorcán Ó Muirí. Dhein Louis agus

John cur i láthair filíochta agus amhránaíochta do pháistí Scoil Náisiúnta na Rinne agus Scoil Náisiúnta Bhaile Mhic Airt, agus do dhaltaí Mheánscoil San Nioclás. Cuireadh go mór leis na hócáidí nuair a chan agus sheinn na daltaí i ngach scoil a gcuid amhráin agus ceoil féin.

Mar chríoch ar na himeachtaí bhí coirm cheoil i Meánscoil San Nioclás ar oíche de hAoine. Bhí cur i láthair filíochta ón bhfile áitiúil Áine Uí Fhoghlú, chan an bheirt amhránaithe áitiúla Áine Uí Cheallaigh agus Ciarán Ó Gealbháin, agus chuir Louis de Paor agus John Spillane críoch le cúrsaí ar an oíche nuair a chanadar roinnt mhaith amhrán óna genuasach fairsing féin. Bhain idir óg agus aosta ard taitneamh as na himeachtaí agus as an Leabhar Mór. Is cinnte go maitic riachtanach i gás printmbainfidh na ceantracha Gaeltachta eile an sult céanna as an dtaispeántas iontach seo.

Sa phictiúr tá Louis de Paor agus John Spillane ag déanamh cur i láthair do dhaltaí Mheán-

scoil San Nioclás. Amhránaíocht na nÓg

Beidh na ranganna amhránaíochta do dhaoine óga a bhí ar fáil roimh an Nollaig ag leanúint ar aghaidh ar an Aoine seo chugainn, 20 Eanair i Halla Pobail na Rinne ag 8 PM. 'Sé an t-amhránaí áitiúil Ciarán Ó Gealbháin, atá mar amhránaí có-

naithe i nGaeltacht na nDéise faoin scéim Duthaigh Geal Déise. a thabharfaidh na ranganna. Buíochas le Ealaín na Gaeltachta agus Comhairle Chontae Phort Láirge atá ag déanamh ur-raíochta. Tá fáilte roimh cách.

Scoláireachtaí Printíseachta

Tá Údarás na Gaeltachta ag tairiscint Scoláireachtaí Printíseachta gur fiú níos mó ná €2,000 an ceann iad d'iarrthóirí le cáilíocht mar cheardaí a bhaint amach. Ní mór d'iarrthóirí a bheith sé bliana déag d'aois ar a laghad agus na buncháilíochtaí seo a leanas a bheith acu:

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seo, ba chóir duit d'iarratas a glaoch ar Lorcán chur isteach roimh 3/2/'06. Tá a thuile eolais le fáil ó Fionnán Ó (066) 9150100 nó ón áisitheoir ar fáil.

Comóradh, Ceiliúradh agus Comhluadar

Beidh oíche cheiliúradh ag Coiste Forbartha an tSean Phobail ar an Aoine, 3 Feabhra. Tá ceiliúradh á dhéanamh ar naionra an tSean Phobail atá ag feidhmiú le 25 bliain. Chomh maith le sin tá aitheantas a thabhairt do choiste na dtuismitheoirí a bhuaigh an chéad duais sa rannóg chultúrtha i gcomórtas Fóram Pobail Phort Láirge, agus don geoiste forbartha a bhuaigh duaiseanna i gcomórtais An Baile Beo agus Gníomh don nGaeltacht a reáchtálann Údarás na Gaeltachta. Beidh an tAifreann i séipéal an tSean Phobail ag 7.30 PM agus beidh sólaistí ar Sóisearach, le pas i gcúig ábhar fáil i Halla Colmán ina dhiaidh

Yoga

Tá na ranganna Yoga a bhí le bheith ag tosnú tar éis na Nollag i Mí Eanair i Halla Pobail na Rinne curtha ar cheal

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DUNGARVAN CAMERA CLUB NEWS

Club Member Sean O'Brien Amazing **Photographic Achievements**



Sean O'Brien of Portlaw and senior photographer at Dungar van Camera Club has just completed an outstanding 13 months, wining several national and area photographic awards and achievements. His skills are now at such a level, to win just one competition is an achievement in its own right, but to win frequently and in several different disciplines is unparalleled. He is proven to be currently the best amateur photographer in Ireland.

We are most fortunate to have such a friend and member within our club, as he is most generous with his knowledge and time, always willing to assist the experienced and the new photographers to improve their skills. We hope to persuade him to celebrate these awards by mounting an exhibition of his works, here in Dungarvan later in the year.

Sean O'Brien's gold and silver 13 months are as follows; October 04; Irish Photographic Federation 'Photography Ireland 2005' Year Book cover photograph selected from hundreds of photos, this photo was also placed 4th. in the Mazda Coloured Photo Print National competition.

November 04; First Prize. Golden Years Festival held at the Tower Hotel, Waterford. December 04; 1st. Monochrome Section in the Southern Association of Camera Club's Annual Competition 'Print and Slide of the Year', and was a awarded a gold medal. He was also awarded the coveted 'Seamus Scullane Memorial Trophy' for Best overall Image of the Year, plus a further gold medal.

March 05; 'Creative Digital Print of the Year' a National competition, won the 'Neansai O'Brien Memorial Trophy' plus two gold medals.

November 05; Cork Festival of Photography competition, organised by the 'Evening Echo' and the Southern Association of Camera Clubs, to commemorate 'Cork European Capital of Culture'. He was awarded a gold medal for first place in the Landscape section, and a Silver medal for 2nd place in the People section. He also won the Overall Award for Best SACC Entrant, for which he received valuable computer

November 05; IPF 'Photography Ireland 2006' year book, 2-

photos were accepted for this publication.

December 05; SAAC 2005 Print and Slide of the Year Competition in Cahir, 1st & 4th. places in the colour prints competition. He was then awarded the prize for Best Overall Image in the three different disciplines. For this he received the Seamus Scullane Memorial Trophy for the second year in succession. His entry in the monochrome section won 2nd place adding another silver medal to his collection. What a wonderful series of achievements for our member and the club.

Heritage Weekly

Heritage Officer, Waterford County Council

ER AND WILDLIFE



This week's photo shows the head of a Teal. Teal are a small species of wild duck that mostly spend their springs and summers breeding in Iceland or northern Europe and wintering further south. Many spend the winter in Ireland's lakes, rivers,

This specimen was picked up by a dog as it lay dying from starvation hidden among tall plants. It seems to have picked up a red plastic ring of the kind that holds screw caps on plastic drink containers (usually milk containers). Perhaps the bird was dabbling in the mud when the ring got into its beak and flipped over the head due to its L-shaped cross section. It seems that the unfortunate bird couldn't get the ring off its head and couldn't feed with it in place.

Wildlife accidents with litter are probably much commoner than we think. Sick and injured birds hide away and their corpses are soon eaten by scavengers.

Mice shrews and voles can get stuck inside tins and bottles. Sea Gulls and Rooks easily get tangled in string and fishing line or in the plastic bands that tie beer cans together in fours. These beer can bands should of course be recycled but it is always best to break the loops on them. In Dunmore East many of the Kittiwake gull nests are made with plastic twine which the adults mistake for weed. Every year sees young birds entangled and only sometimes lucky enough to be rescued. Hedgehogs like yoghurt (although milk products are bad for them) and sometimes get their heads caught in discarded cartons.

None of these objects should ever get near to wildlife. Apart from the destruction and crucity involved, litter is ugly and dangerous. Most of the plastics and metals should go for recycling anyway.

STRADBA

Wedding

The marriage took place in St. Sylvester's Church, Malahide, Co. Dublin on Saturday, 7th January of Angela Moran, daughter of James and Josephine Moran, Glencoe, Bettystown, Co. Meath and Noel Barry, son of Joan and the late Billy Barry of Garrahalish. The couple who had returned had Michael Cullen as bestman and Readáin Walsh as Bridesmaid and Fr. Michael Enright officiated. Among the young bridesmaids were Niamh and Katie Whyte, nieces of the took place in the adjoining groom and Katie also acted as altar server. The readers were Mary Lynch, sister of the groom and Eileen Moran. The brother Paudie to whom sincere gifts were brought to the altar sympathy is extended. Sincere by the two mothers Josephine Moran and Joan Barry. The Johnny Fennell of Ballyvoile choir that numbered thirty five on the death of his sister Mary were from Johnstown Church, Killiney, Co. Dublin. The reception was held in the Grand day, 13th January. Hotel, Malahide. Every happiness and God's blessings to the happy couple who will continue ice for Church Unity Week will to live in New York.

Sympathy

The unusual situation of two funerals on the same day happened in Holy Cross Church, Stradbally on Thursday, 12th January. First there was Relate of Ballyvoile, mother of Fr. Tom Whelan, C.SSp who was chief celebrant assisted by many of his spiritual confrences also Enright, Present at Mass were the students from Kimmage Manor, all natives of Africa. They took part in the prayers of

with some musical instruments which was much appreciated by the congregation. Sincere sympathy is extended to Fr. Tom, his brother Eoghan and Griffith, and the extended Whelan and Power families.

The second Requiem Mass was for Colleen Flynn, late of Ballylynch who departed this life at her residence on Monday from New York for the wedding night, 9th January. The chief celebrant was Fr. Martin Keogh assisted by Fr. Michael Enright, Fr. Michael O'Byrne and Fr. Garrett Desmond. The soloist was Mala Raggett and burial cemetery in the presence of a large number of sympathisers. Colleen is survived by her sympathy is also extended to Quinlan (nee Fennell) who was buried in Rathgormack on Fri-

Church Unity

The annual ecumenical servtake place in St. James Church of Ireland on Sunday evening, 22nd January at 7pm.

Community Games AGM

The A.G.M. of Stradbally, Ballylaneen and Faha Community Games will be held in the Cove quiem Mass for Alice Whelan, Bar Stradbally on Thursday night, Januray 26th at 7pm. Children from the area aged 6 - 16 years take part in a wide variety of events including athletics, Fr. Tom Cooney, O.S.A, Fr. Ger- chess/draughts, swimming, inard O'Connor and Fr. Michael door and outdoor soccer, art, football and hockey organised by Community Games. We need the support of more parents/adults at local and county level to sustain the faithful as well as singing the momentum we have parts of the Mass accompanied achieved in the past few years.

ABBEYSIDE REFERENCE ARCH

MUSIC TO THE EARS

No, we are not going to take out the tin whistle and play you a few tunes. Instead we plan to take quotes from written material which helps to keep our old batteries charged up!

The first was written in 1996 and goes as follows:

All the time we are fulfilling our aim - to safe keep the history of our parish and keep the village spirit alive.

"Perhaps the true value of the archive will not be realised in our lifetime, but what a wonderful legacy we will be leaving to future

The second was written just before Christmas '05 and says: "Thanks to the Abbeyside Reference Archive and all the commit-

tee members of this dedicated group of volunteers who constantly strive to keep on file any and all information pertaining to the village of Abbeyside" This Sunday evening Emma Flynn will be at the parish Office.

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DEVELOPMENT LOTTO

DRAW RESULTS Results of draw held on 15th January. Numbers drawn 4-12-17-23. No jackpot winner. New jackpot 1,400 euro. 20 euro each Donal Looby, Mary O'Donnell, Leamybrien, Kevin Barry. Next draw will be held in Maguires Pub, Ballinroad on Sunday, 29th January. All games were cancelled last week owing to weather

DEISE BRIDGE CLUB

Results 16th Jan. 1st Cait Christopher and Kay Kirwan. 2nd Pauline Dempsey and Mary Spratt. 3rd John Mansfield and M. O'Donnell. 4th Maureen O'Neill and Helen Russell.

DUNGARVAN GAA LOTTO NO'S

3-8-23-7. No winner. Next week's jackpot 2,850 euro. winners of 35 euro each Bridie Cunningham, Park House; Pat Power, UDC Yard. Next draw at Paddy Foley's. Many thanks for your continued support.

HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB RESULTS

12th Jan. 1st Sally Walsh and Cait Christopher. 2nd Mary Ashe and Mary Navan. 3rd Carmel O'Brien and June James. 4th Marie Fives and Laboure Cliffe.

DUNGARVAN BRIDGE CLUB

Marianne Mulcahy and Moira Ormond. Ina Considine and Mgt. O'Donnell, Michael Kirwan and Catherine Twohy. Justin Spratt and Theresa Ryan.

DANU ON LATE LATE

Local group Danu will feature on the Late Late Show on RTE 1 on this Friday night. They were due to appear on last Friday's show but were omitted due to a mix up.



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Some members of the cast of "Joseph, and the Amazing Coloured Dream Coat which runs from February 6th to 11th at St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside

tentative movements over event, the School Musical.

cast an appraising eye on the scenes, Mrs Frances Moynihan

It's that time of year again, talent available among this is busy with thread and thimble, when the dark winter mornings year's pupils chose Andrew begin to lighten up, when the Lloyd Webber's "Joseph, and daffodil buds make their first the Amazing Coloured Dream Coat". Aided by Ms. Fiona ground, and when the Transi- Maguire as vocal coach, and tion Year pupils in St. Augus- accompanist, the cast have been tine's begin to polish up their rehearsing right through the act for what is now an annual Christmas holidays so that all the wrinkles may be ironed out This year the Musical Direc- of the Coat before the opening tor, Ms. Kelley Gardner, having night, February 6th. Behind the

as she fashions the cast costumes. Pat Knightly, the show's manager - managing! While visiting choreographer, Pat Grant, is drawing on all his expertise to develop the dance routines. As you would expect, the girls have a little more experience, but it is hard to equal Kevin Delahunty's enthusiasm, nor the twinkling toes of David Crowther. Man, has he got rhythm?

But, of course, this is a musical. So without good soloists, and group singers, the pupils would not do justice to the en-chanting Webber lyrics. However, Ms. Gardner's shrewd appraisal, and auditions were not in vain. Eoin McCullagh, hitherto more - renowned as a sterling G.A.A. player for Abbeyside, proved a real surprise packet in the role of Joseph. After his performance you couldn't refuse to give him his coat if he asked for it! Surprise packets, as singers also, were Stephen Slater and Brian O'Dwyer, though all eleven brothers of Joseph were well able to "Grovel! Grovel" as they begged for forgiveness. As ment of the Marine demands for portant work totally funded by Potiphar, John Trihy gives a very expensive but absolutely es- the Exchequer before County powerful performance in the Waterford suffers irreversible Egyptian officer's role. And that's only the male cast.

Among the girls, two girls stand out - Michelle Norris and Laura Hanningan. Both have lovely singing and speaking partment of Communications, voices, and the role of narrators Marine and Natural Resources, gives ample scope to their tal-

> There are still a few weeks to go before their first appearance on stage, and still much to be done in their pursuit of perfection. However, already there is the promise of an exciting Spring. The show begins on February 6th and runs to February 11th with tickets available at David Walsh (Main Street) and the Friary College. As they say in show business, Book early and avoid the rush.

Any Dream Will Do County Waterford Hosts Prestigious Exhibition

host a major touring exhibition 'An Leabhar Mor' - The Great Book of Gaelic which brings together the work of more than 200 poets, visual artists and calligraphers from Scotland and Ireland to create a major contemporary artwork in the form of a visual anthology.

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missioned to respond to the po- ly obscured.

County Council is pleased to artists include Robert Ballagh, the most potent living link be-Murphy and typographer Don contemporary Celtic culture. Addison worked in collaboration with the artists to integrate the key lines of poetry and the artist's images. Reiltín Murphy mus Heaney, Hamish Hender- will be giving a calligraphy son and Alastair Macleod as workshop in Tramore on Saturwell as the contributing poets day 21st January from 12noon themselves. The selection fea- to 2pm. Admission is free but tures work from almost every booking is essential as places century from the 6th to the 21st are limited. For more details on Station on 051/393833.

That Ireland shares a mythology, a rich music tradition, sented in poems by Nuala Ni three languages and some sig-Domhnall, Iain Crichton Smith, nificant history with Scotland is Michael Davitt, Greagóir O a fact of which most people are Dúill, Kevin Macneil and only vaguely aware. A great deal of what has been an endur-The 100 visual artists - fifty ing connection, however, has from each country - were com- been glossed over or deliberate-

The Arts Office of Waterford etry in a variety of media. The The Gaelic language remains Will Maclean, Brian McGuire, tween both countries. Through Frances Walker, Anna Macleod, the Leabhar Mór the Gaelic John Byrne, Shane Cullen, community has created another Alasdair Gray, Noel Sheridan, great work of art that renews Calum Colvin and Aladair the connection between Gaelic Maclennan. A small team of Scotland and Ireland and celecalligraphers including Reiltín brates the diverse strands of

This exhibition is being cohosted by three venues.

The Old Market House Arts Centre, Dungarvan which opens Tuesday to Saturday from 11am - 5pm . Tel. 058/48944

The exhibition continues in Dungaryan until Saturday 18th February 2006

The exhibition in Tramore Library is open during normal Library opening hours & in the Coast Guard Station, Tramore -Monday to Friday 9am -4.30pm & Saturday and Sundays from 2pm - 5pm, the exhibition closes in the Tramore venues on Friday February 17th

Admission is free agus tá fáilte roimh cách.



Pictured at the Unveiling events around the The Leabhair Mor - Great Book of Gaelic exhibition were: Back - Assumpta Nugent/Arts Centre, Mayor Ger Barron, Mayor Fiachra O Ceilleachair, Lorcain O Muiri/MFG, Margaret Organ/Co. Arts Officer. Front - Kevin Anderson/Great Book organiser, John Spillane/Musician, Louis de Paor/Poet & Brian White/Director of Service & Tramore Town Manager. - (Photo - Robert Power

Government Doing Little As Sea Washes Away **Waterford Coastline**

- Deputy Brian O'Shea

spokesman on Community, Rural for a new system of funding areas from the effects of erosion.

contribution which the Departsential coast protection works," says Deputy O'Shea.

"Waterford County Council has Waterford City and Dungarvan, where commercial activity and rates are concentrated, have urban authorities. At the same time, Waterford is a coastal country with major erosion problems.

"In 2005 the Dept. of Marine and Natural Resources provided funding of €1.5 million for coastal protection works for the whole country while this amount in Dungarvan or at Bonmahon.

Bonmahon, Ballyvoile, Wood- sign of protection schemes.

Brian O'Shea TD, Labour Party stown and Tramore. Dungarvan is at serious and constant risk of and Gaeltacht Affairs, has called flooding because the Cunnigar is being reduced at an alarming rate. coastal protection works so that The Cunnigar, a strip of land lo-County Waterford can begin the cated at the mouth of Dungarvan vital task of protecting communi- harbour, and the road to Helvick ties in Dungarvan, Ballyvoile, are under threat from the sea be-Bonmahon, Tramore and other cause there is insufficient funding to stop erosion. In October, the "Waterford County - with its Cunnigar was seriously damaged low commercial rate base - can- by storms and has now been not afford the 25 per cent local placed in the 'high risk' category.

"It is now time to have this imdamage from flooding, storms and the sea and I intend to pursue relatively small resources as both this matter further until the necessary action is taken," added Deputy O'Shea.

The Minister of State at the De-Mr. Pat 'The Cope' Gallagher TD told Deputy O'Shea that in the period 2000 to 2004, funding of €1.54 million was allocated to Waterford County Council for costal protection work at of money could well have been Tramore, Cunnigar, Ballyvoile spent on just one area in danger and Helvick. Exchequer funding from the sea, such as the Cunnigar of €2.88 million was made available for the 2005 National "Coastal erosion is a major Coastal Protection Programme. problem in the southeast, with its Cunnigar and Bonmahon were alsoft' coastline, particularly at located funding of €75,000 and Helvick, Ring, the Cunnigar, €30,000 respectively for the de-

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less actions of a group of overthe past few months. youths is causing a great deal A rose tree has been uprooted future.

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on the grave which he tends to Parish Graveyard over recent The grave of Mr. Needham's every day has been trampled

Mr. Needham said urgent action is needed to prevent further vandalism taking place in the



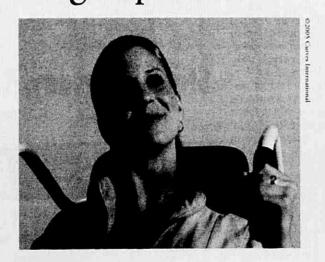


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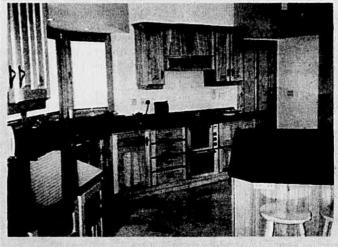
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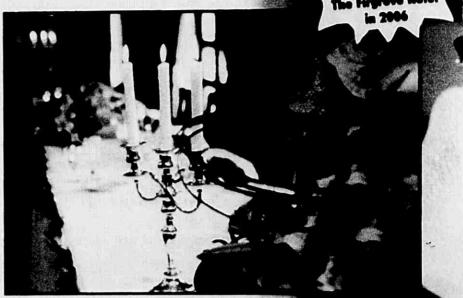
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Congratulations to Gemma Cliffe who won two medals silver and bronze – at the World Racquetball Championships in Mexico. Emma, Ciara, Gina, Clodagh and Kate competed at county Scor last weekend and did us proud!

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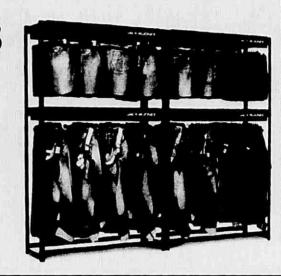
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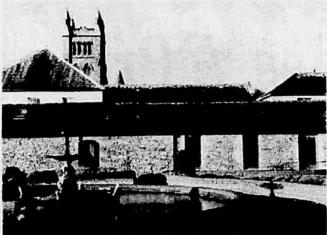
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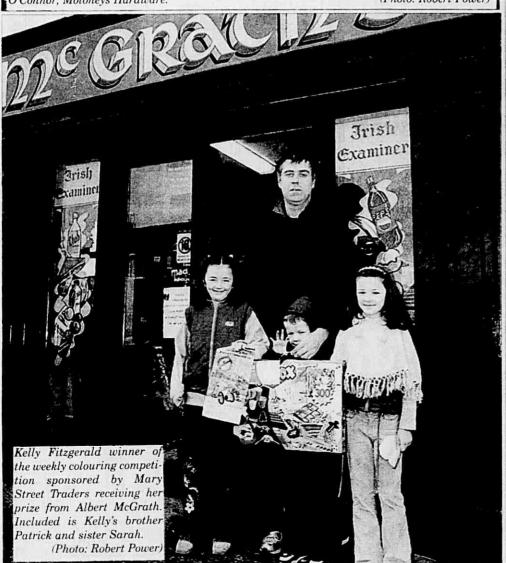
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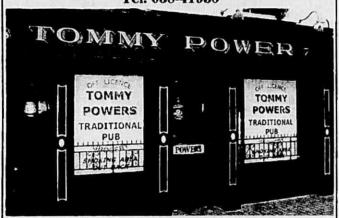
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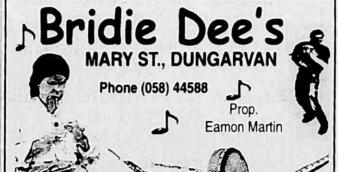
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Phil, Sharon, Olivere and Martina Donnelly with Tracy Byrne O'Donovan and Josepha Veale at the Dungarvan Foxhounds New Years Eve Ball in Lawlors Hotel, Dungarvan.



Happy group enjoying the Dungarvan Foxhounds New Years Eve Ball in Lawlors Hotel, Dungarvan.



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Hennessy family and friends, Ardmore pictured at the Dungarvan Foxhounds New Years Eve Ball in Lawlors Hotel, Dungarvan.

LATE MARGARET JOHNSTON (Nee Lenane)



Wednesday 4th January brought the sad news from Lackenfune, Dungarvan of the passing of Margaret Johnson who was aged 92 years and hailed from Ring. A woman of deep religious faith, she greatly cherished the old values. She had a great devotion to our Lady and was proud and honoured to be a child of Mary, indeed Margaret lay in repose in her blue cloak and white man-

She had a keen eye for fashion, loved dressmaking and was a DIY enthusiast. Always very active, she kept abreast of all current affairs at home and abroad. She enjoyed her television viewing and reading her daily newspaper. She was predeceased by her husband Sonny sixteen years ago, Sonny was employed in administration at the local Technical College and his father was the well known Barber on Mary Street. Margaret had been blessed with very good health until very recently.

We offer our heartfelt sympathies to son Jim, daughter-inlaw Brid, grandchildren Anne, Richard, Mary, brother John, nephews, nieces, other relatives and friends

Margaret had a great interest in writing and a love of nature, spent much of her time composing poetry and songs reflecting and drawing inspiration from her surroundings.

Her parents Patrick Lenane and Margaret Morrissey of Ring returned from England when Margaret was seven years old and lived for a time in Ring before moving to Lackenfune where she spent the rest of her life. One of three children, sister Mary and brother John Joe, Margaret attended the Presentation Primary and Secondary Schools.

She was an avid reader, who would read the newspapers from cover to cover and could converse on every topic under the sun. She also loved quizes and crosswords.

Following prayers and rosary at her residence shared by Canon O'Mahony P.P. the removal took place to Ring Church where Canon O'Mahony P.P. was assisted by V. Rev. Fr. Ed. Cullinan P.P. on Thursday evening. Midday funeral Mass was celebrated by V. Rev. Fr. Ed Cullinan P.P. at which son Jim read the lesson and also shared a eulogy. The offertory gifts were brought to the Altar by Anne and Mary (grandchildren). We gathered shortly after Mass at the graveside in the adjoining cemetery to pay our respects and bade our farewell as Margaret was laid to rest.

'Faoi bhrat Muire go raibh si'. (Funeral arrangements by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

LATE WAYNE KELLY



Bereavement is never easy, when a young person is involved even more difficult and as Christmas approaches the pain is ever more acute. Wayne Kelly, Gates, Old Parish and Childers Estate, Dungarvan who was just sixteen years old, born on 26th March, 1989 and who left us unexpectedly on 22nd December was son of Kieran Kelly and Siobhan

(Vonie), nee Whelan. Educated at the Naoinra sa Rinn and later at Old Parish, the family left Ireland to take up residence in America when Wayne was just eleven. Prior to emigration Wayne was a member of the Ring, Old Parish Athletic Club and was one of their best prospects when it came to sprinting and he also distinguished himself over many a cross country course. He would also have followed family tradition and fished out of Helvick. He loved the sea and nothing gave him greater joy and personal fulfillment than a good days fishing.

Even in Gloucester, Massachusetts he spent days upon days casting the nets. He was also very familiar with the Mexican Coastline where many a haul was brought ashore.

Being away from Ireland also nurtured his love of the country, its traditions and he always looked forward to his return and continue his fishing. He enjoyed the Irish ballads. He had many friends, was most popular and his untimely passing at the springtime of life has come as a great shock to his family, friends and acquaintances.

Reposing at Childers Estate, where very many gathered on Christmas night for prayers and rosary, Fr. Paul Waldron C.C. led us in prayer on Wednesday morning, December 28th before Wayne's remains were brought to the nearby St. Mary's. Guards of honour of friends from Ring and Old Parish and school friends flanked the hearse as we made our journey to the church. Fr. Paul C.C. blessed and received the remains and offered funeral Mass for the happy repose of his soul.

The readings were by Fiona Regan and Colleen Kelly, Prayers of the Faithful by Pearse Kelly, Lisa Power, Grainne Kelly and Layla Quarry. The Offertory procession saw Vicki Whelan, Kieran Kelly, Ciaran Myler, Megan Dunford and Conor Quarry bring up the gifts to the Altar.

Music was provided by Bridget King accompanied by Maura Burke. Rev. Fr. Flor O'-Callaghan O.S.A. and Rev. Fr. James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Cooney O.S.A. also were pres-

ent to console and comfort the bereaved and concelebrated Wayne's funeral Mass. The interment was in Ring Cemetery. Wayne's resting place was prepared by his family as is tradition with the Kelly family who were assisted by Michael Walsh and Bilest Murray.

Following prayers and blessing Wayne was laid to rest, sleeping beside his aunt Marie who went to her eternal reward at just fifteen years.

A graveside reflection 'Don't stand at my grave and weep' was read by Colleen, sister in

'Don't stand by my grave and

I am not there, I do not sleep, I am a thousand winds that blow.

I am the diamond glints on snow,

I am the sunlight on ripened grain, I am the gentle autumn rain.

When you awaken in the morning's hush, I am the swift uplifting rush,

Of quiet birds in circled flight, I am the soft stars that shine

at night, Don't stand at my grave and

I'm not there, I did not die'. At church grandmother Marie Kelly (nee Hart) read so beauti-

Wayne.

To my dearest family I'm writing this from Heav-

Where I dwell with God above,

Where there's no more tears or sadness, There is just eternal love,

But do not be afraid to cry, It does relieve the pain, Remember there would be no

flowers, Unless there was some rain, And to my many friends,

Trust God knows what is best I'm still not far from you,

I'm just beyond the Crest, When you are walking down the street. And you've got me on your

mind, I'm walking in your foot-

steps, Only a half a step behind.

And when it's time for you to

From that body to be free. Remember you're not going, You are coming here to me, And I will always love you, We'll be in touch again soon. Farewell Wayne.

Wayne's parents Kieran and Siobhan, sisters Marina and Colleen, brother Pearse, his grandparents Jim and Bridget Whelan, Liam and Marie Kelly. aunts Grainne Myler, Cait O'Brien, Eileen Whelan, Esther Dunford, Nora Whelan, Bridget Quarry, uncles Liam Og Kelly, James, Michael and Ricky Whelan and many other relatives and friends at this time.

'I liontaibh De go gcastar sinn le cheile.

Months Mind Mass for Wayne Kelly will be celebrated this Sunday, Jan. 22nd at 12 noon in St. Mary's Parish Church.

(Funeral arrangements by Directors, Dungarvan).

LATE HAROLD (HARRY) DALTON

The passing at Chasefarm Hospital, Ridgeray, Enfield of Harry Dalton, Amberely House, London and late of Kilmurray on December 28th was received with great sadness. Member of a well known Dungarvan tailoring family, Harry resided in England for most of his life and was employed in the Construction and Hotel business.

His remains arrived at Cork Airport on Thursday 5th January and were transferred to the Kiely Funeral Home to lie in repose. On Friday morning they were removed to St. Mary's Parish Church for funeral Mass at 11 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Cooney O.S.A. celebrated the Holy Sacrifice while Lena Walsh and St. Mary's Parish choir sang the much appreciated tributes. Interment followed in the adjoining cemetery.

We sympathise with brother Kevin and Kevin's wife Nancy and relatives at this time.

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

LATE ALICE WHELAN (Nee Power)

Sunday 8th January saw the passing of Alice Whelan, at Woodlock Nursing Home, Portfully a moving tribute to law where she had been a resident for over six years. We offer our heartfelt sympathies to sons Fr. Tom CSSP, Eoghan and Griffith. Removal took place on Wednesday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to Holy Cross Church, Stradbally. Following midday Mass on Thursday, the interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

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

LATE MARGARET MULLINS

With sincere feelings of regret and sorrow we write on the Fr. T. O'Riordan P.P. and Rev. passing of Margaret Mullins, Waterford Regional Hospital on Gough and Honour Byrne Wednesday last. Predeceased by her husband Jimmy, Marfaith who had a deep devotion to our Lady.

We express our condolences to sons Jim, Donal and David, daughters Gabrielle and Patri- Norín Bean Uí Chionaola accia, son-in-law Carl Fay, companied by Francis Kenealy. daughter-in-law Joan, grand- The interment followed in St. From that land way up above, children, great grandchildren, Laurence's many other relatives and Ballinroad.

Our heartfelt sympathies to Home, the removal took place neral Directors, Dungarvan).

on Thursday evening to St. Mary's Parish Church. Following funeral Mass on Friday celebrated by Canon O'Mahoney P.P. the interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

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

LATE SHEILA BYRNE

On Friday, 30th December. the locality learned with great sadness of the passing at Waterford Regional Hospital of Sheila Byrne, St. Rita's, 4, New Line, Abbeyside who was a native of Castleisland, Co. Kerry. Predeceased by her parents. brothers Jimmy, Michael and

For almost forty years Sheila and her sister Mary ran a most successful hairdressing business in Cappoquin. She had a life long interest in G.A.A. and was a great supporter of The Kingdom when football matters were on the agenda, Waterford always had her loyalty and support in hurling. She attended the many great games and was no stranger to Croke Park. A quiet, inoffensive woman who has left us after a short duration of illness. We offer our sympathies to sisters Mary and Kay, brothers Paddy, Johnny, Liam, brotherin-law Stephen Delaney, sistersin-law Kathleen, Lenore, Kitty, Bridie (Chicago) and Mary Byrne, her nephews, nieces. other relatives and friends.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home where V. Rev. Fr. T. O'Riordan P.P. and Rev. Fr. Michael Leary O.S.A., led those present in prayer on Saturday evening, the removal took place to St. Augustine's Church, Abbeyside. On Sunday V. Rev. Fr. R. Doherty P.E. was chief celebrant assisted by cocelebrants V. Rev. Joseph Delaney P.P., Newport, Co. Tipperary; Very Rev. Fr. Michael Enright P.P., V. Rev. Fr. Michael Leahy O.S.A. The Connolly Row, Dungarvan at lessons were read by Helena (nieces). Prayers of the Faithful by Paddy Byrne (brother), sisgaret was a woman of great ter-in-law Lenore, Liam Byrne (nephew) and niece Norma Byrne.

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RECENT **DEATHS**

LATE MARTIN CURRAN



The passing of Martin Curran, Shanakill, Twomilebridge at Wednesday 21st December cast a cloud of great sorrow over the locality and beyond. Of advanced years Martin was extremely well known and his passing after a brief illness has severed another link with our past.

A native of Glenmore, one of a family of fourteen children to Patrick (Pats) Curran and Mary (nee Curran), 7 boys and 7 girls, four of the latter entered the religious life. Educated at Glenbeg and the local CBS Martin came of farming stock, not surprisingly his whole life surrounded matters of the land. A Dairy farmer and shareholder in Central Dairies he was a man of great energy, vision and foresight. Nearby bogs and mountains were turned into fertile land, certainly not overnight but through years of hard work and endeavour. Indeed his Herculian efforts were featured on 'Landmark', the well known agriculturally based television programme some years back. He toiled long hours in times of struggle.

One of Martin's passions was beekeeping, a craft handed beginners with the craft. He

cult sport.

Most of us will associate Martin Martin, P. J., Stephen and Jack, Curran or 'The Captain' as he daughters Alice and Mary, was affectionately known with his beloved Brickey Rangers. A top class corner and wing back his feats on the playing fields are ters Cathy Carey (Ring) and often spoken of, as the men who donned the Black and Amber brother-in-law Denis Mulcahy, faced defeat Martin's heroics would inspire confidence, ordinary men did extraordinary things and the Brickey Rangers were once again victorious. For well over a decade he captained this team, he tasted success on the double in 1945 when on the 25th November, 1945 Brickey's were relatives and friends. crowned Junior Football County Champions, some days later, 9th December, 1945 the hurling crown followed. Involved in every facet of the Brickey Rangers, selector, trainer, administrator and trustee he was a lynchpin in their fundraising projects and contributed greatly to their development in the area of

facilities. He must surely have got great satisfaction from his visits to Bushy Park to see what was a small acorn of a club and how it has grown and will continue to grow. Surely the Brickey men of 2006 will gain inspiration from Martin Curran and his equals as another season is about to unfold. Their story is a proud and honourable one and no better author than the Captain himself.

Martin Curran loved his God and attended to his religious duties with admirable fervour and devotion. He will be missed and missed greatly, to have known him has been a pleasure and passing has left us all the poorer.

Reposing at his residence Drumhills Nursing Home on where family Rosary was shared on Friday evening, Canon O'Mahony P.P. led us in prayer on Saturday (Christmas Eve) as we prepared to bring Martin's remains to St. Mary's Parish Church. His coffin draped in club colours and flanked by an impressive Guard of Honour of Rod na Brice accompanied him over the last few hundred yards. Canon O'Mahony P.P., assisted by Canon O'Connor P.E., Rev. Fr. P. Waldron C.C., Rev. Fr. Cooney O.S.A., Rev. Fr. O'-Donnell P.E., Rev. Fr. P. Waldron C.C., Rev. Fr. Cooney O.S.A., Rev. Fr. O'Donnell O.S.A. blessed and received the remains in the presence of a huge concourse. On St. Stephen's Day, funeral Mass was celebrated by Canon O'Mahony P.P. with cocele-

brants Rev. Fr. J. Power O.S.A.,

Canon O'Connor P.E., Rev. Fr.

M. Cooney O.S.A., Rev. Fr. C.

O'Donnell O.S.A. Son Mattie

read the lesson while Louise,

Elaine, Theresa, Alice, Rose-

mary Curran (grandchildren)

read the prayers of Intersession.

The offertory gifts were

brought to the Altar by Mary

and Alice (daughters) and

grandchildren Stephanie and

Alan, a eulogy was delivered

Ballymacmague as only she

as Martin was taken to his place of rest was so special. Pallbear-

ing duties were carried out by

Within yards of St. Mary's

following prayers and blessing

Martin Curran was laid to rest.

We offer our deepest sympa-

thy to his wife Hannah, sons

sons-in-law Tom Cummins

Paul McShane, daughters-in-

law Cora, Mary, Helen, his sis-

Annie Mulcahy (Dublin),

sister-in-law Julie Ahearne, his

grandchildren Mark and Yvonne (Australia), Alan and

Louise (Kilnafarna), Rosemary,

Alice, Theresa, Elaine, Padraic

and Stephanie, Twomilebridge

and Cathal (Cork), his

nephews, nieces, many other

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his sons and sons-in-law.

down to him by his mother and with a lifetime of practical experience he delighted in helping also supplied some plants such as Boyne Valley with their by P. J. (son) while Dina Walsh, product. Martin loved all sports, the Martin Curran Percan, gave us her beautiful music, 'Her Old Rustic Bridge' petual Cup is presented to the winner of the Brickey Run each . He was a valued member of

Point to Point committee and how he looked forward to that annual fixture in Killossera. A cyclist in his youth, he won Munster honours in this diffi-

LATE JAMES CULLINANE

On Sunday last we learned of the passing of our friend and near neighbour James Cullinane, 65 Wolfe Tone Rd., Dungarvan at Waterford Regional Hospital. Aged 83 years, James was employed at the Dickens Leather Factory, late at Dungarvan Leathers where he gave of his best at all times.

In 1968 when the 11th Waterford St. Mary's CBSI Scout Troop was formed, James attended their many camps and was deeply involved at committee level. Predeceased by his wife Alice (nee Creed), James also mourned the passing of Patrick, their son.

We sympathise with his son ter-in-law Caroline (nee Rusgrandchildren Claire, Allen, Laura, Brendan, Ruth, Gillian (Stroud, England), his brothersin-law Sr. M. Clare Creed, Cork, his nephews, nieces, other relatives and friends, especially Tom Veale and neighbours.

Removal took place on Tuesday evening from the Kiely Fu- Directors, Dungarvan).

neral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church. Funeral Mass will be celebrated this Wednesday, 11 o'clock with the interment afterwards in the adjoining cemetery.

No flowers please donations in lieu to West Waterford Hospice, c/o David Kiely, Funeral

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

LATE MARY KIELY (nee O'Donoghue)

We write on the passing on Sunday last at Waterford Regional Hospital of Mary Kiely, Craughnateskin, Ballymacarbry Walter, daughters Mary Bowles and late of Rathmore, Co. and Margaret Bowdren, daugh- Kerry. We sympathise with her husband Michael, sister Joan, sell) and sons-in-law Tom brothers Joe, Dan and Maurice, Bowles and Jim Bowdren, his nephews, nieces, other relatives and friends. R.I.P.

Removal took place on Monand Andrew, his brother Peter day from the Kiely Funeral Home to Kilbrien Church. Fuin-law V. Rev. Fr. Patrick Creed neral Mass was celebrated on P.E. and John Creed, his sister- Tuesday with the interment afterwards in the adjoining ceme-

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

DUNGARVAN TOWN COUNCIL Comhairle Baile Dhún Garbhán

INVITATION TO TENDER

CONSTRUCTION OF AN EXTENSION AND REFUR-**BISHMENT AT THE FOLLOWING ADDRESSES:**

EXTENSION TO NO 8 RINGNASILLOGUE PLACE REPAIRS TO NO. 77 AND 78 CONGRESS VILLAS REFURBISHMENT OF NO 1 RICES STREET

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Copies of documents and drawings may be obtained from the Housing Section, Dungarvan Town Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford from Friday 20th January

Separate tenders clearly marked "Tenders for the extension to No 8 Ringnasillogue Place, repairs to No 77 and 78 Congress Villas and refurbishment to No 1 Rices Street and addressed to the Town Clerk should be lodged with the Town Clerk not later than 5.00p.m. Friday 3rd February 2006.

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Joe O Flaherty, Town Clerk 17 January 2006



Waterford County Council

Comhairle Contae Phort Láirge

PUBLIC NOTICE

Closure of the Planning Office of **Waterford County Council, Civic** Offices, Dungarvan, on the 24th & 25th January 2006.

Please note that the offices of the Planning Department of Waterford County Council will be closed on the above dates to facilitate office reorganisation and staff training. Persons wishing to submit planning applications, additional information in relation to planning applications or make submissions/observations in relation to planning applications may do so at the reception desk in the main Civic Offices during

Please note that the planning enquiry facility located at Civic Offices, Tankfield, Tramore will continue to provide a service during this time.

Normal service will resume on Thursday 26th January.

Any inconvenience caused by this closure is regretted.

Denis Mc Carthy Director of Services Planning, Environment & Emergency Services

FÓGRA POIBLÍ

Dúnadh Oifig Pleanála de Chomhairle Contae Phort Láirge, Oifigí Cathartha, DúnGarbhán ar an 24adh & 25adh Eanair 2006.

Tabhair faoi ndeara go mbeidh Oifig Pleanála an gComhairle dúnta ar na dátaí thuasluaite chun áis a thabhairt do athchóiriú na h-oifigí agus traenáil an bhfoireann. Is féidir iarrataisí pleanála a chuir isteach, eolas breise nó tuairimí ar iarratas pleanála a dhéanamh ag an deasc fáiltiú sa phríomh oifig cathartha, Dún Garbhán, i rith an ama seo.

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Beidh an Oifig Pleanála oscailte arís mar is gnáth ar Déardaoin 26adh Eanair. Tá cathú orainn faoi aon ciotaí a dhéantar mar gheall ar seo.

D. Mac Cárthaigh Stiúrthóir Seirbhísí



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Comhairle Contae Phort Láirge

REMINDER NOTICE

MESSAGE TO LANDOWNER/OCCUPIERS

Owners or occupiers of land are obliged under the Roads Act, 1993, to take all necessary care to ensure that trees, shrubs, hedges or any other vegetation on their land is not, or could not be a danger to those using a public road or to somebody carrying out maintenance or improvement work on the road.

Hedge Maintenance

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The Best Time to Cut

- Trim during Winter to fill slack periods of farm work.
- Avoid disturbing nesting birds by not trimming during the period 1st March to 31st August in any year. Section 46(b) of the Wildlife (Amendment) Act 2000 states that it shall be an offence for a person to cut, grub, burn or otherwise destroy during the period beginning on the 1st day of March and ending on the 31st day of August in any year any vegetation growing in any hedge or ditch.
- Trimming can take place to February with minimum wildlife disturbance.

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Signed: John O'Flynn.

Director of Services & County Engineer,

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Waterford County Council — We Carol and Bernard Whelan of Luskanargid, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford wish to apply to Waterford County Council for retention permission of sun room extension to north west elevation. 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 — Planning permission is required for a 2-storey dwellinghouse, garage, entrance, septic tank, percolation area and ancillary works at Ross, Ballinameela, Cappagh, Co. Waterford for Tom Longan and Fiona Sinnott. 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 applica-

Waterford County Council - I am applying to the above for permission consequent on the grant of outline permission (PD 04/1116) for a low dormer style dwelling, entrance, septic tank, percolation area and ancillary works at Knockmaon, Cappagh, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20. Signed: John Ronayne

Waterford County Council - I am applying to the above for Planning Permission for a Bungalow, Treatment System, percolation area, entrance and ancillary works at Ross, Rathgormack, Co. Waterford. This planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m, and 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application on payment of a fee of €20. Signed: Mary O'Brien.

Waterford County Council - I, Patrick Behan, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for planning consequent to construct a dwelling, septic tank, percolation area and entrance at Coummahon, Kilmacthomas, Co. Waterford. Outline planning permission granted under PD03/1876. The application may be inspected or purchased at the Planning Department, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices , Dungarvan, Co. Waterford and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority on payment of the prescribed 20 euro fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receiptf by the authority of the application.

Waterford County Council — James and Imelda Nugent intend to apply for permission for a single storey dwelling, site entrance, septic tank and percolation area at Glengoagh, Knockanore. 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 of €20 within the period of five weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the

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IN MEMORIAMS



COONEY Second Anniversary and Birthday Remembrance - In loving memory of a dear husband, father and grandfather Michael Cooney, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan who died on January 25th, 2004.

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Sadly missed by Mary, Anne, Noel and grandchildren Amy and Hannah).

COLEMAN Fifteenth Anniversary - Cherished memories of our dear mother Teresa (Tess), late of 7 Parks Rd., Lismore who died on January 18, 1991, R.I.P.

This is your anniversary Mam,

You would not want a fuss. Just to be remembered. With a prayer from all of us, To your graveside we often

And picture your face so dear. In silence we stand in sorrow,

For a mother we loved so dear.

The flowers we place upon your grave.

May wither and decay, But the love we buried with you Mam,

Will never go away. (Always remembered and loved by your family at home and England)



CURRAN Second Anniversary - In loving memory of Patrick Curran, Lr. Coolboa, Clashmore who died on January 18th, 2004.

God bless you Patrick, you were one of the best, Good was his heart in friendship sound.

Loved and respected by all around.

A beautiful life came to an

end. He died as he lived, every-

one's friend. Each Mass we hear, each prayer we say,

is offered up for you. (Always lovingly remembered by your family).

Anniversary — In loving memory of Patrick Curran, late of Lower Coolboa, Clashmore who died

on January 18, 2004. As down the road of memo-

We gently tread today, Our loving thoughts are with you,

As life goes on its way, Time may heartaches,

Like the smile that hides the tears, But happy memories keep

you close, Despite the passing years. (Always remembered by your loving son Johnny and daughterin-law Mary).



COWMING Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear grandmother Charlotte Cowming, late of Clonea Road, Abbeyside, who died on January 9, 2005.

A bouquet of beautiful memories

Sprayed with a million tears, Wishing God could have

spared you, If just for a few more years.

(Lovingly remembered by her grandchildren Michael, Aaron Nicola, Craig and Kristian).

DOOCEY - In loving memory of my dear mother, Eileen Doocey (nee Baldwin), Allen Street, Cappoquin, whose anniversary occurs on January 20. Mass offered.

The tragic way you had to

Is always on our mind, We wonder if you called our names. We wonder if you cried,

It's hard to face tomorrow. When someone we love is

It's harder still to realise, That love just goes on, heartaches,

Are so hard to bear, All we have are memories. Of how wonderful you were, I am thinking of you today,

But that is nothing new. For I thought about you yesterday.

And the day before that

I will think of you tomorrow,

As I live my whole life through,

For the day I fail to think of you, Is the day God takes me

(Always remembered by your loving son Tony, daughter-in-law Maureen and grandson Mark,



DOOCEY Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear wife, Eileen Doocey, late of 48, Allen Street, Cappoquin, who died on January 20, 2000. R.I.P.

Anniversary Mass on Saturday, January 21st, at 7.30 p.m. in St. Mary's Parish Church, Cappoquin.

It was a sudden parting, Too bitter to forget, Those who loved you

dearly, Are the ones who can't forget.

We often sit and think of And think of how you died,

To think you could not say goodbye, Before you closed your

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

The links shall join again. (From your loving husband James and family.)

DOOCEY — Sixth Anniversary In loving memory of my dear mother, Eileen Doocey, late of Allen Street, Cappoquin, who died on January 20, 2000. God called your name so gen-

But only you could hear, No one heard the footsteps, Of the angels drawing near, You left this life so suddenly, We could only wonder why, For the saddest part of all,

We never said goodbye. (Always remembered by your loving daughter Miriam, son-inlaw Jim, grandchildren Fiona, Olivia and Brian).

DOOCEY — Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of my mother, Eileen Doocey, (nee Baldwin), 48 Allen Street, Cappoquin whose fifth anniversary occurs on January 20.

Our life goes on without you Mam,

But things are not the It's hard to lift the heart-

ache, When someone says your

name. Some say as times goes

The heartache will subside, But the feelings in our hearts

today, Are the same as when you died,

The words we write are nothing Mam,

all he knew, Of the way we feel, Always willing, helpful and We miss you more than any kind. words. What beautiful memories he

Could ever quite reveal. (Sadly missed by your loving son Walter, daughter-in-law Paula and grandchildren Stacey, Caroline and Shane).



died on January, 14, 1998. go by,

never die.

But memories of you outlast them all.

den,

there. That someone is our

The best beyond compare.

today, A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Never forgotten by her son Tom, daughter-in-law Geraldine and grandchildren Stephen, Mairead and Katie).

FLYNN



FOLEY - Eighth Anniversary In loving memory of Mary Foley, Gornadiha, Ring, who Like falling leaves the years

But memories of you will

Sunshine passes, shadows

No matter what we do. In the centre of God's gar-There is a place within our hearts

That is forever kept for you. There is someone special (Always remembered by your loving son Pat, daughter-in-law Jo and grandchildren Kieran and

mother, Will those who think of her

> of Cloghaun, Ballysaggart who died on 21 January, 2004. R.I.P. Memories are precious.

Seventh

Anniversary - In loving mem-

ory of my dear husband

Michael Flynn, late of Lios

Mor Ave., Dungarvan who

died on 21st January, 1999.

R.I.P. Mass out in St. Joseph's

Hospital Chapel on Saturday,

Happy memories last forev-

Each one of us in our own

Have special thoughts of you

Quietly today your memory

Loving you always, forgetting

A heart of gold, a life so

Loved and remembered by

(Remembered always your

wife Monica, sons, daughters

and all his grandchildren).

21st January at 10 am.

Of days when we

together,

today,

we treasure.

you never.

left behind.

true.

Kevin).

They don't fade away, We think of you always, Not just today. (Always remembered by Helen and P. J.).

January, 1985.

she knew,

left behind.

home and away).

February 19 at 11 am.

Forever by our side,

Ever since you died,

change

A heart of gold, a life so true,

Fourteenth Anniversaries - In

loving memory of my dear parents

Peter and Elizabeth Henley, New

Street, Tallow. Anniversary Mass

in the Parish Church, Tallow on

A shadow walks beside us,

Always there to guide us,

No matter how our lives may

HOGAN — First Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear Dad. Thomas Hogan, Gorteen, Dungarvan who died on 23 January, 2005.

GRIFFIN — Second Anniversary

In loving memory of Sean, late

January is here with sad regret, The day, the month we will never forget,

You left us quietly without a fuss, And broke the hearts of all of

US. Memories are something no one can steal,

Death is a heartache no on can heal. Time slips by and life goes on,

But from our hearts you are never gone. (Sadly missed by your sons, daughter, daughters-in-law, son-



LYNCH - Twenty-sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of Ned Lynch, Scart, Cappagh who died on January 15, 1978. On his soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Mass is offered. Softly one January morning,

You heard a gentle call, You took the hand God offered

And quietly left us all. (Always remembered Maura, Joan and Kathleen).



MOLONEY Anniversary - In loving memory of my dear husband, Patrick Moloney, late of Hertfordshire and Ballyphilip, Knockanore, who died on 21st January 2001. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, 22nd January in Sacred Heart, Knockanore at 11.15 am.

Memories are precious. they don't fade away,

We think of you always, not just today. (Always remembered by

your loving wife Alice, sons William, Michael, daughterin-law Annette, granddaughters Siobhan, Aislinn, Mairead and sisters Mary and Carmel).



MCALLISTER -Sixth Anniversary - In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather Richard (Dick) McAllister, late of 60 Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on January 19th 2000. Masses offered.

We hold you close within our hearts,

And there you shall remain,

To walk with us throughout our lives, Until we meet again,

So rest in peace dear loved one. And thanks for all you've

done. We pray that God has given

you, The crown you've truly won.

(Always remembered by his loving sons Charles and Richard, daughters Mary and Ann and their families.)

MURRAY — In loving memory Patsy, late Mweelnahorna, Ring who died on January 16, 2004. R.I.P. Memories are precious, they

don't fade away, We think of you always, not just today.

(Always remembered by your sister Kay and brother -in-law Jimmy, also your nephew and nieces).

IN MEMORIAMS

MORRISSEY - Ninth Anniversary - In loving memory of our mother Christina Morrissey, 66 Childers Estate, Dungarvan, who died on 13th January 1997. R.I.P.

Our thoughts are always with

Your place no one can fill, In life we loved you dearly, In death we loved you still. Your resting place we visit, There we stand and pray, But no one knows the heart-

ache, As we turn and walk away. If tears could build a stairway, And memories a lane.

We would walk our way to heaven, And bring you back again.

(From your loving sons Padjoe, Michael, William, James and Timothy, daughters Mary Catherine, Nora Teresa, Christina, Esther, Ann, Bernie, Margaret and Tricia, Paul Keating and family, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, great grandchildren, brother-in-law, sisters,

nieces and nephews.) MURPHY — First Anniversary - In loving memory of Helen Murphy, late of Carrigeen, Kill, Co. Waterford who died on 18th January, 2005. Mass will be

of Mt. Carmel Church in Kill. You had a smile for every-

offered on Sunday, 22nd

January at 10.30 am at Our Lady

You had a heart of gold,

You left the dearest memo-

This world could ever hold, You cannot halt the hands of time.

Nor live again the past, But we will love and pray for you,

As long as time will last.

(Sadly missed and always loved Michael, Patricia, Niall, Kelly and Elaine).

A sudden call from God on high, I had no chance to say goodbye, Without farewell you fell asleep, But memories you you we will always keep, A tribute of love to a sister so dear,

So close to our hearts,

Each day of the year.

(Always loved and missed Thomas, Michelle, Jamie and Mairead).

Little we knew that morning, The sorrow that day would bring, The shock was great the loss severe, To part with someone so very dear, Your end was sudden,

Your thoughts unknown,

But you left us with memories

We are proud to own.

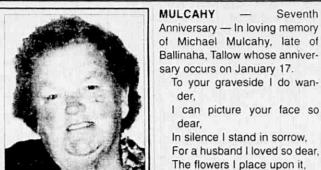
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(Always loved and sadly missed Bridget, Liam, Hannah, Louise

Out of sight you may be gone, But in our hearts you will always live on, Unseen, unheard but always near, Still loved, still missed, still very dear, But Helen not just today but everyday, In silence we remember you. (Sadly missed and loved always Raymond and Imelda).

Helen we had no time to say goobbye, No time to let you know, Just how much you meant to us, And how we loved you so, As each day dawns we think of you, As each night falls we pray for you, And throughout our lives no matter where,

In our hearts you will always be there. (Sadly missed and loved Phil, Willie, Jenny and Mary).





O'NEILL Eleventh Anniversary - In loving memory of Eileen O'Neill, late of Coolnagour Dairy, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, who died on January 18, 1995.

Will wither and decay,

Will never fade away,

But the love I buried with you,

When I am sad and lonely,

And everything goes wrong,

I seem to hear you whisper,

I miss you sitting in your chair,

For there is no one in the

Could ever take your place.

Cheer up and carry on,

And your smiling face,

world Mick,

(Your loving wife Babs)

Will those who think of her today.

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by Ben, Karen and Cerys and Gerard, Marie and family).

POWER - Twenty Eighth and Ninth Anniversaries - In loving memory of Richard and Catherine, late of Cushcam who died on 11 December and 10 January.

Memories of a lifetime, Are wrapped up in our hearts, Many things of long ago,

We treasure with all our

Although we sadly miss you, We know you are not alone, For you are watching over us, From a place you now call

(Always loved and remembered by your loving families at home and abroad).

Fouteenth POWER Anniversary - In loving memory of Michael Power, 10 Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on January 20, 1992.

We think of you always, We talk about you still, You haven't been forgot-

You know you never will. A laugh, a chat a joke or

Is how we will always remember you.

(Always remembered by your sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law and grandchildren and great grandchildren).



POWER Fourteenth Anniversary - In loving memory of Michael Power, 10, Congress Villas, Dungarvan who died on January 20, 1992. Masses offered.

Some day I hope we'll meet again, Michael, Where sorrow is unknown,

Some day I hope to hold your hand, Before God's heavenly

throne No more the secret tears of

grief, No more the longing sigh, I will see again the face

loved. So much in days gone by. I smile behind my heartaches, As you would want me to, And when I shed a lonely

tear. No one sees but you. I often pause in my daily

work. And by my side you'd be, A million memories bring you

back. To stay a while with me. But among my tears and

heartaches. There is one thing that makes me glad,

That you choose me to share with you,

The wonderful years we had. (Sadly missed by your wife,



TOBIN — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of James Tobin, late of Monafehadee and Fernville, Lismore, who died on January 22, 2000.

Another year has passed, So many things are new, But no matter how life changes,

We will never forget you. (Always remembered by his loving family).

.WADE — Cherished memories of Marion Wade, late of Hillview Drive, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Mar, we talk about you often, We think about you still, You haven't been forgotten,

You know you never will. (Sadly missed by auntie Met and



WADE - Fourth Anniversary - Cherished memories of a dear wife Marian, late of 9 Hillview Drive, Dungarvan, who died on January 18, 2002. Masses offered.

Memories are something special.

That no one can steal, Death is a heartache, No one can heal.

Time slips by, life goes on, But from our heart you are never gone.

(Never forgotten by her loving husband Edmond).

WADE - Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of Marion Wade, 9 Hillview Drive, Dungarvan who died on January 18, 2002.

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. (Always remembered by Mam).

WADE - Fourth Anniversary -

In loving memory of Marian Wade, 9 Hillview Drive, Dungarvan who died on January 18, 2002

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

Never selfish, always kind, These are the memories you

(Always remembered by Kieran, Esther and family).

WADE — Fourth Anniversary -In loving memory of Marian Wade, 9 Hillview Drive, Dungarvan who died on January 18, 2002.

Never more than a thought away,

Loved and remembered every

Will those who think of Mar today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered Johnny, Eileen and family).

WADE — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Monica Wade (née Teeling), late of Main St., Cappoquin whose anniversary occurs on 19 January.

We hold you close within our

And there you shall remain, To walk with us throughout our lives.

Until we meet again. (Sadly missed by her husband Vincent, son Dan, daughter Phaedra, John and grandson

The Wade family would like to thank their relations and friends most sincerely for the kindness shown to them over the last year. It will never be forgotten

WHELAN - First Anniversary -In loving memory of our dear Mam Lena Whelan, late of Ballymarket, Dungarvan who died on 25th January 2005. R.I.P. Lonely is the home without

Things to us are not the same, We miss you mother and always will.

She was a mother so very rare, Content in her home and always there.

Will those who think of her today.

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Lovingly remembered by your daughter Bernadette, son Tom, son-in-law James and granddaughters Elaine and Jennifer).



WALSH - Sixteenth Anniversary - In loving memory of Margaret (Maggie) Walsh, late of Ballycullane, Dungar-van who died on 17th January 1990. Anniversary Mass on Sunday, January 29, at 11 am in the Friary Church.

It isn't what we write, Or even what we say. It's how we feel inside, As we think of you today. You always had a smile to

share. A laugh, a joke, a time to care, No longer in our lives to

share. But in our hearts you are

always there, A wonderful person warm and true.

These are the memories we (Always remembered by Billy,

Ann, Killian, Ian and Emmet).



DALY - Fifth Anniversary -In loving memory of our dear father, Johnny Daly, late of Byrneville, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on Wednesday, January 16.

We were proud to be your children,

We thought the world of you, To us you were someone special.

You know we always loved you.

If we could visit heaven, On this our saddest day, Maybe for a moment, The pain would go away. We would put our arms

around you, And say these words so true, Our life has been so empty, Since the day we lost you. (Always remembered never

forgotten by your loving family at home and abroad.)

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

LATE THOMAS HOGAN

GORTEEN, DUNGARVAN

The family of the late Thomas Hogan wish to thank most sincerely all who sympathised with them on their sad bereavement, all who attended the funeral and burial. Those who sent Mass cards and letters of sympathy, those who travelled long distances. We would like to thank Fr. Ahearn P.P., Fr. O'Mahoney P.P., Fr. O'Riordan, Dr. Daly, the staff of Waterford Regional Hospital and thanking all the staff in the district hospital, Dungarvan for all the care and kindness shown to Dad. Thanks to our relatives, neighbours, Marine Bar and friends for their kindness and support. Thanks to all who contributed to the ceremony, gravediggers and Tom Drohan Funeral Directors.

As a token of our appreciation the holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

LATE LENA WHELAN **BALLYMARKET, DUNGARVAN**

The family of the late Lena Whelan would like to express their sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their sad loss. We would like to thank our relatives, neighbours and many friends who expressed their kindness and generosity. To those who called to the house and those who attended the Rosary, removal, funeral Mass and burial, sent Mass cards, sympathy cards and floral tributes. Sincere thanks to Fr. Doherty P.P., Fr. Geoghegan C.C. and Fr. Cooney O.S.A. Thank you to Sacristan Maureen O'Donnell, altar servers, Soloist Dina Walsh and gravedigger Jim Ryan. Special thanks to Tom and Sean Drohan Funeral Directors for their kindness and professionalism. Thanks to the District Nurses Siobhan, Ann and Kitty and to the Hospice Nurses Carol and Barbara and to her carer Eileen. Sincere thanks to the staff at Mary Street Medical Centre especially Dr. Nyhan for his help and kindness during her illness and for his great attention in the two weeks prior to Lena's death. Special thanks to Mossie Walsh and his colleagues in the Garda Siochana who assisted in traffic management at Cuscham Cross. Thanks to Bridgie Terries for their help and kindness.

As it would be impossible to thank everyone individually, we hope that this acknowledgement will be accepted by all in grateful appreciation. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for

Mass for Lena's first anniversary will be offered in Garranbane Church on Sunday, 22nd January at 11am.

LATE JOHN MORRISSEY

9, MARIAN TCE, BALLYDUFF AND KILCALF, TALLOW

The wife and family of the late John Morrissey would like to express their sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them in their recent sad loss. Heartfelt thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbours for their comfort and support through John's illness and after his death. Our sincere thanks in a very special way to the doctors and nursing staff of the Mercy Hospital, Cork for their outstanding dedication and care for John during his two year stay and also to the staff of Waterford Regional Hospital and Dungarvan Hospital for their care for John during his illness. Our sincere thanks and heartfelt appreciation to all who provided Mary and family with transport to both Cork and Waterford hospitals enabling them to spend time with John. To all who sent get well Mass tributes your words of comfort and generosity will stay forever in our hearts. To everyone who called to the house, attended Rosary, removal, Mass and burial and for the many floral tributes and Mass cards, sincere thanks to you all. Sincere thanks to Fr. Culhane, Nelly O'Donovan, alter servers, choir and to all who took part in the Mass to make it so beautiful. To Ryan's Funeral Directors for their attention to every detail and our special thanks is extended to the grave diggers. To Ballyduff Community Council for providing refreshments in the Hall, a special thanks to you all.

As it would be impossible to thank you all individually, please accept this acknowledgement as a token of our heartfelt appreciation. Your kindness and generosity will stay forever in our hearts and the Holy Sacrifice of Mass will be offered for all of your

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NOVENAS

NOVENA TO SACRED HEART

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

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NOVENA TO ST. MARTHA -(never known to fail) - O St. Martha, I resort to thee and to thy petition and faith. I offer up to thee this light which I shall burn every Tuesday for nine Tuesdays. Comfort me in all my difficulties through the great favour thou didst enjoy when Our Saviour lodged in thy house. Intercede for my family that we may always be provided for in all our necessities. I ask thee, St. Martha, to overcome the dragon which thou didst cast at thy feet One Our Father and three Hail Marys and a lighted candle every Tuesday and the above prayer made known with the intentions of spreading devotion to St. Martha. This miraculous saint grants everything before the Tuesdays are ended, no matter how difficult. Also thanks to St.

NOVENA TO SACRED HEART

Jude and St. Martin for favours

received. - M. M.

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MONTHS MIND MASS

LATE PATRICK (PAT) MURPHY The Months Mind Mass for the late Patrick (Pat) Murphy, Knockaun House, Cappagh will take place on Saturday, 21st January at 7.30 pm in Ballinameela Church.

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DUNGARVAN TOWN COUNCIL

Planning and Development Act 2000 Planning and Development Regulations 2001

NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT BY A LOCAL AUTHORITY.

In accordance with Article 81 of the above Regulations, Dungarvan Town Council hereby gives notice of its intention to refurbish Walton Park, The Causeway, Dungaryan,

The development will comprise of the following

The removal of existing boundary fencing and hedging. Revised pedestrian links.

New lighting, seating, pond and landscaping.

Plans and particulars of the proposed development will be available for inspection at the Dungarvan Town Council offices, Civic Offices, Davitts Quay, Dungarvan, during normal office hours until the 17th, February, 2006. Submissions or observations with respect to the proposed development. dealing with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area in which the development will be situated may be made in writing to the Town Clerk, Dungarvan Town Council, Civic Offices, Davitts Quay, Dungarvan on or before the 8th, March, 2006.

Joe O'Flaherty, Town Clerk. 18th, January, 2006.

MODELIGO NEWS

CUAIRTEOIR

Amongst those visiting their native parish over the festive season was Aidan Cliffe, formerly of Carrowgariffe, and currently residing in Queensland, Australia. Aidan, who emigrated 'down under' with his parents Kevin and Fidelma, sister Kerrie and Megan, and brother Kealan in May 2003, spent Christmas with his grandparents, Billy and Hannah Nugent, Chapel Road. He met up with his many relations and good friends from Modeligo N.S. and Dungarvan C.B.S. during his visit home. Now he is looking forward to celebrating his 21st birthday next month.

CONDOLENCES

Sincerest sympathies are offered to the Cashman family Knocknacrooha on the untimely death of Claire's brother, Jim Ahearne. The late Jim, who fought a long and courageous battle against his ultimately fatal illness, was interred at St. Dominick's Cemetery, Glanworth.

CONGRATULATIONS

Heartiest congratulations from family, neighbours and friends to Mrs. Foley, Graiguemore, who celebrated her eightieth birthday recently. We wish Biddy many more years of health and happiness.

NAOMH BRID

We held our A.G.M. on Friday night last at the Community Centre. We had a reasonable attendance on the night. The Secretary's report referred to the great success attained by the Under 12 footballers in capturing the Western and County titles. There was no great expectations from this group at the beginning of the year, however, hard work and an abundance of a never-say-die spirit meant that the team improved with every game, and ultimately success was well merited.

The Treasurer's comprehensive report showed a reasonably strong bank balance, however affiliation frees and insurance premia were due for payment soon. The Chairman complimented those who had been involved in our three fundraisers, and said that as neither Naomh Brid or St. Patrick's had sufficient stand alone numbers, the 'assist' arrangement will continue with Naomh Brid holding the hurling competitions and St. Pat's the football for 2006.

Finally, club President Sean Whelan conveyed best wishes to mentors and players alike for the upcoming season. All outgoing officers were re-elected and Modeligo's selectorial nominees are:
Under 12's - John Troy; Under 14's - Shane Reddy; Under 16's Nicholas O'Donovan; Minors - Billy McCarthy.
CRANNCHUR

Ni raibh na huimhireacha 7-10-19 in aon ticead, mar sin beidh 1,050 euro sa phota oir. 15euro go dti: Mce. Condon, Nick Troy. Cait Hickey (all Clais Mhor), Jim Kennedy, Piltown and Mce. Earley, Ballylemon

MODELIGO BADMINTON CLUB

On Thursday, 29th December in Ballinameela Hall, we held an Under 15 Juvenile blitz, doubles, mixed and singles competi-The winners and runners up were as follows:

Girls Singles - Winners: Shauna Kiernan (Lismore). Runner

Up: Helen O'Donnell (Lismore). Boys Singles - Winners: Shauna Kiernan (Lismore); Niamh

Prendergast (Lismore). Runners Up: Deirore Fahy (Kilgobnet); Helen O'Donnell (Lismore). Boys Doubles - Winners: Eoin Kearns (Touraneena); Garvin

Dunford (Touraneena). Runners Up: David Cahillane (Modeligo); Patrick Walsh (Modeligo).

Mixed — Winners: Shaun Kiernan (Lismore); Dean Coleman (Lismore). Runners Up: Deirdre Fahey (Kilgobnet); Mark Dunford (Kilgobnet).

The winners received plates and the runners up received

Modeligo had eight participants - David Cahillane, Patrick Walsh, Sean Hennessy, Katie Buckley. Overall it was a very suc-

THANK YOU

We would like to thank Margaret Morrissey and Sheena Wilkinson for all their help on the day and anyone else who helped in anyway.

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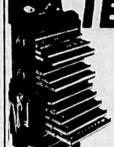
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Public Information Refuse Collection Charges

Delivery of information packs, in connection with new Refuse Collection charges, will commence shortly throughout the county.

Each household will receive an Information Pack giving full details of the new annual charge of €150. The information pack will contain a registration form

for completion and particulars of payment options. Registration of bins, coupled with payment must be made to Waterford County Council, by 28th February, 2006. The Refuse Collection Service will be discontinued to any premises which has not registered and paid by

28th February, 2006. For further information contact Waterford County Council's Environment Section on 058 20894.

TOURANEENA NOTES

Sympathy

Deep sympathy is extended to the bereaved wife Mai, daughters, grandchildren, sister Mary, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends of the late Pam Power, St. Martin's Place, Ballymacar- represented. bry who died unexpectedly last week. May he rest in peace.

A.G.M. The Deise ladies football A.G.M. will be held in Modeligo Community Centre on Fri-

parents and players are asked to **Happy Birthday**

neena who will celebrate her birthday on Saturday next. and Teresa. Hope you all have a

Speedy Recovery

A number of people in the locality are down with the flu at present. We wish them all a speedy recovery

Dinner Dance

The 50th dinner dance of the Waterford Association in London is due to take place in the Irish Centre, Camden town on Saturday, 21st January. His Lordship Bishop William lee and other dignitaries from the city and County will be in at-

NAOMH BRID G.A.A. **CLUB NOTES**

Naomh Brid A.G.M. was held last Friday night in Modeligo. Attendance on the night was small. A lot of players were not

The following officers were elected for the coming year -

Presidents: Sean Whelan and Ned Ryan; Chairman: Dan Fenton; Vice Chairman: James Condon, Boulavounteen; Secreday, 20th at 8pm sharp. All tary: Shane Ready; Asst. Secretary: Seanie Kearns; Treasurer: Brendan Tobin; Asst. Treasurer: Carmel O'Neill; P.R.O.: Maire Congratulations and best Power; Purchasing Officer for wishes to Marie Cliffe, Toura- hurleys and balls: Declan Fitzpatrick; Committee: Royco Ware, Ed Lonergan, Mike Mur-Marie is daughter of Mossie phy, Dec Kiely, Nick O'Donovan, Billy McCarthy, Thomas Keane.

> Dan Fenton thanked everyone for their help all year and those who attended the meeting. There will be three fundraisers this year. A Church gate collection, a family fun evening in Kirwan Park with a superstars competition and a night in Deckies as those were very successful last year. The club wishes all players the best of luck this year in their respective grades and hopefully we will have plenty to celebrate at the end of the year.

MELLERAY

GLENVIEW UTD A.F.C.

week last we went down 2-0 to tors to Glen Park. Glenview were first to score and were Power. playing well within themselves, but they allowed Cappoquin to seemed to lose their way after this. In a poor second half for The final score was 5-2.

B. Murphy, P. Hennessy, K. deared him to all who knew Power, S. Bennett, E. O'Brien, him, as was witnessed by the Donovan, K. Kearney.

CARDS

Coffey. 2nd Eddie Byrne and and to all relatives and friends.

Kathleen Coleman. 3rd John The new year has gotten off Mills and Mick Halley. Raffle; to a poor start. On Sunday 1st Shaun Denn, 2nd Mary Stakem, 3rd Peg Murray. Lucky a strong Clashmore outfit. Last tables; Ger Power, Tom Dug-Sunday Cappoquin were visi-tors to Glen Park. Glenview ningham, John Nugent, Jim

SYMPATHY

It was with a sense of shock score two soft goals and they and disbelief we learned of the sudden death of Liam Crowley. Liam was known to all of us we conceded three more. West Waterford in his capacity as meat salesman. His friendly Team; A. Meagher, E. Byrne, and courteous manner en-J. Broderick, J. Nugent, G. vast crowd who attended his funeral.

Our deepest sympathy is ex-1st Michael Ormonde, Mattie tended to Loretto, Ray, Donna

Ballysaggart

CARDS RESULTS

and Ber Coughlan, Kit Crowley along. and Helen Morrissey, Pa Geoghegan and Pad Walsh. Raffle Dan Howard, Nellie Devine, Tess Hale, Helen Morrissey.

GAA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Ballysaggart GAA club holds Results next week.

its AGM in the Community 12th Jan. Cassie Hyland and Centre at 7.30 pm. So if anyone Esther Walsh. Mick Morrissey feels they have anything to conand Tom Cahill. Dan O'Brien tribute to the club for the comand Mary Whelan. Stephen ing year we would welcome Cunningham and Jackie Houli- them on the night. We appeal han. Lucky tables; Mary Power especially to players to come

LOTTO RESULTS

Numbers drawn on Tuesday 10th were 4-11-23-24. No jackpot winner. 15 euro winners as follows; Siobhan and Eoin Kearney. Amy Ryan, Kayne and Kara, c/o Eily Walsh. Jack-On next Saturday, 21st pot Tuesday, 17th 1175 euro.

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BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

Ballymacarbry Lady Footballers Take Stock

ballers held their annual General meeting of St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry on Sunday, 1st Janu-Rebecca Hallahan, Chairperson presiding. In her address she congratulated the Senior, Minor and Under 12 teams that won Waterford County titles and the team that won the All Ireland Sevens. Secretary Marian Ryan and Treasurer Bridget Grant gave very detailed reports on the clubs affairs during the past year. With all the reports adopted the

ing year took place Chairperson Claire Ryan, Vice Chairperson Rebecaa Hallahan, Treasurer Bridget Grant, Asst. Treasurer Mairead Wall, Secretary Marian Ryan, Asst. Secretary Louise Ryan, P.R.O. Sinead Ryan, Irish Officer Linda Wall, Child Officer Bridget Grant, Membership Officer Rebecca Hallahan, Committee Catherine Ryan, Michelle McGrath, Michelle Ryan, Mary Wall, Eleanor Hickey, Michelle McGrath, Michael Ryan.

The club would welcome new election of officers for the com- members for all its teams.

PEAKS MOUNTAINEERING **CLUB NEWS**

The 2006 walking season got off to a great start on Sunday last with all walks well supported. John Morrissey led the 9:30am early team on a good stiff tour of the high spots in the Comeragh. Starting from Lyre, John worked his way on to Seefin and across to Poll an Sionnach and the Coumtays and up again to the top. After this it was the long walk back to the cars by the stepping stones and a welcome change of clothing. Kieran Culleton led 15 club members on a good stiff walk at 10:30am into the scenic part of the Comeraghs. Starting from the Nire car park, Kieran went straight on to the mountain and headed for Coumdoula Lough, when on top he hung a right and headed for the Gap in poor visibility and snow and straight up Carrignagower and on the Fas Coum. Heading west it was the Spilloge Loughs next and round the top to Coumfea and a nice descent before crossing the Trailer bridge and the cars. Pat Fahey led the 12:30pm walk subbing for Justin. Pat had the largest group of the day with 35 enthusiastic walkers anxious to keep the New Year resolutions. Pat with his assistants Fiona Hegarty and Gerry O'Donnell parked at the Council depot and walked into Monyaha Turf Bog. Keeping to the tracks Pat worked his way to Knocknaree and the road out. Crossing the road it was Glendalough and Lachtrafrankee in high heather with a well satisfied group of club members.

All walks next Sunday, Knockmealdowns, All walks leave on time from Eldon's and are confined to club members for Insurance reasons. Membership costs E50 and includes full mountaineering Council of Ireland Insurance, club membership and quarterly magazine. Application forms are available from the committee.

Freedom Fighter Remembered

Dan Breen, one of the great soldiers of the Irish Nation was remembered last Sunday in his native Donohill, when the Third Tipperary Brigade old I.R.A. commemoration committee held their commemoration ceremonies including Mass for him and his comrades in the parish church in Donohill, and after Mass, wreaths were laid on his grave in the Hill Cemetery, Donohill.

Dan Breen and Sean Tracey became two of the most wanted men in Ireland by the British Forces of occupation in 1919 in the aftermath of the Soloheadbeg ambush of January 21st 1919 and the rescue of Sean Hogan from armed Police men at Knockbeg railway station when conveying him to Cork jail in May of the same year. The fatal shooting of policemen in both armed engagements caused sensational media headlines and activated outraged reaction from politicians and churchmen. Dan Bree able solider of Ireland prepared to sacrifice his life for the freedom of his native county. Time after time with Tracey, he challenged the forces of occupation, both determined to fight to their last breath of life. Their exploits almost 90 years later still when recalled generate an exciting interest among people of all ages. Against the greatest military power the world had known the British Empire, Breen, Tracey and their comrades in South Tipperary began a war in January 1919 at Soloheadbeg that forced the British to agree a military truce and open negotiations that resulted in the establishment of a Free State in Ireland which graduated to a Republic in 1949. Dan Breen, the soldier of his nation went on to play a positive, and progressive role as a politician. He was a man of considerable intelligence who played a tireless role attempting to avoid the tragic Civil war. He recognised the futility of non participation in Free State politics entering the Dail before De Valera and Fianna Fail who followed later. As at Soloheadbeg where Breen led the way and the rest followed him into Dail Eireann, it was another example of Breen having the courage to do the right thing for Ireland while others waited on the sideline.

Dan Breen and the men and women of the Third Tipperary Brigade who were his comrades deserve our eternal gratitude for their immense service to Ireland. It was the 36th Anniversary of **Five Strong Contenders** In F.F. Dail

Race

Five strong contenders have

emerged within the ranks of Fianna Fail to battle it out to see who will succeed Deputy Noel Davern. The five are doing an intensive canvassing campaign following the announcement by Deputy Davern that he intends to retire at the next general election . The five are Deputy Daverns running mate in the last general election Senator Martin Manseragh, the Mayor of Clonmel, Councillor Niall Dennehy, Councillor Siobhan Ambrose, Councillor Mattie McGrath and the Mayor of Carrick-on-Suir Councillor Sylvia Sheehan Cooney. They all have received nominations from Cumainn. Nominations will close next Wednesday, 18th January. There is also the possibility that more people could declare before the deadline. The convention to select two candidates will take place in Cahir on Friday, 27th January. It will take place in Cahir House Hotel at 8pm. Fianna Fail head office has yet to confirm who will chair the convention which will be attended by some 270 delegates. Every Cumann in the constituency is entitled to send three voting delegates to the convention, also entitled to vote will be three delegates sent by each of the five Comhairle Ceanntair, three more voting delegates will attend from the Comhairle Dail Deanntair and three voting delegates selected by Coiste Ogra will also attend the convention. All those with a vote will be pursued for pledges of support by each of the five candidates whto have put their names forward to date.

Graduated With First Class Honours

Congratulations to Marie, daughter of Edward and Ann Morgan, Kilmanahan, Clonmel who recently graduated with a First Class Honours Degree in Physiotherapy from the University of East London.

Fourmilewater Hurling Club 45 Results

1st 9 games: Patrick C. Walsh St. Martin's Place and Dick O'-Donnell, Clogheen; 2nd 8 games 4 pairs: Anna Scanlon, Villierstown and Ber Hallinan, Aughavoulivane, Letia Doran and Mem Murphy, Newcastle, Larry Boyle, Knockmeal and Ned O'-Grady, Renedaunpaun (5), Billy Carroll and Jimmy Quinn, Clonmel. Lucky Tables (2): Eddie and Jane Cooney, Clonmel; Jimmy Keating, Clonmel and Rd. Hackett, Neddans.

Cards each Friday night at 9pm.

LOTTO

Numbers drawn were 11-16-24. No winners, 5 x €30 winners: Eva Power, Boolavounteen, Ballinamult; Mary and Catherine, c/o Doocey's; Tony McCarthy, Ballymacarbry Upper; Walsh Children, St. Martin's Place; Kelly Family, Ballymacarbry.

Jackpot €450 this week.

Late Sister Joseph Curry

Sister Joseph Curry who recently passed to her eternal reward

relatives prayed quietly at her Society in set construction. bedside.

tered the Presentation Convent, with them. Clonmel where she was known as a teacher of Maths, Domestic Church. Economy, Biology, Latin and Reary school. For many years she sympathy. was Principal, Manager and Convent Bursor all of which posts she anam uasal managed with dedication, competence and professionalism.

Always gentle, sincere, generous and kind, she committed herself totally to a life of prayer and union with God. In 1978 she answered God's call to serve Him in Highland, California where the quality of her presence was of untold value in the field of Education, of Pastoral work and of loving service until she returned to Clonmel in 1996. Celebrating the Golden Jubilee of her profession in 1990 surrounded by Sisters, relatives and friends was such a joyous occasion for her. Noted for her fine voice, Sister Joseph often entertained her Sisters, her family and her friends with a lively rendering of "The Banks of My Own Lovely Lee" which was her party piece.

Her funeral, so well attended, was a never-to-be forgotten celebration with the Secondary School pupils forming a guard of honour stretching from the Convent Hall door to the Cemetery on the grounds while the Sisters recited the rosary and sang her favourite hymns. In a tribute to out a word of it.'

grieving community, family and macarbry district. Joseph's family, her brother the nights dancing cost 4d. Neddy, sisters Kitty and Jocie and her many nieces and nephews we extend our sympathy.

Go dtugadh Dia solas na bhflaitheas da h-anam.

Death Of Former Garda

It is with deep and sincere regret we pen the death of Noel Murphy, (Garda) at 60 years of age after a long illness.

ford. After school he spent some Slone he was a master craftsmen. years working in the Talbot Hotel, In later years with the Council he Wexford where he played for the was employed on the Cottage was a highly esteemed member of Sarsfields Football Club, but his building scheme and worked in the community at the Presenta- real passion was hurling. In 1966, much of West Waterford. tion Convent, Clonmel where she he entered the Garda Training had been a dedicated teacher for College in Templemore and after the County Council after a serv graduating he was posted to Car-Referring to her demise, her rick-on-Suir where he served until day evening, he would visit the community colleagues said; at the he retired in 1998. After moving local where he would meet up eventide on the feast of the to Carrick-on-Suir he married his with his friends. He was always Guardian Angels, our beloved childhood sweetheart Agatha welcome in whatever company Sister Joseph winged her way to Thomas and devoted his life to her he found himself. A keen supheaven, peacefully, silently and and his family. He was very in- porter of Gaelic Games, he was a without even a sigh, breathing her volved in the Boy Scouts and was last as the Blessed candle shed its their treasurer for some years, he Dungarvan, Thurles and many light on her while her sisters and was also involved in the Musical

In June 1989 he was given a Bridget Curry, aged 87 years, Civic Reception for his work with Citizens Christmas party he was a native of Rathgormack, the Junior School Wardens at the would always contribute a few Carrick-on-Suir, the eldest of a Presentation Primary School. He songs. His party piece was family of seven children, three of travelled the country with Sister "Peggy Gordon". In life he never whom have predeceased her. She Immaculate and the teams win-sought the limelight but came was greatly loved and appreciated ning the coveted Premier award in forward if the hand of help was by her family, her community and the National Final of the new needed. The district is poorer at by all those students whose lives PMPA P/C National Safety Coun- his passing. she touched. On the 29th August cil. Noel had many hobbies but his 1937, the feast of the Beheading favourite was music. He was a mains were removed to the morof St. John the Baptist, she left member of St. Nicholas Choir for tuary South Tipperary General her native Rathgormack and en- 28 years having sung twice on TV Hospital, Clonmel. On Tuesday

Sister Joseph and where she spent Mary's Cemetery, Carrickbeg after Martin's Place where they lay in a very happy and prayerful life as requiem Mass in St. Nicholas

ligious Education in the second- brother and sisters we extend our ian friend. On Wednesday morn-

Faoi scrath na croise go raibh a

Late Mr. Patrick Power



A wave of sadness extended his place of rest the sun beamed over the entire district on Monday last, 9th January with the news of the sudden death of Mr. Patrick side with Fr. Hallinan in the pres-(Pam) Power, 1, St. Martin's

Place, Ballymacarbry, Clonmel. Deceased, who was born on the spects to a kind and loving per-30th August 1921, was a member son whose memory they will of a well loved and respected long remember. Fourmilewater family. Pam who originally came from The Laurel's, Sister Joseph, the Convent Com- Ballymacarbry, was the youngest ter Ellen and Mary, his many munity said, "We find inspiration son of Patrick and Brigid Power nephews and nieces and his and encouragement in remember- (nee Fraher), now deceased. In the many other relatives we extend ing a dear Sister and a sincere family there was ten children, 6 our sympathy. friend who has gone before us. boys and 4 girls. Pam went to We pray for her as we keep alive school at the now defunct Bennetts bainte amach aige. the bond of unity that joined us Church National School. When his here in our earthly community. schooldays were over he took up castle and Condon's, Clonmel) With grieving hearts who would employment with local farmers for wish that she could stay longer, a time and after some years he obwe realise that in the immortal tained employment with Waterford words of Omar Khyyan, the mov- County Council under overseer Boyce, Redmond Street, Fermoy ing finger writes; and having writ Tommy Cooney, Kilmacomma and Co. Cork which sad event took moves on; nor all your piety, nor for many years he remained with wit shall lure it back to cancel that overseer until he got a transfer at his residence on Sunday, wit shall lure it back to cancel that overseer until he got a transfer at his residence on Sunday, with shall lure it back to cancel that overseer until he got a transfer at his residence on Sunday. half a line or all your tears wash to Ballymacarbry under overseer Matty Ryan where his fellow She will be sadly missed by her workers were from the Bally-

many friends. She will be fondly In his younger days his hobbies remembered by countless stu- were hurling on the Laurel Inch, dents who had the privilege of fishing on the Nire river and snarhaving received valuable guid- ing rabbits. He used to attend the Dungarvan and Ballymacarbry. ance and instruction from her. To local Dance Halls - Newcastle, the surviving members of Sister Goatenbridge and Dooceys, where

In August 1949 he married a Newcastle girl, Mary Duggan, Mollough and became a kind and loving husband and father to their Kilcrumper New Cemetery, where three daughters. In 1965 he received from Waterford County Council, a Labourers Cottage at St. Martin's Place and there he set up a beautiful home. In the Spring of the sympathy. year he would visit Moneaha Bog Noel was son of Tommy and and there he would cut the seasons Lilly Murphy, Corishpark, Wex- fire for the Winter. On the Breast do chuir.

In the mid 80's he retired from ice of many years. On the Sunregular attender at the Mill field. other venues. A regular Mass goer he attended the Vigil Mass at Fourmilewater. At the Senior

On Monday evening his reevening his remains were re-Noel was laid to rest in St. moved to his residence at St repose, where many people from near and far paid a visit to pay To his wife, sons, daughter, their respects to this fine Christing, the feast of St. Theodosins his remains were removed from his residence to St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater where they were blessed and received by Very Rev. Fr. Thomas F. Breen P.P., Fethard assisted by Very Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P. Fourmilewater/Newcastle and Very Rev. Fr. Patrick Hallinan Aughavoulivane, retired Aus tralian Foreign Mission.

On arrival, requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his eternal soul, the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Thomas F. Breen P.P., Fethard assisted by Rev. Fr Edmund Tobin P.P. and Rev. Fr Patrick Hallinan, retired Foreign Missions.

As his remains left the Church. a beautiful rendition of his favourite song "Peggy Gordon" was played. As he was taken to down on a Summer like day. Fr. Breen P.P. officiated at the graveence of a large concourse of mourners paying their final re-

To his wife Mai, daughters Breda, Helen and Christina, sis-

Ta siochain agus suaimhneas

(Undertakers O'Dwyers, New-

Late Mr. Michael Boyce

It is with regret we pen the unexpected death of Mr. Michael member of the 1st Motor Squadron Fitzgerald Barracks. Fermoy, where he was an Army Cook for many years and there he cooked for the 13th Batt F.C.A. at the Summer Camp. He was well known to F.C.A. members from

On Monday evening, his remains were removed from St. Patrick's Community Hospital Chapel, Fermoy. On Tuesday requiem Mass was celebrated at 2:30pm after which his funeral took place to he was laid to rest.

To his wife Johanna, sons. daughters, brothers, sisters and his many relatives we extend our

Maireann an chraobh ar an bhfal ach ni mhaireann an lamh

Blackwater Community School

SUCCESS AT YOUNG SCIENTIST AND TECHNOLOGY EXHIBITION

Five projects had a major impact at The BT Young Scientist and Technology Exhibition which was week. Many weeks and months of various projects with over 15 projects submitted for the exhibition and eventually 9 of these were accepted for the final stages of the competition. In the senior category of the Chemical, Physical and Biological Sciences the school was

Kevin Moroney's project was "Au-

was submitted by Conor Geary and tomated Flood Prevention for David Cahillane and Finan Murray Major Cities". At intermediate presented a project called "The Unlevel projects were submitted by breakable Hurley". While many of Grainne Walsh and Christina the projects caught the eye of the held at the RDS in Dublin last Toomey "Do sight smell and judges it was Finan's project that colour affect your perception of seemed to have caught much of the intense preparation went into the taste?"; Michael Fenton, Ross attention of all in the RDS. With Hannon and Christopher Cashel, the announcement of the awards it "Is yawning contagious?"; Elaine was with great delight that this McCarthy and Carly McLaughlin project received three accolades on "The investigation of the effect of the night; the patent office award, breakfast on blood sugar concentra- second in the junior individual tion and sports performance" and technology category and the dis-Joshua Gregory McCarthy "The play award in the junior individual represented by Seamus Fitzgerald who submitted a project titled ance of a competition horse". Then technology award while Elaine Mc-Carthy and Carly McLaughlin and "Collision with Earth"; in the Tech- in the Junior category a project ti- Grainne Walsh and Christina nology section Eamonn Begley and tled "Bust em Up-statistical analy- Toomey received highly commend-Denis Drislane presented a project sis of the types of tackles and their on "The Best Golf Ball" and effectiveness in a game of soccer" phenomenal achievement by all

students and teachers and they can be very proud of the effort and commitment they gave to all their

SENIOR SCIENCE QUIZ

Well done to our two science quiz teams who participated in the schools science quiz organised by UCC Science Society which was held in the Silversprings last Tues-

> SCHOOLS SENIOR CAMOGIE

Well done to the camogie team who played against Templemore in Newcastle last Thursday in the semin final of the Munster Schools senior Camogie championship. Playing in difficult weather conditions they emerged winners on a



ST. DECLAN'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE NOTES

SCHOOL RE-OPENS

day 9th January after the Christmas ting break. Following a staff Inservice in the morning the 1st and 2nd year Parent/Teacher meeting took place after lunch and there was a huge turnout of parents who took the opportunity of discussing the progress of their children. The next Parent/Teacher meeting will be for 4th and 5th years and will take place on Thursday 16th March

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BEST WISHES

We would like to extend best wishes to three of our teaching staff, Ms. June Hayes, Ms. Ciara O'Hehir and Ms. Brigid Morrissey who are currently out of action. **HOCKEY**

INTERPROVINCIALS

A bus of players are travelling to Kilkenny on Friday evening to support our province South-East in the

U-16 Interprovincials.
BOYS SOCCER

The U-14 boys soccer game v Cashel was postponed for the second time last week much to everyone's disappointment. This game will be played as soon as the weather improves. At U-16 level we have received a home draw in the next round of the Munster Cup Outstanding throughout the field against St. Nessans of Limerick. was Kelly Fitzsimons and Shau-

This game will be played on Thurs- nagh McGrath. St. Declan's re-opened last Mon- day 19th January, weather permit-

> SOUTH EAST HOCKEY LEAGUE 1st Years - St. Declan's 4 Abbey C.C. 0

A very one sided game with outstanding performances throughout the field. Player of the match was right winger Claire Nolan whose speed, skill and superb goals left everyone just standing!! Marianne Devereux played the powerhouse in midfield distributing the ball effectively with Kelly Fitzsimons scoring a fine goal from a short corner.

Panel: S. Scurry, S. Kiely, K. Fitzsimons, C. Keegan, O. Mooney, M. Devereux, C. Morrissey, S. McGrath, E. Galvin, K. Harris, C. Nolan, C. Dee, A. Dee, S. Condon, E. Kelly, V. Clay, E.

Whelan, R. Ginty, C. Fitzgerald. 1st Years — St. Declan's 0

Kilkenny College 1 Our 1st years were very unlucky to go down to Kilkenny College in the league last Wednesday. A fast game played by two very even teams but Kilkenny succeeded in winning a short corner and scoring.

Seniors - St. Declan's 1 Kilkenny College 0

This was a very important match for both teams involved. With four schools on equal points we needed a victory to take the lead. We certainly focused and succeeded by constant attack at the Kilkenny defence. A great team performance all playing so well. Goal scorer was Kate Hayes.

Panel: D. Mackey, J. Lawlor, A Kirwan, G. Neely, K. Power, L. Power, S. Casey, K. Hayes, C. Downey, C. Halpin, J. Kirwan, A. O'Connell, N. O'Connell, G.

TRANSITION YEAR ACTIVITIES

Our 4th Years enjoyed another golfing event in Tinhalla on Tuesday with the day ending in a mini tournament. In 3rd place was Priscilla Dunne, 2nd place Tomas Casey and the winner was Bill Keane – well done to all.

TRANSITION YEAR

OUTDOOR PURSUITS TRIP

Our three day multi adventure trip takes place in March in Kilfinane. This trip is an outdoor education trip with activities like kayaking, rock-climbing, ab-sailing etc. Deposits are being taken this week. The trip takes place 22nd

SHOW-JUMPING

We have several teams competing this weekend in Ballyrafter in the Inter-schools Show-Jumping Championship. Results to follow next week

JUMP FOR JOY

Sponsorship cards have been distributed to all 1st - 3rd year students to fundraise for "Our Lady's Hospital for Sick Children" in Crumlin. Throughout the past five years we as a school have raised substantial amounts for this worthy cause. This year again we are looking for your support. The children take on a sporting challenge to raise funds for Crumlin.

Whats Cooking At Powersfield House

Eunice Power is sharing her trade secrets and relaxed atmosphere of Powersfield over the coming year. She has recently launched her 2006 Cookery Course brochure for cookery enthusiasts. Eunice said

'I am delighted with my cookery course schedule for the coming year. This year we have a varied programme which includes some new classes, such as the tastes and flavours of Morocco and Italy, along with some seasonal favourites."

All cookery courses at Powersfield House are designed to inspire you with the use of seasonal produce and give helpful hints and tips to produce wonderful results with minimum effort, whether it's for a dinner party or simply day to day cookery. Courses are held on a demonstration basis in the welcoming

House and include lunch or supper and refreshments ... so why not treat yourself to a fun day out and come home motivated and inspired for 2006?!

Eunice, the author of 'Cook with Stanley cookbook' and a regular contributor on TV's, Ireland AM, has spent her entire career in the food and hospitality industry in Ireland, UK and Switzerland. Her first course is a four week course which runs from Wednesday the 25th of January in Powersfield House from 7.30-9.30pm. The cost is 125.00 for four

For further information, please contact Eunice Power on 058 45594 or visit

www.powersfield.com

World Music Thrives in Lismore

World Music gigs different. The musicians are world class, the atmosphere is relaxed and intimate and the performers socialise with the audience before, during and after their performances. It's amazing how often the artists praise the audience and the venues. And that's the reason so many want to come back again to

Lismore. Respect and hospitality. The gigs take place in one of two Lismore venues, Rose's West End bar or Ballyrafter House Hotel. Ballyrafter tends to host the bands and Rose's the singer songwriters. Excitement mounts from about 9.00 pm and the places are buzzing soon afterwards. It's a real privilege to be to the music afterwards. able to listen to good music lo-

A few things make Lismore cally. To be able to have a drink old or middle aged, is made weland relax in comfort at the same come, particularly newcomers. time is a bonus.

> The musicians come from all over the world. Saturday January 21st sees Ballyrafter hosting a Latin band: Manu and his Latino House. Two weeks later, on Saturday February 4th, Rose's will feature the American singer songwriter Peter Mulvey. People come from far and wide to experience the live music. Middleton, Youghal, Dungarvan, Mitchelstown, Cahir, Kilmacthomas and Cork are common points of origin for those attending the music. Many people take the opportunity to eat in one of Lismore's excellent restaurants and come on

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You will have no hassle parking, no problem getting a drink, no aggravation, no stress. Entrance fees are usually between € 10 and €15. Lismore World Music is just what you need on a dark Winter's night to recharge your

This is the fourth year of live World Music in Lismore. The gigs are well supported and widely acclaimed throughout Counties Waterford, Cork and Tipperary. Performing artists have included Chris Smither, Freddie White and Clive Barnes. A Munster success

For details please phone 085 7089490 or visit the website is at

St. Augustine's **College News**

MUNSTER ATHLETICS

Congratulations to Munster Indoor Athletic Champions, Mark Bannon & Siobhan Brackett winners of the gold medal in the pole vault discipline. Mark beat his own Munster record. Not forgetting Bro. Patrick Lennon, coach

CHRISTMAS SWIM

Well done to all who braved the waves of Clonea Strand in the annual Christmas Day swim.

RACQUETBALL SUCCESS IN MEXICO

Congratulation to Julie Skeehan (past pupil) who travelled to Juarez, Mexico recently as part of the Racquetball Team representing Ireland in the world racquetball championships. Julie won silver in the mixed doubles, gold division, under 18+

Julie also came third in the individual European championships that took place in Germany last July

PRE-JUNIOR CERT. EXAMS.

Good luck to all our Junior Cert. students who will sit their pre-junior cert exams beginning on February 2nd. We hope you are all ser for the challenge.

A special word of thanks to our pre-exam co-ordinator, Ms. Shiovaun O'Sullivan for her Trojan word in this area.

"THE FIELD"

A group of second year students and their teachers visited the Old Parish hall to attend the performance of John B. Keane's play "The Field" on Sunday Jan. 15th

The play was well up to the standards set over the years by Aisteoiri an Seana Phobail, the pupils really enjoyed it. Some of the cast came to meet them after the performance including several former and present Friary pupils. Declan Terry (director) gave a towering performance as the Bull McCabe. All in all it was a memorable evening.

HARTY CUP

Best of luck to our school's representatives on the Colaiste na Deise team. Next week the team faces St. Flannans in a quarter final match. Brian Phelan, David Phelan (St.Olivers), David Hennessy (Ardmore) Nicholas Drohan (Stradbally), Shane Fives (Cappoquin), Stephen Enright, John Gorman, James O'Mahoney and Brendan Walsh (Abbey-

Ard Scoil na nDeise ance, with superb acting and a truly before Christmas for a sponsored ing charity

Gemma Cliffe travelled to Mexico in the pre Chritmas period to represent Ireland in the Racquet Ball Minor World Championship, won successfully the under thirteen doubles competition where she was awarded the siver medal and the under thirteen singles competition where she was awarded the bronze medal. Well done Gemma!!!

MACBETH

On Thursday, January 12th, Fifth year students, accompanied by English teachers, Mrs Simmons, Mrs Power and Mrs Lucey travelled to the Theatre Royal in Waterford to see Second Production of Macheth.

This was an excellent perform-

wonderful stage set which impressed everyone! To quote one student, this was a passionateperformance which vividly evoked the bloody, evil atmosphere of a Scotland, torn by murder and civil strife. The stage, business, with the witches, and especially the agile Hecate, was very dramatic and effective. All agreed that this visit, to the Theatre Royal, had not only been and exciting theatrical experience, but a great help to their understanding of the play.

LIONS CLUB CHRISTMAS

HAMPER APPEAL

Congradulations to Mrs O'Donavans and her heroic band of swimer

swim in aid of the Lions club appeal. They raised €1500, so well done and thank you to Mrs O'Donavans, all the swimmers, their sponsors and 5th years and T.Y. students who counted the laps.

READATHON

first and second years excelled in their sponsored reading speer for Readathon. They raised a staggering €1146 for M.S. research, with some individuals collecting over €100

Thank you to all the sponsors and of course the students who participated in this very enjoyable excercise which promotes reading while who took to Clonea leisure centre collecting funds for a very deserv- show.

BABES IN THE WOOD

Over 130 pupils and teachers attended the Christmas Panto "Babes in the Wood" in the Cork Opera House during the Christmas Holidays. With wonderful sets, great Once again our young students of musical numbers and great comedy everybody agreed that it was one of the best pantos they had seen. Some of the musical numbers featured in "Babes" were also featured in our own panto "Cinderella" so we were all able to sing along in

> As always we were given special mention by the dame "Mark O Shaughnessy" at the end of the



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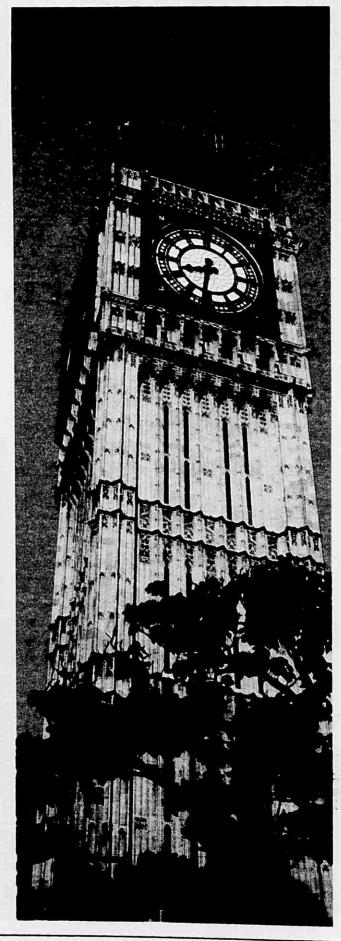
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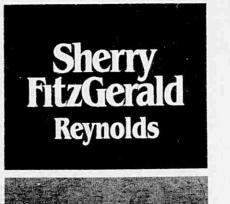


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West Waterford Notes





Ladies bowling champion Andrea Cunningham is presented with the trophy by Paddy Hurton



Paddy Hurton presents Patrick Murphy with his trophy

Bowling

When road bowling in Ireland is referred to we are automatically taken to the home of the sport players has to cover the course on the east side of Cork across of shots. Bowling is an inexpenthe Blackwater, in West Water- sive sport, which appeals to both ford, it is equally as strong and young and old. It provides health progressive. This is in no small exercise and allows all the family way due to the foresight and members to compete. sheer hard work of one Clashmore man Paddy Hurton Jnr. whose great love for the sport and the desire to honour his late father Paddy Hurton Snr., Clashmore Road Bowling champion in 1957, along the decline of the game around the country meaning the permanent closure of old bowling roads inspired him to revive the Clashmore Road Bowling Championship two years ago.

When It All Began Road Bowling in Ireland dates back to the 1600's and was played competitively throughout the Country since then with each area having their own set of rules. Then during the mid 1950's Bol Cumann Na hEireann was formed and a structured set of rules were laid down for all

the country. The present game is played with a 28oz cast iron bowl on selected roads and each Cork. Well let us tell you here with the bowl in the least amount

The Prizes

This years prizes were the Paty Hurton Senior Cup, won in 1957 by the late Paty Hurton in a brilliant final against fellow Clashmore man Johnny O'Rourke, and very kindly donated by the Hurton family. Each of the winners was presented with beautiful pieces of hand crafted crystal while trophies were presented to each runner up.

The 2005 Championship began in August and in the weeks that followed we had some fantastic scores in which saw some of the strong favourites knocked out by previously unknown throwers who are now mushrooming up in West Waterford.

The Grand Final

Saturday, December 3rd 2005

was the grande final day in Clashmore and not an O'Rourke These would have featured strongly among the finalists in the past. In this just the second Paty Hurton Memorial Championship' we have seen a whole new generation of throwers emerge and right from the beginning we know this was going to be a very close final.

History In The Making

The first score of the day, here we had history in the making, for the first time ever in Clashmore Two very promising young throwers took up the challenge. From P.J. O'Connell's down to the finish at Clashmore school the winning honours went to the more senior of the two players, Donal O'Connor Jnr with James Murray Inr taking the runner up prize. No doubt we will be hearing a lot more from these budding young players in the future.

Patrick Becomes King Of

The Road

Next up for the second score were Mark Carey, Donal Connors and Patrick Murphy. This was a three hand final score. Starting at the 30 mile limit up hill, this score started very well with all three levels at Flavin's turn. However heading up the straight, Patrick Murphy proved to be too strong for Mark and Donal. From Ballinaclash Cross it was a tense two hand final, for second and third placing between James and Mark. Both players fought hard, shot for shot they were level at Maurice Foley's Cross heading for the level at the Buttnafoley Mark edged ahead to take the lead and maintained it to the finish line with James Oliver Murray in very close third while the 2005 King Of The Road honour went to Patrick Murphy.

The Ladies Final

The third and final score of the day saw Angela McCarthy take on what was expected to be a tough opponent in Andrea Cunningham. This was a down hill score from Buttnafoley, and what a great score to finish this years championship on throw for throw. Angela played very well pecially welcome to keep up with Andrea, a talented young under 14 football player and a winner of Western and County medals with her club Clashmore/Kinsalebeg this year. were even and the rest is history. and friends. The 2005 Queen of the Road title went to one of the most promisningham.

Prize Presentation Night

An excellent days bowling came to a conclusion later that evening back at the Decies bar, when King and Queen of the Paty Hurton Memorial Road Bowling Championship were presented with silver and glassware. The 2005 Clashmore Road Bowling champion Patrick Murphy, was presented with the Paty Hurton Memorial cup by John Hurton Snr. Patrick and Andrea were both presented with a crystal bowl by Paddy Hurton. Prizes were also presented to Mark Carey, James Oliver Murray, Angela McCarthy, Donal O'Connor Inr and James Murray Jnr. A great nights celebration was had

A Thank You Note From Paddy

"I want to thank all those who took part in making the tournaor Hurton among the names. ment a great success for the second year. I would like to thank the sponsors and look forward to 2006. Hope we can do it all over again". — Yours in sport, Paddy Hurton

CLASHMORE/ KINSALEBEG JUVENILE G.A.A. A.G.M.

Attention all parents and members, here's an important note for your diary, the 2006 Annual General Meeting of Clashmore/Kinsalebeg G.A.A. club takes place we had an Under 14 boys final. on Thursday night, January 26th in Kinsalebeg Hall at 8pm

LINES FROM PILTOWN SCHOOL **December Non Stop Draw**

Congratulations to each of the following who were our winners

in the December draw 1st: Helen Collins (Promoter: Christine Collins); 2nd: Mary Smiddy (Promoter: Ryan O'Sullivan); 3rd: Clodagh Whelan (Promoter: Clodagh Whelan); 4th: Sharon Mullins (Promoter: Finnian Mullins).

The following are the winners of our children's Christmas selection box prizes: Christine Collins, Finnian Mullins, Cian

Kinsalebeg Parents Association wishes to thank all our supporters and our wonderful team of promoters. A happy and lucky new year to all of you.

Birthday Greetings

Family and friends join in extending birthday greetings to a wonderful Aglish lady Nellie Morrissey who celebrated her birthday last week. Every good wish and a very happy birthday to you Nellie from all your family and friends.

Clashmore Fianna Fail Cumann Members and friends of Clashmore Fianna Fail Cumann are reminded of the Cumann's Annual General Meeting which takes place on this Friday night, January 20th at Beresford's The Rising Sun starting at 9pm. Among the attendance on the night we hope to have some of our public representatives. All are welcome to attend. New members are es-

Birthday Greetings Tom

A very happy 94th birthday to Clashmore's Tom Colfer who celebrated his birthday during the past week. Birthday greetings to At Ballinaclash Cross the scores you Tom from all your family

Clashmore 45 Drive

The Allen brothers were back ing prospects of the future in on winning form on Monday Bowling - Andrea Cun- with the very lucky Tomas and his brother Seamus winning eight games to take the top prize in this weeks 45 drive.

In joint second on seven games each were Nell Foley and Jimmy Roche, Mary Dower and Jack Douris, Mike Hunt and Pat Roche. We had lots of prize winners in our best of the last five, Tom Osbourne and Paddy Hurton, Michael and Mairead Fahey, Stephen Cunningham and Johnny Prendergast. Lucky last game winners were Bernard Moloney and Billy Allen, Kathleen Osbourne and Eileen Dower, Thomas Power and Liam Curran. Well done all. Cards again next Monday night with a 9pm sharp

The Halfway Bar Winner
At Killeagh

There were no 'stops or pints'

for the Halfway Bar as he gal- beg G.A.A. club lotto numbers, Hearted Clown in last Sunday's Tattersalls 5 year old Geldings Point on Sunday last, owned and trained by Garrett Ducey. The Halfway Bar joints a long list of winners owned and trained by his popular West Waterford trainer over the years. The Halfway Bar was successful too for Garretts' loyal following of local punters who know he is always good for a winner.

Congratulations Garrett on this well deserved success.

CLASHMORE RAMBLERS NEWS Clashmore Ramblers 3 Affane 2

sweetest match of the season, Clashmore Ramblers 3-2 victory over Affane sees us relegated back to Grade B Division next year, well done lads.

Our success on Sunday also keeps us up there on the league table. Affane opened the scoring in the first half and John Murphy equalised giving us 1-1 at the halftime whistle. A fine score from Sean Fleming again by Affane. A corner kick in the final minutes of the game gave Clashmore the opportunity to pull ahead and they were leaving nothing to chance, with all eleven players in the box. Pa O'Rourke header into the net gave Clashmore the result they needed and it was Clashmore 3 Affane 2 at the final whistle. Well done Ramblers.

Team for Ramblers: Pa O'Rourke, Shane Dalton, Paul Carey, Sean Fleming, Brian O'Neill, Stephen Kenneally, Emmett Kelly, Pierce Coonan, Declan Gleeson, John Murphy, Roger Ryan. Subs Edmond Og Ledingham for Emmet Kelly.

The Lotto Jackpot

€1,650 10-13-16-21 were last Monday's nights Clashmore/Kinsale-

loped through the finish six as we had no match four ticket lengths ahead of The Broken entry. Next week we have a jackpot of €1,650 to be won when our draw takes place at O'Don-Maiden race at Killeagh Point to nell's, Clashmore. Congratulations to each of the following who were winners of €15 each: Pat Dalton, Piltown; Anne French, Grange; Michelle Walsh, Modeligo; Teresa O'Halloran, Clashmore; Sean Coughlan. Aglish. Well done all, get your tickets

in if you want to be in with a chance to win next weeks jack-

> CLASHMORE/ KINSALEBEG G.A.A. CLUB A.G.M.

The Annual General Meeting of the Clashmore/Kinsalebeg In what has to be our bet and G.A.A. Senior club took place on Friday night last in the Heritage Centre, Clashmore. The following officers were all re-elected for the 2006 season:

Presidents: Fr. O'Gorman, Eamonn Lombard, David Foley and Jim McGrath; Chairperson: Pat O'Halloran; Vice-Chairperson: Declan Hickey: Secretary: Noel Nugent; Assistant Secretary: Pat Collins; Treasurer: Tom Dee; P.R.O.: Kieran Connery; Committee: Michael O'Neill, Tim O'Keeffe, Liam Curran and Tony

Late James Daly

Our deepest and heartfelt sympathy, Rhincrew on the death of their father James Daly, who died unexpectedly on Wednesday last, January 11th. Predeceased by his wife Nellie some years ago, Jim is survived by his sons Pat, Tom, Willie and Jim, daughters Helen and Mary, sister Cathy and a wide circle of relatives and friends to whom we tender our deepest sympathy.

Reposing at Egan's Funeral Home, Youghal his removal took place to Glendine Church on Friday evening. Following Requiem Mass on Saturday, Jim was laid to rest in Piltown Cemetery.

May he rest in peace.

KILROSSANTY **NOTES**

Hall

Unwanted C.D.'s, D.V.D.'s, video games or computer games collection will take place this Friday, 20th from 6pm to 9pm and Saturday from 10am to 4pm. This is in preparation for an upcoming sale to raise Hall funds. Collection will take place in the Hall.

O'Riordan or Breda Crotty for the I.C.A. Annual Dinner in the Park Power, P.J. Houlihan, Harry Hotel on 1st Feb. Fee is E20. Non Quinn. members very welcome.

Lourdes

as an invalid to Lourdes may ob- connections with the Race Night tain an application form from which will take place in May. Anna Kirwan on 051-291121. Closing date for receipt is Tuesday, 21st February.

Thai Chi

Thai Chi classes will start in Crotty's Inn on Wednesday, 25th January commencing at 7:30pm. Fianna Fail

Kilrossanty Cumann Fianna Fail

will hold a function in Crotty's Inn on Friday, 3rd February. Special guest on the night will be Mary Coughlan, Minister of Agriculture. More details next week. KILROSSANTY G.A.A.

NOTES **Underage Selectors**

Under 8 and 10 Football and Hurling - Ruari De Paor, Roger from next week to the promoters. Power, Gerry Power, Brendan The first draw will take place on Tobin, Jay Kirwan, Kevin Loner- March, 31st. Details next week.

gan and Pat Whyte.

Under 11 and 12 Football and Hurling - Ruairi De Paor, Brendan Tobin, Kevin Lonergan, Noel P. Walsh, Pat Whyte.

Under 14 Hurling and Football Selectors: Pierce Whyte, Killian Corkery, Jay Kirwan, Pat Whyte, Donal Purcell, Pat Cunningham.

U-16 Football - Harry Quinn, Names to Kathy Murphy, Liz Pat Whyte, Pierce Whyte, Jay Kirwan. U-16 Hurling - John

Meeting

Meeting this Wednesday night ubhouse at 8:30pm in

Clotto

No winner in the weekly Clotto held last Sunday night in Micilins. Numbers were 3-9-26-27. E25 each to the following: Colin Dee and Gerry Crotty, c/o Micilins; Jimmy Doocey, Kilminion; Michael Walsh, Ballintlea; Lynda and Richard Walsh, Furraleigh.

Sellers prizes went to Nicky Power, Ballyshunnock and Jimmy Doocey, Kilminion. Jackpot is E6,600 next Sunday night in Crotty's Inn.

Draw

Deise draw will be launched this Friday night in Lawlor's Hotel. Tickets will be available

Lismore Notes

BLACKWATER LADIES CLUB

Report on meeting held on from now on with her floral ex- beautiful hand-made decora- as the year ahead is going to be Thursday, December 15th at the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore.

This last club meeting of 2005 was a most enjoyable and varied one. Although Kay Murphy protested that she had never, ever worked on a presentation to a group before, she like clockwork. Everyone one of these treasured and crehad a natural, effortless way of should have such an assistant! persuading us that we too, could produce lovely decoraand winter foliage.

She didn't fool us though. Beall golden folds, under an arching tree of greenery. Everyone prize. I have the feelings that teprise.

FTY EUROS

LISMORE HARRIERS HUNT CLUB

age her to accept further invita- tempting and her tree decorations to demonstrate her skills. We must thank Mary Kelly too, who came with Kay and

tive arrangements with candles to ice two cakes. Not an easy the evening as much as we did. challenge. Gemma chatted to us quite happily while explaining hind all that ease and simplicity the techniques she was using, at the Shamrock Inn, Knockwas a lifetime of practice and it turning royal icing into Santas anore on Thursday January did make her wreaths and bou- and snowscenes. The cake she 26th, the last Thursday of the quets perfect. The highlight of donated to our raffle was beau-month. The main meeting will her demonstration came in the tifully strewn with flowers and start at 8 pm, a little earlier than today. So her topic for the form of a gilded nativity scene, must have taken her hours to usual and be preceded by a evening is: Style, finding your perfect. Her creations really are short AGM at 7.45 pm. 'Iced Gems'. We thank her present would have liked to most sincerely for her hard past year and future plans. Fees take that home, but the first work and enthusiasm at wish for the coming year's member- pany for a great evening. winner of the raffle took the her well in her business en- ship 20 euro, fee for individual

LISMORE HARRIERS

HUNT CLUB NOTES

The Lismore Harriers Hunt for the good will and co-opera- Senior Citizens and Ballysag- casion the hunt also made a

Club wish to thank all who sup- tion of all the landowners this gart Senior Citizens. The pres- presentation to the club's first

ported its annual Charity/Fun- event could not take place. On entation took place at the huntsman and first fieldmaster

Ride held on Sunday 2nd. this occasion the Hunt Club Hunt's Kennels on the opening namely Jim Sheehan and Jack

October 2005. It was a very were delighted to be able to do-meet of the season. The 2005- Houlihan. Jim and Jack are also

successful day for the club and nate from the proceeds a 2006 season is also the 35th. two of the club's founding

everybody who took part really cheque for 750 Euro each to Anniversary of the founding of members. Jim continued to be enjoyed themselves. Again but two local charities - Lismore the club and to honour this oc- huntsman for 21 seasons.

pertise. I hope she enjoyed her tions and cards for sale on her a very busy one. We need all time with us enough to encour- craft stall. Everything was very the support we can get!. tions sold like hot cakes. It is find original designs made by helped to make the evening run talented local people and Ber is ative few. We hope she will Gemma Keane was our next continue to bring her work to invited guest, whose task it was our club and that she enjoyed

Now to 2006 Our first meeting will be held

AGM - Looking over the with confidence.

Kay may be in great demand Ber O'Farrell brought along Please try to attend the AGM Thursday, January 26th.

At 8 pm we are delighted to have been able to book a fursuch a pleasure to be able to ther visit from Marie Plante, the image consultant who persuaded several of us to rethink the colours in our wardrobe, over a

> This time, Marie will be helping us to identify the styles that really suit us. We all know women with style and would like to learn the secrets of finding a style that really suits us and our life-style while also taking account of fashions signature, look and wearing it

We look forward to your com-

See you at 7.45 at the Shammeetings; non-members 4 euro. rock Inn, Knockanore on

LISMORE **MOCHUDA LOTTO**

Winners

The winners of the Cristmas hampers for 2005 were: Sharon Warren, Monamon, Lismore; Pat Ryan, Owbeg, Lismore; Beth Heneghan, Main street, Lismore. Congratulations to the winners and a very sincere thank you to everybody who purchased tickets. Also a thank you to all outlets who displayed the cards and sold tickets, your help is greatly appreciated.

As in every year the proceeds of the Christmas hampers in 2005 was in aid of the Christmas lights in the town.

The cost of putting these lights up is increasing every year and came to aprox. €3000.00 in 2005. This includes erecting the lights, connection to ESB and electricity costs, Insurance premiums and replacement of broken parts such as bulbs etc.

Thank you all for your support in 2005 and wishing all of you very prosperous 2006.

Lismore Mochuda Lotto Draw Date: January 10th

Super Jackpot Draw € 9700.00. MQUZ. No winner. Bonus Jackpot Draw € 150.00.BHLO. No winner.

Consolation Prizes €15.00 each to: Sinead Motherway, Deerpark, Lismore; Paddy Nugent, Glencair rd., Lismore; Mary Bransfield, East Street, Lismore; Niall O'Flynn, Castle Lodge Lismore, Next Draw January 17th, 2006. Eamons Place, Super Jackpot €9850.00.

LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

Results

Mon. 9th to Sun. 15th 12 Hole Stableford Competition and Dermot O'Leary sponsored Spring League Round 1. 1st Tom O'Donovan (17) 30 pts. 2nd John Whelan (13) 30 pts. 3rd Brian Shanahan (10) 29 pts. L6.

Mon. 16th Jan to Sun. 22nd 12 Hole Stableford Competition and Dermot O'Leary spoonsored Spring League Round 2. Teams and rules posted on notice board. 10 euro entry fee payable before commencement of round 2.

I am back from my travels to a Golf Club that is a hive of action as we contest the first round of our Dermot O'Leary Agri Spring League. We have a great turnout for what is becoming one of our most popular competitions. We have 12 teams of 8 split into 2 groups, the top 2 in each group will contest the semi finals after 5 rounds of the league have been played. After our first round the leaders in section A are Paddy O'Leary's team with 8 points. Sadly Paddy is injured and will have to drop out, Dan Behegan will take over the reins. There was a tie for the next spot but Richie Ormonde juniors team had the best 5th card so they take 6 points to Pat Bennett's 4 points.

Martin O'Driscoll was the man for Paddy's team with 29 points with Bill Ronayne's 28 being the highlight for Richie's team. In section B Pa Morrissey's team are the early pace setters with 8 points with the winner and runner up in the 12 Hole competition being the main men in his team. The winner being Knockanore's Tom O'Donovan (17) with 30 points edging out his team mate local lad John Whelan (13) due to a superior last 6 holes by Tom. Brian Shanahan (10) took the 3rd spot in the competition his 29 points being good enough to clinch it from a handful of players. Bernard Dooley's team take the 6 points in section B the main man being Paudie Prendergast with 29 points. Richie Ormonde senior had a handy 28 points and the Walton brothers also featured in a good team performance. So we got off to a successful start to our league despite the wet course which is standing up well to the recent deluge of rain. I would like to take this opportunity to wish our members a happy new golfing year.

Lismore Ladies Golf Club

Results — Wed. 11th Jan 9 Hole Stableford. 1st Margaret Morrissey (21) 23 1/2 pts. 2nd Sheila O'Leary (28) 19 pts.

Fixtures — Wed. 18 Jan 9 Hole S/F Spring League commencing early February, names in club house before 28th Jan.

Presentation of cheques by Chairman of Lismore Harriers Hunt Club Matt Houlihan to Lismore and Ballysaggart Senior Citizens.

Left to Right - Jack Houlihan, Mary McGrath, AnnPollard, Matt Houlihan - Chairman, Diarmuid Walsh, Pad Fennessy, Mary Fennessy, Christine McHugh, Bridie Murphy, Rose Dowd, Eily Walsh and some members of the hunt shown in the background Sinead Walsh, Christina Toomey, Jonathan Hannon, Annette Cliffe, Bob McCarthy, Richie Rohan, Eithne Walsh, Charlie Trigg, Dave Mangan, Johnny Tobin.

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ARIES Mar 21 to April 20

in little ways. # 1550-920-257

TAURUS April 21 to May 21 A close relationship is nourished In expressing truth, keep in mind

by small and sweet day-to-day that the truth you speak is from gestures. Holding hands while your perspective and based on taking a walk. Slowing down long your experience. When you open become habitual. How can you need to expect that some of what keep the flame burning? Whether you thought true, isn't! In love, you are dating or have grandchil- avoid opting for extremes and try dren, do not stop showing affection to find a balance. Be positive in your outlook. **# 1550-920-258**

GEMINI May 22 to June 21

only see similarities. Both perspec- do it NOW!" # 1550-920-259 moment. tives are valid.

CANCER Jun 22 to July 22

Find out if doubts or suspicions are Despite understandable anxieties grounded in reality. Don't worry or based on past experience, learn to wonder about it. Get answers and risk again. See the world as a recognise your right to ask ques- gigantic, wondrous mystery that enough to give a hug. Gestures yourself to hearing the truth of tions. There is no more bypassing you have to understand. Life is grow naturally from love but others from their perspective, you an honest, frank discussion. an adventure. Say "I want to Concerns may be valid but don't know, feel, touch, taste and leap to conclusions. Someone keeps | understand everything and there emphasising differences where you | isn't time to do it all, so I have to Value every **= 1550-92**0-260



The Buddhists say "We wake up as angels but fall asleep as demons because all day long we shove because we fear or because we forget to consider what is truly essential and what truly matters. your only security. Know that you can count on you and you know a lot! T 1550-920-261

VIRGO Aug 23 to Sept 22

Every time you put our hand out to someone, you run the risk of being slapped. But you also stand the rush for security." We push, we chance of somebody reaching out and touching you in love. It is a chance worth taking with so much at stake. The stakes are high but Security lies in you. YOU are expect luck in love. In work, you may have to make your own luck by creating opportunities. Use your imagination. **1550-920-262**



To strive for intimacy is a risk and may bring pain but the only way you are ever going to see yourself and to grow is in an intimate relationship. Avoid putting up those defence screens and stop using logic as a weapon. Get in touch with feelings. A family member feels forgotten. Make that call and make someone's day. # 1550-920-263

SCORPIO Oct 24 to Nov 21

Remember, romance is not and should not be found only on the big screen. To people who sigh at movies and say "How wonderful but that could never happen in real life" there should be the reply "why not?" It should and it can. Being a Scorpio, you know this! This is a time when you embrace your independence and get all the help you need. # 1550-920-264

SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 to Dec 23

life, providing belief in dreams but are ever ready to give a second close to your heart. A change of pace in your love life will be exhilarating. You are ready for what life mission statement or write a new offers. A cluttered environment one altogether. Align yourself with will dampen your momentum friends who are motivated. toward a goal. Take time to organ- Someone is waiting to see how willise. Recognise the impact company has on you and be selective in your ₽ 1550-920-265 | you want to. connections.

CAPRICORN Dec 24 to Jan 20

A special someone drifts into your In love, you know your bottom line chance. You are more focused on the future. Revise your personal ing you are to offer compromise. This is a test and you can pass if **☎ 1550-920-266** you pick one!

AQUARIUS Jan 21 to Feb 19

past the one in your life who will not forgive. A romantic relationship needs a little spark. Be spontaneous and feel free to break from set schedules. Avoid a tendency to justify all actions to oth- you do that most? Through love. ers. Be yourself. There is no Love yourself and others and shortage of approaches to a problem. The impo tant thing is that ority. Life is short and no-one



PISCES Feb 20 to March 20

You forgive and therefore grow A friend's recommendations may prove useful but at the end of the day, you know what is best for you. The purpose of life is simply to count, to matter, to have it make some difference that you lived at all. How can make your personal life your pri-**≖ 1550-920-267** lives forever.

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Dungarvan Leader - This Week In The Garden

AS LONG as the ground is not frozen or too wet, now is the perfect time to plant bare rooted roses to ensure a fantastic summer show. Roses are very easy to grow, but remember, do not plant them too deeply

Given a bed of well rotted manure or compost, they need little care except for a little rose fertiliser, refreshing the moisture retaining, weed suppressing mulch each year and the occasional trim.

Unfortunately, success in cleaning up the envi-slight scent and is extremely robust. ronment, especially when it comes to CO2 and Bill LeGrice Roses is also releasing Rosa ëGift acid rain, has meant there has been a steep rise in the problem of black spot on garden roses.

It is an easy problem to identify ñ black spots with yellow fringes spread rapidly across plants, causing the leaves to drop off.

The problem, which can affect developing buds and even cause stems to die back, is encouraged by a shortage of potash, as well as warm, wet summer weather.

Because it is difficult to control, always remove and burn fallen leaves and think about spraying with Benelate twice, a week apart, when

leaf buds begin to open. Apart from the threat of black spot, roses need after the opera singer who suffered from canlittle work, except for pruning.

Recent research has shown that you don't have to brave the thorns, pruning roses with great care to an outward facing bud in the spring to achieve a wine glass like shape. In fact, using a hedgetrimmer on your rose bushes will not harm next year's show and it is certainly a lot quicker!

There are plenty of different roses to chose from ñ hybrid tea, floribunda. shrub, climbing, ground cover, patio and border roses ñ so there is no excuse for not growing this wonderful, versatile

New varieties are coming out all the time and include ëThe Sobell Rosei (Lovanotion), a pink floribunda rose which has been named to raise funds for the Sobell House Hospice in Oxford. This rose, introduced by Love4Plants, has a

of Lifei (Horestrel), a vigorous climber with scented salmon/orange blooms and glossy foliage, in celebration of the 10th anniversary of the NHS Organ Donor Register .

If you are seeking scent when looking for a new rose to grow, try the new delicately scented rose ëTouching Livesí (Lovangle), a floribunda rose which has blush yellow, hybrid-tea

This has being launched by Love4Plants to help raise funds for the Action Medical Research charity.

Another new rose aiming to raise funds for charity includes Rosa ëSusan Danieli, named

The rose is a beautiful peachy tone that softens to an apricot blush.

If you are a beginner and would like a reliable new variety look out for the new Rose of the Year 2006 ëChampagne Momenti(Korvanaber).

pale ivory coloured flowers with a delicate apricot centre that fade to a pale pink with age.

It will flower profusely throughout the summer and the dark green, glossy foliage shows good disease resistance.

Another floribunda to look out for is the newly-awarded Novelty Rose 2006 ëHot Chocolateí.

The buds of this unusual variety starts off a rusty orange and develop into a rich velvety-brown.



This is a floribunda variety, producing clusters of Summer colour: Now is the best time to plant roses.

THIS WEEK IN THE GARDEN

Order seeds and seed potatoes

The very first task of January should be to compile a list of all the seeds you will need over the coming months. Get these ordered without delay.

Many seeds cannot be sown after March or

Later on seed companies are inundated with orders and even the biggest suppliers get bogged under

Set potato seeds in shallow trays as soon as they arrive, eyed ends up, and place them in a light, frost-proof room.

Bring shrubs and roses in pots to the areenhouse

Roses well established in pots should be brought into the greenhouse now. Give them a light airy place preferably above ground level not too far from the glass. Water the soil regularly and spray them every morning with a little luke warm

All the roses must be pruned and previous year's growth shortened to within an inch of the older wood.

Prune climbers in the greenhouse

Several permanent climbers commonly grown in the conservatories or sun rooms should have been pruned by now. These include plumbago capenis (Leadwort) and the passion flower. The plumbago is pruned by cutting last year's growth back to

be left unpruned. The passion flower must have all weak shoots removed and last year's growth cut back to around two buds each.

23cm. With young plants, some shoots may

Tallow Notes

BRIDEVIEW UTD A.F.C. NOTES

Two Victories For Utd

While our junior teams had no games on Sunday two of our schoolboy teams had good wins on Saturday last. Our U-16 24. No winner. Match 3 winteam travelled to Watergrasshill and defeated the homeside by 3-1 and go back on top of the league. This team under Noel Barry, Dolores Hartigan, Cor- on-rushing forward before he and Mary Cunningham are having a good season.

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At home on Saturday afternoon our U-12 team ran out winners over neighbours Lismore. Our lotto jackpot was not won last weekend so be sure and get your ticket for this week.

It's been a very busy week off the field this week with schoolboy meetings, WWEC league meetings, Brideview Utd meetings to mention but a few.

Best Wishes

manager Steve Staunton. Stan has given terrific service to his country as a player and while he lacks experience this PRO reckons that Stan will learn fast, especially with Bobby Robson there to advise him. Perhaps 'Stan' will surprise some of his knockers. I for one reckon he will. Come on the boys in green

U-12 League Brideview Utd 5 Lismore 1

Our U-12 team turned in a good performance on Saturday afternoon last at home to neighbours Lismore. The opening half was keenly fought.

Our lads got off to a terrific start when after only 2 minutes a long clearance by Kieran Fraser went in over Lismore's defence and Jamie Keating ran in to shoot low into the net putting the homeside in front. Shane Roche shot wide after 5 minutes but 2 minutes later Lismore were back on level terms when they scored from a penal-

12th minute when young Colm break saw them return with a Roche scored a great goal. Lis- win and another valuable three more tried hard to get back on points. level terms but our keeper At the break we led 2-1.

We missed some good with Stefan Tobin, Colm Roche

We did increase our lead after 52 minutes when Shane Roche scored from the penalty spot. Then three minutes later a great ball from Shane Roche to Robert Sullivan saw the latter shoot home. The final goal of the game came in the 59th minute when a Shane Roche cross was headed down by Lee McElroy to Jamie Keating who scored from close range.

A good win here for our lads. Utd; S. Barry, M. Tobin, B. Buckley, R. Barry, K. Fraser, R. Sullivan, S. Roche (capt), J. Leahy, S. Tobin, C. Roche, J. Keating. Res used; L. McElroy,

Lotto Jackpot 2,700 Euro

Last weeks numbers 3-6-19- positive in their challenges. nelius Curley. Draw this week let fly with a shot. in the Corner House at 10 pm.

Guinness Promotion

the Weigh Room Bar. This promotion will continue on Friday, 27th January and Friday 3rd February. So remember the nights, get your free pints. What free pints? Yes that's what I said, free pints!
Festival Back

It's hoped to have a festival To new Republic of Ireland again in Tallow this year and we will have more on this later.

Fixtures for Next Weekend

Saturday next, 21st January East Cork Oil U-18 League, An Gaeltacht v Brideview Utd, kick off 2.30 pm. U-14 League Castlebridge Celtic v Brideview Utd, kick off 3 pm.

Birthday Greetings To Mary P. Pratt who celebrates her birthday on Thursday from all the school girls.

U-18 Training Thursday night at 7 pm.

BRIDEVIEW UTD **SCHOOLBOYS** SOCCER

> **U16 Result** Brideview Utd 3 V Watergrasshill 1

An early kick-off for the U16 team last Saturday away to Wa-Utd were back in front in the tergrasshill after the Christmas

On 6mins Ryan had a shot Seanie Barry brought off two tipped over the bar and Geary great saves to keep us in front. went close from the resulting corner but Watergrasshill weathered the early pressure chances early in the second half from Brideview and seemed to adapt to the glue like conditions and Jamie Keating all going better and began to push back the blue shirts for long periods. They were rewarded when on 22mins a free-kick outside the box was sent to the roof of the net despite goalie Ross Livingston getting his fingers to the ball, 0-1

> Watergrasshill stayed in control until half-time although Owens almost equalised but was denied and a Ryan penalty came back off the post and was scrambled clear.

The second half saw Brideview start with more purpose and urgency which resulted in 3 goals been scored in a 5 minute blitz.John Owens (1) and (2) from Ryan. We now were domi-

ners Colin O'Sullivan, Maura manage to get through Ross Lyons, Liz Barry, Kathleen pulled off a great save coming Grath, S. O'Connor, T. Daly. Rumbley, Rose Prescod, Jim out to pounce at the feet of the

All substitutes were introduced at different times during On Friday last the club ran a the game to keep up the mo-Guinness promotion night in mentum and contributed to the improved U 16 player.Kindly win,a real team effort.

Team; R. Livingston, P. Cun-Tallow.

nating midfield and the back- ningham, D. Kingston, S. Ahline looked more secure and erne, B. Moroney, D. Mulcahy, K. Hallahan, K. Geary (cpt), J. When Watergrasshill did Power, J. Owens, T. Ryan. S.O'Sullivan, K. Curley, T. Mc-

M.O.M Barry Moroney and Philip Cunningham.

Congrat's to Barry Moroney (November) and Joey Power (December) for winning player of the month award's for most sponsored by T. Keniry, Centra

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Nos. Drawn: 4, 9, 15, 23. No jackpot winner. Consolation prizes: Martin Sheehan, Tom Doyle, Dara Buckley, Gerry Healy.

Promoter: Jerry Crowley.

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"What's your role? Are you Alistair Campbell?" Johnny Geary wonders what I was doing at the senior players

"They're going home.... but they'll never get land as cheap as they got it here."

Finn's reaction to the news that some farmers (unionist planters) in the 6 counties are selling out and buying cheaper land in Scotland

Membership/Subscriptions.

Subscriptions for the year are now due. Anybody interested in becoming a member of Tallow G.A.A. Club can pick up the necessary form at the GAA stand in Tallow Area Credit Union or contact our membership officer James Beecher on 0871240374 Subscriptions for 2006 are as follows:

Players: €35, Player & partner: €45, Non player: €15, Non players couple: €25, 17 to 18 years: €10.

THE 1ST ANNUAL **DUNGARVAN ANTIQUE FURNITURE AND COLLECTABLES FAIR** AT THE PARK HOTEL

The 1st Annual Hibernian Antique Furniture and Collectables Fair is taking place on this Sunday, January 29th.

This year, we have a lot of new things and fresh ideas going on. Having spent 14 years building the fair countrywide (26 per year), Hibernian Antique Fair has taken on a whole new image. With a new management structure headed up by Robin O'Donnell, the fairs have received a major facelift. The emphasis now above all is on quality. Quality furniture, quality jewellery, quality porcelain and china, quality Irish Art, etc.

Admission is just €3.50 for Adults, €2.50 for Senior Citizens, and children are free.

You will also be automatically entered into our draw for weekend for two in the Breaffy House Hotel in Castlebar.

Dungarvan's Own Fair at the Park Hotel, on Sunday 29th January from 11am to 6pm.

MOVIES REVIEWS

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Jarhead****

When we speak of war, the thing that sticks out in our minds most of all is the combat between the two sides. Especially when we talk about such war movies like "Saving Private Ryan" and "Platoon", but Jarhead offers something different, shows war in a different light, and does it brilliantly.

Set in 1989, "Jarhead" tells the story of a group of US Marines, who train hard under the command of their drill sergeant, played by Jamie Foxx, to learn how to work together, how to move, and how to kill. They are then transferred to Kuwait, which is at first met with enthusiasm by the transferring troops but their mission quickly turns sour as they find themselves guarding the Saudi Oil Fields, away from the action, in the 120-degree heat. They find themselves constantly dehydrated, bored, frustrated and depressed.

Jake Gyllenhaal is exceptional in the lead role as 20-year-old Anthoney Swofford, who has just joined the US Marines and is adjusting to life as a marine. Away from the one he loves and with nothing to do while stuck in the desert, he develops a close friendship to fellow soldier, Troy (Peter Sarsgaard), which helps, gets him through this difficult time.

The story is brilliantly told with some excellent dialogue, and shows the side of war that nobody ever really hears about. Jarhead ignores the glamour of war and is a movie that all movie goers should sign up for.

Constant Gardener **

The Constant Gardener is a tale of how two people can quicky fall in love, and how their loss due to murder can lead to a determination that wasn't thought to be there before.

First meeting up in Britain on opposing sides of a debate, Justin's Quayle's (Ralph Fiennes) and Tessa (Rachael Wyze) get to know one another, and begin to fall in love, which before you know it, leads them to being married and going to live in Africa. Here, we begin to wonder what Tessa gets up to with her work and her friends, but Justin then has the heartache of burying his wife, as she and her companion are brutally murdered when on an expedition. Finding himself drawn into her secrets, he finds himself in a dangerous struggle to finish off Tessa's work. Justin risks his life gathering information to expose the greedy drug corporation "Dyapsin" and save the lives of the poor African people. During his research into the unknown parts of his wife's life, Justin learns more of his wife's rumoured affair and murder and tries to uncover the truth in the midst of so many lies.

The movie lacks clarity, as you find yourself wondering half the time what is going on, while the first hour seems to drag on before anything really interesting happens. The storyline however, if you can keep up with it, is both clever and touching, while giving an excellent insight into the corruption of Africa and the divide between the rich and the poor. It also sports realistic footage of the poverty of the land, with images of shantytowns, aid workers and the local raids that these people have to endure.

Breakfast On Pluto * * * *

You can't help but smile as you watch Breakfast On Pluto. Cillian Murphy gives an Oscar performance in the challenging role of Patrick "Kitten" Brady, the young man who is a woman on the inside who is trying to break free.

Abandoned on the doorstep as a baby, "Kitten" grows up in the 60's of Ireland. Even as a child, he stands well out from the other kids, growing up with just a few close friends that stay close to him all through is life. In his teen years, his differences, inability to take anything seriously and mischievous ways constantly seem to land him in trouble with his peers. Deciding early enough into the movie that he's had enough of home life, he sets out on a quest to find his mother, which takes him around Ireland before setting off to the city that never sleeps, from dusk till dawn, London, where his attempts to find his mother, The Phantom Lady, leads him from one chapter of his life to another.

Hardly anything can be faulted with this movie, as the story of a young man who is so open about himself to the world is so well told that it makes you open up and just take it all in. Cillian is well supported by the rest of the cast, which includes Brenden Gleeson who gives a fine few moments of laughs, Liam Neeson, Bryan Ferry and Stephen Rea.

Anybody below the age of 14 will enjoy the comedic moments but will probably struggle to appreciate it on a higher level. This is truly a touching comedy that you shouldn't and few would be able to turn their noses up at.

Next week we will be reviewing:

Fun With Dick And Jane, Get Rich Or Die Tryin', Lassie.



Bean stew wit

FOR convenience and speed, tinned kidney beans can be used for this delicious vegetarian dish which is a great winter warmer.

Ingredients:

(serves 4) 175 g dried red kidney beans, soaked overnight

- 2 tbs oil
- 1 large onion, chopped
- 1 clove garlic, crushed
- 400g tin of chopped tomatoes
- 1/2 tsp dried oregano
- 1/2 tsp dried basil
- 1/2 tsp shoyu sauce (Japanese soy sauce)
- 450g potatoes peeled and diced Salt and pepper

Chilli sauce

25g butter or margarine

- 1 small garlic clove, crushed
- 1 small onion, grated
- 3/4 tsp chilli powder
- 1 tbs cider vinegar
- 75ml bean stock
- 1 tsp tomato puree
- 1 tbs fresh coriander, finely chopped
- 1 tsp natural yogurt

Method:

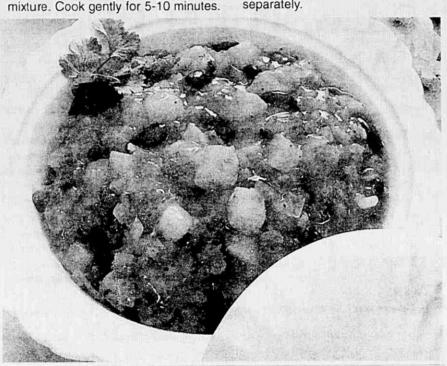
DRAIN the beans, place in a large pan and cover with water. Boil vigorously for 10-15 minutes, turn down the heat and cook for about an hour until the beans are tender but still

Heat the oil and fry the onion and garlic until soft.Add the tomatoes, oregano, basil, shoyu and potatoes, cover and cook for 20 minutes until the potatoes are softened. Season to taste. Drain the beans, reserving a little stock, and add the onion and tomato

In a separate pan, melt the butter or margarine and cook the garlic and onion until soft. Add the chilli powder and cook for a further 1-2 minutes.

Add the vinegar stock, tomato puree and coriander and cook for 5 minutes. Remove from the heat and leave to cool slightly before stirring in the yogurt.

Serve with the sauce handed round separately.



Celeriac with sprouts

Ingredients: (serves 6) 360g celeriac root Salt 75g butter 1 onion finely chopped 30g flour 250ml milk 125ml single cream 1 egg yolk Freshly ground black pep-Ground mace

750g Brussels sprouts,

lengthwise 2 tbs fresh breadcrumbs

Method:

SCRUB the celeriac under cold running water. Par boil it in salted water for 15 minutes. Drain in a colander, then plunge in cold water. As soon as the celeriac is cool enough to handle, peel and cut into 1cm cubes... Melt 60g of the butter in a saucepan. Add the cubed celeriac and onion and stir to mix. Cover the pan and cook over a low heat for 15 minutes shaking the pan or are piping hot.

stirring occasionally to prevent the vegetables from sticking to the bottom. Sprinkle the vegetables with the flour and blend it with the buttery juices. Gradually stir in the milk. Bring to the boil and simmer for 2 minutes. Remove the pan from the heat. Beat the cream and egg yolk together lightly. Blend them into the sauce trimmed, cooked and halved Season to taste, with a pinch of mace. Preheat the oven to 18°C, 35°F, Gas Mark 4 Arrange half the Brussels sprouts in a butter baking dish. Pour over half of the celeriac and sauce. Cover with the remaining sprouts, followed by the remaining celeriac and sauce. Sprinkle with the breadcrumbs and dot with the remaining butter. Bake the dish in the top half of the oven for 25 minutes, or until the surface is

golden and the vegetables

Roly-Poly pudding

THE same basic suet pastry proof paper and strong is used for jam roly-poly and many variations, such as syrup, lemon or mincemeat roly-poly.

It is fast and easy to make and, if mixed quickly, has a light, spongy texture.

Ingredients

(serves 4) 175g self-raising flour 75g shredded suet 6 tbs jam

Method:

MIX the flour and suet together in a bowl. Using a round-bladed knife, stir in enough water to give a light, elastic dough. Knead very lightly until smooth. Roll out to an oblong about 23x25cm and spread this with the jam. Brush the edges with milk and roll up, starting from the short end. Make a 5cm pleat across a clean tea-towel or pudding cloth. Or pleat together sheets of greased grease-

Wrap the roll loosely, to allow for expansion, in the cloth or foil, pleating the opening edges together. Tie the ends securely with string to form a cracker shape. Make a string handle across the top.

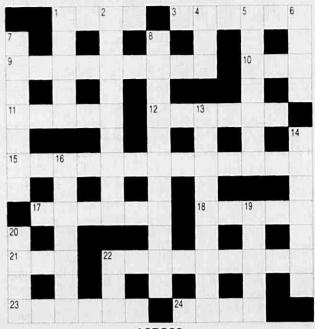
Lower the suet roll into a roasting tin or large pan of boiling water, cover and boil for 90 minutes depending on filling and size.

Lift the pudding out of the water using the string handle. Place on a wire wrack standing over a plate and allow excess moisture to drain.

Snip the string and gently roll the pudding out of the cloth or foil on to a warmed plate.

Roly-poly puddings can also be baked, uncovered at 20°C, 40°F, Gas Mark 6 for about 40 minutes. Serve sliced with custard.

Leader Crossword



- 1 Forename of Sherlock Holmesis friend Dr Watson (4)
- 3 A sample, such as of cloth, carpet or wallpaper (6)
- 9 A candidate for admission to a religious community (9) 10 - Gerard, televisionis Buck Rogers (3)
- 11 Cheshire town, the first major railway centre (5)
- 12 Tool for enlarging or shaping holes (6)
- 15 One of George Bernard Shawis Plays: Pleasant and Unpleasant (4,3,3,3)
- 17 Anagram of DULCIE (6)
- 18 Auxiliary verb indicating, among other things, duty (5)
- 21 Naked ----, term introduced by ethologist Desmond Morris for the relatively hairless human being (3)
- 22 A summerhouse on raised ground (9)
- 23 The opposite of nadir (6)
- 24 Business letters abbreviation meaning of current month (4)

DOWN

- 1 Le mot _ is the word that fits the context exactly (5)
- 2 A home visit by a doctor (5,4)
- 4 Archaic verb meaning know (3)
- 5 A wrestling duo (3,4)
- 6 The handle of a sword or knife (4)
- needs, term relating to particular educational requirements (7)
- 8 Old-fashioned word meaning pretentious nonsense (11)
- 13 Name of Britainis oldest public museum, located in Oxford (9)
- 14 You may be instructed to get this from time to time (7) 16 Actress Miss Lipman (7)
- 19 An interviewee on a chat show (5)
- Singer, in 1927 the first talking picture (4)
- 22 Creature associated with a superhero (3)

Health Tips from "Remedies"

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ACROSS: 1 John, 3 Swatch, 9 Postulant, 10 Gil, 11 Crewe, 12 Reamer, 15 Arms and the Man, 17 Euclid, 18 Ought, 21 Ape, 22 Belvedere, 23 Zenith, 24 Inst.

DOWN: 1 Juste, 2 House call, 4 Wit, 5 Tag team, 6 Hilt, 7 Special, 8 Tarradiddle, 13 Ashmolean, 14 Knotted, 16 Maureen, 19 Guest, 20 Jazz, 22 Bat.

Patrick Boland from Colligan , his son Laurence, daughters Breda and Sharon, her daughters Katie and Ciara, and cousin Anne Ryan have every reason to be proud, for they raised a whopping €2004.73 for the RNLI Helvick Head Lifeboat.

On Stephens' Day they travelled over one hundred miles to hostelries all over mid and west Waterford, singing, dancing and playing music in the time-honoured fashion of the traditional Wren Boys and Girls and their talents were monetarily acknowledged for the Lifeboat, a most deserving cause.

Laurence Boland who resides in Ballinroad is well known for taking part in the Annual RNLI Sponsored Swim from Ballinacourty to Helvick. He says "We like to head off for a bit of fun on Stephens' Day, and last year collected for Alzheimer's. This deilvic year we decided on the RNLI Helvick Lifeboat!"

Breda Boland deserves special congratulations, for two days later on December 29th she tied the knot with Richard Dunne which gave rise to another round of great celebrations for a job well done!



Ciara and Katie Boland on the slipway on Helvick Pier, proudly display cheque for the amount of funds collected by the Boland clan on St. Stephen's Day for the Helvick Head Lifeboat. (Photo: Mary Tobin)

Bolands Raise Whopping Lifeboats €2004.73 for Helvick Lifeboat



Pictured above at the presentation of cheque on Helvick Pier are Laurence Boland, hon. fundraising committee member Sinead Ní Faolain, Anne Ryan, hon. treasurer Sinéad Moore, hon. fundraising chairman Séamus Corcoran, Sharon Boland, Breda Dunne, Patrick Boland, hon. fundarising committee member Sibéal Breathnach and Katie and Ciara Boland in front. (Photo: Mary Tobin)

Invitation to Helvick Lifeboat AGM

Helvick Pier at 8pm.

This meeting has always of changing the financial year sea. to coincide with the calendar

ever curious as to what keeps to come to the meeting.

There are various ways in The public, individual men which people can help the and women, local and national

The AGM of the Helvick lifeboat. The most obvious businesses and the media are Lifeboat will take place are the brave and unselfish also an essential factor, be-Wednesday January 25th in crew, who undergo very strict cause they are always willing the Lifeboat Station House on training, and are ready 365 days a year to forsake the comforts of home and sometimes been held in May, but because risk their lives to save life at RNLI is most grateful.

year, this is the first time that Fundraising Officers and Comthe AGM is scheduled for Jan- mittee members all play an The RNLI is a voluntary or- lifeboat afloat, all be it on dry ganisation, and if you were land, and enjoy the personal satisfaction in being part of this most essential service the organisation of social to know about helping the afloat, you are most welcome events for such a worthy Helvick Head lifeboat, but cause.

when asked, to donate time, goods, services and financial contributions for which the

If you feel you might like to The Honorary Station and attend the meeting, but fear you might not know a single soul there, Sinéad Moore Hon important role in keeping the Fundraising Treasurer, will be glad to take your call at (087) 643 6451 and put your mind at ease.....all you every wanted were afraid to ask!

> Joan Clancy, Hon Press Officer.

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Our first lecture of the new year takes place on Wednesday 18 January at 8 p.m. at the museum in Friary Street. The title of this lecture is 'Dungarvan Harbour and Waterford Fisheries 1830-1930' and the lecture will be given by Silvester O Muirí from Helvick and should be of interest to many.

DINNER

Our annual dinner takes place on 26 January so please make a note of this in your diary. If you are interested in coming to the dinner, you can get in touch with us here at the museum as soon as possible

MEMBERSHIP

Membership of the Waterford

please pay this at the museum as

soon as possible. From Samuel Lewis's Topographical Dictionary 1837.

FEWS Fews, a parish, in the barony of Decies-without-Drum, county of Waterford, and province of Mun-ster, 1.5 miles (W.N.W.) from Kilmacthomas, on the river Mahon; containing 1247 inhabitants, and comprises 5986 statute acres, as ap-

plotted under the tithes act. ous, and in several places com- vanmuseum.org/> mands fine view towards the ocean.

It is a vicarage, in the diocese of tymuseum.org County Museum is now due for the Lismore, forming part of the union coming year. The fee this year has of Mothill; the rectory is impropri-

would be appreciated if members tithes amount to £221.10.9. of and intending members could which £147.13.10 is payable to the impropriator, and the remainder to

In the R.C. divisions it is part of the union or district of Kilrosanty and Fews, and has a neat chapel.

OPENING HOURS Monday to Friday - 10 a.m. to 4.45.p.m. (Open during lunch hour) Waterford County Museum,Old Town Hall, St. Augustine Street, Dungarvan.

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THE PERFECT FLYING

MACHINE Birds are superbly built for flight. Their light, strong bodies give them the lift they need to fly. Even their feathers are designed to help them fly. Flying uses lots of energy, so birds spend much of their time eating to keep their energy level up. Birds' skeletons are all basically the same one that is best adapted to the stresses of flying.

Birds Have Hollow Bones A bird's bones are light but strong.

They are light because they are hollow. The larger bones are strengthened with a honeycomb of crossing struts, rather like the struts inside an aeroplane wing. A bird has about 175 different muscles, the biggest being those that work the wings. More than half of a bird's weight is in its muscles.

Flights Of Fancy

Wings are designed for different types of flight. An owl has especially soft wings so that its prey does not hear it approaching. Most sea birds have wings that are long and narrow, which are excellent for gliding. The wandering albatross has the largest wing span of any living bird. From tip to tip the average span is 3.15m (10ft 3in), which enables it to glide for long periods without flapping its wings.

Fastest And Slowest Fliers

Most small birds fly at about 30 to 50 kph (20 to 30 kph) but the fastest bird, the peregrine falcon, can reach 270 kph (168 mph) in a dive. Ducks and geese are the fastest fliers in level with speeds of up to 104 kph (65 mph). The slowest flying bird is probably the American woodcock which only achieves a top speed of 8 kph (5 mph), which is roughly the same as an adult human walking briskly.

Feather Facts

ers fuse themselves onto old ones so that the bird always has a warm coat.

The number of feathers on a bird varies at different times of the year and from species to species. Feathers get battered and worn by wind and rain, but luckily they are replaceable. This process is called moulting. In most birds the new feathers simply push out the old ones. Birds that live in very cold areas cannot afford to be without the insulation that feathers provide. Because of this, the old feathers are not discarded until the new ones are fully formed. The new feath-

DID YOU KNOW?

A hummingbird may have only 940 feathers but a must swan could have over 25,000.

The Romans used to use the flight patterns of birds to predict the future!

Birds developed from reptiles!

Not all birds can fly! The kiwi, ostrich, rheas, emus and cassowaries are flightless birds.

Every year, scientists and explorers discover at least two new species of bird.

The ancient Egyptians bred pigeons for food and to carry messages.

Ballyduff G.A.A. Notes

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The 2006 A.G.M. of Ballyduff Upper Adult GAA Club was held in St. Michael's Hall on Saturday night last January 14th. A large attendance was welcomed by Chairperson Maurice Geary an attendance which included many players from the Senior, Junior, U-21, and Minor panels ensuring that the meeting was an outstanding success.

Treasurer Pat Flynn gave a comprehensive account of the club finances and thanked all those who supported the weekly lotto during the past year. He also thanked all the sponsors for their support during the year and everybody who contributed to the training fund.

Club secretary Eugene Flynn delivered an excellent and very detailed report on what was an historic year for the club with an unprecedented four Western titles which included a Minor Hurling and Football double, a County title and Club of the Year being won in 2005. He complimented the intermediate panel on their County Final victory and for reaching the Munster Intermediate Hurling Final and said it was an emphatic response from this panel to the disappointment of relegation in 2004. He thanked the players of all the teams for the commitment they showed in attending training and games in what turned out to be a very long season for them. He gave a special mention to Stephen Molumphy who interrupted his trip to Australia with the army team by returning for the Western Intermediate Final against Dungarvan. He also acknowledged two loyal servants of the club, Donal Kenneally, Kilworth who won County titles with the club in 1971 and 1973, and John Morrissey, Marian Terrace, who served the club as first aid of-ficer for many years, both of whom passed away in 2005. Finally he thanked his fellow officers and all team managers and selectors for their efforts throughout the year.

Chairperson Maurice Geary then gave his address and expressed his pleasure at the big attendance at the meeting and especially with the number of players present. He conhis fellow officers he complimenthard work he had done during the his excellent management of the could be achieved



Pictured at a recent visit to St. Carthages Home in Lismore by the Ballyduff Intermediate, U-21 and Minor teams were Mike Drislane, Tom Foley (a former Ballyduff players), Patrick Kearney, and Stephen Molumphy. The young boy at the front is Jonathon Hannon who was the mascot for the Intermediate team

club finances. Pat Flynn he said epitomised the GAA in Ballyduff as he did sterling work for the panels providing tea and sandwiches at training sessions. He also hoped that the players would attain the high standard of fitness level shown by Pat Flynn at the Minor Football final replay in Clashmore last November. He thanked Justina Flynn and May Flynn for the work they had done in assisting Eugene and Pat respectively during the year. He also thanked Seamie Daly, John Jackson, Mike Leamy, Fr.Michael Cullinane and club P.R.O. David Flynn for their support in 2005. Some of his special memories of 2005 were the return of Stephen Molumphy for the Western Intermediate final, the fantastic response to the training fund, the Minor team for their comebacks in hurling and football when gratulated all the teams who won all seemed lost, and the wonderful titles during 2005. Speaking about support for all our teams throughout the year. The future looked ed Secretary Eugene Flynn on the bright and with the same level of commitment from all members on year and Treasurer Pat Flynn for and off the field further success

club on their U-14 and U-16 successes and paid tribute to the officers Chairperson Colin Keane, Secretary Gretta Kearney, and Treasurer Eilish Flynn. Colin had guided the U-16 footballers to a Western title, the Minor footballers to a Western title and was also a selector for the successful Minor hurlers in 2005.

Officers elected for 2006 were: Patron- Fr. Michael Cullinane, President- Dr.T.A.O'Donovan, Vice-President-Jerry Hurley, Chairperson- Maurice Geary, Vice Chair-Seamie Daly, person-Secretary-Eugene Flynn, Asst. Secretary - Kevin Martin, Treasurer-Pat Flynn, Asst. Treasurer-Mike Leamy, Membership Officer John Jackson, P.R.O. David Flynn, First Aid Officer Geraldine Power. Team managers appointed were Senior Hurling: Maurice Geary, Junior Hurling: Seamie Daly, Junior Football: Noel Hayes, U-21 Hurling: Mike Leamy, U-21 Football: Noel Haves. Committee elected was Jim Hannon, Mike Kearney, Tommy Byrne, Mike Molumphy, Fergal Hickey, Ger Hickey, Mike Drislane, Mike Walsh, John Frewen, Liam Power, and Pat Hannon

MEMBERSHIP

Membership for 2006 will be €30 for players, €20 for non players and €10 for students and is now payable to membership officer John Jackson

VISIT TO ST. CARTHAGES

On Friday January 6th members of our Intermediate, U-21, and Minor teams paid a visit to St. Carthages Home in Lismore along with club officers. Team captains and Patrick Kearney along with managers Maurice Geary (Interme- Flynn diate Hurling), Pat Molumphy (U-21 Hurling), and Seamie Hannon (Minor Hurling) were also present. Two residents of St.Carthages who were particularly delighted to meet the players were former Ballyduff players Tom Foley and David Barry. Both Tom and David had photographs taken with the three team captains who had brought along their respective trophies on the night. Other residents who were pleased to greet the players were Ellen Geary mother of Maurice Geary, Bridie Hannon, mother of Seamie, Donal, and Mike Hannon, Mary Hannon, mother of Jim Hannon and Margaret Beecher wife of the late Mick Beecher who was the trainer of the Senior County winning side in 1987. A group of young people who had raised some funds for St. Carthages by hunting the Wren on St. Stephens Day also

He complimented the Juvenile paid a visit and entertained the people by playing some music and dancing before presenting a cheque to Mary Fenton- Morrissey who thanked the young people for their efforts. Eoghan Geary who reluctantly missed football training on the night in order to be present played a few tunes on the box which everyone enjoyed. Thanks to everyone in St.Carthages for making us so welcome on the night.

CLUB LOTTO

The numbers drawn in last week's draw on Tuesday January 10th in An Sibin were 1-27-30 and there was no winner of the jackpot. The jackpot next week will be €800 and the draw will take place in the Log Cabin on Tuesday January 17th. €30 winners last week were Mairead O'Gorman, Liam Cunningham, and John Landers

MINOR FOOTBALL COUNTY **FINAL REPLAY**

The Minor Footballers will play Roanmore in the replay of the County Final next Saturday January 21st in Leamybrien at 2.00pm. We would like to wish the panel the best of luck on Saturday and also to manager Colin Keane and his selectors Denis Twomey, Kevin Martin, and John Frewen. The team will be having a meal in Lawlors Hotel after the match and anyone wishing to join them may do so by contacting Gretta Kearney before Friday

COUNTY AWARDS NIGHT

The Waterford GAA County Awards presentation night will be held in Lawlors Hotel on Wednesday February 1st at 8.30pm. The club will receive the Club of the Year award on the night. A limited Mike Drislane, Stephen Molumphy. number of tickets are available by contacting John Jackson or David

VICTORY SOCIAL AND **MEDAL PRESENTATION** NIGHT

The club will hold a Victory Social and Medal Presentation night in the Park Hotel Dungarvan on Friday night February 3rd at 8.00pm. The Intermediate, U-21, and Minor teams will be presented with their medals on the night. There is a big demand for tickets so it is advisable to book yours as soon as possible. Tickets are €25 each and are available by contacting any of the following Pat Flynn, Eugene Flynn, Gretta Kearney, John Jackson, and David Flynn.

JUVENILE CLUB A.G.M.

The Annual General Meeting of Ballyduff Juvenile GAA Club will be held next Friday January 20th in St. Michael's Hall at 8.30pm. Parents of players are asked to attend this important meeting as help is urgently needed to assist in running

C.L.C.G **Lios Mor**

take place this Thursday night (19th January) in the Community Centre, we would ask that all committee members and officers are in atten-

Sympathy — Sympathy is extended to Tom Hannon and family on the death of his father D.J. in Duagh, Listowel, Co. Kerry last week. Ar dheis De go raibh a h-anam dilis.

Lotto - Congratulations to Jane O'Brien, Shrough, Lismore who was the winner of our Lotto Jackpot last week. The winning numbers were 3, 22 and 29. Well Done! The Lotto has now re-commenced at E400 for this week's draw. There was no winner on Monday night, the winning numbers were 3, 6 and 28. Next week's jackpot will be E550. The E15 winners were Michael Condon c/o Busty, Tom Barry, Townspark, Billy Dunne, New Street and James Geary, East Main

Congratulations - Congratulations to Dan Shanahan and Dave Bennett who are travelling to Singapore this week on the All-Stars tour. It's a great honour for the lads to be chosen for this trip and we hope they will have an enjoyable time.

C.L.C.G na nOg Lios Mor/ Baile na Saggairt

Annual General Meeting - The Annual General Meeting of the club was held on Friday 13th January 06 at the Lismore Community Centre. An excellent attendance of parents, adult players and members turned out for the meeting. At the outset the Chairman called on all present to remember the deceased members and friends of the club. A minute's silence was observed.

The Secretary's report gave an excellent review of the year past. The report outlined in detail all the club activities for the year past. William listed all championship and tournament games and gave a full breakdown of each and every competition. Our success was also listed especially the under 9's, 10's, 11's 12's. The Secretary thanked all those who helped throughout the year. The Treasurer's report again showed the expense involved in running the club. While our trainers and selectors did eliminate bus expenses to a large degree other areas did increase. We thank Joe once again for an excellent report and Lismore Adult Club for their continued support. The Chairman in his address thanked all for their help and support during the year. A special mentions to the schools for their continuous work. To Bun Scoil Bhothar Na Naomh and Blackwater Community School their work is excellent and continued success was wished to both. The chairman also paid tribute to all the trainers and selectors who did Trojan work during the year, which showed in the number of teams which the club fielded, the amount of games participated in, and the number of finals reached.

The Club wishes to thank William Leahy who has bowed out as secretary after many years of dedication. William has been involved with the club for a long number of years as chairman and/or secretary and has successfully steered the club through many championships and tournaments. However William continues as an active member and is involved in the selectors. No doubt his helping hand will still be re-

Election of officers: - Chairman: Billy Devine, Vice Chairman: Gerard Ahearne, Secretary: Bernie Prendergast, Asst. Secretary: Martina O'Keeffe, Treasurer C/o adult club: Joe Bennett, P.R.O.: Emer Barry, Membership Officer's: Gerard Ahearne, Eddie Nugent, Gerry McGarry & Pat Bennett.

After the A G M the selectors held a meeting in which plans for the coming year were outlined. It was good to see the adult players becom-

ing involved once again the juvenile's. An officer's meeting was also held in which the years activities were

discussed mainly the tournaments and social activities. Table Quiz - On Friday 10th of January the club holds its annual table Quiz at Meaghers Ballysaggart. Teams of four at 40 Euro per table. We look forward to all your support on the night.

Next meeting is on the 30th January 2006 at 8.30pm in the Commu-

Ballyduff (Upper) Win Their 1st Badminton Title

The new badminton club in Ballyduff has secured its first ever badminton title. No more than 8 beautiful four court hall it has as on Wednesday nights well as the efforts of locals to promote the sport. Both Collette Mullens and Tom Flynn have been involved in the club which now has over 30 members. Many of those members are young players whose continued interest in Badminton will allow the club to grow and flourish. The club had 3 teams in competition over the last number of weeks and look forward to the Mixed League.

Adding to its successful growth. they have won the Knockout Cup in the Novice Section. The team defeated Kilmacthomas on Thursday night 5-1. In what was a great final, with some very close games, Ballyduff were just 100 strong winning both men's doubles, a ladies doubles and a mixed to secure victory and the prize, the Knockout Cup. The winning team is as follows: Helen O'Donovan, Niamh

Fennessey, Mossy Feeney and David Hyland. The game also showed very promising talent for months old, the new club has been players who have only been playgrowing from strength to strength ing the sport for a short period of in the last number of months. The time. For those interested training formation of the club is due to the is in the Ballyduff Hall at 8.30pm

CLG Na Rinne

Torthaí Lotto Pota Óir €8,000

Umhreacha 9, 10, 16, 22, ní raibh aon bhuaiteoir. €20 an duine ag Dinny O'Brien f/ch Tigh an Cheoil: Tomás de Grás f/ch Tigh an Cheoil; Fianait Uí Bhriain, f/ch Tigh an Cheoil; Eoin Ó Duinn f/ch Tony Mountain: Harry Blackmore f/ch Niamh. An tseachtain seo chugainn, €8,150.

Coirm Cheoil le Danú

Bhí oíche iontach ag an gcoirm cheoil le Danú in Óstán na Páirce ar an Domhnach. Bhí an halla lán go béal. Míle buíochas le gach éinne a thug cabhair leis an eagrú, díol na dticéidí agus ar an oiche. Guímíd gach rath ar Danú agus iad ar a dturas chun na hInde. Beidh siad at an Late Late Show ar an Geary, Georgina Barry, Kieran Aoine seo ag teacht.

Saint Olivers G.A.A. Notes

INDOOR HURLING

Indoor hurling will recommence on this Friday night 20th Jan at the new Community Centre in Ballinameela.

The age groups start from 6 year olds up. Players must be aged 6 years before they will be allowed to train. Any child not of the age will not be allowed to participate

All newcomers must make themselves known to one of the coaches as registration will be required before players will be allowed to participate. Registration will include acceptance of the Clubs Code of Practice and Good Behaviour. All new starters will need one of their parents to attend with dates of birth and other information (eg medical conditions) regarding their child.

The cost per session will be 2euro per child weekly.

All players are requested to wear proper sports wear and non-marking trainers. Players are not permitted to wear school uniforms or den-

All players should arrive and depart on time as the hall is expensive to book and we cannot delay between groups. All players playing hurling are required to wear helmets and shinguards. Indoor hurleys will be supplied.

U-7- 6pm to 6.30pm; U-8 - 6.30 to 7.15pm; U-9 - 7.15 to 8.00pm U-10+11 - 8pm to 8.45pm; U-12+13 - 8.45pm to 9.30pm

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING The following are the main club officers elected at last Friday's club A.G.M. - Chairman - Mark Long; Vice Chairman - PJ Connery; Secretary — Micheal Phelan; Treasurer — David Power. A full list of officers and team selectors will appear in next week,s

MEMBERSHIP

Membership for the coming season is €50 for family membership and €25 for individual membership.

Once again for Insurance reasons one cannot be involved in club activities without being a club member.

COMMITTEE MEETING

The first committee meeting of the new year will take place in Ballinameela Community Centre on next Monday January 23rd at 8.00 p.m.



Friday January 13th

Three In A Row For Katies Grandy

Friday the 13th proved a lucky omen for owners Kevin and Danny Murphy and their trainer Nick Turner when their progressive black dog Katies Grandy (Top Honcho-Westmead Hara) 2/1 made it three wins in a row capturing the final of the Tote Intertrack Stake in a fastest of night 29.00. Taking over in the lead out of the second bend from Treanaree Rita Katies Grandy eased his way clear down the back stretch for an easy 30.18. six lengths defeat of Noreview Kitty.

Racing opened with a facile win for the Bobby and Robert Jackman owned Snazzy Hunter this Paddy O Connor trained dog covering the standard trip in 29.71. When the front running Minglers Spot checked between the final two bends Snazzy Hunter (Flying Gordon-Monsoon) 5/2 was allowed a hassle free run home to beat Mardocs Keano by ten lengths.

Making her debut in the second contest the John Murphy owned Local Wish (Larkhill Jo-Lone Sady) 6/4 made every post a winning one in 29.89. Related Consent pushed the winner all the way but a determined Local Wish held out by a length.

In a two bend dash the front running pair of Bargy Peach and Daring County clashed off the second bend as Jim Drohan's Nancy Supreme (Powerful Flash-Chestys Angel) 4/1 was allowed a clear run home on the fence to account for Blackout Honey by two lengths in 17.10.

Cool Jenny cut an early dash in race four but was overtaken at the second turn by Spahill Carlyfox. Owned by Tony Walsh and Thomas Condon Spahill Carlyfox (Honcho Classic-Mountview Bianca) 5/2 made the best of her way home and while the evens favourite Related Miss made late headway Spahill Fox held firm to score by three lengths in 29.65.

In the final of the January A8/A9 Stake the Raymond Patterson owned Tai Chi Magic (Droopys Woods-Mickdel Tina) 4/1 grabbed a back stretch lead from a fast starting Listrolin Mick and while the latter came back for more in the closing stages the Frances O Donnell trained Tai Chi Magic dug deep to land the spoils by half a length in a career best 29.34.

Track newcomer Helens Bank made no mistake from her middle draw in race six making all of the running to win out in 29.26. Dashing straight into an early lead over Tinrah Jo the Helen Toft owned Helens Bank (Knockeevan Major-Banks Hill) 4/1 saw the trip out well to defeat Tinrah Jo by two lengths.

It was back to 300 yards for the seventh contest where the Hopeful Four Syndicate owned and Michael Delahunty trained Kilaspy Podge (Droopys Merson-Sallys Chill) made no mistake with a trap to line winning performance in a decent 16.30. The winner and Lough Mannion went clear from everything else and at the winning line Kilaspy Podge had two lengths in hand over Lough Mannion

4/1 shot Mango brought her stamina into play in the ninth contest coming from off the pace to record a lifetime best 29.08. Spahill Classic led throughout from Kingsmill Kewell but picking off her opponents one by one the Michael Fitzpatrick owned and John Power trained Mango (Carlton Bale-Lilac Alice) 4/1 finished with a flourish to outstay Spahill Classic by four lengths.

Glenbrien Doug and Durrow Tracker came in from the panel of reserves to contest the tenth contest and they duly filled the first two places home. Displaying a nice dash of early pace up the centre of the track the

Kathleen Stamp owned Glenbrien Doug (Top Savings-Sadlers Style) soon had his rivals on the stretch and while Durrow Tracker stayed on well into second spot Glenbrien Doug had four lengths to spare where it mattered. The winning time was a very creditable 29.06.

In the final race of the night over the 550 yard trip the punters choice at 4/5 The Other Cowboy broke in front and while he was headed around the first two bends by Pops Warrior the Matt O Donnell owned and Frances O Donnell trained The Other Cowboy (Rapid Journey-Toss Stella) was back in front halfway down the back stretch before moving clear for a two lengths win in a decent

Saturday January 14th

Shock But Deserved Victory For Copperfield

The new Republic Of Ireland Soccer Manager Steve Staunton may have the vastly experienced Bobby Robson at his side to guide him through his first venture into International soccer management but Slieverue based owner Tom Grant who is relatively new to the greyhound game has his uncle and former Racing Manager Paddy Grant at his side and the duo struck with a vengeance last Saturday night as 8/1 outsider Copperfield Hill (Droopys Kewell-Proud Roslea) romped to victory in the final of the Blathanna Florists A2 decider. Make no mistake about it this was no fluke win for Copperfield Hill as he produced a career best performance leading early on from Castleboro Rose and while a fast finishing Fancy High got up to dead heat with Castleboro Rose it was Copperfield Hill who went on to triumph and score by two lengths in a fast

Racing got underway with a trap to line success for the Richard Rossiter owned Spuds Or Chips this fast starting son of Kiowa Sweet Joe and Top Kilminchy leading throughout on the rails and enjoying his Saturday night romp up front Spuds Or Chips 5/2 came home five lengths to the good over Nikita Princess with the always prominent Our Marble Jack just behind in third. Time 28.99.

Despite losing a dewclaw in running the Patricia Power owned Odell Storm (Odell Duke-Storm Music) 5/2 made no mistake in the second event making every post a winning one in a smart 28.84. Making sound use of his early pace the Dungarvan entry Odell Storm cut an early dash over Twice Bitten and with this order of running remaining unchanged Odell Storm went on to defeat Twice Bitten by four lengths.

In a 300 yard sprint the well backed Birchtree Kim (Frisby Flashing-Battsreeet Linda) 2/1 owned by young Ben Turner and trained by Nick Turner came away running from trap six and dashing into an early lead Birchtree Kim went on to beat Tinahue Spring by four lengths in a brisk 16.21.

The heavily backed Aphrodites Hills (Honcho Classic-Dream On Jo) 3/1 to 2/5 overcame all sorts of trouble in running to credit Carlow owner Sean Ralph and trainer Declan Byrne with a 29.16 success in race four. After a slow start and first bend crowding Aphrodites Hills looked to have little or no chance as Draw Your Gun made the long break for home ahead of Jack Tse but

cutting down the opposition one by one Aphrodites Hills finished strongly to outstay Draw Your Gun by half

Greyhound and horse racing owner Michael Conway kindly sponsored the four first round heats of the Prestige Lighting A2 550 yard event.

Heat one-Jeffys Kavanagh dashed into an early lead her but he could never quiet shake off the back stretch challenge of the Davy Morris owned Marwood Merson. Driving up the inside of the early leader at the third bend Marwood Merson (Droopys Merson-Gloun Spirit) 5/2 quickly picked up the running to race on for a length win over Jeffys Kavanagh with a slow starting China Run just behind in third. Time 30.36.

Heat two-Trainer Graham Holland sent out the easy winner here as the Tony Bentham owned Big Time Night (Top Honcho-Big Time Lady) 2/1 ked all the way from trap four in a useful 30.10. Deefor the evens favourite loomed up menacingly at the third bend but a determined Big Time Night kicked again to triumph by three lengths.

Heat three-This qualifier is easily described as the A.J.P. Syndicate owned and Nick Turner trained Deenside Tank (Daves Mentor-Deenside Claw) the red hot 4/5 favourite produced a nice early paced performance to lead all the way in 30.13. In front from an early stage Deenside Tank led down the back stretch from Greenview Furry before breezing in all of four lengths clear of a running on Kingsmill Charm.

Heat four-Despite his lack of racing experience Jethart Pal (Brett Lee-Lydpal Louise) the 4/5 favourite made short work of the opposition with an eve catching 29.97 winning return. This G Renilson owned and Peter Cronin trained greyhound soon had the opposition on the rack forging clear of Georgies Express before accounting for a fast finishing Airmount Deejay by two

Returning after an absence the Nicky O Regan and Jimmy Flynn owned Run On Boy (Droopys Kewell-Valentina) 5/2 took on and beat some very useful four bend trackers in the Tote Retention Open race this Maria Byrne trained dog whizzing around in a smashing 28.39 on a bitterly cold night. None to fluent at the break Run On Boy barged his way into an early lead at the first bend and turning on the style down the back stretch Run On Boy went clean away to record a facile six and a half lengths success over Dairyland Bandit. The winner was having only his fifth race and appears to have a bright career ahead of him.

A fast starting Raytown Magic made a bold bid to lead all the way in the final race of the night but he had no answer to the finishing pace of the Matt O Donnell owned and Frances O Donnell trained The Other Donagh (Larkhill Jo-The Other Lucy) this 7/2 chance obliging with some authority in the finish by two and a half lengths in 29.14.

Trap Draws-Saturday January 21st

Prestige Lighting 550

- 1 Jeffys Kavanagh
- 2 Kingsmill Charm
- 3 Marwood Merson
- 4 Montos Carhumore
- 5 Big Time Night

6 Deenside Tank (W) Selection-Big Time Night Dangers-Deenside Tank, Kingsmill Charm

Second Semi Final

- 1 Airmount Deejay
- 2 Deefor
- 3 Jethart Pal
- 4 Greenview Furry
- 5 China Run
- 6 On Stage Shelly

Selection-Jethart Pal

Dangers-Airmount Deejay, On Stage Shelly



Dungarvan Ladies Hockey Team — Photo shows back row (I. to r.) Lucinda Shrubb, Tony Bones (coach), Louise Conroy, Gillian Dalton, Ann Brennan, Thea O'Riordan, Lisa McCarthy and Lousie Enright. Front row (I. to r.) Maria Conroy, Tina Landers (captain), Sharon Duggan, Carol Tobin, Nollaig Sheehan and Sinead Hehir.

DUNGARVAN LADIES HOCKEY CLUB NOTES

Double Delux For Seasiders

DUNGARVAN 2 FERMOY 0

On a freezing cold Saturday, 14th January, Dungarvan played a very strong Fermoy team at the Friary pitch. This was going to be a fierce battle as Fermoy had beaten Dungarvan at the start of the season, so this was a battle to stay at the top of the league.

services of a few of the regulars i.e. Derval Donnelly, Carol Elstead, Louise Enright, Sarah Power, Gillian Dalton and co. Nevertheless, Dungarvan were determined to win this one. Two o'clock whistle sounds, Dungarvan attacked Fermoy with a passion to win. Fermoy were as determined not to let us win too easy. Fermoy were very quick off the breaks and put the Dungarvan defenders under pressure but true to their stature and physical ability they stood united with no way through for Fermoy. Dungarvan played the ball out of defence, compliments of Louise Conroy, Nollaig Sheehan, Tina Landers, Sinead Hehir out to Sharon Duggan, Thea O'Riordan, Maria Conroy in midfield then onto Lucinda Shrubb on the right wing. Ann Brennan centre forward and Lisa McCarthy who adapted very well out on the left wing chasing and teasing the defence. Sharon Dugtormented the Fermoy sweeper with her pace and skill to bury the ball in the back of the Fermoy goal. Fermoy were not a happy crew and attacked the Dungarvan defence and were awarded no less than 11 short corners in the first half. Pressure on.

backs and were on fire at this stage. Five minutes into the half Sharon Duggan again took them on and bang - goal number two. Fermoy didn't give up the battle and plugged at the Dungarvan goal but were stopped on the goal line by keeper Carol Tobin. Fermoy again were awarded a few more short corners but were not getting through the brick wall which was frustrating them. Dun-

Dungarvan were without the ing the end with Ann Brennan being very unlucky not to score. Fermoy were still pressing forward at Dungarvan but try as they might no room to score. The final whistle blew, delighted supporters of Dungarvan could be heard all over the place.

Team: Carol Tobin (GK), Louise Conroy, Tina Landers, Nollaig Sheehan, Sinead Hehir, Sharon Duggan, Maria Conroy, Thea O'Riordan, Lucinda Shrubb, Lisa McCarthy.

Coach - Tony Bones. Also thanks to Ann Bones and Louise Nevlin for umpiring

MOYCOSTLEY IRISH CUP **QUARTER FINAL** Dungarvan 0 Athlone 0

A.E.T. Dungarvan 4 Athlone 3 on

penalties Bright and early Sunday morning Dungarvan crew headed for Athlone R.S.C. not knowing anything about this team and vice-aversa. Tired and weary from the gan running the length of the pitch game yesterday the girls set off, stopping in Roscrea to break the journey and discuss tactics over tea and scones (thanks Tony). We arrived at the R.S.C. with time for a hit around 1:30pm and hit off. This started off very lively with Athlone attacking Dungarvan very fast but low and behold Second half, Dungarvan were the defence held it together as playing with the wind to their they do. Dungarvan had a few breaks to their credit testing the Athlone keeper on a few occasions. This game was proving to

be very tough for both teams. The second half started the same as the first with Dungarvan attacking the Athlone goal. Dungarvan were solid throughout with Carol Tobin having been called on once or twice to clear the ball. Louise Conroy, Nollaig Sheehan, Sinead Hehir and Tina

bined very well. Midfield of Maria Conroy, Sharon Duggan, Gillian Conroy covered every inch of the astro turf pitch. Again Lucinda Shrubb was unlucky on a few occasions. Louise Enright and Ann Brennan were all unlucky. An unfortunate incident resulted in Lucinda Shrubb getting an injury to her leg. Thea O'Riordan stepped in to replace her and a fine job she did. This was a game that was not going to be easy for any of the two teams. Nobody willing to surrender a semi final place, Dungarvan could feel this was nearly theirs, an Irish cup for such a small club with membership of no more than 20 players. Extra time saw nobody letting down the barriers. A penalty shoot out was the only way to end the dead-lock. Dungarvan first up, unlucky for Gillian Dalton with an excellent save from the Athlone keeper. A great save from Carol Tobin's stick spurred on Dungarvan penalty scorers Sharon Duggan, Tina Landers, Ann Brennan, Maria Conroy. Heartbreak for the Athlone girls. It was a weekend for the Dungarvan club that proved they are up there with the best. We are now draw to be made for the cup semi

Team: Carol Tobin (GK), Louise Conroy, Nollaig Sheehan, Tina Landers (Capt.), Sinead Hehir, Maria Conroy, Gillian Dalton, Sharon Duggan, Lucinda Shrubb, Ann Brennan, Louise Enright, Thea O'Riordan, Lisa McCarthy.

Our supporters Davy Maiyia, Cheyenne Tobin and Jodie Roche. Coach: Tony Bones.

TRAINING

Training Tuesday and Thursday night in the Friary grounds. Junior hockey on Saturday morn-

CONGRATULATIONS

Dungarvan Hockey club would like to congratulate Ashling and Niall on the birth of a future hockey player, baby Isabella, a sister for big brother Ruari. Congarvan could feel this one near- Landers (Captain Fantastic) com- grats and hurry back Ashling!!

The Ballyrafter Centre Ltd. Lismore

RESULTS PONY WINTER TOURNAMENT **QUALIFIER** 13th JAN 2006

128cms 0 - 50cms Div. -Tommy McGrath's, Kilmoylan Gem, Nicole McGrath. Noreen O'Gorman's, Lucky, Gillian O'Gorman. Claire Connell's, Bonnie, Sarah Connell. Noreen O'Gorman's, Oscar, Gillian O'Gorman, Gerard Burke's, Ricky, Gillian De Burca.

128cms 0 - 60cms Div. -Beirne. Tommy McGrath's, Kilmoylan Gem, Nicole Mc-Grath. Dan Dooley's, The Wild ling O'Brien. Rover, Daniel Dooley. Joseph O'Keeffe's, Minstrel, Jack O'-Keeffe, Joseph O'Keeffe's, Starburst, Joanne O'Keeffe. John Joyce's, Chippy, Patrick

O'Neill's, Sunshine, Lorna O'Neill. Anne Condon's, Hally Bop, Gillian Condon, Simon Beirne's, Satin, Andrew Beirne. Martin Roche's, Jumble, Sinead Roche, Kieran Dunphy's, Araglen, Conor Dunphy. Sally Sweeney's, Cotton Tail, Sorcha Sweeney. Gerard Burke's, Glidawn Highlight, James Burke. Claire Connell's, Small Fry, Kirsty Connell. Gerard Burke's, Glidawn High-light, James Burke. Simon Joyce S, Kilcreene, Daniel Joyce. Dara Mellerick's, Cindy, Beirne's, Gizmo, Andrew Lucy Mellerick. Colm Griffin's, Gazza, Jack Griffin. Francis O'Brien's, Patch, Ais-

138cms & 148cms 0 -80cms Div. - Sandra Walsh's, Velvet, Sophie Walsh. Marie O'Neill's, Sunshine, Lorna O'Neill. Francis O'Brien's, Patch, Aisling

128cms & 138cms 0- O'Brien. Mary O'Donoghue's, 70cms Div. - Marie Ralph, Theresa O'Donoghue. Ger Mulcahy's, Boulta Silver, Emer Mulcahy. John Joyce's, Silver Spruce, Patrick Joyce. Catherine Kiely's, Glenavadra Black Velvet, Paul Kiely. Liam Leahy's, Sally, Emma Leahy. Ann Kelly's, Goldstar, Edel Kelly. Bill Connolly's, Lacken Rea, James Connolly. Bill Connolly's, Tir na Nog, Sarah Connolly. Adrianna Hegarty's, Lady Divine, Niamh Hegarty. Samantha McGuire's, Freddy, Jayne McGuire. Samantha McGuire's, Smokie, Sally McGuire. Michael Coughlan's, Tom, Ann-Marie Coughlan. Pat Collins's, Fionn, Ciara Collins. Bernie Moloney's, Malibu, Ann Moloney. Martha O'-Callaghan's, Magic, Stephanie O'Callaghan. Micheal Grif-

> 138cms & 148cms 0 -90cms Div. — Sandra Walsh's, Velvet, Sophie Walsh, Mary O'Donoghue's, Roger, Thomas O'Donoghue. Bill Connolly's, Lacken Rea, James Connolly. Bill Connolly's, Tir na Nog, Sarah Connolly. Adrianna Hegarty's, Lady Divine, Niamh Hegarty. Brid Johnson's, Lackenfune Lad, Alix Barry.

fin's, Jack, Gillian Griffin.

RESULTS HORSE WINTER TOURNAMENT QUALIFIER 14th JAN 2006

0 - 70cms Div. - Diana Lonergan's, Hogwarts Express, Claire Lonergan. Claire Brazil's, Holly Hunter, Claire Brazil. Joy Smith's, Ivy, Joy Smith. Marie Hennessy's, Cosmo, Maeve Hennessy. Pat Burke's, Direct Liability, Pat Burke. Rosarie Murphy's, Kelly's Flaming Nora, Sarah O'Connell. Martina Raher's, Quicksilver, Martina Raher.

0 - 80cms Div. - Marie Walsh's, Amber, Marie Walsh. Anna Wyse's, Copper Charlie, Anna Wyse. Mark Kennedy's, Casper, Aisling Kennedy. Mark Kennedy's, Josh, Nikki Colley. Ulla McLaughlin's, Ferdinand, Ulla McLaughlin. Denis O'Sullivan's, Billy, Denise O'Sullivan. Gemma Phelan's, Velour, Gemma Phelan. John O'Brien's, June, Gina O'Brien. Ellen Kirwan's, Vintage Gold, Ellen Kirwan.

0 - 90cms Div. - Catherine Starling's, Benjy, Fiona Dinneen. Anna Wyse's, Copper Charlie, Anna Wyse. Mark Kennedy's, Casper, Aisling Kennedy. Mark Kennedy's, Josh, Nikki Colley. John O'Brien's, Panda, Gina O'Brien. John O'Brien's, Barry, Gina O'Brien. Tommy Dunford's, Blue Brigade, Michael Healy. Arthur Goulding's, PadJoe, Sinead Dahill. Gemma Phelan's, Carley, Gemma Phelan.

1 - 00m Div. - Pauline Dahill's, Waterloo Lass, Pauline Dahill. Kieran Mc-Carthy's, Navilluso Halanta. Kieran McCarthy. Kieran Mc-Carthy's, Bright Venture. Donal Cashman. Eamon Holden's, Humve, Alison Holden. Gemma Phelan's, Silver, Tracy O'Dwver.

1 - 10m Div. - Kieran Mc-Carthy's, Navilluso Halanta, Kieran McCarthy.

Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Notes

NEW CLUB EVENT: CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS SPONSORED BY NEW IMAGES HAIR SALON The date for the Graded Club Championships has been confirmed as Wednesday the 6TH September. This will be con-

fined to Club Members and will be an Individual Time Trial over a 5km course. Cyclists will be graded according to their performances during the summer and prizes awarded to the winners in each grade. Overall fastest cyclist will also be presented with a perpetual club trophy. Many thanks to our new sponsor Nicola Dee, long suffering wife of "Spider". Thanks also go in advance for the ongoing support of our existing sponsors whose contributions are listed below. It is only with their help the club can hold so many events.

2006 CALENDAR

At the recent committee meeting dates were confirmed for a number of 2006 events. The successful format of the past years is to be followed with 2 predict your time events at the beginning and end of the season around the White Church Circuit and the Summer Series around The Mill Street Circuit. The Summer Series is a handicapped event allowing everyone to finish near the same time. As mentioned earlier the Club Championship Race will take place at the end of the season and will be sponsored by New Images Hair Salon. The dates are as fol-

February 25th for 1 week: - Canaries Trip April 12th for 4 weeks: — Copy Type Secretarial Services & Framing Studio Individual Predict Your Time Competition

May 10th for 8 weeks: - O'Mahoney Cycles & Nursery Summer Series

May 14th: - Kelly Pharmacy Road Race (12pm Start) June 11th: - Wicklow 200 July 2nd: - Ring of Kerry Cycle July 17th-21st: - Tour de France Trip

July 23rd: — Club Day (to be confirmed)

August 9th for 4 weeks: - Ger Wyley Sports Team Predict Your Time Competition September 6th: — Confined Graded Club Championships

Sponsored by New Images Hair Salon September 9th: - MS Cycle September 17th-18th: - End of Season Trip (destination to

be confirmed) Any further events will be notified as they are added.

WEEKEND SPINS The Club's winter groups continue to be well supported. Cy-

clists were out on Saturday and Sunday last and some of the Grand Canaria travellers have been spotted getting in some pretrip training. Group weekend spins continue at 10.00 a.m. from Kilrush on Saturdays and The Square on Sundays . All are wel-

BEGINNERS GROUP

Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club continues with our beginners' programme on Sunday mornings leaving from The Square at 10am. Eddie Moore and Ger Wyley will accompany anyone new to cycling next Sunday January 22nd. If you are looking for instruction and/or company over any distance at a very gentle pace, come along with your bike and helmet and

HORSE RACING SNIPPETS BY MARK PHILLIPS

William Hill Lincoln

A 123 strong entry has been received for the first major race of the 2006 flat turf season, the £100,000William Hill Lincoln to be run this year at Redcar on Saturday March 25th.The race has been transferred from its usual venue Doncaster due to redevelopment work and will be run over the straight mile at Redcar.

HRI Statistics for 2005

- A record 1.43 Million people went racing in 2005
- On course bookmaker betting rose by 1.6%
- On course tote betting rose by
- 2 out of every three races run were sponsored
- were sponsored
 Total number of fixtures in 2005
- was 313
 Average attendance at each fixture was 4,915
- In 2006 prize money will increase from Euro 52.3 Million to Euro 56.0 Million.

Gold Cup Entries

Leading trainer Martin Pipe has never won a Gold Cup at Cheltenham but has five entries amongst a record sixty-four for this year's event. Last years Aintree Grand National winner Hedgehunter has also been entered by Willie Mullins. For the record Martin Pipe has never won the two miles Queen Mother Champion Chase.

This Weeks Fixtures

Wednesday

Newcastle, Uttoxeter and Lingfield Thursday

Thurles 1.05pm, Ludlow, Taunton and Southwell Friday

Musselburgh, Wolverhampton and Chepstow

Saturday

Naas 1.15pm, Haydock, Wolverhampton, Lingfield and Wincanton Sunday

Cork 1.25pm and Fairyhouse 1.15pm

A Sell Out

All the enclosures at Cheltenham are now sold out for Tote Gold Cup day.

Limerick Bumper Success

Waterford and Kilkenny joined forces at Limerick last Thursday when 10/1 chance Rollonlovelyriver obliged for trainer Pat Flynn and owner Tom Kearns. Tom was one of Irelands best known Coursing judges until he retired a number of years back. Promising amateur JP O Farrell had the winning ride on this home bred son of Beneficial and Over The Pond.

Back On Track

Justified got back to winning going left handed at Newbury during the week when justifying odds on. Tony McCoy had the winning ride on this occasion and it appears as if connections are keen on Tony riding the horse at the National Hunt festival in March.

The Late Bunny Cox

Bunny Cox from Dundalk who passed away last week at the age of 81 was one of Ireland finest ever-amateur riders and he was also a very successful trainer.

Point-To-Point Fixtures Sunday January 22nd

Dungarvan Harriers at Kilossera, Dungarvan, County Waterford, 12.30pm Stonehall Harriers, Askeaton, County Limerick, 12.30pm

Time Is So Short

It's unbelievable but its only eight weeks to Cheltenham!

US Bound

Flat rider Wayne Lordon who rides mainly for Tommy Stack and David Wachman in Ireland jets off to Florida this week where he intends to spend at least a month riding in that country before returning to Ireland in time for the new flat season.

On The Sidelines

Keith Mercer who is attached to the Ferdy Murphy yard is out of action for the next two to three weeks with a broken collarbone.

Off The Mark

It was good to see young John Flavin from Tramore get off the mark as a professional guiding the Richard Guest trained Insurgent to victory at Musselburgh recently. John's father Pat trains racehorses just outside Tramore.

Weight Reduction

The top weight in National Hunt handicaps in Ireland will be reduced down from 12 stone toll stone 12 pounds from February 1st,

Point-To-Point Postponed

The Shilellagh Point To Point at Tinahely in County Wicklow was postponed due to weather conditions last Sunday and is now scheduled to go ahead this coming Sunday.

Channel Four Racing

Channel Four cover racing next Saturday from Wincanton and Lingfield.

Broken Arm

Andrew (AE) Lynch broke his arm in a fall last week and is out of action for a couple of months.

Gowran On RTE 1

RTE 1 intend televising live the Thyestes meeting from Gowran Park on Thursday the 26th of January. The programme starts at 1.25pm.

Dabai Festival

The Dubai 11 meeting International Festival of flat racing gets underway this Thursday.

Studmaster Shines

The County Kildare yard of Jessica Harrington bounced back to form at Leopardstown last Sunday when the Tommy Treacy ridden Studmaster ran on strongly to capture the Pierce Hurdle. The well fancied No Where To Hyde did not enjoy the clearest of passages and was noted doing all his best work in the closing stages to fill the runner up spot.

On the same card the Martin Brassil trained Nickname the evens favourite justified favouritism with a smooth front running performance. This French import will only go to Cheltenham if there is a cut in the ground.

The David Casey ridden What A Native ran out a gutsy winner of the Leopardstown Chase beating the staying on Ross River.

Irish Racing Review



Record Attendances At Irish Racecourses during 2005

Horse Racing Ireland announced last week that attendances at Irish Racecourses reached an all-time record of 1.43 million in 2005 with the festival meetings at Punchestown, the Curragh, Galway, Listowel and Leopardstown being the star performers. The 2005 figures showed a growth of almost 44,000 racegoers on the 2004 tally and despite the number of total fixtures being increased to 313 (from 305 in 2004), the average attendance per meeting remained strong at 4,914.

In other statistics total on-course betting was up by 1.6% to 236.7 million while the Tote turnover grew by 3.8% to 49.3 million. Bookmaker betting on-course, which was down 6.6 million at the half-year stage, showed growth of 1.6 million by the end of the year. Commenting on the figures, HRI Chief Executive Brian Kavanagh said that "2005 was probably the most successful year ever for Irish racing and Irish trained horses won over 11 million in prize money overseas with nine winners at the Cheltenham Festival and eight at the Aintree Festival which included races like the English Grand National, the Gold Cup, the Champion Hurdle, the Queen Mother Champion Chase and the Betfred Gold Cup. On the flat Irish trained horses won three British Classics, the Eclipse Stakes, the King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Diamond Stakes and the Arlington Million while we also have some of the finest jockeys, both national hunt and flat, in the world riding in Ireland at the present time."

Hi Cloy Set For Kinloch Brae Chase

Successful in two Grade One chases on his last two outings, the Michael Hourigan trained Hi Cloy looks the one to beat in the Grade 2 MacLochlainn Road Markings Ltd Kinloch Brae Chase at Thurles on Thursday. This very smart performer landed the John Durkan Memorial Chase at Punchestown in early December before gaining a rather fortunate victory in the Paddy Power Dial-a-Bet Chase at Leopardstown over Christmas and with Central House waiting for Fairyhouse next Sunday, Hourigan's charge is sure to start favourite. The two and a half mile distance is ideal for him but he faces no easy task with the likes of Strong Project, Sir Oj, Newmill and Ground Ball all likely to play a prominent role in what should be a fascinating contest.

Watson Lake Fairyhouse Bound

The Normans Grove Steeplechase at Fairyhouse next Sunday looks set to attract both Central House and Watson Lake. Winner of the race in 2005, the Dessie Hughes trained Central House has been in terrific form this season winning the Fortria Chase at Navan and the Hilly Way Chase at Cork before meeting with an unlucky defeat in the Paddy Power Dial-a-Bet Chase at Leopardstown over Christmas. Noel Meade's Watson Lake is unbeaten on his two outings this season after defeating the exciting Accordion Etoile at Limerick in October before taking the Poplar Square Chase at Naas the following month and is set to re-appear on Sunday after meeting with a slight setback which forced him to miss the Durkan Chase at Punchestown in early December.

Kill Devil Hill Aiming For Leopardstown

Winner of the Drinmore Chase at Fairyhouse in early December before finishing third to Missed That at Leopardstown on St Stephen's Day, the Paul Nolan trained Kill Devil Hill is being aimed at the Grade One Dr. P.J. Moriarty Novice Chase at Leopardstown on February 12th. He was not quite right after his run at Leopardstown but is showing signs of coming to himself in recent weeks while stable companion Colnel Rayburn is set to go for the Thyestes Chase at Gowran Park on January 26th. This giant sized chaser ran a fine race to finish second in a hurdle race at Fairyhouse on New Year's Day and has the English Grand National at Aintree in April as his chief target this season.

Four Irish Races Promoted To Group 3

Horse Racing Ireland have announced a further

significant strengthening of the Irish Flat Pattern race programme, having secured European Pattern Committee approval for the promotion of four races from Listed status to Group 3 status for 2006. All four races, three of which are for fillies, will be worth a minimum of 100,000 with their new enhanced status and are the Park Express Fillies Stakes at the Curragh on March 26th, the Swordlestown Stud Fillies Sprint Stakes at Naas on June 5th, the Denny Cordell Lavarack Fillies Stakes at Gowran Park on August 16th and the Kilternan Stakes at Leopardstown on September 9th.

IRISH RACING REVIEW

(9th - 16th January 2006)

Mounthenry Strikes At Limerick

The Charles Byrnes trained Mounthenry comfortably landed the hackettspoker.com Novice Hurdle at Limerick on Thursday in the hands of Andrew McNamara. A dual winner at Punchestown earlier in the season, he was involved in a controversial finish over the same course in early December but appreciated the drop in class here and the 11/10 favourite proved a clearcut winner. Trainer Dermot Weld has a small national hunt team in his predominantly flat stable and he saddled Proper Article (7/4 favourite) to take the opening four year old maiden hurdle under a good ride from Barry Geraghty while Eric McNamara's Good Thyne Jack (9/2) completed a hat-trick of wins in the Live 95 FM Handicap Hurdle.

Marhaba Million Takes Punchestown Feature

Successful with Strangely Brown twelve months ago, trainer Eric McNamara captured the Grade 3 Punchestown Juvenile Hurdle at Punchestown for the second successive year on Saturday with Marhaba Million just getting the better of Dreux in a driving finish. The 6/1 winner had to dig deep for Brian Byrnes to beat Dreux (4/1) after a protracted struggle from early in the straight and his trainer hopes to aim this useful four year old at the Prix Alain Du Breil (Grade 1) at Auteuil in mid-June which is the same race that Strangely Brown won last year. Marhaba Million will be entered for the Triumph Hurdle at the Cheltenham Festival but will go for the Spring Juvenile Hurdle at Leopardstown in mid-February before then.

Studmaster Best In Pierse Hurdle

Without a winner since Green Belt Flyer scored at Naas in late October, trainer Jessica Harrington broke her long losing sequence in the best possible fashion by saddling Studmaster to win the 130,000 Pierse Handicap Hurdle at Leopardstown on Sunday. The 12/1 winner was given a great ride by Tommy Treacy to hold off the late effort of No Where To Hyde (6/1) by two and a half lengths with outsider Pom Flyer (25/1) back in third spot and give Jessica a second success in this prestigious event having triumphed with Dance Beat ten years earlier. On the same card, the Charlie Swan trained What A Native (4/1 favourite) took full advantage of his light weight when taking the 100,000 Pierse Leopardstown Chase under David Casey while Martin Brassil's Nickname confirmed the good impression he made when winning at Leopardstown over Christmas with another top class display to land the Grade 2 Paddy Fitzpatrick Memorial Novice Chase in great style. Formerly trained in France, this exciting prospect is likely to head back to Leopardstown on February 12th for the Grade 1 Dr. P.J. Moriarty Novice Chase before any decision will be made about the Cheltenham Festival although the major bookmakers quote him as a general 6/1 favourite for the Sun Alliance

Upcoming Race Fixtures

Thurles – Thursday 19th Jan – first race 1.05 Naas – Saturday 21st January – first race 1.15 Cork – Sunday 22nd January – first race 1.25 Fairyhouse – Sunday 22nd Jan – first race 1.15

TOURANEENA RACQUETBALL CLUB NOTES

Review of 2005

2005 proved to be a very successful year for our racquetball club at ocal. National and International levels. In March of the coming year, it's hard to believe that the club will be 9 years old and in that time we've grown to be one of the biggest and most successful clubs in the country. The key to success have without doubt been the youth policy that was put in place from the very first day. In 1997, Seamus Power won our first National junior title when he beat Templederry's Matthew Ryan to win the National Under 11 title in Arklow while 8 and half years later in November of this year, Eithne Skehan won our club's 40th National Junior Title when she defeated Castlebar's Majella Haverty in the Under 17 final in Fermoy. When starting out, Maurice Walsh who was then playing with the Minnies club in Abbeyside gave us a piece of advice that still stands to today; "Put a system in place to look after the youth and the adults will look after themselves" Many other clubs around the country are now doing the very same.

5 members of our club have represented their country in the game of racquetball over the last 12 months. In the 2 weeks prior to Christmas, Julie Skehan, Gemma Cliffe and Eileen Hickey were in the city of Juarez in Mexico where they played in the World Junior Championships. It was an unbelievable experience for them and one that they will remember for along time to come. It's just like all other sports, when you move outside our own country and indeed outside of Europe, the level and standard of play is just at a totally different height. Facilities are unbelievable; the level of financial backing shown to their athletes by their respective governments and sports councils would make you green with envy compared to what's on offer in his country. The effort put in by the Irish players and coaches prior to the Championships was top class and to return home with a total of 24 medals and some high praise from other participating countries was a just reward for them said efforts.

Our own 3 players will be well pleased with their performances and results. The experience that they will have gained will hopefully stand to them 10 fold in the near future and beyond. Julie has had an-



Irish Junior Team including Gemma Cliffe, Julie Skehan and Eileen Hickey

and this was crowned off when she partnered Fermoy's Chris Carey to win the silver medals in the 18+under Mixed Doubles Grade. Gemma is regarded by many as one of the best prospects in the game of racquetball in this country. She competed in the 12+under grade out there and did brilliantly to win the bronze medal in the division 4 section of this grade. She also won a bronze medal in the division 2 doubles grade where she partnered G Torres from Mexico. Eileen again competed in the 18+under grade where she came home with the bronze medal in the Friendship Cup. Like I mentioned earlier, all three will be well pleased with their performances and will look forward to the second half of the season with great confi-

In July of the year, Niamh Coffey, Triston Hickey and Julie travelled to Hamburg in Germany to participate in the European Championships. Again we had brilliant success with Julie winning a grade while the star of the show was Niamh where she won a total of 3 gold medals. She won the 18+under singles grade, the Open

Women's doubles grade while she was on the Irish team that successfully defended their European Team Title. A few weeks prior to these Championships, both Triston and Niamh played in the German Open with the Irish Team. It was a weekend where Triston played some of his best ever racquetball reaching both the Men's Open singles and doubles finals. En route to the singles final, Triston defeated 7 times European Champion, Joachim Loof from Germany. Unfortunately luck didn't go Triston's way in the finals but to reach them in the company if such high profile players was an outstanding achievement.

On the National Junior stage, we again proved to be amongst the strongest clubs in the country winning a total of 5 National 'A' titles and I National 'B' title. Sean Dalton was our sole winner at the 'B' Championships in Kilkenny when he defeated Fermoy's Arlen Ahern to win the under 16 title.

At the Even Championships in bronze in the 18+under singles Kingscourt, Dean Cliffe ruled supreme in the under 10 grade as he defeated Fermoy's Ronan O Hagan in straight games to take the title. Julie Skehan came up trumps in the under 18 grade when she defeated her club mate, Eileen Hickey in the final encounter. At the Uneven Championships in Fermoy, we had 3 more title wins. Niamh Coffey travelled home from her studies in Wales to compete in the under 21 grade and it was worth her while as she overcame the challenge of Ailish Gibney in the final to take her 9th National Underage Title. Eoin Kearns was cream of the crop in the under 11 grade where he defeated Kilnamartyra's Daire McLoughlin to win his second ever National title. Eithne Skehan then produced a great performance to win her first ever National title at the top level, beating Majella Haverty from Castlebar in the final decider.

There was double delight for the Skehan first cousins at the National Junior Open in Kingscourt. Conor played his best ever racquetball to beat his best mate, Eoin Kearns in the final of the under 11 grade to record his first major National win. Eithne had to survive a late scare to win the under 17 title in what was a thrilling finish. 10-6 up in the tiebreaker, she has to survive a late counter. onslaught by her club mate, Karen Cliffe to win on an 11-10 scoreline.

Niamh Coffey won our top title at senior level when she partnered Elma Gibney to win the Open Women's Doubles title in Arklow. Niamh also won the National



3 European Gold Medals

Women's Novice title while Triston became our first official Open Player when he defeated Belfast's Gary Lynch to win the National Men's

One of our best weekends of the year was in Kingscourt at the National Club Championships where we won a total of 3 titles and were so unlucky not to have won a fourth. Eithne Skehan captained our Novice Team to a second consecutive title where she was accompanied by Gemma Cliffe and Eileen Hickey, Julie Skehan captained our Intermediate team to the top honours with her team mates, Eithne and Eileen. Our third title was won by our junior Girls team of Julie, Gemma and their captain, Niamh Walsh. Our Junior Boys team of Eoin Kearns, Sean Dalton and Ronan Dunford were very unlucky to lose out in their quest for the title by 2 aces

At the Munster Senior Championships, we had a double win in the Women's grades when Niamh Coffey won the Open title and Eithne Skehan won the Novice Title. Triston was unlucky in the Men's Open title losing out to Noel O'Callaghan in a tie-breaker in the final en-

On the local scene, we ran a very successful Spring League which was sponsored by A&B Deliveries while we are in the process of finishing the Winter League which is sponsored by Richard Whitmore Painter and Decorator.

RTE's Ger Canning To Oversee Park **Hotel Awards**

wards, for Ger Canning, the voice which we associate so closely with All Ireland Day for the last twenty years of Hurling and Football Finals, will this year announce the winner in a packed, but hushed Park Hotel Banquet Hall.

The eagerly-awaited announcement, coming after Ger has put the nominees through their paces, will be made sometime approaching midnight next Saturday night. It will, for one of the twelve monthly nominees, be the icing on a rich cake, the final accolade in a season which will have already delivered its share of triumphs including that which brought them into such august company.

For the fifteenth year, the five judges will come together late this week under the Chairmanship of Fr. Pat Moran, OSA, to decide on their final choice and while any one of the twelve would be a worthy winner, there has to be a small group whose achievements in the arena through 2005 mark them out, not just as stars of the past year, but as people with a very bright future indeed.

As the final decision will not be taken until this Thursday night, any speculation on the likely outcome will remain just that, pure speculation, for while books will be written about the process of election of Pope Benedict, never a word of the Park Hotel selection process escapes the tight lips of the five person Jury. It is a matter of pride with them that the secret has always been maintained, which makes the ten-

sion and sense of expectation on the night all the greater.

And what a night it promises to be, for Waterford still has a rich seam of sporting talent which has been mined very successfully through the twelve months past and has produced more than the County's fair share

An amazing nine sports are represented, with some of the top names and participants to watch in the future, represented in Athletics (2), Basketball (2), Boxing, Cycling, Hurling, Gaelic Football, Horse-Racing, Golf and Soccer (2).

Basketball gets two bites at the cherry through player Caitriona White, the former Wildcats player, now fielding for Dart Killesters who gave a towering performance in the National Cup Final against UL, winning the Most Valuable Player trophy in the process. The other nominee in the game is the legendary Gerry Fitzpatrick whose inspirational coaching guided the Irish Senior basketball team to victories over Malta and Switzerland at the National Basketball Arena took Irish men's basketball to a new level.

In Athletics, West Waterford AC and St. Augustine's star young athlete, David McCarthy was pipped in a photo-finish and took home an 800m silver medal from the European Youth Olympics in Italy. Ferrybank AC's Máiréad Murphy won the British Girls U-17 AAA's heptathlon Championship title at Birmingham by over 500 points, and set a new personal best performance, scoring 4832 points.

Definitely a name for the future is Seamus Power, who is attracting huge attention with his ever-greater performances represented in his victory in the Irish Youths Open Championship by one shot and also an outstanding performance in the Irish Open Amateur Championship and Nissan Irish Open.

It comes as no surprise that Horse-Racing is represented by top jockey, Shay Barry, who rode Rathgar Bau in the Kerrygold Champion Chase at Punchestown, to beat odds-on favourite Moscow Flyer in a photofinish and completed the Grand National course on 200/1

October saw Hurling's Paul Flynn, out through injury for most of the season, introduced in Ballygunner's semi-final and County final win making a crucial contribution and continuing his great goal-scoring form in the Munster Club Championship.

John Hearne, the inspirational captain for Stradbally's record equalling five-in-a-row County Senior football titles, made an enormous contribution at midfield in both the Co. Final and replay to earn the November nod.

The first of Soccer's two nominees was Brian O'Keeffe, the inspirational manager of the Waterford League who led them through a tough campaign to win the Oscar Traynor Trophy for the first time since 1965, to take the May award, while Shane Robinson, Waterford's native soccer star, gave an outstanding performance for Drogheda United, helping his side to a well deserved victory over hot favourites and league champions, Cork City in December.

In February, Waterford's traditional strength in the Boxing ring was continued by John Paul McDonagh who gave an outstanding performance in winning the Irish Intermediate Boxing Championship at the Na tional Stadium, when he beat John Wallace, Dungloe BC, Donegal 8pts to 4. Rory Wyley Jnr, a cyclist with a very high standing in the UK, had a great run of form during March when he won the Des Han-Ion Memorial cycle race; was second in the Carraig Hotel Challenge Cup and came first in the Rás Luimní.

It is now up to Fr. Pat Moran, Chairman of the adjudicating panel, together with his colleagues Johnny Murphy, (Irish Examiner and Waterford News & Star), John O'Connor, (Munster Express), Catherine Power (WLR-fm) and Glanbia's Kieran O'Connor to ponder long and hard and produce this year's winner.

Like the athletes themselves, the judges effort has been a year-long one and they will arrive to the debate with their own particular preferences. Differentiating between the final three can be a monumental task and often involves burning the midnight oil.

The Park Hotel's genial proprietor, Pierce Flynn is glad to make the other arrangements for the annual exquisite banquet and is proud that his Awards Scheme is now the longest running with the recent demise of the Cork counterparts. As he made the final preparations this week, he said he was glad not to be faced with the task of deciding the winner. "All the rest of the arrangements will be in place," he said, "and it will be a proud moment for me to present the Park Hotel Trophy to the fifteenth winner, whoever that turns out to be. We are pleased to honour the top Waterford sportsperson each month and all have already proved themselves. This final accolade, which I know everyone of them would cherish, can only go to one, but that will be a champion among champi-

DUNGARVAN LADIES RUGBY CLUB NOTES

Training on Monday and Thursday at 7:30pm. We have an important game this weekend and would like to have a full squad at each session.

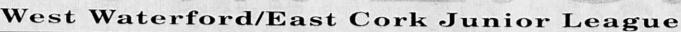
POSTPONED

Our game scheduled for Sunday last against Youghal had to be postponed as Youghal were unable to field a team due to injuries.

DUNGARVAN V SHANNON

This is our first cup game. We are away to Shannon next Sunday. Shannon are a Division 7 side and this will be a tough game for the ladies. As always we will go with an open mind and give it our all.







Ardmore Mari Mina Pharmacy Champions

LASHMORE PROMOTED

Congratulations to Ardmore on winning The Mari Mina Pharmacy Premier Division for 2005/06 season following their victory over Cappoquin on Sunday last. Congratulations also to Clashmore Ramblers who join Lismore as the two teams promoted to the 1st Div. next season.

The weather caused the canleague fixtures

ARDMORE 4 CAPPOQUIN 0

Originally Cappoquin's home Division. fixture, this tie was transferred to Ardmore when the Cappoquin ground was deemed unthe cornerstone team was very much understrength for this seasiders the league.

Considering the heavy rain deservedly so. over the weekend, the Ardmore Killian McCarthy before the Gortroe break ensured the game as a contest was over. In the 2nd was a big and very important half Ardmore did not play with result for Gortroe, as the league the same urgency as in the table shows there are four opening 45 mins, and this alteams in relegation trouble. lowed Cappoquin to come

the full time whistle there were games ahead yet great scenes of jubilation amongst the Ardmore team and supporters and overall the title two points in the whole season.

Ardmore's record in the past 4 seasons is consistency and reads 4th, winners, runners up, and now winners.

Only Lismore in the same period show any similar consis-

So we congratulate the Ardmore team on becoming champions and we congratulate their manager Declan Hennessy and his back up team of Tom disputing that Ardmore have in Conna this game was a won-

proved the best team won the cellation of 4 of the scheduled league and they become the first winners of the newly sponsored premier division, The Mari Mina Pharmacy Premier

GORTROE 4 ACCRINGTON CELTIC 2

This was a big result for the playable after the heavy rain. home side who needed the With injuries and suspensions, points to try and avoid relegation, while Accrington were hoping if they won and Ardvery important game, with an more slip up they might still Ardmore win guaranteeing the challenge for the title. However Gortroe came out on top and

The sides were level at the ground was in excellent condi- break with Patrick O'Sullivan tion and with a large home and Sean Carey swapping crowd present it did not take goals. A quickly taken free kick the champions elect very long by Leonard Byrne ended in the to strengthen their grip on the net giving the home side the championship trophy when lead, and Barry Ring increased they opened the scoring on 21 the lead before Thomas Twommins, through James O'Don- ey pulled a goal back. However nell. Jason Lenane increased Leonard Byrne scored again to the lead on 28 mins, and further restore the two goal advantage goals from Denis Flanagan and and ensure the points stayed in

As we wrote at the start this

Gortroe have 4 games to play, more into the game and they and all away. They are Bride did have a few goal chances. View, Accrington, and the two but then again so did the home relegation battles away to Kilworth and Cappoquin. Some When Eric McCarthy blew tense and nerve wrecking

VALLEY RANGERS 2 AN GHAELTACHT 2

In our preview of this game was not won just last Sunday, we wrote it is our match of the but through the season, as they day and we were neither wrong remain undefeated and drop- or disappointed. This was a They still have three games to the result in doubt right up to play and they have a chance of when Eamonn Cusack blew the bettering their record of 2 sea- full time whistle. A Timmy sons ago when they won the Power goal had the visitors in title losing only one game in the lead at the break, but the process, and Lismore, last Padraig O'Connor levelled years champions, dropped just matters 20 mns into the 2nd half. Shane Kelly restored the visitors lead and it appeared the points were Ghaeltact bound when 3 mns into injury time Paul O'Donovan popped up to grab the equaliser and a share of the points.

We know that Martin and his Ghaeltact team and supporters are disappointed that they should throw away 2 points in injury time, while Derry was beaming on Sunday evening as Power, Johnny Carlton and An- he knew that Valley got out of thony Gallagher on a job well jail, and not for the first time done, and overall there is no this season. But to the neutral

WEATHER CAUSES **PROBLEMS**

derful advertisement for the pone their promotion celebraleague.

The promotion race is between four and on paper it time, but the home side throwlooks like going to the wire ing caution to the wind atwith Valley the slight tacked the last corner of the favourites to win. But as we game with the 11 Clashmore have said so often, football is a funny old game.

ARAGLEN 7 INCH 2

As a contest this game was over midway through the 1st half when the home side led by 4gls to nil. Indeed by the break they increased this to 6 gls without reply. Paddy Kenneally and James Kearney had the home side in the lead before two og's literally handed the points to Araglen and only in the opening 25 mns. Kenneally again and Cian O'Mahony completed the 1st half scoring and at this stage the points were Araglen's. James Kenneally made the score 7 before Inch pulled back two goals through Alan Crotty and Colin Crowley. But as we wrote this game was over after 25 mns, with Araglen totally on top and are now in 2nd place in the table and must visit Valley in the concluding stages.

Next Sunday Araglen visit Inch in the Fitzgerald Cup and will be firm favourites to advance to the semi final

GLEN VIEW 2 CAPPOQUIN 5

After some very good displays from Glen View we Broderick scored we felt our prediction would be correct. However some sloppy play and fore the break to prove the of the division. That is for an point that the ball in the net is other day. better than all the position the opposition can have. In the 2nd half the visitors scored 3 times while Kevin Power had the 2nd Glen View goal.

The Cappoquin scorers were Cathal Gleeson 2 gls, and a goal each from Colin Landers, Darra Wilkinson and Johnny Morrissey. This local derby win by Cappoquin have them in joint 3rd place in the table while Glen View have slipped back into the bottom four.

CLASHMORE 3 AFFANE 2

When both sides met in Affane some weeks back the game ended in a draw and on Sunday last it appeared that Clashmore would have to post-

tions for another week as the sides were level entering injury players in and around the Affane area and when the ball was partially cleared it fell to goalie Pat O Rourke and his effort found the net much to the dismay of the visitors and to the delight of the large Clashmore contingent. The full time whistle was blown almost immediately, and Clashmore will join Lismore next season in the 1st division

Affane led at the break through a James Maher goal and Johnny Murphy equalised early in the 2nd period. Sean Fleming gave the home side the lead before a wonderful strike from John Flynn found the net for the equaliser.

From this to the end Clashmore went in search of the winner, and as we wrote in our opening lines it was on the stroke of full time when O'Rourke got the all important winner(what a week is in store listening to this).

The visitors played some of their best football all season but in the end stay rooted at the bottom of the league table, a position that belies their displays all season, but as we have written on so many occasions made them favourites to win Affane are a young side and the this encounter and when John experience gained from this type of situation will stand to them next season.

We congratulate Clashmore missed chances by the home on their promotion and what a side paved the way for the visigame will be in store when they ping only 2 points in 11 games. cracker from start to finish with tors to come back into the play Lismore in what should be game and they scored twice be- the game to decide the winners

W.W.E.C. **League Table**

(WEEKENDING 15/1/06) **MARI MINA** PREMIER DIVISION

	P1.	W	D	L.	F	A	Pts	
Ardmore	11	10	1	0	25	4	31	
ismore	10	4	4	2	20	17	16	
Brideview	11	5	1	5	25	26	16	
Accrington	10	5	0	5	16	16	15	
Cilworth	10	3	2	5	22	25	11	
Cappoquin	11	3	2	6	19	27	11	
nch	11	3	1	7	18	26	10	H
Gortroe	10	2	3	5	19	23	9	I

SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS **DIVISION ONE**

Valley Rangers	11	8	3	0	20	10	27
Araglen	11	7	1	3	35	16	22
Mogeely	9	5	2	2	18	9	17
An Ghaeltacht	10	5	1	4	25	13	17
Pinewood Rgs	10	4	1	5	15	20	13
Blackwater Rgs	9	2	1	6	14	20	7
Castlebridge	9	2	1	6	14	29	7
Inch	11	1	1	9	10	34	4

KENNEALLY ROCHFORD ASSOCIATES LTD. DIVISION TWO

Lismore	11	9	2	0	35	14	29
Clashmore	11	9	1	1	40	11	28
Cappoquin	11	5	1	5	23	19	16
Modeligo	11	5	1	5	19	21	16
Brideview	9	3	2	4	17	23	11
Glenview	11	3	2	6	16	19	11
Affane	11	1	1	9	16	33	4
Castlebridge	9	1	1	7	8	34	4

DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP

At the delegate meeting on Monday night last the draw for the 1st and 2nd round of The Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup was made by Mr. Philip O'Flynn Dungarvan Tyre Centre. At the outset Michael McBride League Chairman thanked Philip for his continued sponsorship of theDungarvan Tyre Centre Cup, and he wished the 24 reams the very best.

We publish the 8 games in the 1st round which will be played on Sunday 29th January.

Valley Rgs A v Pinewood Rgs Cappoquin B v Kilworth Celtic Clashmore Ramblers v Ardmore Blackwater Rgs v An Ghaeltacht Modeligo v Castlebridge B Glen View v Lismore B Mogeely v Inch A

Cappoquin A v Accrington Celtic.

As can be seen from above there are some very exciting cup ties and we will preview the 8 games in our notes next week.

W.W.E.C. LADIES LEAGUE **Ladies League To** Kick-Off In March

The ladies league will be back up and running before we know it. It is hoped to start this league in late March. Before that the ladies A.G.M. will take place.

This season the ladies league will be brought under the S.F.A.I. There will be plenty to do before this launch will take place sometime in March

That is why the ladies A.G.M. will be very important this season as a committee will have to be put in place for the new season and the launch of the league under the S.F.A.I.

W.W.E.C. RESULTS

MARI MINA PHARMACY PREMIER DIVISION

> Cappoquin 0 Ardmore 4 Gortroe 4 Accrington Celtic 2

SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS 1ST DIV

Araglen 7 Inch 2 Valley Rgs 2 An Ghaeltacht 2

KENNEALLY ROCHFORD

ASSOCIATES LTD 2ND DIV

Glen View 2 Cappoquin 5 Clashmore 3 Affane 2



West Waterford/East Cork Junior League



Staunton

& Robson

In our travels to games last weekend we were asked on

many occasions our views on The FAI appointment of

Steve Staunton as manager of the Irish team assisted by

Bobby Robson. Our answer was quite simple that it will

be a new era in Irish football and while it was an appoint-

ment we did not think was on the cards a few weeks

back, hopefully it will be an exciting period in football

again. With the passion he displayed in the 102 appear-

ances in the green jersey, it is hoped he can carry that

same passion in his managerial role in one of the most

high profile sporting positions in the country. There is no

need to chronicle Bobby Robson's career in our notes as

With a lot of negative comments been written by various

commentators re the lack of talent for the international

team, one only has to look at the Irish U19 and U21

teams and also see some of the emerging Irish talent

across the water to realise that with proper management

and the passion in the green jersey Ireland can once

again be the force they have been in the last ten to fifteen

his managerial experience is legendry.

w.w.e.c. previews

LIAM FITZGERALD CUP (SPONSORED BERTIE O MAHONY FITTED **FURNITURE) SEMI-FINALS**

Inch B v Araglen

Last Sunday both sides met in the league and Araglen had a resounding win scoring seven goals in the process. That game was played at Araglen and on Sunday next the cup game will be played at the Inch venue. On league form it is very difficult to see Araglen being defeated and one would expect to see them in the cup semi final draw.

Inch have had only one league victory all season and are on the point of relegation and even with home advantage we cannot see them winning. Araglen to win.

Mogeely v Affane

As with the other semi final we have a promotion chasing side playing a bottom of the table team, but this time there is a division between them. Affane have been playing attractive football all season but they are a young side and will take at least another season to adjust to the pace of competitive football. Their results belie their performances and with some luck should be higher up the league table. Mogeely on the other hand are fighting for a promotion spot and already have the experience of a cup final when on St Stephen's Day they were defeated in the Tony Bolger Cup Final at Lismore by Accrington Celtic. On paper they are cannot have support to cheer on their league the stronger side and fighting for promotion to team.

the premier they should be that more experienced. Mogeely to win.

MUNSTER SENIOR LEAGUE v WWEC JUNIOR League

Avondale Park is the venue for this the final game in the group section with both sides needing a win to advance to the next round of The Oscar Traynor Cup. The Kilkenny League have defeated both leagues already while our WWEC side drew with the South Tipperary league in Cappoquin in November. Home advantage and experience deem the Cork outfit to be favourites, but we know that will suit our team and on the day will not be found wanting.

The Kilkenny score after Christmas did not do justice to WWEC and we think, depending on the players available that we will advance to the open draw and knock out stages. Both Liam Fraser and Joe Tobin have worked hard with the squad of players and many training sessions have been held. This is a young squad of players and the future does look bright for the league in this highly competitive competition.

We would appeal through our notes for as many as possible travel to support the team and the management committee have in an effort to facilitate support cancelled all league games with just two cup semi finals down for decision. With the venue in easy travelling distance there is no reason why every club in the league **YOUTHS LEAGUE**

Inter League Game

Our Under-18 Inter League game against the Desmond League, Limerick was called off due to the weather and will now go ahead on Saturday, January 21st.

Many clubs were trying to protect their pitches for games on Sunday stated Manager Ray Fraser. The weather was so poor during the week it's hard

EAST CORK OIL YOUTHS LEAGUE Back

To The .eague

urday next for our youth teams. Two games take place next Saturday one in An Ghaeltacht and

The draw for the Leonard Fraser Cup will take place in February

interested, enter your team wit the **East Cork Oil Youths League** R.D.O. on 087-0508623 if you are An Ghaeltacht v Brideview not attached to a club, but have a Utd. Kick off 2:30pm. Ref: P.

Blackwater Community School All 2:30pm. Ref: S. Pratt.

Cancelled

to blame clubs added Fraser.

It's back to the league on Satthe other in Inch.

> **FIXTURES FOR** SATURDAY NEXT, **JANUARY 21ST**

Inch v Cappoquin. Kick off

FAlreland

W.W.E.C./F.A.I. **TECHNICAL NEWS**



we hope to keep them as use

What better way to shed that ex-

cess weight than to get back play-

ing some fun soccer against lads in

a similar condition as yourself. We

do not expect the standard to be

too high so there is nothing to fear.

The plan is to play 7-a-side com-

petition, but on the first night we

may play 5-a-side to start off. A

panel of 10 with free movement of

substitutions in and out. Any clubs

team we can accommodate you.

Weather, Lismore.

Thursday ready to go at 7pm.

friendly as possible

dates are as follows Cappoquin - July 3rd to July 7th. Brideview Utd, Tallow - July

coach to child ratio of approx. 1:12

will be assured. The venues and

10th to July 14th Ballybridge Utd, Ballymacoda -July 17th to July 21st.

Ardmore - July 24th to July 28th.

Friday Floodlit Football The U8 and U10 boys and girls soccer in Lismore is on as usual this Friday. We encourage all clubs to have their players in club jerseys as we may have a photographers

Managers Meeting

A meeting of all managers will take place at the venue this Friday have parents to supervise the children for the duration of the meeting which should be no more than 20 must be taken regarding the strucincorporate some coaching.

Fixtures

6pm - Ardmore v Valley U8 6pm - Ardmore v Valley U10 6:45pm - An Ghaeltacht v Lis-

more U10 6:45pm - Brideview v Valley U8 Oscar Traynor team and a great girls

7-30pm - Brideview v Valley/Lis-7:30pm Lismore v Cappoquin U8

boys 8:00pm Cappoquin v Watergrasshill U10 girls

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grasshill U8 boys 8:45pm Cappoquin v Watergrasshill U8 girls

Masters Football

We kick off with the Masters Football on this Thursday. As we stand we have six teams interested being made with this squad and they take on Cappoquin U16 team and we intend to start playing at 7pm. Anyone interested in a game next Sunday morning in Affane at should come along and join in the 11am. All players to be at the venue fun. The first night will be somewhat informal and afterwards we will sit down and formulate some For next Summer we have decid-rules. Any group of forty someed to run 4 Pepsi Summer for boys thing's can come together to form a and girls from 6 to 14 years. Only team and indeed we may allow a qualified coaches will be accepted few over 35's on each team. The

OSCAR TRAYNOR CUP Carrigaline The Venue

On Sunday next our Oscar Traynor Cup side are away to the Munster Senior League in a game which both sides need to win if they are to advance to the next round so its all to play for in Carrigaline.

Our preparation for this game has not been great stated Joe Tobin, due in the main to the weather but we are hoping to have almost a full turnout at training, tonight Wednesday continued Tobin.

It's a must win game for both teams but we will need to improve on our first half performance which we gave against Kilkenny if we are to get a victory here added Tobin. However, we will give it our best shot and that's all

We wish the lads the best of luck on Sunday next.

FIXTURE

Avondale Park, Carrigaline on Sunday 22nd January. Munster Senior League v W.W.E.C. Kick off 2pm.

years. So let us give the new management team the chance to prove themselves and restore some of that lost pride. W.W.E.C.

SUNDAY 22ND JANUARY

Fixtures

OSCAR TRAYNOR CUP

Munster Senior League v WWEC Junior League at Avondale Park 2 p.m.

LIAM FITZGERALD CUP SEMI FINALS (SPONSORED BERTIE O'MAHONY FITTED KITCHENS)

Inch B v Araglen 11.30 E Cusack Mogeely v Affane 2.30 pm Alan Jones

FIXTURES THE DIARY

SATURDAY 28TH JANUARY

YOUTH INTER LEAGUE

WWEC V The Desmond League

SUNDAY 29TH JANUARY LUCOZADE SPORT MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP

> Lismore v Irish Examiner/Evening Echo Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup (1st Round)

> > **SUNDAY 5TH FEBRUARY**

League games in the three divisions

MONDAY 6TH FEBRUARY

League Delegate Meeting, Red House Bar Lismore

THURSDAY30TH MARCH & FRIDAY 31ST MARCH

Fashion Show at Lismore Castle in aid of West Waterford Hospice and the Youghal Hospice.

TECHNICAL Coaching Courses Together with the F.A.I. we have put together a programme of coach-

ing courses for the year. The dates will be addressed to as much as is possible. If you are interested in any of our courses, please get your name in early as course places may be limited.

Kick Start 1 - March 3rd and 4th. Kick Start 2 - April 29th and 30th Goalkeepers Course - May 13th Level One Youth Cert - September 22nd, 23rd and 24th.

If you are interested contact your R.D.O. Michael at 087-0508623.

Oscar Traynor Cup Squad Our final game in the group stages is on next Sunday, January 22nd. Training continues on at 8pm. Please insure that your Wednesday in Lismore at 8:45pm.

Development Squads - An Ull Development Squad is to be selected over minutes. A number of decisions the next few weeks. Elite players will be selected from the League ture of the games and how we can Cup matches and assembled for regular weekly coaching sessions. Squad manager will be Brian Shannahan and coach will be David Lenane. David is new to our team and holds a Level One coaching cert. He is currently a player on our

Under-12 - Coaching continues more U10 girls for this squad on Sunday next at 6pm at the Blackwater Community School, Lismore. Declan Barron is Manager and is assisted by Pat Power. Players please bring E3 each to cover the cost of the facili-

role model for our younger n

Under-13 Kennedy Cup — Trials and coaching for U14 Kennedy Cup Squad also goes ahead in Lismore on Sunday next at 7pm. Players please bring E3 each to cover the cost of the facility.

Under-14 - Great progress is by 10am.

Summer Soccer Camps

for coaching on the camps and a rules have not yet been finalised so



Future Shoots

Please note as and from Sun. 22nd January pended for a period due to course mainte- we can consider in the future... nance. All shoots will be carried out at Chavasse's until further notice. By order of the course directors.

A Special Thank you

Special mention to the following stores who helped us out with prizes for our shoot over Christmas. Enrights Spar in Abbeyside, Walshes Spar in O'Connell Street, Nugents Centra 3D targets from each one, then everybody Store in Abbeyside, both Supervalu Stores and Maurice Butlers. Our thanks to one and all.

Indoor 3D Archery

I have recently been in contact with Peter Good fun!

Hudson who is now back home in Canada, Peter sent me a few photos of their indoor 3d Shoots at our Cóilte course have been sus- shoot which they hold. Maybe its something

Peter left the following message

The Rocky Mountain Longbow Association's mid January shoot. The camera flash isn't strong enough to illuminate the whole area. The dark blotches are artificial trees.

There are 12 shooting positions across the floor, and groups of two or three shoot at two moves to the next shooting position to the right. After the first dozen targets, we break for chilli and pop, then shoot another dozen.

CUNNIGAR PITCH AND **PUTT CLUB**

TOURNAMENT

Last Wednesday, the ladies had their tournament. Once again a big turnout of players was the order of the day. In the Nett it was the one and only Wyn Colligan who won this. In the Gross it's the very consistent Corienne McGee who got the prize. Well done to all the

BONUS BALL

Well done to Kit McCarthy who won the bonus number on the 7/1/'06 and 14/1/'06.

COMMITTEE MEETING

There will be a committee meeting on the 19th January. All committee members to at-

COUNTY BOARD A.G.M.

The County Board A.G.M. will take place in the Cunnigar club on the 26th January at 7pm. If anyone is interested in going on the County Board, please attend.

MEMBERSHIP '06

We are open for membership 06. Here is a list of membership fees:

Family E140; Adults E70; O.A.P.'s E45; Juveniles E40.

Pitch and Putt is a game that can be enjoyed by all the family, so why not join today and give it a go. You can all down to the clubhouse any Wednes-

Waterford Sports Partnership WISHING YOU AN ACTIVE NEW YEAR!



PARTNERSHIP

2005 was a very productive year for Waterford Sports Partnership. The Buntús Programme for Primary Schools has now been delivered to all 78 Primary Schools in Waterford. WSP courses such as SAQ, First Aid and Child Welfare were all very well attended and very well received by all participants. WSP also ran some exciting new courses/seminars such as the Media/Sponsorship/PR Seminar and Drugs Awareness. The Older Adults Festival and the Tall Ships crew activities were also a great success.

2006, a new year and new opportunities for Waterford Sports Partnership in our mission to get Waterford more active, to support sporting volunteers and to improve opportunities for participation. Our focus for 2006 will include the development of a Club Development Programme, Buntús Start for the Pre-School sector, Facilities Audit, celebrating sports volunteers, strengthening NGB, School & Club link-

We would like to wish all our readers a happy & active new year and take this opportunity to encourage you to contact Waterford Sports Partnership with your ideas, opinions, suggestions and comments.

NOW BOOKING!!

Child Welfare & Protection Training, City Hall Waterford Tuesday 31st January 2006, 6 - 10 pm Drug Awareness & Information Workshop, City Hall Waterford

Monday 6th & 13th February 2006, 7 - 9.30 pm

OLDER ADULTS

The weekly Activity Morning in Dungarvan Sports Centre for Older Adults will start up again on Thursday January 26th from 11.30 to 12.45. All are welcome!

WSP NEWSLETTER

The latest issue of our Newsletter is now available, please contact the office for a copy or visit our website to download

Contact Us

Tel: 058 21192 / 051 849855

Email: info@waterfordsportspartnership.ie Website: www.waterfordsportspartnership.ie

Stradbally **Soccer Notes**

The latest draw took place in the Bally Inn last Sunday evening and the numbers called were 1, 9, 15 and 23. No one claimed the jackpot despite a number of very close calls and the following won 25euro each, Philomena Baker, Dean Carey, Bridget Drohan and Teresa Hurton as promoter. Next draw on Sunday week in Whelans. Please support.

CONGRATS DUNGARVAN

Great to see Dungarvan United comfortably defeating Star Rovers in the last 32 of the FAI Junior Cup. Best of luck in the

All games were called off last weekend due to inclement weather. Does the idea of summer soccer seem more plausible?. The only teams in action were our Academy players who were

in action against Railway of Cappoquin. All our players enjoyed a number of games and we thank Railway for coming down to us. We will be going to Railway in the return tie in the next two months.

STONE PICKERS

As everyone knows we have a lot of surface stones on the pitch and we need to take them off. This is natural for a new

We have set this Saturday morning at 10.30am for just two hours aside for all players, be it under-15, under-16, youth and 2nd Division and anyone else prepared to help to come along with a screw driver. We need to do this for the safety of all players, that's why we are calling on all players just to help in a small way.

CHRISTMAS DAY SWIM

Anyone with outstanding money, please get it in now as we hope to have the money ready for presentation by the end of this month. Sponsorship money can be handed into Nina, Stuart or Garvan.

FIXTURES

Sat 21st Jan Under-16 Home v De La Salle 2.30pm. Sat 28th Jan Under-11 Away v Bohs B 10.30am. Sat 28th Jan Under-15 Home v St Pauls 2.30pm. Sat 28th Jan Youths Away v Piltown 2.15pm. Sun 29th Jan 2nd Division Away v Seaview 11am. Sat 4th Feb Under-12 Away v Abbeyside 10.30am Sat 4th Feb Under-16 Away v Seaview 2.30pm

Waterford Hot-Rod Club

-"The Pike" Dungarvan-

ford Hot-Rod Club came together for another race meeting. We had cars from Waterford, Wexford, Cork and as far as Kerry and Limerick. Despite the cold weather and Christmas season we had no shortage of drivers or spectators. St. Stephens Day was just a fun day of racing with the Dick Mackey Perpetual Cup for the driver with the most points on the day. The drivers the ambulance were, as always, at hand on the day in case of many mishaps. Also in between every race we had driftproved very entertaining to watch with both young and old. We had three rounds of races the last round an all, always very exciting to watch. The results of the first round of races

CLASS 1

pass the checkered flag was 389 Jerry Tobin in his Fiat 127 and Alan Dunne in 3rd place.

CLASS 2

for Opel Corsas saw 547 Pat 205 taking 3rd place. Whelan from Bunmahon take The juniors were next to take

Monday the 26th of Decem- first place followed closely by to the track which is divided ber (St. Stephen's Day) Water- 261 Richard Harney from into two races. Annestown and 518 Damien 3rd place

CLASS 3

A class that is getting faster every Sunday saw 712 Ger Cronin the first to pass the checkered flag followed by 294 Paddy O'Sullivan and 346 Aidan Murphy

CLASS 4

The cars with the 1.4 litre entheir best on the day and gave Cottor followed by 16 Kevin plenty of enjoyment to the McGann in his Toyota Starlet spectators and the officials and and 144 Dave O'Leary from O'Sullivan and Ray D'Arcy. Wexford in his Ford Fiesta taking a respective 3rd place.

CLASS 5

This race was a very entering cars take to the track which taining race with Alan D'Arcy driving 447 taking first place, Ian O'Leary 144 from Wexford taking second place and Paddy Browne in a comfortable 3rd position.

CLASS 6

One of the most entertaining races of the day had a very The first car of the day to close first place with the speedy car number 418 Tony Whelan in his Volkswagon followed by 411 Derek Butler Golf taking first place followed very closly by 368 Ray D'Arcy in his well set up Peugot 205 The increasingly popular race and Ian Larcy in his Peugeot

Juniors 1 up to 1 litre engines Power from The Pike taking had 222 Philip Heery take first place followed by 110 Ciaran Flynn and 19 Stevie Bumster in his Opel Corsa.

Juniors 2 up to 1.2 litre engines, first to pass the checkered flag was 106 David Murphy followed by 46 Tomas Casey in his Opel Corsa and 3rd 343 Daniel Cronin.

We had two more rounds of gines showed good competion races the last being all in races this coming Sunday 22nd Janulike every other Sunday gave it on the day with 265 Phelin which were very entertaining.

Cup was a tie between Paddy welcome from 14 years

RACE NIGHT

night for the club, please come along and support us. All money raised will go towards the track etc.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Our annual A.G.M is in the 6th February, a Mondety night in Bridgie Terries starting at 7:30pm. All drivers are encouraged to come along.

RACE

MEETING

Our next days race meeting is ary. Anyone interested in join-The Dick Mackey Perpetual ing up come along all are wards. If you have any further information contact club se-We are having a race night in cetetry Eoin Mackey on 086-Bridgie Terries on Friday night 3169612. Remember the track 27th January a fundraising is for speeding not the road.

WATERFORD G.A.A. FIXTURE

Saturday, January 21st

Co. Minor (B) Football Final Replay

At Lemybrien 2:00pm: Ballyduff Upper v Roanmore (B. Power) (Extra time if necessary)

CO. AWARDS PRESENTATION NIGHT

The presentation of the Co. Board Player of the Year Awards for 2005 as well as the Jack Furlong and Club of the Year Awards will take place in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on Wednesday, February 1st at 8:30pm. A limited number of tickets will be on sale to the public and these are available from John Jackson or Emer Barry.

Dungarvan G.A.A. Club Notes

The following have been ratified as selectors for the coming

Intermediate Football: Bobby Lyons Manager, Pepe Ferncombe and Connor Lannen and Peter Queally selectors

Intermediate Hurling: Connor Lannen Manager, Whacky, Bobby Lyons and Peter Queally as selectors Junior Football: Sean Murphy Manager, Kieran Curran,

Paddy Fitzgerald as selectors Junior Hurling: Sean Murphy Manager, Kieran Curran and

Paddy Fitzgerald as selectors U21 Football: Trevor Galvin Manager, Bobby Lyons, Keith Radley and Johnny Lynch as selectors

U21 Hurling: Derek Lyons Manager, the selectors to be de-

Minor Football/Hurling: Ciaran Curran Manager, Pat Curran, Henry O' Keeffe, Dermot O' Callaghan and Alan Fitzgerald as selectors

MEMBERSHIP

The following are the prices for the coming year Player 30 Euros, Non Player 15 Euros, Student Players 20 Euros, Husband and Wife 20 Euros and Juvenile 10 Euros

DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE The following are on our development committee Ciaran

Curran, Paddy Fitzgerald and Paul Ahern

INDOOR HURLING

Indoor hurling has started again Tuesday Nights U12 5 - 6pm Friday Nights U5 - 65 - 6pm Saturday Morning U8- 10 11am - 1pm

LADIES FOOTBALL

The AGM takes place this coming Friday night at 8pm everyone welcome

JUVENILE CLUB

A meeting will take place this coming Thursday night at 7.30pm all committee members are asked to attend

Our presentation night takes place on the 9th February at 8pm. Paul Flynn will be on hand to present the medals and the medals will be presented to the following U13s for the Fitzgerald Cup, U14s Feile western Medals and the U16s Western Hurling and Football.

On this night the Country Store Dungarvan all Star team will be announced and here are the nominations for the positions;

Goalie

Sean Crotty Kevin Daly Darran Duggan David Moore Gavin Power

R/C Back	Full Back	L/C Back
Rian Crotty	Craig Barry	Joseph Allen
Neill Fitzgerald	Tomas Cleary	David Crotty
David Houlihan	Brendan McCarthy	Shane Duggan
Brendan McCarthy	Killian O' Dwyer	Tomas Harty
Jack Morrissey	Daniel Sheridan	Patrick Houlihan
Ian Sheehan		Conor Sheridar
Ian Sheehan		Tony Walsh

R/H Back Derek Barry Tomas Harty Eoin Healy Timothy McGrath Richard Walsh

Centre Back Karl Duggan Luke Egan Gavin Power Richard Walsh

L/H Back Eric Duggan Neil Fitzgerald Paudie Kiely Denis Kirwan

Sean Ryan

L/H Forward

Gavin Crotty

Patrick Curran

Mike Daly

Ryan Davis

Sean Duggan

Centre Field

Gavin Crotty Shane Crotty Cathal Curran Wayne Ducey Frank Duggan Darragh Lyons Kenneth Moore Sean Ryan

R/H Forward
Mike Byrne
Cormac Curran
Frank Duggan
Keith Healy
Lee Hyslop
Sean Hyslop
Glenn Power

R/C Forward

Johnny Barry

Patrick Curran

Craig Flynn

Craig Kiely

Anthony Dalton

Shane McGrath

Centre Forward Colm Curran Wayne Ducey Liam Ryan Craig Shead

Cormac Curran

Kevin Daly

Jimmy Harty

Shane Hickey

Sean Hyslop

Michael Walsh

Adam Kelly L/C Forward **Full Forward** Trevor Crotty Ryan Donnelly Barry Hamiliton Lee Hyslop Conor Mulcahy Glen Power

CALENDARS

There are a few calendars still remaining to buy if you haven't already got one

SYMPATHIES

The Dungarvan Club would like to extend its sympathies to the Mullins family on the death of Margaret Mullins.

<u>HARTY CUP - MUNSTER COLLEGES SENIOR HURLING QUARTER FINAL</u>

Colaistí na nDéise Meet St. Flannans (Ennis) in the **Quarter Final**

the past two years and are tingent. going for three titles in a row, a

with 21 Harty Cup titles. They from Cork, Galway and Limerhave won this competition for ick as well as their Claire con-

For Colaistí na nDéise, it is School, Dungarvan CBS, fact they have recently their second time to reach this Meanscoil San Nicolás, An D. Leahy (Lismore), S. Leahy achieved in 1998, 1999 and stage of the competition. To Rinn and St. Augustine's. 2000 and again in 1989, 1990 reach this stage they had hard Panel: S. Enright (Abbey- (Abbeyside).

Waterford side Colaistí na and 1991. St. Flannan's in this earned victories over De La nDéise have been drawn years competition had victories Salle, Waterford 6 points, against St. Flannan's, Ennis in over Cashel, North Monastery Charleville CBS 5 points, Cothe quarter final of his years and Glanmire and were surpris- laiste Chriost Rí 3 points and Harty Cup to be played on ingly beaten by St. Colman's. Colaiste na Spioraid Naomh, Murchú (Ring), B. Phelan (Bal-Wednesday, 25th January at a St. Flannan's can still call on Cork 7 points. Colaistí na linameela), W. Flynn (Dungarvenue to be decided. St. Flan- many of last years winning side nDéise will have to raise their nam's lead the role of honour and have prominent players game substantially if they are to C. O'Gorman (Lismore), J.J. overcome St. Flannan's. The Coffey (Touraneena), J. O'Gor-West Waterford side is drawn man (Abbeyside), J. Cooney

side), B. Walsh (Abbeyside), G. Dunphy (Ballydurn), J. Maher (Geraldines), S. Fives (Tourin), P. Murray (Tourin), P. Horkan (Fourmilewater), E. Brackett (Abbeyside), M. Landers (Cappoquin), K. McCarthy (Modeligo), S. O'Hare (Abbeyside), D. Phelan (Ballinameela), P. O van), C. McGrath (Brickeys), from Blackwater Community (Brickeys), D. Hennessy (Ardmore), M. Drohan (Stradbally), (Lismore), J. O'Mahoney

BRICKEY RANGERS G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

The club held our Annual General Meeting in the Club Pavillon, Bushy Park on Saturday evening last. Outgoing secretary Richard Halpin began with the minutes of 2005 A.G.M. The Chairman Brian Hilliard in his address spoke of the proposed further development of the club. The outgoing secretary Richard the success of the club on and off the field and winning the Courty final in Junior Hurling. The outgoing treasurer Pauline Sheehan gave a precise account of income and expenditure of the club during the past year. Angela Whelan, underage secretary, gave a report of activities in the playing field at Pavilion, Bushy Park on Saturjuvemile level and Jacinta Gee day, 28th January at 7pm. gave a report on Scor and the success of the club at the Read-oiri finals in 2005.

Halp in: Treasurer: Pauline any promoter. Shee han; Asst. Treasurer: Brian Hilliard; P.R.O.: Nollaig Halpin; Membership Officers: Brian Hilliard, Treas Cummins; Deise Draw Co-ordinator: Kay Barry; Registrar Insurance Officers: Jim Mc-Grath: Executive Committee: Conor Blackwell, Una Cotter, Jacin ta Gee, Joe Keane, Michael Keohan, John Mc-

Sliabh gCua/ St. Marv's GAA Club News

AGM Our AGM will be held on Centre. All players and mentors please attend.

Annual General Meeting Carthy, Mark Nugent, Eddie O'Grady, Paddy O'Keeffe, Angela Whelan, Breege Whelan, Denis Herlihy; U21 Reps: Tommy Lynch and David Hickey.

Team Managers

Intermediate Football: Jim McGrath; Junior Football: Anthony Murphy; U21 Football: Pat Nugent; Minor Football: Jim McGrath; Intermediate Halpin spoke in his report of Hurling: Deferred until players meeting; U21 Hurling: Michael Shalloe; Minor Hurling: Darren Cooney, Gerry McGrath.

In his conclusion Brian Hilliard thanked all at the meeting, which was well attended.

Players Meeting

A players and managers meeting will be held in the Club

Brickey Mini Lotto

The Lotto draw was held in Bridie Dee's bar on Thursday Election of Officers - Presi- last. Numbers drawn were 8dent: Pat Foley; Vice Presidents: Patsy Donnelly, Richard winner. E25 winners were Whellan, John Joe Sheehan; Mary Nic Craith, Tony Shalloe, Hon. Life President: Mairead Alan Curran, Rose Whelan. McG rath; Chairman: Brian This weeks draw will be held in Hilliard: Vice Chairman: Pat the Tudor House bar and the Barry: Secretary: Kay O'Con- jackpot will be E980. Tickets nell; Asst. Secretary: Richard only E2 each available from

Sympathy

The club extends sincere sympathy to Jim Johnson and family, Lackenfune on the death of his mother Margaret. May she rest in peace.

Course Information

Waterford Sports Partnership will be holding the following courses and workshops during January and February.

1. Child Welfare and Protection - 31st January.

2. Drugs Awareness and Information Workshop - 6th and 13th February.

3. REC 2 (Emergency Care First Aid Course) - 25th and 26th February.

If anyone is interested in any Sunday next, 15th January at of the above please contact An-3.30 pm in the Community | gela Whelan on 058-45810 for more details. Early booking is advisable.

GAELIC GAMES COACHING CORNER

School Coaching Visits

For Tuesday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday

24/01/2006 to Thursday 26/10/2006 24/1/06 Bunscoil gleann sidheain 25/01/06 Abbeyside 26/01/06 Garranbane

Schools Visits

GPO's have recommenced the schools visits programme. The visits from now until the end of the year will be Hurling visits. All pupils should make sure that they are wearing Tracksuits and runners on days of visits for safety reasons.

Indoor Hurling

The Indoor Hurling leagues will begin in the next few weeks. There will be leagues in the City, East and West Waterford. GPO's will be in contact with clubs with fixtures etc.

Coaching Information Night

Wednesday 22nd February is the night for all clubs to receive information about the coming year. On this night clubs will receive information about Summer Camps, Development Squads, Club na nÓg, Hurley/Helmet Subsidy etc.

PP Blitzes

The Eastern 2nd Year Hurling blitz will take place on Thursday 23rd February in Waterford. Schools are asked to have the number of teams back by end of January.

Level 1 Course

Level 1 Courses for Hurling and Gaelic Football will take place in February. One will run in Dungarvan and one in Waterford. This is aimed at coaches of U16 and above teams in both Hurling and Gaelic Football. Participants must have completed the Foundation Level Course to attend Level 1. Clubs must return numbers to GPO's by Friday 27th January.

A talk on Physical Fitness/Strength and Conditioning Work will take place in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on Monday 30th January at 7.30pm. This will give people a chance to gain knowledge of how to train players in Fitness and Strength work along with skill work. The Speaker will be Gerry Fitzpatrick, Waterford Senior Hurling Trainer.

On Monday 6th February a talk on Nutrition & Diet with emphasis on Sport will take place in Lawlor's Dungarvan at 7.pm. The Speaker will be Aisling Murphy, a dietitian from the

Health Promotion Unit All interested in attending these two talks should contact their GPO for further details. There will be a cost of €20 to

Summer Camps

cover costs of speakers and handouts etc.

The Cul Summer Camps will be launched nationally on Monday next Jan 16th. The Waterford launch will take place at the Coaching Information night on February 22nd. This year's camps will run over 5 days going back to the original format of camps in Waterford. All clubs will be receiving additional information in the coming weeks after the national launch.

Foundation Level Courses

Foundation Level Courses will be offered to all new coaches and beginners. Should a club have over 12 people a course can be run in that club otherwise clubs can come together to get people for courses.

C.A.A. NOTES

Waterford Senior Hurling 2006 Panel

A total of fourteen clubs are represented on the county senior hurling panel, all but two of the senior clubs, Abbeyside and Roanmore, have one or more representatives on the list.

Gone are Fergal Hartley, Paul Foley, Brian Wall, Edmond Rockett and goalkeeper, Stephen Brenner. Paul Flynn, Ballygunner, who is in his thirteenth year with the county team will take the role as captain for the first time. Not available at the moment are Wayne Hutchinson, who is carrying an injury after the Munster Club Championships and Tony Browne, who is believed to be in Canada.

The panel is as follows: Clinton Hennessey, Wayne Hennessey, Seamus Prendergast, Ardmore, Tom Feeney, Ballyduff, James Murray, Tallow, Eoin Murphy, Shamrocks, Aiden Kearney, Tallow, Paul O'Brien, Tallow, Dennis Coffey, St. Marys, Dan Shanahan, Dave Bennett, Lismore, Liam Lawlor, Fourmilewater, Ken McGrath, Eoin McGrath, Eoin Kelly, Mount Sion, John Mullane, Brian Phelan, Kevin Moran, De La Salle, Paul Flynn, Gearoid O'Connor, Tommy Power, Ballygunner, John O'Leary, Jack Kennedy, Ballyduff, Ger Power, Michael Walsh, Stradbally, John Hartley, Portlaw, Shane O'Sullivan, Ballygunner, Conor Carey, Passage, Tony

No substitute goalie has been named on the panel.

ALL STARS

With Dave Bennet, Lismore, being named as an All-Star replacement, the number of Waterford players travelling to Singapore on this Wednesday morning will number seven, which is a record for the county. The other members are Paul Flynn, Dan Shanahan, John Mullane, Eoin Kelly, Seamus Prendergast and Ken McGrath.

Seamus Prendergast Honoured

The popular Ardmore player who received an All-Star nomination this year and who was selected as 'Player of the Year' by the awards committee in the county received a further honour last weekend when he was named as the WLRFM Granville Hotel GAA Player of the Year at their banquet on Friday last. This latest victory entitles him to two weeks holi-

Rumours are abounding that the transfer meetings, East and West, will see a number of prominent players moving the allegiance this year. It is already officially announced that Paul Foley has returned to Stradbally in hurling and football from Ballugunner and Gaultir, Tom Feeney is back with Ballyduff and confirmation is awaited about the movement of two other county panellists.

In the West this Friday is named as the last date for the acceptance of transfer applications and tomorrow, Thursday, is the deadline in the East. The Eastern Board will hold their first meeting at Dunhill on Monday next and the Western Board will meet on Wednesday 25th January.

The Annual Awards Night has now been fixed for Wednesday February 1st and will be held at Lawlors Hotel. Tickets will be available for purchase on a limited basis and details of this will be announced over the weekend.

DEISE DRAW

expected that the Deise Draw 2006 will run for a period of eight months instead of nine.

The one month which was to be allocated to the county board was intended to assist clubs to pay their first year's levy. This has now been cancelled and all clubs will be expected to pay their levy direct. Only about half the clubs have already met their obligations in this regard. The official launch of the draw will take place on Monday next.

Minor Football County Final Replay

The replay of the drawn minor football B county final between Ballyduff and Roanmore is scheduled for Sunday next at Fraher Field. The drawn match was featured by an amazing comeback by Ballyduff, who at one stage were eleven points in arrears.

After the final, Roanmore made it clear that they felt that they had let the game slip, having it well within their grasp at one stage. Since the replay, Ballyduff have been awarded Club of the Year and the win here would further embellish their profile of 2005.

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Spirited Performance by Waterford Footbalers

McGRATH CUP SENIOR FOOTBALL — Kerry 2-10 Waterford 2-2



Waterford Senior Footballers who were beaten by Kerry in the quarter final of the McGrath Cup 2-10 to 2-2 at Fraher Field, Dungarvan on Sunday last. —(Photos by Sean Byrne Photography).

terford senior footballers can be Eoin Brosnan to see off the saw Kerry lead by three after pleased with their performance home sides challenge. The win- 22 minutes before Karl O'Keagainst Kerry in the McGrath ners led by double scores at effe added another point four Cup quarter final at Fraher half time, 0-4 to 0-2, after the minutes later before midfielder Field on Sunday. Kerry fielding opening quarter failed to pro- Kieran Denaghy gave Kerry a nine of last years championship duce a single score. A brace of two point half time advantage. restart and immediately added a point. Suddenly Kerry led by 6 points, 1-5 to 0-2

bound after John Hurney's goal ond goal came in the 42nd with honey. Eoin Brosnan the scorer after saved following a defence split- Laurence Hurney. ting run. It was as close as Wa-

Despite an 8 point defeat Wa- from Adrian Mac Gearailt and one from Paul O'Connor (free) terford came but they can be pleased with their overall performance.

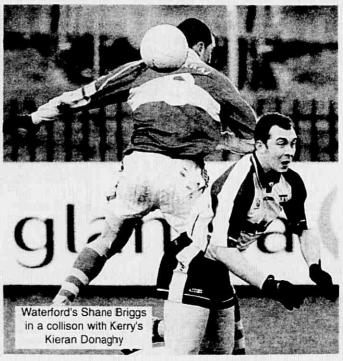
Kerry: Diarmuid Murphy, Tom O'Sullivan, Aidan O'Mahoney, Padraig Reidy, Tomas O Sé, Michael McCarthy, Brenside needed second half goals points from Mac Gearailt and Mac Gearailt had the opening dan Guirey, Kieran Denaghy goal four minutes after the (0-1), Paddy Kelly, Declan O'-Sullivan, Eoin Brosnan (1-1), Aodain Mac Gerailt (1-3), Darren O'Sullivan (0-2), Adrian Waterford were right back in O'Connor, Paul O'Connor (0the game in the 38th minute 2). Subs: Kieran O'Leary for A. when Brian Wall had the first of O'Connor, Brendan Kelly for his two goals when he finished Darren O'Sullivan, Sean O'Sulthe ball to the net from a re- livan (0-1) for Mac Gearailt, Giles O'Grady for McCarthy, effort was saved. Kerry's sec- Adrian O'Connell for O'Ma-

> Waterford: Thomas Wall, Darren O'Sullivan had pointed Kevin Coffey, Laurence Hurminutes earlier. The visitors ney, Andrew Heffernan, added three unanswered points Michael Ahern, Shane Briggs, in a five minute spell to lead by Paul Ogle, John Dempsey, 2-9 to 1-2 with five minutes. Patrick Hurney, John Wall, Credit to Waterford they contin- John Hurney, Brian Wall (2-1), ued to press forward and were Karl O'Keeffe (0-1), Cillian rewarded when Wall had his O'Keeffe. Subs: J. Hurney for second goal when he again re- Ahearn, Jason Ryan for acted the fastest to a rebound Dempsey, John Phelan for J. after Garry Hurney's shot was Wall, Stephen Prendergast for

Ref: Ml. Ryan (Limerick).







WATERFORD CRYSTAL CUP SENIOR HURLING

Comprehensive Victory for Limerick as Waterford Fade Out in Second Half

9 points gap illustrated the dif- rehearsal of their possible ference in standards as the visi- championship clash in June but tors, showing far more appetite as it transpired the game, by any for the game, scored a decisive stretch of the imagination, could and deserved victory over a not be described in this way. Deise fifteen whose lack of fit- The result means that we will ness became obvious as the not be playing Tipperary, as exgame progressed. The condi- pected, in Walsh Park on Suntions were totally unsatisfacto- day next and maybe this is just ry, as the ground was very soft as well since seven of our first and sticky, making it difficult team will be missing. Our next for both teams to cope with the match will be against a third resultant problems. In fact one level college team. might question the wisdom of playing the game at the city

ty of the opposition.

This was a game in which the many to be something of a dress

PLAY

Paul Flynn opened with a venue, given the atrocious point from play in the second weather of the weekend.

point from play in the second minute and Mark Keane Waterford fielded the selected equalised in the fourth minute. side in their positions and Lim- A great point by John Mullane, erick, who fielded nine of their followed by a Conor Carey championship team, showed score, also from play left us two changes from their pub- two points up by the eight lished line out. The fact that minute. James O'Brien and over the sixty minutes Limerick Conor Carey exchanged points shot a total of 13 wides as and a fine score by Niall Moran against just 5 for Waterford, left the visitors a single point in further illustrates the superiori- arrears after the first quarter. John Mullane and Mark Keane The game was expected by exchanged points before An-





Waterford SH team who were defeated by Limerick in the Waterford Crystal Tournament on Sunday last.

Waterford's Eoin Murphy and James Murray and Limerick's Mike O'Brien.



Waterford's Dan Shanahan and Limerick's Stephen Lucey.

favour of Limerick

SECOND HALF

and Paul O'Grady ended the Moran, both in the 49th minute. scoring with a point to leave the Newcomer Conor Carey play-

20 minute. First the first time in restored Limerick's lead and were achieved by Limerick. the game Limerick went ahead then there followed a period of Our final score of the game in the 23rd minute when James supremacy allowing them to came in the 62nd minute when M. O'Brien, J'. O'Brien, N. O'Brien pointed from play and score five times without reply substitute Dave Bennett con- Moran, A. Shaughnessy, S. O'this was followed by a Niall in the next nine minutes. Scores verted a sixty five metre free. Connor, M. Keane. Substitutes Moran goal in the 26th minute. by Mark Keane and Donal O'- The game was watched by a played: D. Ryan, D. O'Grady Conor Carey had his third point Grady, Niall Collins were fol- crowd of 500 spectators in wet and M. Fitzgerald. of the game in the 30th minute lowed by rapid points by Kevin and misty conditions. halftime tally at 1-7 to 0-6 in ing at centre forward for Water- D. Ryan, 0-2 each, D. O'Grady, phy, G Power, W. Hennessey, J. ford and who was one of our M. Collins, K. Moran, M. Mullane, C. Carey, E. Kelly, D. stars of the game shot to the net Walsh A. Shaughnessy, N. A point from a free from Paul after receiving a pass from sub- Collins, O. Moran, B. McGrath Flynn. Substitutes played: E. Flynn in the opening minute stitute Gearoid O'Connor in the was followed with a John Mul
54th minute. However, this 1-3, J. Mullane 0-3, P. Flynn 0
Bennett, and J. Kennedy.

drew Shaughnessy brought the lane point in the 34th minute; a score did not as expected, spark

2 D. Bennett 0-1.

Limerick: T. Houlihan, D. sides level at 0-5 apiece in the super score by William Walsh a revival as the next five scores Moloney, S. Lucey, M. O'Riordan, W. Walsh, B. Geary, O. Moran, P. O'Grady, N. Collins,

> Waterford: C. Hennessy, T. Scorers: Limerick: N. Moran Feeney, J. O'Leary, D. Coffee, 1-3, M. Keane 0-3, J. O'Brien, B. Phelan, J. Murray, E. Mur-Shanahan, S Prendergast, P.

> > Referee: D. Kirwan, Cork



Waterford's Seamus Prendergast and Limerick's Niall Collins.



Waterford's Clinton Hennessy saves under pressure from Limerick's Mark Keane.

C.A.A. NOTES

FRAHER FIELD

Contrary to an official announcement made two weeks ago the closure of Fraher Field for resodding of the goalmouths

The announcement led to some confusion as the Waterford v. Limerick Crystal Cup match, which was fixed for Dungarvan, had been transferred before it was discovered that resodding had not commenced.

With the venue then free it was possible to play the Waterford v. Kerry McGrath Cup match there on Sunday last. This was originally fixed for Killarney or Limerick depending on the outcome of the game between Kerry and AUL which was played on Saturday. In fairness to Waterford it would be unreasonable to expect them to make travelling and catering arrangements on Saturday night or Sunday morning and therefore the Council agreed to play it in Dungarvan.

CHAMPIONSHIP **FORMAT**

Considering the amount of aggro and controversy about championship format and the claims by many clubs that the present systems in hurling and football are unsatisfactory, it was amazing to find that only two further clubs submitted proposals for the 2006 championships. Friday last was the closing date and only Mount Sion in the East and Clashmore in the West submitted proposals to the county secretary.

A very comprehensive plan for both senior championships had been submitted by the Tramore club and distributed to all clubs in November last; this particular formula appears to have attracted very little support because of its complicated nature. It is understood that the Clashmore proposal relates to league style championships and that the Mount Sion proposal is a form of knockout.

It is also understood that Mount Sion are proposing that the minor hurling county championship be played on an all county basis.

It is now known that WIT will not be fielding a team in the Championship this year and there is still no news of group team applications. If a league style championship is decided on, it is certain that group teams will not be taken on board. It is also been made clear that if a league style championship is decided on that midweek games must be part of the arrangement. This would place an enormous burden on clubs, most, who have players studying and working outside the county. All clubs will receive a copy of the proposals in the coming days and only those listed will be on the agenda for discussion at the special meeting on Monday January 30th at Lawlors

SWITCH OF VENUES

Following representations by the management the county board has agreed to switch the two home venues for the national Hurling league. This means that the Waterford v Wexford first round match scheduled for February 19th will be changed from Walsh Park to Fraher Field and the Clare match due to be played on the following Sunday will go ahead at Walsh Park

In relation to the Wexford game it is interesting to note that in 1956, when Wexford were All Ireland Champions. Waterford played a draw with them in the first round of the National League that year and this was the game that sparked off Waterford's greatest hurling era, 1956 to 1959. Both Wexford and Waterford have won only one All-Ireland each since.

LANDSDOWNE ROAD

This venue is very much in the news lately and is likely to continue to be so for the rest of this year. Following the decision of Annual Congress of 2005 to allow Croke Park be available for other sports there has and will be speculation about the progress of their planning application. The IRFU and the FAI jointly submitted planning applications to the Dublin Corporation on Thursday of last week and it will be interesting to see if approval is forthcoming in time to meet the February 2007 deadline for the commencement of work on the ground before Ireland play France in the Six nations Rugby Championships.

CROKE PARK NEGOTIATIONS

In a statement issued by the GAA during the week the admitted that in relation to international rugby and soccer matches being staged at Croke Park discussions are still ongoing and will continue over the coming weeks. The IRFU and FAI are keen to swiftly conclude agreement for the lease of Croke Park for the period that Landsowne road will be closed which is believed to be for 28 months.

The main sticking points are the rent to be charged, the use of the corporate boxes and free access of juveniles to some

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Seamus Prendergast Takes WLR FM/ Granville Hotel GAA Award 2005



Seamus Prendergast, was announced as the overall winner of the WLRfm/Granvillle Hotel GAA Award at the Gala Banquet in the Granville Hotel. Seamus is pictured seated with guest speaker Tomás Mulcahy. Back row: Caroline Dwyer, WLRfm, Mayor of Waterford Cllr. Hilary Quinlan; Pat Flynn Chairman County Board, Liz Reddy, Head of Sport WLRfm, Liam Cusack, Granville Hotel, County Mayor, Cllr Ger Barron and Tim Hassett, WLRfm.

Inter-county and Ardmore sen- award win, Des Whelan said that bre of the 12 monthly winners, winners from last year shows just FM/Granville Hotel GAA Award

monthly award in July last for his land Quarter-Final at Croke Park. While Waterford narrowly lost the last eight encounter with the eventual All-Ireland champions, Seamatch' and was also named Waterford Hurler of the Year for 2005.

The Ardmore clubman was also a Vodafone All Star nominee in both 2004 and 2005.

He received the award at a gala banquet attended by all 10 award winners from 2005 in the Granville Hotel on January 13. Television pundit and former Cork hurling star Tomas Mulcahy was guest speaker at the dinner with guests also addressed by the Mayor of Waterford, Cllr Hilary Quinlan while the Mayor of County Waterford, Cllr Ger Barron also attended.

Accepting the award. Seamus said that while last year was a disappointing one for the county senior hurling team and mentors, it won't be difficult to motivate the team this year. "I can see us doing well with the right preparation and with everyone pulling together in the right direction. There is nothing between us and the Cork, Clare, Tipperary and Kilkenny teams. It's only a puck of the ball. You never know what happens on the day; we could come home with a Munster title.'

On a personal level, Seamus said, "İt's nice to be getting awards. In years to come I know I'll appreciate it more. It's nice to be thought of as a good individual on the team but there are 25 on the panel at the moment and everyone puts in the same effort. I was just lucky enough to get the award that's the way I see it.'

Congratulating Seamus on his

ior hurler Seamus Prendergast the Ardmore player was part of a has won the overall WLR formidable Waterford full-forward line along with Paul Flynn and Dan Shanahan. "Seamus has county senior hurling team and display against Cork in the All-Ire- his performances for his club and county have rightly seen him highly praised by many respected commentators.

"I'm sure that the judging panel mus was named 'man of the for the awards will have had a

have taken overall honours.'

Confirming that the awards will Granville Hotel continues to flourish. "The awards are followed keenly by GAA supporters ary 19 game. each month and I know there's

any of whom could reasonably how wide-ranging the GAA's scope in Waterford is.

"Gaelic games are very imporcontinue in 2006, Des Whelan tant to us at WLR FM and we The centre-forward had won the excelled since coming on to the said that WLR FM were delight- again look forward to charting ed that their partnership with the the county senior hurling team's progress this year, beginning with live commentary on their Febru-

> WLR FM broadcasts on often considerable debate before- 97.5/95.1/94.8 FM while you can hand about likely winners. In also listen online at



Prendergast. Back row: Patrick Prendergast (brother); Pat Prendergast (father); Declan

Prendergast (brother) and Lisa Prendergast (sister).



Granville Hotel. From left: Clare O'Donnell (aunt); John O'Donnell (uncle); Eileen O'Donnell (mother); James O'Donnell (father); Mary O'Donnell and James O'Donnell (brother).

Tourin G.A.A. And **Neighbourhood Notes**

The AGM of the Tourin GAA Club will be held this Saturday, 21st January at 8.30 pm sharp. Venue: Tourin Hall. All existing and intending members are invited to attend. The final phase of the development workshop was completed at Ballinvella Community Centre last Wednesday night. The County Development Co Ordinator John O'Leary was pleased with our efforts and wished us well as a club for the future. Congratulations to Mary O'-Donoghue, Boolakiely, on her recent engagement to Mike Landers, Ballysaggart. Congratulations to Fionán Murray, Kilbree, Cappoquin who participated in the Young Scientist Exhibition in Dublin - Fionán's project was based on the making of a more durable hurley. Fionnan also spoke on the Ian Dempsey's Breakfast Show on Thursday morning and is a pupil of Blackwater Community School

Clashmore/ Kinsalebeg G.A.A. Club Notes

The club lotto is again starting to build after its all time high before and is still an attractive sum. Thanks to all our sellers and buyers for continuing to support the club.

AGM

Our annual general meeting was held last Friday night in the heritage centre where a large crowd were in attendance. Chairman Pat O'Halloran, Secretary Noel Nugent and Treasurer Tom Dee gave comprehensive reports on 2005 for the club. Officers were elected for the coming year. The meeting finished with a mild discussion and was over in about an hour (possibly a record).

Officers for the coming year: Chairman Pat O'Halloran; Vice-Chairman Declan Hickey; Secretary Noel Nugent; Vice-Secretary Pat Collins; Treasurer Tom Dee; P.R.O. Kieran Connery.

Committee; Mick O'Neill, Tony Hickey, Riam Curran, Tim O'Keeffe, Eamon Beresford (Juvenile), John Foley (Ladies) **Conquer Cancer Presentation Night**

The presentation night has been fixed for Saturday the 28th of January in Ui'Dhomhnaills bar Clashmore. The Raffle prizes, Man of the Match award and cheque donation will all take place so we hope to see you all there. Could any outstanding tickets and money be given to Jonathon Flavin by this weekend.

Ladies AGM The ladies club AGM will be held on this Friday night in the clubhouse at 8pm sharp. Players, Parents and anyone interested in becoming involved with the ladies club are asked to attend. All are extremely and warmly welcome

Social Tickets will soon be on sale for our annual social night to be held in the Park hotel on Saturday the 11 th of February. A great night is in store and we invite the whole parish to attend.

GERALDINES GAA NOTES

LOTTO - 13th January 2006 - Winning numbers 4,11, and 12. No winner. €20 winners - Niamh Kiely, Aglish, John Moynihan, Kereen, Tommy Kiely, Dungarvan, Gina Carlton, Villierstown and Jack Dower, Curradarra. Next weeks jackpot is €2000 and the draw is in Kereen.

WATERFORD LADIES **FOOTBALL NOTES**

County Training

All County players please note sults at the end. change of training times from next Saturday, 21st January. The starting time of training is at 10:30am in the Friary grounds for teams namely:

U14 years with Brian Wall; Minor with Peter Jordan at 10am; Junior with Jimmy O'Rourke and John Freune at 10am.

Senior with Michael Ryan and B. Grant at 10am.

Your managers are anxious for all players to make the effort and turn up early. Matches will be starting shortly. The first team in action are the Senior players, asked to send in their players, as proud to have it displayed.

teams need to bond early for re

Officers Meeting The County Board Officers meeting will be held in Lawlor's Hotel next Tuesday night, January 24th at 8:30pm sharp. All of-

Co. Board Meeting

ficers are asked to attend

The next Co. Board meeting will take place on Tuesday, 7th February at 8:30pm. All clubs to be represented.

History Of Clubs

Clubs are reminded that the history of their clubs is to be in Co. Board meeting on Tuesday, 7th who take on Dublin at home. The February. Please make the effort venue to be decided. All clubs are to locate your history and be

Cois Bhride Juvenile G.A.A. **Club Notes**

TRAINING RESUMES

timetable to run it off smoothly.

THE FUTURE OF THE CAMAN?

It's always nice to see local people doing well at national activity, so we would like to congratulate Finan Murray, Cappoquin, for coming 2nd in his category in the recent Young Scientists Exhibition in the R.D.S. the normal caman, and doesn't ward as well.

split, eliminating the need for a Indoor training for our Primary hoop. It can be made as heavy or hurlers has resumed after the as light as required, and has a soft Christmas break in Tallow Hall feel when striking the sliothar, on Friday nights with everyone i.e. no sting from the strike, and eager to get back to action fol- doesn't require a turn in the lowing a couple of weeks inactiv- grain. Haven't seen one myself, ity. Once again the timetable is; but no less a man than Justin Mc-Junior & Senior In- Carthy was very impress fants; 7.10 to 7.45, 1st one when shown it recently, Class; 7.45 to 8.30, 2nd and 3rd though he did say that he would Classes. Again we would ask the like to see how it would fare out parents to try and keep to the in a match. Given the amount of money hurleys cost clubs nowadays, especially juvenile ones, an unbreakable hurley would be some asset if it were possible. Well done Finan, glad to see level, be it G.A.A, Drama or any some of Fintan's craftmanship has rubbed off!

SELECTORS FOR 2006 Many people have already put their names forward for selectors for the coming year, but there are with a very interesting project still a few gaps to be filled, so if about the humble hurley stick. anyone is prepared to get in-Finan, who is a star player with volved with any team, contact Cappoquin and Blackwater Com- cathaoirleach Eamon at 024munity School, has patented a 97417, or runai Brian or anyone new type of hurley made up of of the committee. Once again, as laminated strips of ash glued to- an equal opportunities employer, gether to make a very durable we would welcome any ladies stick that is much tougher than who want to put their name for-

Stradbally GAA Club Notes

TRIP TO BARCELONA

Barcelona this weekend. Don't forget your passport. The bus will leave the village at 3.30 am sharp on Friday. Anyone late will have to make their own way to Dublin.

PARK HOTEL SPORTSTAR

Best of luck to John Hearne in the final of the Park Hotel Sportstar on Saturday night. John was the monthly award winner for November following his outstanding performances in the drawn and replayed county finals. **BANK NIGHT**

The annual bank night takes place in Lawlor's Hotel this Thursday night at 7 pm.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership of the GAA and Social Centre is now due and can be paid to Michael Walsh.

SOCIAL on Saturday, February 18th.

Music is by Gerry Walsh and It's all systems go for our trip to Dallas. Tickets will be on sale

SYMPATHY

Our club extends deepest sympathy to Paudie Flynn, Ballylynch on the death of his sister Colleen. May she rest in peace.

SYMPATHY

Our club extends sincere sympathy to the Fennell family, Ballyvoile on the death of Mary Quinlan, Rathgormack. May she rest in peace.

SYMPATHY

Our club extends deepest sympathy to the family of Alice Whelan, late of Ballyvoile. Alice's brother John Power was a member of the five in a row team of the 1940's. May she rest in peace.

ON COUNTY DUTY We had a number of players on county duty with Waterford footballers and hurlers over the week-Our victory social goes ahead end. Unfortunately both teams were beaten.

ABBEYSIDE/ **BALLINACOURTY** G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Players Meeting

Our players meeting took place on Saturday night last in Abbeyside school Hall and there was an excellent attendance on the night. Let's hope that these numbers can be maintained on the training field for the year.

Club Social

The Annual Club social takes place on Saturday, February 4th in Clonea Strand at 8pm. Over the past number of years this has proven to be a most enjoyable night for people of all ages in the club and this year we are fortunate to once again have a number of medals to present namely Junior Hurling League, Minor Hurling Western Champions, Minor Football Western and County, and U21's Football Western and County. Tickets costing E25 are available from all committee members and we would ask all those who intend going to purchase their tickets quickly.

Mass

Mass for all deceased members takes place on Sunday, January 29th at 9:30am in Abbeyside

All team mentors are asked to note that both our pitches are currently closed. **Committee Meeting**

At last weeks meeting of the Juvenile committee the following

were elected as managers for the year: Under 10 - Larry Cliffe; Under 12 - Ray Moloney; Under 14 -Michael Collins; Under 16 - Deckie Hourigan; Minor - Matty

There are still one or two selectors positions to be sorted out and we will have them all for next weeks notes.

Under 12

The Medal presentations to the County Champions will take place on Saturday, January 28th.

Indoor Hurling

The Indoor Hurling coaching sessions have now resumed in St. Augustine's as usual on Friday nights.

SHAMROCKS G.A.A. **CLUB NOTES**

Sympathy

We offer deepest sympathy to the family of the late Tom D. Moloney, Ballyphilip, who died last week after a short illness.

In his younger days Tom was a prominent G.A.A. players and was a member of the Knockanore Football panel that won the County championship in 1940. Our sympathy is also extended to the family of the late James Daly, Rhincrew who also died last week.

Ar dheis De go raibh a siad:

A.G.M.

As a mark of respect our A.G.M. which was to take place last Friday night was cancelled and will now be held this Friday night, January 20th at the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore preceded by Mass in Knockanore Church at 7:30pm. All existing members are expected to attend and new members are welcome.

Club Lotto

The numbers drawn on last Saturday night at the Shamrock Inn were 15-16-19-20 and there was no jackpot winner.

E20 consolation prizes were won by Mick Guiry, Carnglass; Liam Casey, Ballyphilip; Ita Butler, Dunmoon; Joanie O'Neill, Ballynoe; Mary Hickey, Moonang.

The next draw will take place on Sunday night, January 22nd at Lombard's, Lackaroe and the jackpot will be E5,250. Tickets at E1.50 each can be had from the usual promoters.



Patrick Hogan from K.C.K. Athletic Club was the winner of the Combined Waterford Credit Unions Athlete of the Month for December. Patrick was a recent Under 16 All Ireland Cross Country winner. Pictured from left: Pat Murphy, St. Dominic's Credit Union: Derek Hogan (brother): Mary O'Mahony, Lisduggan Credit Union; Patrick Hogan (Dad); Patrick Hogan Jnr., recipient; Robert Grace, Waterford Credit Union and John Harty, coach.

West Waterford/East Cork Schoolboy League

UNDER-12 LEAGUE TRIALS

These have been progressing well and the level of interest shown has been superb. A great turnout again on Sunday last at the Affane venue where the squad were put through their paces. We will know the Dates and venues for our games this week, which has us playing four games away to Cork and Waterford and at home to North Tipperary and Kerry. Special thanks to Christopher Power and Daviv Gartland who acted as goalkeepers last Sunday. The squad will assemble again at the Blackwa ter Community College Astro turf pitch on Sunday evening at 6.00 p.m. All players to bring €3 for cost of pitch hire

UNDER-14 SQUAD

This squad has also been together and the interest shown at the Kennedy cup is still evident which is why we are looking forward to some good displays from this bunch. It is expected that they will also have a match this Sunday.

KENNEDY CUP

The Under-13 squad is also coming together and while it is early days, yet the level of interest shown would indicate that this group who go to Limerick in June can also do well. We hope that all players chosen put in the required effort as R.D.O. Michael Looby along with the team mentors are leaving no stone unturned in search of talent. This squad will come together in Ardmore on Sunday 22nd January at

Under-16 League: Pinewood 1 Cappoquin 1 Watergrasshill 1 Brideview 3 Under-12 A League:

Under-12 B League: Brideview 5 Lismore 3 The bad weather led to one or two cancellations but clubs are urged to explore all alternatives before canceling any fixture. Clubs who

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are falling behind will have to play on both Saturday and Sunday so that the league is not held up. Any club whose pitch is unplayable must travel to the opposition venue if it is

FIXTURES Saturday 21st January Under-14 League

Clashmore vs. Valley Rangers 2.30.pm. David Sullivan 087-6503791

Watergrasshill vs. Ballybridge 2.00.pm Seamus Forde 086-8196443 Castlebridge vs. Brideview 3.00.pm. Eamon

Cusack Under-12 A League

Castlebridge vs. Ballybridge 1.30.pm. Eamon

Under-12 B League Gaeltacht vs. Lismore 11.30.am. Paul

Sunday 22nd February Ardmore vs. Watergrasshill 12.00pm Johnny

MacMahon

Under-13 Kennedy Cup Squad in Ardmore at

Clubs are asked to contact one another as well as the referee each Friday night to make sure everything is ok before travelling. A number of new referees are currently being given games so clubs are especially asked to look after them. If any referee has ring Declan on 087-9126566 so that a replacement can be drafted in. It is great to see people interested in doing games and where possible we will accommodate as many referees as pos-

sible each weekend but where double headers are involved the same referee does both games. Apologies to David and Seamus last week for the mix up.

CUP DRAWS

Under-16 Draw - Cappoquin vs. Pinewood winner vs. Watergrasshill 1st semi final Brideview vs. Clashmore winner vs. Valley 2nd semi final

Under-15 Cup draw

Watergrasshill vs. Pinewood winner vs. Clashmore 1st semi final 2nd semi final Cappoquin vs. Valley Rangers

Under-14 Cup Draw A Watergrasshill vs. Brideview

B Ballybridge vs. Clashmore

C Castlebridge vs. Ardmore D Valley vs. Cappoquin

Semi Finals Home Venue C v A and B v D U13 League Cup Format 2 groups 1st and 2nd teams to semi finals

Group 1 Ardmore, Valley, Gaeltacht, Bally-

Group 2 Castlebridge, Cappoquin, Watergrasshill, Pinewood

U12 Cup Draw

Valley vs. Watergrasshill 2 Cappoquin vs. Brideview

A Gaeltacht vs. winner game 1 B Ballybridge vs. Lismore C Ardmore vs. winner game 2

D Castlebridge vs. Pinewood Semi Finals Home Venue C v A and B v D U11 League Cup Format 2 Groups 1st and

2nd teams to semi finals Group 1 Ballybridge, Cappoquin, Water-

Group 2 Valley, Ardmore, Castlebridge and Lismore

This will be a 9 a side competition played on the Astro Turf on Friday Nights.

St. Augustine's College Senior **Hockey Notes**

The story so far our first game of 2005 was away to Midleton. This was a very hard task to start with. The first half saw a lot of changes for both team. Midleton took an early lead. The friary were looking at a defeat but in true friary spirit the girls battled their way back into the game. After some great build up play by Emma we got a goal score by Ciara. It ended in a 1 - 1 draw giving us two points. This was a great display by our defence Roisin, Ann, Claire and Oonagh.

St. Augustines vs. Ashton (Cork)

After a big effort in training sessions the girls were ready for the visit of Ashton. The Friary took an early lead the goal was scored by Aoife.

Ashton replied with a goal it looked like a draw which would by a good result against a strong Cork team. The Friary girls had other ideas and pushed for a winner with minutes left up stepped Susi with a cool finish and the games winning

Final score 2 - 1 we took all three points. Players that stood out were Susi (Captain), Aimee, Caroline and Aoife.

St. Augustines vs. St. Angelas (Cork)

Confidence was high in the Friary hockey camp after previous great results. St. Angels visit to St. Augustines was met by a professional performance on the pitch. The Girls hit Six goals this power display by the whole team. Result 6 - 0 goal

Susi, Aine, got a goal each Tess and Lorraine two goals each. Another valuable three points in the bag. Result 2 - 1.

St. Augustines vs. St. Als (Cork)

Final match in 2005 was home to St. Als. Before the game stated it was clear that Als were well organized. The game started at a blistering pace Als hit first with a well-taken goal. The game was very physical with both teams giving a 100 %. Was there any why back for the friary yes after some great play by Michelle in mid field the ball broke to Aine and she pushed it home to tie the game. With only minutes left no team could find a winner overall a fair result and the girls gaining another two points. Players of the match Ciara and Tess. Result 1 - 1.

This was the last game of 2005 with exams and Christmas holidays the girls would not see a hockey pitch for three weeks. To keep fit and sharp the girls did a number of training sessions over Christmas this showed the girls dedication and pride in representing their school. The first game in 2006 we traveled to Mount Mercy Cork

The girls went with high hopes but this was going to be the hardest game to date.

The all weather pitch was very wet and slippery some of the girls had some bad falls. The home team had every advantage possible so there was no surprise when they took the lead with a well worked goal. The girls were in for a real test they looked like no way back but just before half time we were handed a life line when we got a penalty. Susi stepped up under pressure she stayed the coolest player on the pitch and vith great accuracy pushed the ball into the goal.

The second half started all square the friary began to pile on the pressure and made a very good Cork team look very ordinary. We had chance after chance we could not get another goal with two minutes left to play Mount Mercy got a free and the girls switched off for a split second and in a cruel twist of faith they scored. To the girls credit they played till the final whistle but they lost for the first time. There was only one word to describe the mood after the game of the team, coach, Umpire and even the bus driver we were all gut-

The positives taken from the game are the girls matched Mount Mercy for skill and determination. They have all learned a valuable lesson that the whole team must concentrate for every second of the game. If the girls learn from this game and put it into practice they can beat Bandon who they play in their final league game. With ten valuable points gained out of a possible fifteen and three points still to play for St. Augustines still have a chance to win the league best

weather conditions **FIXTURES** Schoolboy Fixtures, Saturday 21st Jan. U-16 Park Rangers v

Abbeyside. COMMITTEE

Anybody interested in becoming a committee member can do so by tact the committee as Abbeyside is contacting any committee member. Everybody welcome.

NOTE TO ALL

MANAGERS

Please make sure flags are brought in to chase all doors and Sunday last and qualified for the Pat have organised this team well for the second time in 3 years.

lock up when done. Please adhere last 16 of the FAI Junior Cup. It's All games called off due to to this as it makes all our jobs a lot

> **FOOTBALL LEAGUE** FOR GIRLS

Waterford Schoolboy League are currently trying to set up a girls league. Anyone interested in forming a schoolboy team please cona growing area and would be fitting soon. to a girls team to our ranks.

CONGRATULATIONS

To our neighbouring club Dungarvan who were victorious on

flag. Us at Abbeyside would like to wish them every success in the fu-

GET WELL SOON To U-12 player Anthony Fitzgerald who is just home from hospital recovering from an operation. Let's

hope to see him up and about again SCHOOLBOY ROUNDUP

very well after a slow start. Jim and

and are currently 3rd in their great to see a local club flying the league. This is a very young team and if it's anything to go by it looks very promising for the future.

Our under-15 are currently struggling in the lower half of the league. On paper the panel we have looks unbeatable but not to worry, if it's anything to go by we will break our duck soon.

Our under-16 are doing very well. They are very strong, they had a very good SFAI run. If re-Our under-12 are currently doing sults continue the lads will bring the league title back to the village



Park Hotel DUNG/4/13/V/4/11/53



(Boxing)

(Basketball) Former Wildcats basketball stalwart, gave a spectacular display in the National Cup Final, scoring thirteen points in Dart Killesters victory over University of Limerick, taking the MVP trophy. gal, 8pts to 4.

JOHN PAUL McDONAGH

For his outstanding performance when winning the Irish Intermediate Boxing Championship at the National Stadium, when he beat John Wallace, Dungloe BC, Done2005 SPORTS STARS

The Park Hotel is offering readers the opportunity to win a VIP weekend for two in the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis or Imperial Hotel, Cork. There is also a runners-up prize of dinner for two in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan.

All you have to do is pit your skill against our panel of judges and choose which one of the Park Hotel Sports Stars of the Month (as shown) will be chosen Waterford's Supreme Sports Star for 2005.

On Saturday, January 21st, a Gala Banquet will be held in the Park Hotel where the winner will be announced. So fill in the coupon straight away and you could be one of the lucky winners!

JULY



DAVID McCARTHY (Athletics)

West Waterford AC and St. Augustine's star young athlete, was pipped in a photofinish- took home a 800m silver medal from the European Youth Olympics in

AUGUST



MAIREAD MURPHY (Athletics)

Ferrybank AC, won the British Girls U-17 AAA's heptathlon Championship title at Birmingham by over 500 points, and set a new personal best performance, scoring 4832 points.

MARCH

CATRIONA WHITE



RORY WYLEY Jnr. (Cycling)

Had a great run of form during March when he won the Des Hanlon Memorial cycle race, second in the Carraig Hotel Challenge Cup and came first in the Ras Luimni.



SHAY BARRY (Horse Racing)

Rode Rathgar Bau in the Kerrygold Champion Chase at Punchestown, to beat odds-on favourite Moscow Flyer in a photofinish and completed the Grand National course on 200/1 Shamawan.

MAY



BRIAN O'KEEFFE (Soccer)

Inspirational manager of the Waterford League who lead them through a tough campaign to win the Oscar Traynor Trophy for the first time since 1965, beating Galway League 1-0.



SEAMUS POWER (Golf)

Birdied the final two holes to win the Irish Youths Open Championship by one shot and gave an outstanding performance in the Irish Open Amateur Championship and Nissan Irish PHOTOS BY SEAN BYRNE

READERS COMPETITION

MY CHOICE FOR THE WATERFORD SUPREME SPORTS STAR FOR 2005 IS:

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SEPTEMBER



GERRY FITZPATRICK (Basketball)

His inspirational coaching guided the Irish Senior basketball team to victories over Malta and Switzerland at the National basketball arena which took Irish men's basketball to a new level.

OCTOBER



PAUL FLYNN (Hurling)

Out through injury for most of the season, his introduction in Ballygunner's semifinal and County final win was crucial, and continued his great goal-scoring form in Munster Club Championship.

NOVEMBER



JOHN HEARNE (Gaelic Football)

Inspirational captain for Stradbally's record equalling five-in-a-row County Senior football titles, his midfield performance was enormous in both Co. final and replay.

DECEMBER



SHANE ROBINSON (Soccer)

Waterford's native soccer star, gave an outstanding performance for Drogheda United, helping his side to a well deserved victory over hot favourites and league champions, Cork City.

Waterford Supreme Sports Star for 2005 c/o The Park Hotel, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford

Closing date is Friday 20th January. Results will be published.

RULES

1 — The employees and immediate families of the Park Hotel are not eligible to enter.

2 — Prizes cannot be refunded for cash.

3 - The judges decision is binding and no correspondence will be entered into.

Dungarvan United A.F.C. Notes



Pictured above is the Dungarvan United Premier squad who beat Star Rovers 2-0 to advance to the last 16 of the F.A.I. Junior Cup. Back row (I. to r.) Eoin Morrissey, Jeff Allen (physio). Timmy Kiely (sponsor of Dungarvan Premier side), Christy Ross Power, Kevin Walsh, Tony Fitzgerald, Alan Landers, John Power, Craig Cowming, Chilly Lyons, Crohan McGregor, Noel Twomey (coach). Front row (I. to r.) John Paul Donnelly, Tommy Butler, Mark Crotty, Colin Walsh, Ross Power, Mark Hyslop, Clive Crotty and Pepe Ferncombe. (Photos by Sean Byrne)

Blues Advance After Powerful Performance

C U B E PRIVILIE II.

Dungarvan's John Paul Donnelly heads clear against Star Rover's Patrick Barry during their FAI Junior Cup match in Kilrush Park, Dungarvan.

OUNGARVAN 2 STAR ROVERS 0

Dungarvan advanced to the last 16 in the FAI Junior Cup on Sunday with a very emphatic win over Rock Rovers of Limerick. The team spirit and strength was shown on Sunday morning when at least six of the Premier team were out in Kilrush Park at 9 am to see if there was any way they could help with removing water from the pitch. An atmosphere of ninety could be felt with these lads and it proved what a small effort can do to make this team great. Dungarvan's two goals were scored by Tommy Butler on the 49th and 64th minute. The draw for the next round will take place on Friday night in Dublin and let's hope we can get a home draw and bring all our supporters back to Kilrush Park. This game was kindly sponsored by Deise Scaffolding.

LOTTO

Jackpot on Sunday, 15th January 1,500 euro. No jackpot winner. 25 euro winners Jennifer Taylor, Paddy Flynn. Next week's jackpot 1,700 euro. Draw will take place in John Keane's on Sunday, 22nd January at 10 pm.

MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP

At the moment we are down to travel to Limerick on the 29th January in the next round of the Munster Cup. We are hoping to run a coach for this game so anyone interested in travelling can contact Stan Cummins on 087-9185871 or Francis O'Brien on 087-6104213. Get your name and money in early as we expect a good crowd to travel for this game.

SATURDAY ACADEMY

Our Saturday Academy is back in full swing now and numbers are growing every week. We could still do with some help to keep this going. We would like to welcome Martin Hayes on board as a coordinator for the academy. Don't forget that your children are the future of Dungarvan United Football Club.

SPECIAL MENTION

We have to give a special mention to our FAS workers and goundsmen Jimmy Healy and Con Kiely for the excellent condition of our pitch on Sunday. We know they worked hard during the last week to bring this pitch to the highest possible standard. Well done lads.

COMMITTEE MEETING

There is a committee meeting on Thursday 19th January at 8.45 pm in the club pavillion.

ASTRO TURF

Our astro turf is almost full at the moment. We have an hour available on Wednesday nights from 9 p.m. to 10 p.m. Don't forget you can book the astro turf on Saturdays and Sundays and it is very popular for childrens birthday parties. Give us a call on 087-6104213 and we will take your booking.

BUTLER'S DOUBLE STRIKE SINKS STAR ROVERS



Eyes on the ball between Dungarvan's Christy Ross Power and Star Rover's Derek Hogan during their F.A.I. Junior Cup match in Kilrush Park, Dungarvan.

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES



Pictured (I. to r.) are the West Waterford mens junior team who finished a creditable 4th team in the Munster Cross Country Championships in Beauford, Co. Kerry last Sunday: William Rotte, Sean Stilwell, Ciaran Lane, Alan Akehurst and Mark Shalloe.



West Waterford AC ladies junior team who took team bronze at the Munster Cross Country Championships last Sunday in Beauford, Co. Kerry. Photo shows (I. to r.) Niamh O'Riordan, Elma Nugent, Jenny Hurley, Eadaoin Ashe and Shona Curran.

MUNSTER CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS Junior Ladies Take INDIVIDUAL MEDALS **Team Bronze**

FOR SHONA CURRAN AND SEAN STILWELL

The Munster Senior and Junior Cross Country Championships were held last Sunday in Beauwhich would have been ideal on a drier day, however, after heavy overnight rain conditions heavy going for the athletes. Competition on the day was of a very high standard as it usually is at this level. The club kept its proud tradition of fielding teams in all four races junior mens and ladies and senior men and ladies. Team wise our junior ladies outfit kept the flag flying taking a well-deserved bronze behind Ferrybank 28 points first and Duhallow with 59 points were second, our score was 73 points.

Shona Curran ran her usual gutsy race finish 9th overall and lead her team to the bronze fort, Co. Kerry. Held on a very flat course, medals and for her efforts she was also the 4th scoring member of the Waterford County team who took the gold medals along with three Ferunder foot were quagmire resulting in very rybank ladies. This team won with a score of 26 points from Cork 31 and Kerry 47 points and Clare were 4th with 67 points. Going back to the club competition our second scoring member was Elma Nugent 18th followed closely by Jenny Hurley 20th with Niamh O'Riordan giving 110% in 20th place and Eadaoin Ashe rounded off a great team performance coming in 29th place. It was a big ask from these ladies but all five rose to the challenge on the day.

Next race up was the junior mens event and here we were outside the medals however there was a very impressive performance from Sean Stilwell who came in 4th county finisher and collected a gold medal along with 3 Ferrybank voungsters as Waterford took county glory with 50 points from Clare who were second with 84 points. This result made it a clean sweep for the county in both junior mens and ladies which was impressive to say the least. Along with Sean our other club team members were Mark Shalloe a creditable 15th, William Rotte 22nd, Alan Akehurst 26th and Ciaran Lane 33rd. This was a good team run against very stiff opposition and it will stand to the lads in future competition.

Turning to the senior end of affairs our men were 5th club with East Cork taking gold on 42 points from Marian silver 107 points and bronze going to Leevale 116 points fourth was Tulla 134 points and ourselves came next with 154 points. Raivis was our first finisher in an excellent 10th place in conditions which he doesn't Ledingham 48th and Kevin Kenneally was 54th, Jason Travers had to call it a day after two of the

6 lap course with an injury, but we hope to see him back in action very soon.

Our ladies fielded a very large team of 9 runners and finished just outside the medals in both club and county when finishing 4th in both. Led home by Diane Behan 18th, Eibhlis Ní hAodha 20th, Norma Wall 25th, Ann Dunford 26th, Anne Whelan 31st, Mairéad Flynn 32nd, Josie Uí Chuirrin 34th and Judy Hanrahan 35th here also we lost an athlete through sickness this time when an under the weather Joanne Jackman had (despite not feeling well) a go but was unable to finish we wish her a speedy recovery and thank her for making the long journey despite her illness. For the record in the club team the winners were U.C.C. with 22 points from Leevale 31 points Bilboa took bronze 76 points and we finished with 91 points in 4th.

Thanks to all the athletes for making the journey and to the mentors and parents who also came along, many of the junior athletes names above plus many others will now be taking part care much for, Mark Langford was 39th James over the next couple of weeks in the schools cross country and we wish them well with

ictured at the Munster Senior Cross Country Championships in Beauford, Co. Kerry last Sunday were the West Waterford AC Ladies team who finished 4th club team. Back row (l. to r.) Judy Hanrahan, Josie Ui Chuirrin, Anne Whelan, Diane Behan and Eibhlis Ní hAodha. Front row (l. to r.) Mairéad Flynn, Norma Wall and Ann Dunford.



West Waterford senior mens team who were 5th club team at the Munster Cross Country Championships in Beauford, Co. Kerry last Sunday — (I. to r.) Mark Langford, James Ledingham, Kevin Kenneally, Jason Travers and Raivis Zakis.

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

ALLROUNDER SPORT WINTER LEAGUE

Carmel's "Personnel" B

There was great fun and ban-system when on the night all close, it gave a feel as to what as we enter the latter end of the change from the usual league Cup which is looming ever so and enjoy running the Colligan

ter at last week's league when runners had to predict there this Handicap running is all league as you can see many diwe had the first of our handicap time for completion of the about for those who are not fa-visions and indeed the overall guess your time runs, (there course, this system is the same miliar with it, hopefully now winners are very much still in will be at least one more before as will be used for the famous last Wednesday night will en- the balance and we expect league end). It was a complete Kiely Monumental Colligan courage more to come along some very close competition

> Cup on Sunday, February 19th next. Just to mention too, all penal-

over the next couple of weeks. Best of luck to all.

In the 2.7 mile run the night belong to Carmel Hourigan who took the top honours getting her predicted time spot on ty points have to the second. Carmel, an emnow been ployee with Waterford County dished out to Council, is a relatively newdate, so the comer to the league this year league tables and was not in the pre-race shown now favourites list, but this is what are complete- makes this event endearing to ly up to date all as each and every one of us

has an equal chance of winning with the handicap system in place. Well done to Carmel she is the one lads and lassies to watch for the next night when she can expect to have a clatter of runners on her shoulder watching her every move. Carmel for her efforts now gets a nice -50 points from her points total and the second person -40, third -30, 4th -20, 5th -10 and sixth +1 point, 7th + 2 points, 8th + 3 points and so

Incidentally Carmel's brother Pat Lennon came as close as one could to winning the 6 miler as he was just 100th of a second too fast, when finishing

RPORTS

Pictured is Carmel Hourigan winner of the **Allrounder Sport Winter** League Colligan Cup style handicap run over the 2.7 mile course last Wednesday night.

that small fraction ahead of the clock. It must be in the genes or something in the air down Boreenatra way but it was as close to a unique sister and brother double as you could get. What a headline that would have made.

Like many sports there can only be one winner, but there are always many who come so close to achieving victory but don't quite make it. In the 2.7 mile league there were 6 others who came within a whisker of winning, Garranbane primary school teacher and well known hockey hot shot Anna Casey only half a step behind the winner, Noel McKenna the same, Liam Budds and Mary Lynam too. Mary and her husband Brett also came very close to that double family win with Mary finishing 5th in the 2.7 and Brett in the 6 miler was 6th both within a couple of seconds of winning now that would have been another unique dou-

How about a thought for those just on the wrong side of the clock, finishing just seconds ahead of their predicted time, Kilmacthomas secondary school teacher and former football great, making her first league appearance Ciara Prendergast was just 1 second off winning the run, what a dream start the Winter League would have been for the young Kilrossanty lady if she pulled that one off on her very first night. And wouldn't it give her aunty, top athlete Phyllis Flynn something to be boasting about. There were many more so close but yet so far away from taking that much sought after win PJ. Houlihan, Betty Sheehan Aisling O'Connell, Louise Plant, Kathleen McCormack, Aine Feeney and Marion Keane all very close to the mark. They will have two more opportunities to rectify things once more in the current Winter League and, of course, all will be taking part in the main handicap race of the year the Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup on Sunday, February 19th next. Won't ye now? continued over

WEST WATERFORD A.C. 2.6 MILE WINTER LEAGUE (Sponsored by 'The Allrounder' Dungaryan)

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0 Pts	821CASEY, Anna	0:00:01	60	8630'BRIEN, Rosemary	0:00:16
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0 Pts	698BUDDS, Liam	0:00:01	62	628NI NEACHTAIN, Ailbeh	0:00:22
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2	727KIRWAN, Emma	0:00:01	64	892PRENDERGAST, Ciara	0:00:01
3	844DOWER, Michael	0:00:02	65	847HOULIHAN, Pj	0:00:01
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10	649COFFEY, Kim	0:00:03	72	731LEDINGHAM, Sarah	0:00:01
11	836DRENNAN, Angeline	0:00:03	73	853VESPA, Mark	0:00:01
12	882PHELAN, Alan	0:00:03	74	796MURPHY, Martin (80)	0:00:01
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30	672CASEY, Seamus	0:00:05	91	6700'SULLIVAN, Collette	0:00:04
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34	779MASON, Mark	0:00:06	95	857KEATING, Roisin	0:00:05
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36	7810'BRIEN, Catriona	0:00:06	97	750WALSH, Majella	0:00:05
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WEST WATERFORD A.C. 6 MILE WINTER LEAGUE

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124	111 DEE, Jason	0:00:48	25	041 Flynn, Mairead	0:00:41
123	098 KEANE, Pat	0:00:47	26	059 RYAN, Dermot	0:00:43
122	121 QUINN, Noel	0:00:46	27	060 CLARKE, John	0:00:44
121	091 POWER, Ritchie	0:00:45	28 29	231 KENNEDY, Padraig 138 KAVANAGH, Liam	0:00:47
120	087 BANNON, Aisling 080 KELLY, John	0:00:44	30	058 COLEMAN, Billy	0:00:48
118	019 RIORDAN, Patrick	0:00:44	31	037 COLLINS, Brian	0:00:51
117	199 TRAVERS, Damien	0:00:42	32	072 BRUNNOCK, Paul	0:00:52
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West Waterford Athletic club notes

ALLROUNDER SPORT WINTER LEAGUE

Derek Riordan Brings The Spoils To Cork

Mitchelstown man Derek Riwhen he took the honours in who is a regular at our league round trip from Mitchelstown to participate every Wednesday

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night a fair commitment it must ordan brought the spoils back be said. Relatively new to runto Co. Cork last Wednesday ning, Derek ran his first race only last year, he heard about the 6 mile handicap run. Derek the famous winter league down these parts and decided to give each week and makes the long it a go this year well he was justifiably rewarded for his efforts last week when he got his

predicted time dead on to take the nice prize of - 50 points off his points tally. Well done Derek and we thank you for the huge effort you make each week to come to Dungarvan to take part in the league. Second place in the run went to local runner Ray Curran who was just 4 seconds outside his predicted time and he gets a nice -40 points for his placing. The experienced Martin Sandford picked up a handy -30 points for his third placing, club chairman James Veale who is always in or around the winners enclosure in this kind of race was 4th getting a -30 points reward and a man who is getting fitter by the week Kilmurray's Tony Murray was 5th 9 seconds outside his predicted time giving him a -10 points from

his tally. Brett Lynam was next

and he was followed by the

nearest lady finisher to winning

on the night Brid Veale who

ALLROUNDER WINTER LEAGUE 2.7 MILE LEAGUE TABLES

finished 7th.



the winner of the guess your time handicap run last Wednesday night at the Allrounder **Sport Winter League** over the 6 mile course.

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WELL DID YOU MAKE

The much awaited Friday night addition of Nationwide on R.T.E. which highlighted the Allrounder Sport Winter League was received by all with great delight last week and gave the league, the club and the town of Dungarvan great national T.V. coverage. The response to the programme was fantastic with many e-mails and phone calls from all around the country giving praise to all concerned. The programme team of Rosarie Kealy, Brian Walsh Camera man and Johnny Clarke motorbike pilot must be well chuffed with the final product and all three are to be congratulated and thanked once again for their efforts.

ALLROUNDER WINTER LEAGUE 2.7 MILE LEAGUE TABLES

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WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

MASTER INDOORS TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS OF IRELAND

Joe Gough, over-50, who took two golds and one silver at the Munster Masters Indoors Championships in Nenagh last Saturday. Joe recorded wins in the 400 and 800 metres and took silver in the 200 metres.

The Masters Indoor Track nagh and the six-club athlete onship and Field Championships who travelled brought home were held last weekend in Ne- the handsome sum of 13 medals when winning bronze medals from the champi-



two bronze medals over 40 in the 200 and 400 metres at the Munster **Masters Indoors**

Eibhlis Ní hAodha, West Waterford A.C., winner of

Championships last Saturday at Nenagh.

Eibhlis Ní hAodha took two in the over-40 400 and 800 metres. Brendan Moran fresh from his training stint in South Africa was a clear winner of the 60 metres dash taking the gold medal. The race of the day in many peoples opinion was the performance of Sandra Brazil-White in the over 35 200 metres, Sandra who has been training very hard for these championships was an impressive winner of the 200 metres over some of the country's top international masters and for good measure took silver in the 60 metres dash.

The old reliable Joe Gough was in terrific form in the over 50's when taking two golds 800 and 400 metres. He also won silver in the 200 metres.

Mairead Flynn brought home two silvers to Lismore in the over 35's, 400 and 800 metres, and finally Terri Gough in the over 60 must have more championship medals than anyone in the country over all many disciplines added another 4 to



Waterford A.C., over-35, who took an impressive gold in the ladies masters

200 metres in a race which was the event of the championships at the **Munster Masters Indoors** in Nenagh last Saturday. Sandra also took silver in the 60 metres dash.

her tally a triple gold 200, 400 and 800 plus a silver in the 60 masters dash. Well done to all concerned a very successful day for the club once again, and thanks to Eibhlis and Joe for looking after the team.

Enter For Waterford **Crystal 10 At Winter League**

The Waterford Crystal 10 miler, which is on Sunday February 5th next at 2 p.m. The race this year will be a pre-entry race. Entry is 8 Euro if you enter pre-race and 12 euro if you leave it till on the day of the race. The organisers would hope that all local runners would have their entries in before race day, as this will help with the logistics for those organising the race, your co-operation with this matter would be most welcome. Entry forms are available at Ger Wyley Sports or it can be down loaded from the club web-site www.westwaterfordathletics.org Entry forms will also be available tonight and next Wednesday night for the final time at the Winter League. A post box will be available at the Winter League tonight and for the following two nights for anyone who would like to drop there entry form for the Crystal race into it and save on the postage cost. Your entry must include the entry fee of 8 euro and it must be sealed in an envelope.

West Waterford Juvenile Athletic Club Notes

letics. On Wednesday of this week some of our athletes travel to Dublin to compete for the Ard Scoil in the D.C.U. Invitational Cross Country. This will give them a chance to run over the course that will host the Irish Schools Championships in March and also test out the opposition from Leinster.

ALL IRELAND B CHAMPIONSHIPS ATHLONE ON SUNDAY NEXT

Bright and early next Sunday we will once again make the trek to Athlone this ttime to compete in the All ireland B Championships. Kate Veale is first in action in the girls under 13 which is a year out of her age but she has been training very hard over the past few weeks and if she gets a good start she should be well up in the race. David Early and Daniel Kearney will go in the boys under 13 and with some solid training behind them should give a good account of themselves on the day.

Michelle McCarthy will compete in the under 15 race and the standard is expected to be very high in this race and Michell will do well to be in the top 20. We field a very strong team in the under 17 girls Shona Curran Elma Nugent Jenny Hurley and Niamh O'Riordan were all members of the junior team which finished third in Munster last Sunday. They will be Joined this week by Emer Scanlon and Julia Buest and should figure strongly in the shake up for the medals. Des Sheehan and Ciaran Lane will compete in the under 17 boys and they continue to improve with every outing. Our final competitor of the day will be Eadaoin Ashe in the girls under19 in the last event of the club cross country scene.

On Thursday 26th of January St. Augustines will host the Waterford Schools Championships. There will be eight races catering for boys and girls at minor, junior, intermediate and senior level and west waterford athletes will compete for all the local schools. The programme gets under way at 11.30

TRAINING

Training continues for those competing in the schools cross

Monday 4pm Sports centre Tuesday 8pm Circuit Training 13 and over Wednesday League over16 only Friday Friary 7pm bring a reflective jacket Sunday 11am Colligan

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

In last weeks notes we had the date of our AGM wrong in fact it will be held on Monday next at 8.30 in Minnies. We apologise for any inconvenience caused by this error.

THE BALDY MAN RESCHEDULED FOR JAN 29th

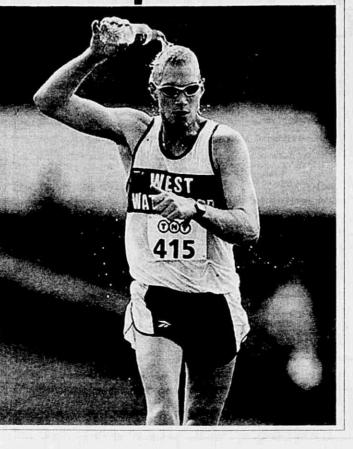
Due to adverse weather conditions the event organisers postponed The Baldy Man run in Tramore over the Christmas period. However the event is rescheduled for January 29th next with a 12-noon start.

MICHAEL OFF THE

Club member Michael Dwyer got his overseas running stint off to a flyer last Saturday when taking part in his first 10 miler the Chickasaw Chase 10 which was held in the Chickasaw National Park, Tennessee. Michael had a terrific run over a very hilly course completing the run in 62.53. Michael met another well known Waterford stalwart at the race, Jim Aspel from the city, Jim is head coach in the famous Arkansas Universi-

The good news over the weekend was the return to competition of club Olympian Jamie Costin after ic accident in Athens at the Olympics just days before he was due to compete. However the good news is that he is back, it was and is a slow recover but all is looking much brighter now again but Jamie will readily admit he is a long way from being anything like 100% fit he has however started the process of getting back to full fitness and last Sunday was day one of that process when he competed in the A.A.I. Indoor Games in Nenagh competing over the 3k walk which he won in a pretty fast 12.35 from John Egan who was second from Bree. Jamie now heads to the Polish training camp in Portugal for 5 weeks after which he will return to Ireland to compete in Belfast over the same 3k distance in the Irish Champioships. We wish Jamie fast return now to international competition and we hope to see him wear the Irish vest again in the not too distant future.

Jamie Costin a frustrating 18 month lay off, the result of that horrif-**Return To** Competition



Cappoquin Notes



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Under 8 and U-10

The Astroturf soccer for our Boys and Girls of 6-10yrs is back on Friday nights in Lismore .This Friday all four Teams play against Watergrasshill and the u-8 boys have a second game against Lismore.

7.30 U-8 V Lismore. 8.00 U-10 Girls V Watergrasshill. 8.00 U-10 boys V Watergrasshill. 8.45 U-8 Boys V Water-grasshill. 8.45 U-8 Girls V Watergrasshill.

All Families should have their monthly or yearly subscription paid otherwise a fee of 5e per child will be required to pay for the facilitie

U-16

This team had a good result last weekend despite being understrenght. They made the trip to Ballymac to take on the league leaders Pinewood. The home side took the lead but we earned a deserved share of the points with a late equaliser.

Next week we take on the Leagues U-14 Development Squad in Affane on Sun morning. All players to be there at 10

Youths

The Youth team are eager to get back into action and do so on Sat. away to Inch.

Stephen Ketts charges will need to be carefull here, as this

is a potential bannana skin.Cars leave the field at 1.00

Development Squads well represented on the development squads.

U-12 Coaching

Colin Walsh, Craig O'Shea, Our players have done very and Sean Donovan, have all well in the trials and we are made this squad and their next coaching session is next Sunday in Lismore at 6.00.

Kennedy Cup

While this Squad is not finalised we have six players still in contention and doing very well.Daragh Fives, Evan Mc-Grath, Eoin Scanlon, David Cahilane, David Walsh, and

CAPPOQUIN SNOOKER & BILLIARDS CLUB

Ladder League

The closing date for entries for this league is Thursday night next, January 19th. Anyone the entry sheet on the notice board on Thursday night. It is hoped to start this league then on Monday night, January 22nd. We have a good number of entries already and even if you are not entered at the start you can join the ladder at anytime. Best of luck to everyone who has entered and at the end of the day it is all about having a game and a bit of craic.

Membership

It is absolutely fantastic to see the amount of members in the club at present. When we had our first meeting some weeks ago we couldn't have believed things would take off the way they have. At present we are discussing about opening for another night/day due to the amount of people looking to play on a regular basis. Membership is only 20 euro and you get to play on some of the best tables in the country. You can become a mem-

ber at anytime so come along to the hall and enjoy a game whenever you can.

Grant Aid

Well as you read these notes our application who wants to enter please put your name on for grant aid is by now in Dublin and we will await news in the next few months to see if we will receive anything from the government to do the floors in the hall. Can I take this opportunity to thank the hard working committee (who in a short period of time) who have put so much work into getting this application filled up and ready to go. You have done a great job lads and if only for your sake I hope we will receive some assistance from the government/lottery. Well done to all concerned.

Hall Busy as Ever

Once again the hall is full on a regular basis on Monday and Thursday nights and it is great to see the interest in snooker again in the Cappoquin area. Anyone who is interested in a game just come along and our committee members or night duty officers will put you up for a game any night. (By the way bring a friend as

WEST WATERFORD DARTS

Last weeks results; A league Lindsay's 6 Old Mill 2. Morrissey's 4 Tigh an Cheoil 4. O'Donnell's v Lukies and Red House A v Village Inn. Got no results. O'Donnell's A and Red House A final 10 euro, B League Deckies 0 John Paul's 8. Kiely's Cross 6 O'Donnell's B 2. Red House B 0 Swallow Inn 8. Tigh an Cheoil a bye, 5 points. Next weeks games B League; Lukies v Old Mill. Tigh an Cheoil A v Red House A. Lindsay's v O'Donnell's A. Morrissey's v Village Inn. B League Deckies v Tigh an Cheoil. John Paul's v Kiely's Cross. Swallow Inn v O'Donnell's B. Red House B a bye.

There is a meeting next Monday, 23rd in Morrissey's to see where we will play the singles and doubles. If you want your say be there at 8.30 pm sharp

CAPPOQUIN COMMUNITY DEVELOMENT DOMPANY LTD LOTTO RESULTS

Lotto for 16th Jan. 8,000 euro. No winner. Numbers drawn 4-5-15-26. Next lotto 8,100 euro. Consolation prizes Mary Tobin, Mary Foley, Ciara McCarthy, Kathleen Moore, Aidan O'Gorman, Mary O'Rourke. Next draw Monday 23rd January. All proceeds go towards the Community Centre.

AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN GAA NOTES **Players Meeting**

We held a players meeting last Saturday night in the parochial hall Cappoquin to discuss our plans for the year ahead and it was very encouraging to see the large turn out on the night.

Juvenile AGM

The AGM for the Affane/Cappoquin Juvenile club will be held on Friday the 27th of January at 8:00pm sharp in the Parochial hall Cappoquin and we would ask that all parents please make a special effort to attend as well as any adult players interested in helping out with the underage teams.

Congratulations

Congratulations and well done to local lad Finan Murray, Kilbree who scooped several awards at the Young Scientist Competition in Dublin last week. Finan designed an unbreakable hurley made from laminated strips using shapes designed by his granddad Tommy Murray who was a fine carpenter himself. The awards Finan won were the overall patenting award, design award and 2nd in the Technology section. Well done Finan from all in the club and the best of luck with your design after all your hard work.

Club Lotto

This draw took place on the 09-Jan-06.

Draw 1: €10,000, No Winner. Numbers Drawn: 7, 13, 14 & 27. Draw 2: €3,000, No Winner. Numbers Drawn: 6, 7, 9 & 20. Consolation Prizes: Charlie Barry, c/o Pat Cullen, Jim O'Shea, Tivoli Terrace, Pat Dalton, c/o The Central, John Coughlan, Lacken, MM Hennessey, Dromana.

Get Well Soon,

Get well and best wishes to popular clubman John O'Connor who was hospitalised last week. Hopefully John will be up and



Mary Dalton, daughter of Johnny and Ellen Dalton, Cappoquir and Terry Conroy, son of Ned and Marie Keane, Villierstown who were married in St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin. Fr. J. Kiely P.P. officiated and was assisted by Fr. F. Lucey. The reception was held in the Park Hotel. (Photo; Robert Power).

DUNGARVAN GOLF NOTES

GENTS RESULTS

12/,13/01/06: 16 Holes S/ford: 1st Roger O' Connor 35pts, 2nd Maurice Terry 34pts, Gross Jimmy O' Donnell 27pts. 14/1/06 9 Holes Stableford: 1st Maurice Walsh (10) 24pts, 2nd John Norris (13) 24pts. 15/01/06 16 holes s/ford: 1st Michael Kelly (11) 41, 2nd Liam Treacy (19)

GENTS FIXTURES

Thur. 19th, Fri. 20th, Sat. 21st, Sun. 22nd 16 Holes Singles S/ford Winter League Sponsored by Mahon Bridge Electrical.

LADIES RESULTS

Open 3 Person Rumble (9 holes) Dec. 21st - Jan. 8th 2006. 1st Teresa Keane (18) Finola Kelly (26) Anne Power (27) 42pts. 2nd Mary Ann Coffey (17) Peg Phelan (22), Kate Buckley (25) 41pts.

LADIES FIXTURES:

Tues/Wed 17th/18th and Sat/Sun 21st, Sun. 22nd Jan 9 Holes Singles S/ford 3rd Round of Ladies Area League sponsored by Ardmore Landscape and Garden Design. 5th Round of Ladies Home Alliance on Tues 24th and Sat. 28th Jan.

MIDWEEK BREAK

Ladies Committee have decided to book mid-week break for Ladies Club. Details - Castlerosse Hotel, Killarney Sunday 26th March to Wed. 29th March 3 nights D/B&B plus 18 holes golf - 175 per person sharing. Further details and list of names in locker room.

Winter League (Tom Quinlan - Mahon Bridge Electrical) The winter league was cancelled last week due to frost, it recommences again next week.

Please note the 6th and 7th holes are not in play for ladies and gents competitions for the coming weeks, i.e. holes in play for competitions until further notice are 1 -5, 8 - 18.

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Results Wed. 11th Jan: 1st Roger O' Connor (8) 23pts, Best Lady Josephine Melody (13) 20pts, Best Gent Jack Elstead. Next competition 18th Jan. at 2p.m.

50 SOMETHINGS

Results 04/01/06 1st Breda Conway (32) 21pts, 2nd Maeve Carthy (30) 20pts. Results 11/01/06 1st C. O' Sullivan (29) 18pts, 2nd B. Killigrew (29) 18pts. Next competition on Wed. 18th Jan. 2006.

PROGRESSIVE 45

Winners Nuala Harty and Ann Morrissey. Runners Up Pat McGovern and Michael Kelly. Last Five Josephine Melody and Anne Power. Lucky table Austin O' Connor and Colm Bannon. Progressive 45 every Thursday night at 8.30. All are welcome.

TABLE QUIZ

Dungarvan Golf Club Table Quiz on Sat. 21st January at 8.30 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Teams of 4, team entry 20, spot prizes. All are welcome.

DUNGARVAN SENIORS PAIRS CLASSIC

The Dungarvan Seniors Pairs Clasic takes place on April 4th, 5th, 6th 2006. It is a two person team event that is open to all senior (55+) and participants must have a certified club handicap. There is fantastic value for visitors, 2 nights B&B, 3 rounds of golf and 3 carvery lunches for only 155. Locals who wish to participate in the three day event can pay 85 for three rounds and 3 lunches. There is different formats of play in each course, 2 person rumble, fourball betterball and a 2 person scramble with daily prizes and overall prizes. Booking enquiries can be made to the tournament director, Dungarvan International Seniors on 058 44055.

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS:

The payment deadline was 1st January 2006 for membership fees.

Thank you to all members who paid their annual subscriptions promptly.

DUGARVAN GOLF CLUB MINI LOTTO

Week Ending: 15/01/2006 Winning numbers. 2, 11, 20, 24. Winner: No Winner. 15 winners: Kevin Moroney. Teresa Fitzgerald Knock Clonea, George O' Hara Donybrook, MI Doherty Glanmire, Elayne Flynn c/o Finnegan.

Next weeks jackpot 3.750. Next Draw 22/01/06 Thank you for your support.

West Waterford Golf & Country Club News

Sunday 15th January 2006 - 16- 2006. The 3-day competition will hole Stableford – 1st Round of be held on the 3 local courses, the Winter League, kindly sponsored by Comeragh Oil.

1st: Pat Lennon (21) - 39pts. 2nd: Patrick O'Riordan (13) -39pts. Gross: Alan Harty (scratch) - 34pts. 3rd: Philip O'Brien (14) - 237pts. 6th: Malcolm Garde (15) - 37pts. 7th: Noel Landers (15) - 37pts. 8th: Gerard Kavanagh (18) 37pts.

Team Positions after 1st: round of the Winter League.

1st; Old Parish - 152, 2nd: Ring - 148. 3rd: Sliamh gCua 147. 4th: Brickies - 146, Glenbeg - 146. 6th: Carriglea - 144. 7th: Old Boro' - 143. 8th: Affane - 142. 9th: Carrightwohill -141. 10th: Cappagh - 140. 11th: Abbyside - 139, Glenmore -139, Youghal - 139. 14th: Clashmore - 138. 15th: Dungarvan -137. 16th: Spring 136. 17th: Douglas 133, Carragline - 133, 19th: Killeagh - 132, 29th: Ardmore - 131. 21st: East Cork -130. 22nd: Grange - 128. 23rd: Geraldines - 127. 24th: Cork -126. 25th: Togher 119.

Fixtures

Due to the unpredictable weather the second round of the League sponsored by Comeragh two weekends. Wednesday 18th: Wednesday 25th to Sunday 29th be made available for hire to January - 16-hole Stableford members on the waiting list. competition.

January - 18 Hole Stableford - will take place during the mid-3rd Round of the Winter term break. All Junior Subscrip-League, kindly sponsored by tions and locker fees for 2006 Comeragh Oil

A full list of our fixtures and other information is available on our website:

Subscriptions

Subscriptions for 2006 fall due on the 1st January 2006 please telephone the office if they wish remit the appropriate amount by post or to the office in person, at your earliest convenience.

Important Notice Regarding 2006 **Captains Prize**

The Captain's Prize 2006 kindly presented by Ollie Broderick will take place on Friday 30th June, Saturday 1st July and Sunday 2nd July 2006.

Dungaryan Golf International Kindly sponsored by Saltan Properties (Michael Ryan) & Bulmers

This prestigious event now in its eighth year takes place from 4th: Mary Donnelly (36) 23rd to the 25th May at our 27pts. three local courses. The International which is jointly sponsored this year by Michael Ryan and Stableford with re-entry. his company Saltan Properties January 9 Hole Stablefordtogether with Bulmers, is a best 2 cards to count. showcase event for golf in the Next Home Alliance area and brings an influx of visi- 26th Jan.y - Sunday 29th Jan. tors to the town and surrounding 13 Hole Stableford areas which is of benefit to all. Any member of West Waterford, January 31st Lawlors Hotel who brings a team, can avail of a free golf entry. This must be all teams must include at least best of luck with the Park Hotel two visitors. For any further in- Sports Star of the Year which formation please contact the will be decided this week Tournament Director on 058-5555, 058-42416 or 058-44055.

Dungarvan Senior Pairs Classic

Bookings are very strong for golf.com the above event which is a new novel competition for senior golf.com

players (aged 55 and above) that Wednesday 11th January to will take place in early April Dungarvan, Gold Coast and West Waterford on Tuesday 4th, Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th April 2006. The format of play will be as follows: (A) a 2 person Rumble, (B) a 2 person Scram-Spratt (8) - 38pts. 4th: John O'Connell (10) - 37pts. 5th: Donal

It is a team of 2; event and aggregate scores over the three courses will determine the overall winners. There will also be daily prizes. The competition is open to Ladies, Gentleman or Mixed Pairs. A one-shot handicap reduction will apply to players playing on their own course (where their handicap is administered). Entry rates to the competition are as follows: 2 nights bed and breakfast accommodation, 3 Lunches and 3 days competition play is €155 per person, and for players not wishing to avail of accommodation the rate will be €85 for 3 days competition play and 3 Lunches. Inquiries to the Tournament Director on 058-44055.

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.

Locker Allocation

The locker fee for 2006 is €15 and is now payable, any mem-Oil will be held over the next ber wishing to forfeit his/her locker is asked to inform the ofto Sunday 22nd: January and fice so that vacant lockers may

Junior Notes

Wednesday 1st to Sunday 5th: The next Junior competition are now due

Timesheet Notice

Please remember: Players with their names on the timesheet have priority on the 1st tee.

All members are also urged to to cancel a tee time that they have booked in the interest of fairness to all.

WEST WATERFORD LADIES NOTES

Lady Captain back in winning form, just edging out an in form Betty Healy! Glad to see Jenny Sweeney has shaken her chest infection showing up in third slot. In forth position nice to see a new comer, well done Mary.

Results for 13 Hole Stableford January 2nd - 15th

1st: Mary Quinlan (23) 29pts. 2nd: Betty Healy (36) 28pts. 3rd: Jenny Sweeney (13) 27pts

16th Jan. - 29th Jan. 13 Hole

Next Home Alliance Thursday

Committee Meeting: Tuesday

7:30pm. The Ladies Branch would like specified at the entry stage and to wish Seamus Power all the

Club Contact Details Telephone: 058 43216 Fax: 058 44343

E-mail: info@westwaterford-

Website: www.westwaterford-

GoldCoast Golf Club Notes

Results

CPC Open Qualifier:

1st: Tony Sheehan (11) 38 pts. Saturday 14th January: CSS 41 pts. 1st: Stephen Brenner (14) 43 pts. 2nd: Johnny Burns (14) 43 pts.

Gross: Richard Barry (8) 32 pts. Leg of Lambs:

Comp no 11: Tom Prendergast.

Comp. No 12: Tony Sheehan. Comp No. 13: Stephen Brenner.

Comp No. 14: Dave Scannell (15) 22 pts.

Fixtures:

Monday to Friday 20th Jan: CPC Open 18 Hole Stableford.

Monday to Sunday: 10 Hole Leg of Lamb competitions Thursday/Friday 20th Jan: Round 6 Mansfield EBS Winter League.

Saturday/Sunday 22nd Jan: Round 6 Mansfield EBS Winter League.

Mass for deceased members:

This will take place in the GoldCoast Golf Hotel on Friday 27th January at 8 p.m. All members are invited to come along to the mass.

New Diary

This has now gone to the printers and should be available for collection at the kiosk towards the end of next week.

Congratulations

Congratulations to long time member, Roddy Healy, who got married recently. We would like to wish both Roddy and Bupa all the very best for the future.

Also, congratulations to Kevin and Louise on the birth of their first born last week. I'm sure club members, Nicholas, Helena and Freddie are as proud as punch over the event.

CPC Bunmahon Qualifier

Despite the bad weather during the week a good number again played in this tournament and the week's winner was Tony Sheehan who now joins Tom O'Connor for the trip to Dundrum. If you want to have your name on the list all you need to do is play any Monday to Friday from now to the end of April and have the best score in the competition for that week.

Membership

Membership is now due and should be paid as soon as possible. The first half was due to be paid by 1st January with the second half being due to be paid by 1st March.

Insurance Players wishing to pay their annual insurance, which is not dur until March, may do so when paying their mem-

bership. **Juvenile Notes**

A sub committee has been set up to develop a programme for all our juvenile golfers and it is hoped that this committee will have their suggestions ready to present them to the main committee for their February meet-

Ladies Notes

Winter League:

1st: Aisling Fennell (20) 27 pts. 2nd: Esther McGuckian (16) 26 pts. 3rd: Violet Howard (28) 26 pts.

Bottle Comp No. 2: Mary Clancy Bottle Comp No 3: Deirdre Hannigan.

Fixtures:

10 hole Bottle Competition.

Winter League Monday 30th Jan to Sunday 5th February. Legs of Lamb

When Bottle Competition No. 4 is completed we will change over to Legs of Lambs, again with only 15 players in each competition.

Sunday Golfers

Members interested in playing on Sundays must enter their names on the timesheet to reserve a slot.

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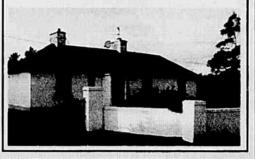
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ABBEYSIDE CUBS NOTES

meetings of the New Year took place last Saturday night and both sections reported a big attendance on the night. It was good to see so many back in action and good also to see that Santa had indeed visited and in some cases brought along new cub and scout uniforms which looked smart. It was explained to all cubs and scouts that uniform is a must. Also the rule regarding the wearing of uniform to meetings is as follows. In general everyone is told at the end of one meeting whether the following one is uniform or mufti (non-uniform)!. However if someone is absent from a meeting and does not know what to wear the following week they should always turn up in uniform! During the cub meeting quite a few games were played in order to heat up as it was quite cold on the night in the den. Some prizes of toy diggers were handed out to Tadgh and Adam who proved to be the overall winners of a kind of mini-Olympics game that took place. The meeting finished slightly over time as leader Brendan explained that the annual insurance for cubs is due quite soon and a notice in regard to this will be handed out at the up coming meeting on Saturday night. This meeting is a full uniform one. Three uniform badges are now available to all cubs, scouts and leaders in the troop. They are the county scout badge and a troop badge as well as a special event badge-the Glenshellane campsite badge. The cost for these three badges is seven euro. Both the troop and Glenshellane badge were designed by former scout Martin Whelan. The badges really look well and enhance the look of the new cub and scout uniforms. They will and should all be worn with pride!.

SCOUTS NOTES

The scout meeting got underway with a large attendance for the first night back of the New Year. This was just as well as the meeting was a planning meeting. Top of the planning agenda was the annual indoor cooking competition which will be held this Sunday afternoon between 2.30 and 6.30pm. The format for the competition will be the same as in previous years with all patrols having to cook and present a four course meal for their patrol. Marks will be awarded for team work, cooking ability, taste etc. Leaders Kieran and Michael sorted out the patrol gear as best as possible on the night and it was explained to the patrol leaders depending on what they will be cooking, may need to bring some extra "bits" from home i.e. pots, pans! A high standard is expected again this year and all the leaders await anxiously the outcome. Especially as it was explained that, for annual camp this year each patrol will be back cooking their own meals. No Paddy Murphy in the kitchen this year I'm afraid! Annual Camp 2006 is being held in Fota Island, Cork. No, not the animval park (but very, very close by)!. Plans are even underway for Camp 2007 with Spain and Finland being spoken of. As has been the case also n the past number of years, once the cooking prizes have been presented the scout and patrol leader of the year award will be presented along with the NLB Inter Patrol trophy.

SAMARITANS -LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

Samaritans have provided a sympathetic ear for over twenty six years to anyone suffering emotional distress in Waterford and South East. They can be telephoned 24 hours every day - (051) 872114 or 1850 60 90 90. Their premises at 16, Beau Street is open to callers from 9:00am to 9:00pm daily. It is manned by local people who volunteer at least three hours a week to support those going through emotional crisis.

One does not have to be suicidal to contact Samaritans. Whatever the reason for distress, there has always been the sympathetic ear of a Samaritan volunteer available. However, currently, there is a need for people to train as Samaritans. Preliminaries to this training will take place in Waterford on Saturday, 28th January. Anybody over eighteen may apply but must be a good nonjudgemental listener with total respect for the necessary confidentiality and the ability to make a commitment. Either ring (051) 872114 at any time or call for an application form before 9pm to 16 Beau St. (on Catherine St.) before 23rd January.

DUNGARVAN-TIPP. SOUTH MS NOTES

A branch get-together is planned for Sunday, February 5th in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan at 3pm. It will be mainly a social event but will incorporate a short meeting to discuss items of some importance to members. We would like as many people as possible to attend.

If anyone would like to see some hairy chests being waxed, Carey's Bar, Clonmel is the place to be on Feb. 25th at 9pm.

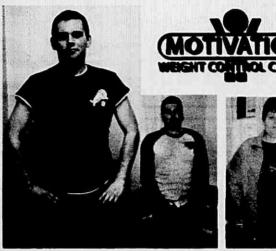
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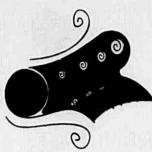
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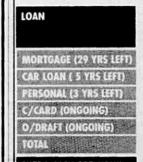
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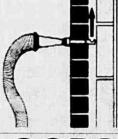
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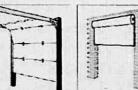
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