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## €10m Grant For New Dungarvan Hospital

**LONG PROMISED  
HOSPITAL SET TO BE  
GIVEN GREEN LIGHT**

By Kevin Kirrane

A long-promised new 32 bed District Hospital for Dungarvan has gone to the planning stage after confirmation that it is to receive a multi-million euro grant to replace the 180 year old structure.

The current St. Vincent's District Hospital has been the centre of controversy and complaints over a number of years due to its antiquated and dilapidated condition. Fire Chiefs have also described the building as a fire hazard.

But now, after a decade of lobbying and promises, a ten million euro grant has been allocated to the new hospital over the next three years as part of the Health Service Executives capital programme.

It's the clearest commitment

to date that the development of a new state of the art building will come on line with a favourable decision expected within weeks.

The new hospital will provide GP access beds, convalescent care, respite care, care for the terminally ill, and short term accommodation for dependent chronically ill young people.

"Its mission will be to provide local non-acute services to complement the services in the acute general hospital," Fianna Fail Deputy, Ollie Wilkinson, said welcoming the announcement last week.

**CARE GROUPS**

Eight beds will be reserved for GP acute admissions; eight beds for respite admissions; three beds for the care of the young and chronically sick; three beds for short-term convalescent care either for patients discharged from acute hospitals to the care of their GP or patients from the community.

"The 10 million euro capital envelope will also cover the new 15 place day hospital for the elderly. It will enable older people to continue to live at home and to avoid hospital admission last week.

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## Crackdown On Unauthorised Waste Disposal!

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## INITIATIVE A WASTE OF TIME, MANPOWER AND MONEY — CLAIMS HASC

By Kevin Kirrane

Householders who have opted out of the county council's waste service have been warned prosecutions will follow if they cannot prove their waste is being disposed of in an appropriate manner.

In a move slammed by waste opponents who branded it a waste of time, manpower and money, the tough new crackdown is expected to target the three or four thousand householders who have not yet signed up to pay the controversial 150 euro annual flat fee. Just over 8,000 people of the

targeted 11,000 customers have paid up so far.

**DATA COMPILED**

A spokesperson for the Council said data is being compiled in relation to households who are not presenting waste for collection and disposal by permitted operators.

"Environmental staff will be calling to householders throughout the county over the coming weeks, and will be asking householders to provide evidence that their waste is being disposed of in an environmentally safe manner.

"Appropriate enforcement ac-

tion, including prosecution, may be pursued against householders who cannot provide evidence of appropriate waste disposal."

"Every householder has a legal obligation under Section 32 of the Waste Management Act, 1996 to ensure that their waste is disposed of in an environmentally safe manner. This means that waste must be disposed of by a properly licensed collector. Waste must also be segregated into three separate streams and presented for collection, in accordance with the

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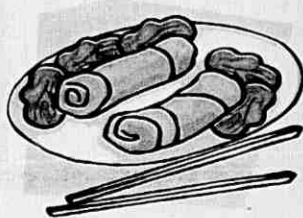
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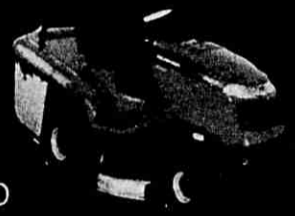
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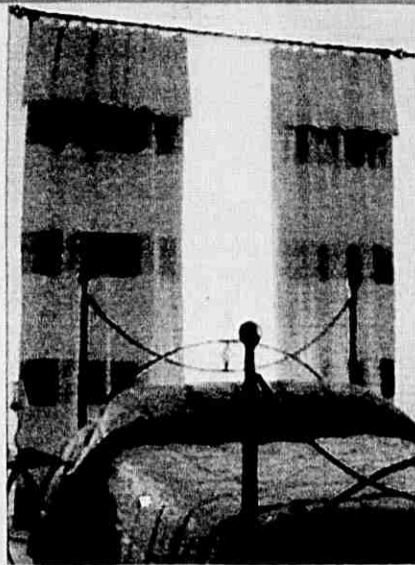
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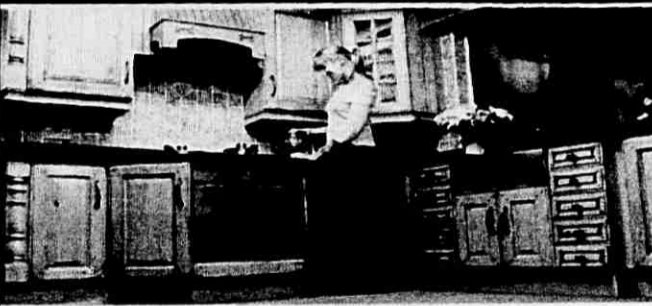
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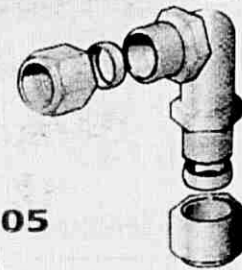
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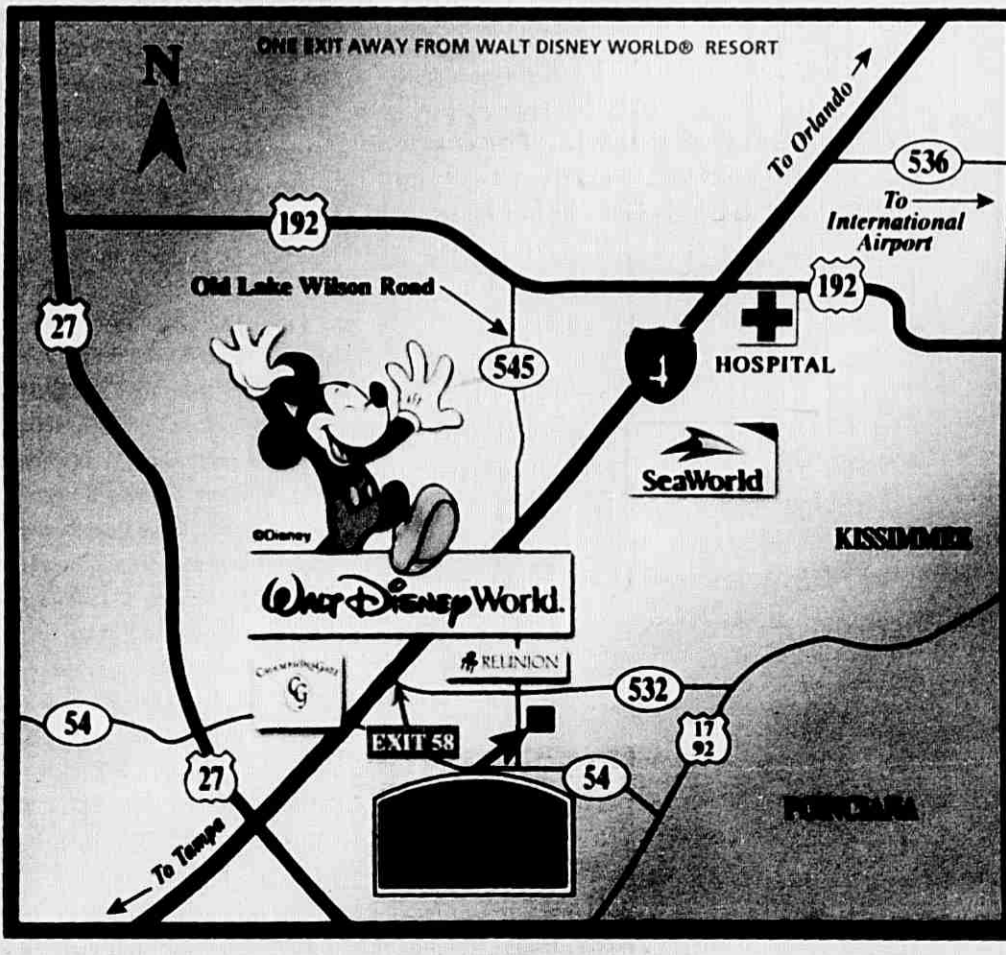


All property and holiday home shoppers travel to the Park Hotel, Dungarvan this Sunday, May 28th between 12 and 4 p.m. for West Waterford's first ever Florida Property Exhibition. The event is being hosted by Sherry FitzGerald Reynolds in association with Emerald Florida Properties.

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# Sr. Déaglán's Book on Tadhg Gaelach launched in Dungarvan

**Last Thursday week in the presence of a large and attentive audience, a new book on the life, spirituality and poetry of Tadhg Gaelach O'Suilleabhain was launched in the Central Library, Dungarvan by An tAth. Pádraig O'Dálaigh, OSA, poet and writer and also Parish Priest of Ballyboden, Dublin. The distinguished author of what is already described as a monumental work and a major contribution to Irish language literature is Sr. Déaglán de Paor, PBVM, a Presentation Sister in Muine Beag who was born and reared in Ardmore.**

Among the attendance were the Mayor of Dungarvan Cllr. Damien Geoghegan, the Mayor of County Waterford, Cllr. Ger Barron, Very Rev. Donal Canon O'Connor, PE, as well as many enthusiasts of local literature and history. Máire Seo Breathnach, Oifigeach Forbartha Gaeilge, Waterford County Council presided at the launch and also paid tribute to the achievements and scholarship of Sr. Déaglán.

Máire Seo, speaking in Irish and English said that she was especially pleased to welcome back both Sr. Déaglán and Fr. Daly as both had spoken at the inaugural Tionól an tSamhraidh in 2003 when Tadhg Gaelach had again been a central subject. There, Sr. Déaglán had presented her findings on Tadhg's work, the results of which now form the basis of her book.

In launching the book, which has already been given special status in the Cambridge Library, An tAth. Ó'Dálaigh said that it was entirely fitting that it should be launched in Dungarvan where Tadhg Gaelach had lived, 'maybe even stood where we are gathered this evening, walked the streets beside us, watched the boats in the harbour and travelled with his parishioners to Declan's city of Ardmore'.

"Is Déiseach í Máire de Paor, an bhean a chaith an oiread san dua le filíocht Thaidhg Gaeligh a chfáradh. B'anseo in nDúingarbhan a chaith Tadhg Gaelach féin mór-chuid dá shaol, is anseo i nDúingarbhan a chéad-airíodh na dánta iontachta, spioradálta a bhronn sé orainn, na dánta ba athníotar mar bhuai a shaothair."

"One can only guess at the long hours and the late nights that went into this labour of love," continued, Fr. Daly. Scholarly assimilation is slow, but what Sr. Déaglán has done will be significant for students, not only of Tadhg Gaelach, but for all of Irish literature 'as Gaeilge' for ages ahead."

"Níor thuigeas gur ealaíontóir den scoth a bhí ann go dtí gur tháinig mé ar shaothar na Súire Déaglán."

He said that Sr. Déaglán's work can only be described as monumental and groundbreaking: pioneering work that gives us an undreamt of insight into a man who was an artist, a saint and an incomparable poet. He wished Sr. Déaglán every success with her new book and said that she deserved our gratitude for 'this splendid work'. "Go méadaí Dia i gcónaí thú", he concluded.

Mayor of Dungarvan Cllr. Damien Geoghegan, said that he felt that Sr. Declan had not yet received the recognition she deserves for ensuring, through her writing, that Tadhg Gaelach, a poet and



At the launch of the book "Tadhg Gaelach O Suilleabhain" by Maire B. de Paor in the Central Library, Dungarvan were seated author, Sr. Deaglan de Paor with standing (l. to r.) Cllr. Ger Barron, Co. Mayor, Tom Keith, Ann Lenihan, Co. Library, Maire Seo Breathnach, Oifigeach Gaeilge WCC, Fr. Pádraig J. O Dalaigh, OSA, who launched the book and Cllr. Damien Geoghegan, Mayor of Dungarvan.

theologian very close to her heart, received the recognition that he deserved.

"Before Sr. Declan began to explore the work of Tadhg Gaelach and made it known to her audiences in many areas," he continued, "the full literary and spiritual value of Tadhg's work was never fully appreciated. With this book, the result of her research and the accomplishments of Tadhg will be better known and we, as people of the Déise, owe her a great debt of gratitude for that."

Mayor of County Waterford, Cllr. Ger Barron said that while they had learned little in school about this most local of poets, he was very much aware of him as he lived within a couple of miles of his final resting place in the graveyard in Ballylanean.

"As people get to know more and more about Tadhg Gaelach, his work and lifestyle," he said, "so too will the dedication and scholarship of Sr. Declan be recognised and acknowledged." He thanked Sr. Déaglán 'for the service you have done for Tadhg, for his poetry and his work for the people' and also for the manner in which she had further enhanced the literature of County Waterford.

In reply, Sr. Déaglán thanked Fr. Daly and the Mayors for their kind sentiments. She said that in his spiritual work among the people, Tadhg had moved from parish to parish working with the people in the fields during the day, sharing the word of God with them and preparing them for Mass and the sacraments.

"Tadhg Gaelach Ó'Suilleabhain was first and foremost a man of prayer and penance," she continued, "totally committed to Christ and his Church. He was a poet, a theologian, a great singer and musician and, after his death, the old people called out for his sacred songs and they were printed in Clonmel in 1802."

She said that many of Tadhg's most important poems were written in Dungarvan and that he had paid a splendid tribute to the people of the town and area when he wrote in his poem 'Slán le hÉirinn', ina geuireann sé in iúl a bhuíochas do mhuintir Dhún Garbháin as a gcineáltas go léir leis:

"Mo shlán le Dún na méithbhreac  
Na séimhfhéar is na mbruinneall mbán;  
Do thráchtfadh liomsa ar naofacht  
An AonMhic sin d'fhulaing Páis."

Sr. Déaglán quoted Lismore scholar, Dr. Pádraig Ó'Macháin of the Dublin Institute of Advanced Studies who said at a previous

gathering to honour Tadhg that 'There are those who would regard with raised eyebrows anyone who would claim that Ireland had a literature before the advent of W.B. Yeats. That Irish was the language of learned discourse long before English achieved such a status, is something many are either ignorant of or choose to ignore.'

In conclusion, Sr. Déaglán exhorted the people of the area to commemorate Tadhg Gaelach in fitting fashion by erecting a monument to him, perhaps in the form of a fish, a recognised symbol of Christ. Ictus, the Latin word for fish is made up of the initials of the name Jesus Christ, Son of God, Saviour, an appropriate tribute to Tadhg's Spirituality.



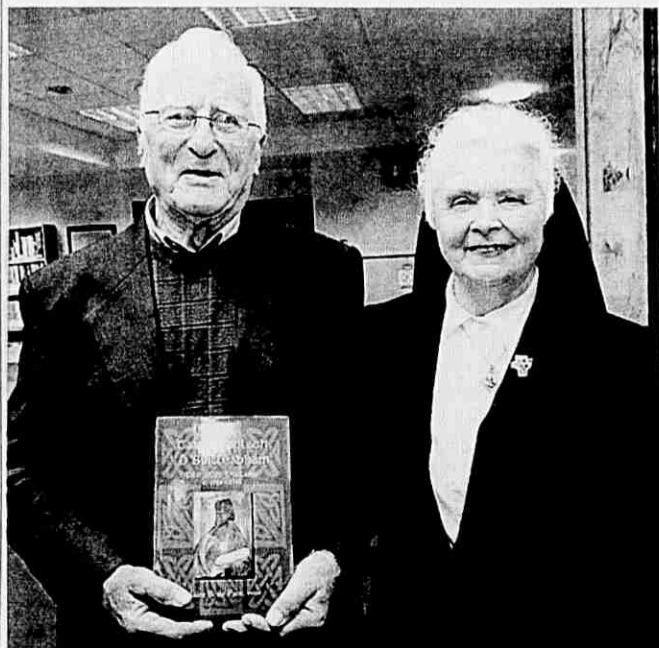
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Sr. Deaglan de Paor with Jimmy Coffey at the book launch.

Photos by Sean Byrne Photography



**Integrated Art Project with Ard Scoil na nDeise** — An exciting Art Project has been taking place for the last 3 years between Transition Year Art students and some budding artists from Carriglea. An Exhibition of their work took place recently in Ard Scoil na nDeise. Pictured at the opening of the exhibition were, artists from Carriglea, Joan Mansfield, who officially opened the exhibition, Mary Foley, Art teacher, Anne Stack, Ard Scoil, Regina Duggan, Programme Developer Carriglea, Margaret Organ, County Arts Officer and Damien Geoghegan, Mayor. (Photo: Robert Power Photography)

# European Action May Be Taken Over Ring Water Supply

By Kevin Korrane

European court action may be taken against the state if it is found that Waterford County Council is "deficient" regarding its public water supply in the Ring and Old Parish Gaeltacht.

The warning comes from Údarás na Gaeltachta representative and Labour councillor Fiachra Ó Céilleachair who said the EU's Water Framework Directive sets binding quality objectives for drinking water.

Cllr. Ó Céilleachair, who has long argued that the Ring public water system is problematic in both quantity and quality, has repeated his demand that Waterford County Council and

the Department of Environment "move quickly" on their commitments to provide new supply infrastructure for both Ring and Old Parish.

Whereas the 2000 legislation does not deal with design, construction and maintenance of water distribution systems, Cllr. Ó Céilleachair said it gives scope to table a complaint to the EU Commission and/or petition the European

Parliament on the quality issue.

## LEGISLATION

"If a consequent investigation found that water quality in Ring didn't comply with standards set down in European legislation, then the EU Commission can ultimately refer the matter to the European Court of Justice," Cllr. Ó Céilleachair said. In November 2002, the Court issued a judgement finding Ireland in breach of a similar Directive in regard to preventing the pollution of groundwater. This ruling forced the state to invest in infrastructure and revise its own legislation.

## CONTENTION

The quality of Ring's water supply has been a matter of contention since the 1980s, with problems emerging in Old Parish more recently.

Cllr. Ó Céilleachair, who has made representations on the issue since 1997 pointed to one particular letter issued to him from a Senior Engineer in June of last year, which acknowledges that "the water supply for the Ring/Helvic area has and continues to be an area subject to problems in relation to both quantity and quality of water"

But despite the council's own assessment, Cllr. Ó Céilleachair said Waterford County Council - as a planning author-

ity - has approved an extraordinary level of development in Ring, without matching it with a basic infrastructure such as reliable water supply.

## HOUSING

"In the last 5 years, some 65 houses are either built or under way in variously sized residential schemes in zoned parts of Ring. Similar applications for another 47 houses have been approved by the Council and there are remaining patches of land marked for intensive residential development," he said.

"Independently of this, and excluding the completion of the Council's own housing scheme in Ring, that same 5 year period has also seen over 60 single dwellings being built in various parts of the parish."

## DEMAND INCREASING

Over this summer, when demand on the supply traditionally increases, Cllr. Ó Céilleachair called on householders in Ring and Old Parish to "detail the inconvenience they are experiencing" with the quality of their water supply.

In the absence of movement from the local authority and the Department in the short term, Cllr. Ó Céilleachair said he will have "no hesitation" in using this data as part of a complaint to the European institutions.

## COUNCIL WARNED OVER DEFICIENT SUPPLY

## Motorist Questioned Over Suspected Hit And Run

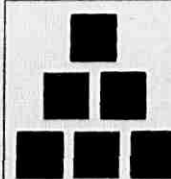
By Kevin Korrane

A motorist was questioned by Gardai in relation to an incident in Grattan Square on Friday night/ Saturday morning last in which a man was taken to Waterford Regional Hospital after sustaining a suspected dislocated shoulder.

The incident happened at approximately 1.30 am on Saturday morning last when a man was found lying on the street in Grattan Square having received injuries as a result of a hit and run. A red car was seen driving from the scene.

Gardai, who had issued a public appeal for information, interviewed a man in relation to the incident at around 10am on Saturday morning last.

Anyone with information in relation to the incident is asked to contact the Gardai in Dungarvan on 058-42370.



## Rural Social Scheme for County Waterford

Waterford Leader Partnership is pleased to announce that places are now available on the Rural Social Scheme (RSS) for Co-Waterford. The aim of the RSS is to provide income support for farmers and fishermen who are currently in receipt of long term social welfare payments or those who are currently nearing completion on a FÁS / CE scheme.

The type of work to be undertaken by each farmer/fisherman or spouse under the RSS is likely to include the following:

- \* Maintaining and enhancing way marked ways, agreed walks and bog roads,
- \* Energy conservation work for the elderly and the less well off,
- \* Village and countryside enhancement projects,
- \* Social care and care of the elderly, community care for both pre-school and after-school groups,
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- Unemployment Benefit if previously on CE
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Should an individual be deemed eligible for the RSS but does not wish to participate on it, a dependent spouse can take the available place.

The scheme has now been extended following a recent review by the Government to take into account the following eligible categories but with the same underlying criteria:

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- Recipients of Widow(ers) pension, both contributory and non-contributory;
- Recipients on One-Parent Family Payments but who still meet the underlying criteria;
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- Transfers from FÁS CE to RSS after 31.12.2006 as long as they are in receipt of a long term Social Welfare Payment;
- Participation of RSS Workers in the delivery of the Warmer Homes Scheme and any other energy conservation scheme; groups are allowed to become engaged in the delivery of the Warmer Homes Scheme and any other energy conservation project.

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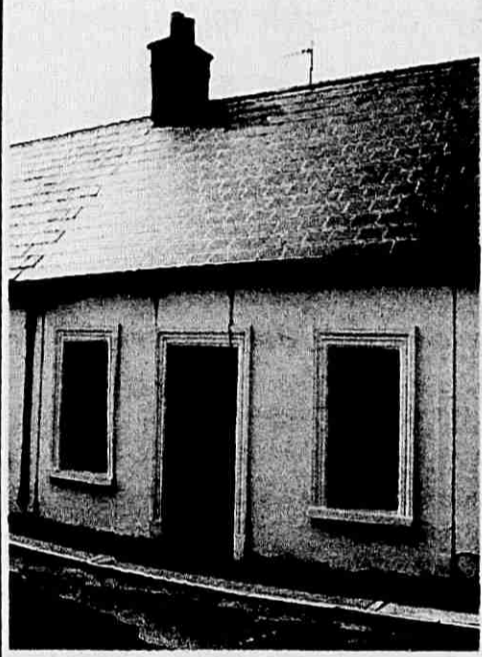
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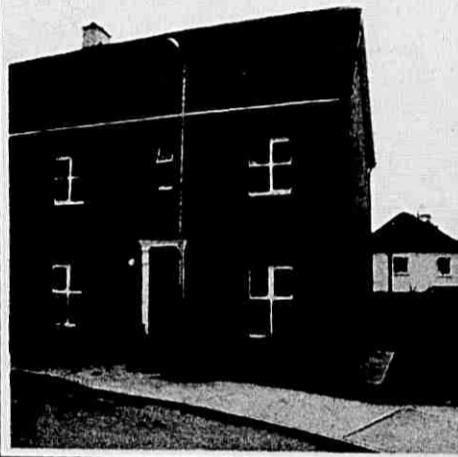


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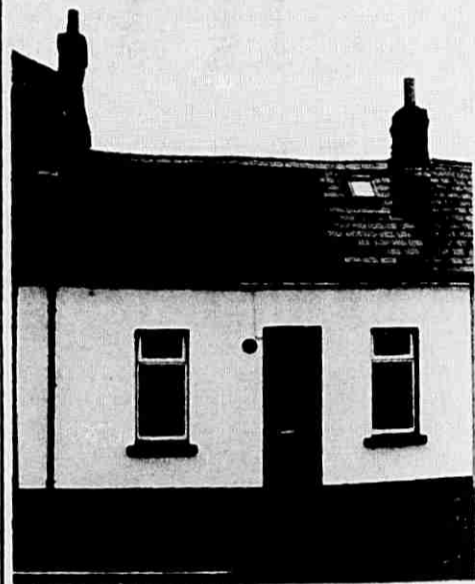


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## Local People Show Their Generosity by Raising €3,000 to Support IndependentAge

**IndependentAge**  
a charity that champions independent living for older people

A garden lunch and river walk hosted by Mrs. Emily Villiers-Stuart at her home at Dromana, Cappoquin has raised €3,000 for local charity IndependentAge. IndependentAge champions independent living for older people struggling to survive on low incomes. The event received tremendous support from local people and local businesses including Aodhan O'Farrell of The Wine Buff in Clonmel, Crinnaghtau Juice Company Limited and River

Valley Plants.

The money raised will go towards helping IndependentAge in its work of providing financial support to its beneficiaries in the form of a small life-long annuity and emergency grants for essential household repairs or mobility equipment.

A great time was had by all and a number of people who attended the event also volunteered to join the charity's volunteer network which offers emotional support and friendship to older people in need.

**Pictured one of the event organisers Juju Keane with event hostess Mrs. Emily Villiers-Stuart.**



## Lives Made Living Hell By Anti-Social Behaviour

### New Guidelines To Come Into Effect

**By Kevin Kirrane**

People living near noisy and badly behaved neighbours are going through absolute hell, a recent meeting of Dungarvan Town Council heard.

The comments were made as new anti-social behaviour guidelines came before the council. The measures were introduced in a bid to stamp out anti-social behaviour in local authority housing estates.

The guidelines, which went on public display recently, outline the town council's policies and objectives in tackling the

problem of noisy and ill-behaved tenants.

It will also draw together a formal complaints procedure, possible solutions and the legislation open to the council when dealing with the issue.

The Gardaí, the Health Service along with the council's own tenant liaison officer, were understood to have been consulted in drafting the guidelines.

#### MINORITY

Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Damien Geoghegan (FG) who first proposed the measure and has been very vocal on the

issue, stressed that a small minority of council residents were responsible. But action must be taken as it is "making life hell" for neighbours.

He went on to say that parents should become responsible for their children's behaviour, including underage public drinking.

"All the Gardaí can do is take the alcohol off them and bring the young person back to their parents. But that only works when the parents are interested.

"Some parents are just not interested in dealing with their chil-

dren's behaviour. That's where there is a problem," he said.

#### INTERACTION NEEDED

Labour councillor, Billy Kyne, said more "interaction" between the council and the Gardaí is needed to stamp out anti-social behaviour. He said a "clear link" between the Gardaí management and the council is needed to police troubled spots in the town.

Cllr. Brendan Mansfield (SF), said there is a Catch 22 situation in regard to public drinking. Where young people are stopped from drinking they just "go somewhere else."

He said they needed to raise the problem with whoever has been appointed to replace Superintendent Harnett.

"We need a cohesive strategy to solve this," he said.

#### VISIBLE PRESENCE

He said that during the Feile, people welcomed the fact that there was a large and visible amount of Gardaí on foot patrol in the town: "That is what is needed more," he said.

Labour councillor Teresa Wright also welcomed the move.

"But," she said, "it is not worth the paper it is written on unless it becomes a working paper."

She said some people's lives have been made an "absolute hell - they come into the council and they are told it is a policing matter. It won't work unless we decide to do something. If it is not worked on we might as well put it in the bin."

"Once darkness falls it becomes an absolute hell for people living in some estates in the town," she added.

Cllr. Fred Forsey agreed that the council has "one chance to make it work".

"We have to get tough with those engaging in anti-social behaviour. We can't lie down. We have to do everything we can to stop it."

## Call For Action to Aid Heilbhc Fishermen

**By Kevin Kirrane**

Sinn Féin Councillor, Brendan Mansfield, has forwarded a motion to Waterford County Council calling for intervention from the highest level of the Department of the Marine to maintain the fishing port at Heilbhc.

Fishermen working out of Heilbhc have suffered a number of set backs of late including the closure of the fish processing plant and the ice plant.

The closure of the Ice Plant, in particular, has been a set back to locals. The plant was close to 30 years old and was costing a lot to maintain.

At present up to 20 boats, a mixture of Trawlers and punts, are fishing from Heilbhc with

between 25-30 people employed there. But, since the closure of the ice plant, the fishermen are now forced to travel to Ballycotton or Dunmore East on a daily basis to get ice.

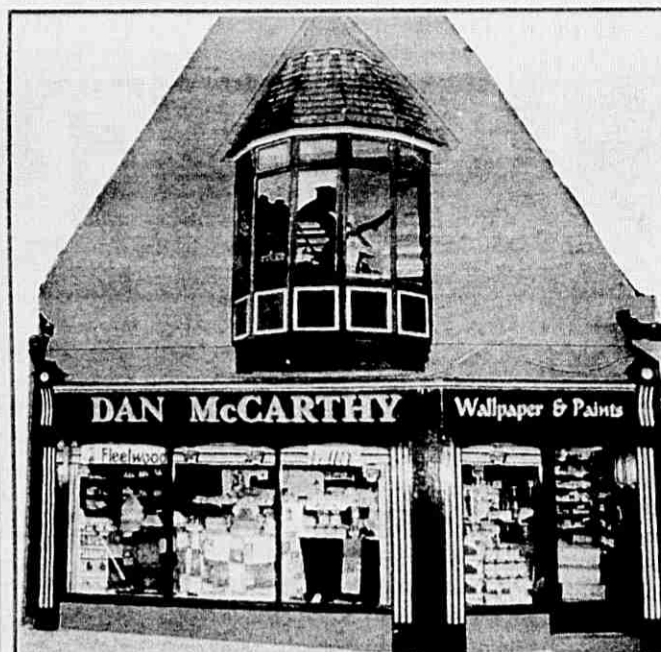
"To travel to Dunmore East from Heilbhc is a round trip of 102 miles," Cllr. Mansfield said. "I believe that the Department of Marine should provide a mobile ice producing unit for the Heilbhc fishermen."

"These are small time fishermen who seem to have more and more restrictions placed on them daily. If things continue in this fashion, soon there will be nobody fishing from Heilbhc which would be a disaster for the area both from an economic and heritage point of view."

Cllr. Mansfield pointed out that the Waterford County Council's Development Plan for 2005-2011 mentions the fishing port of Heilbhc, and states that the small fishing port of Heilbhc and its associated fish processing plant is a valuable source of local employment as many of its employees live locally.

Heilbhc is also mentioned in one of the plans mission statements, which commits to improve access to, and support the continued development of all piers and harbours within the county, for both commercial and recreational purposes.

"I will be calling on the Executive to back up their words with action in the coming weeks," Cllr. Mansfield said.



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## "Hard To Justify" Lismore Bus Stop

By Kevin Korrane

A proposal to provide a bus stop in Lismore looks "hard to justify" for a once a morning bus service, Lismore Town Council heard.

A bus would take up four parking spaces if an area was designated.

The comments followed questions from Independent councillor, John Campion.

Town Clerk, Eric Flynn said there were disabled spaces where the bus stop would be leaving on and off passengers.

If it was to park and take off close to the Millenium Park, there was a danger that a child could run out in front of the bus and be knocked down.

"Most towns have a bus stop," Cllr. Orla Russell remarked. "Surely we can come to some arrangement."

While proposals were put forward then to have a "part time" space designated, where it would operate like a loading bay (it would be a bus stop in the morning and return to double yellow lines afterwards) Town Clerk, Eric Flynn dismissed the plan.

"We can't say this is a bus stop until such a time, and then say disregard this for the rest of the time."

## Council Should Push Forward With Sewage Schemes

By Kevin Korrane

Waterford County Council should push on with those towns and villages who are ready to begin work on multi-million euro sewage scheme plans, according to one Fianna Fail councillor.

Cllr. James Tobin has branded the grouping of seven towns and villages as "stupid" and at a recent meeting of Waterford County Council said the council should push ahead with work on those towns ready to begin.

The local authority has been bogged down amidst red tape, legal challenges and escalating delays. Most recently problems have surfaced with acquiring foreshore licenses for a number of location and a call also has been made regarding a Judicial Review into the siting of a waste water treatment plan in Ardmore.

Now Cllr. Tobin believes the council should just go ahead with towns like Tallow where everything is ready to begin. Due to the grouping of the scheme for funding purposes however, Tallow, looks set to be delayed until those obstacles are finally hurdled.

Cllr. Nora Flynn, Fine Gael, agreed with Cllr. Tobin that the grouping of the villages and towns was a "stupid decision."

Labour councillor Billy Kyne said the council should contact the local Minister, Martin Cullen and the four TD's in the constituency and the two senators over the continuing delays affecting the sewage scheme.



Pictured at the handing over of the 4 Delta Title Chairs by Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club for St. Francis Ward, St. Joseph's Hospital were staff members Brigid Burke, Acting Director of Nursing St. Joseph's Hospital, Pat Harrington, Acting Assitant Director of Nursing, Ida Batan, Clinical Nurse Manager, Geraldine Mullaney, Care Attendant and Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club members MI. Dee, Ray Dwyer, Brett Lynam, Eamon O'Doherty, Frank O'Rourke, Padraig de Burca, Francis Barry and Eddie Moore. The chairs were purchased with the money raised in the sponsored cycle by club members from Donegal to Dungarvan. (Rory Wyley)

## Epic Munster Fleadh Cheoil Takes Place In Lismore

What promises to be the biggest free musical event ever to be staged in Lismore will be staged during the Munster Fleadh Cheoil 2006. Taking place on the weekend of July 14th-16th 2006, a most ambitious programme of street and 'seisun' entertainment is planned. The organizing committee is anticipating thousands will throng to the Heritage Town of Lismore to enjoy the various activities that have been organised.

Top class Irish traditional music acts will entertain free

on the Main St. on both Saturday 15th & Sunday 16th. These include Ireland's foremost contemporary traditional singer Sean Keane and his band. They will perform at the closing concert on the Sunday evening. He will be joined by a number of well known guest artists and local musicians.

On the Saturday evening North Cregg will top a line up of the best of Irish entertainment. This well known Irish Band embraces music from around the world to create one of the most distinctive and charismatic voices in Irish music.

Exhibitions, ceilis, street entertainment, pageantry and the Guinness Session Trail completes this weekend of traditional extravaganza.

The Fleadh officially kicks

off on the evening of Friday 14th with a concert followed by the Guinness Session trail and singers club.

The Munster Fleadh competitions which celebrate the skills of musicians from all around Munster will start on Saturday morning and conclude on Sunday.

There will be set dancing competitions and one of the highlights of the weekend will be the Ceilí Mór which will take place after the street entertainment on the Saturday Evening. The Turloughmore Ceilí Band who is one of Ireland foremost ceili bands will provide the music. A brochure with full programme details will be available at the end of May. In the meanwhile all enquires may be directed to 058-54975



Sean Keane who will perform at the closing concert on Sunday evening in Lismore.



Tim Foley, Manager Dungarvan Shopping Centre, presenting a sponsorship cheque for Feile na Deise to John McGrath, Treasurer Feile Committee. Included are Aine O'Riordan, Cathaoirleach and Nora Fahey. (Rory Wyley)

## Manager To Meet With OSI Over Decentralisation

By Kevin Korrane

County Manager, Ray O'Dwyer is to meet with the Ordnance Survey of Ireland to discuss their readiness to decentralise to Dungarvan.

Mr. O'Dwyer assured the elected members at the May meeting of the council that he is doing everything he can to set up a meeting with the Government Agency. Around two public servants are due to relocate to Dungarvan under the decentralisation plans.

But a number of concerns have been levelled at the plans which, if they go through, would pump thousands of euros into the local economy.

So far there has been a poor uptake on the relocation scheme.

Meanwhile, Minister of Finance, Brian Cowen has once again gone to lengths to assure that decentralisation will happen.

In a parliamentary reply to Deputy John Deasy, Mr. Cowen said he was informed by OSI that arrangements for decentralisation are proceeding in accordance with their implementation plan.

"A site has been acquired in Dungarvan by the Office of Public Works (OPW). The Ordnance Survey of Ireland have submitted a detailed plan of its requirements in the new loca-

tion to the OPW.

"The Government and the Decentralisation Implementation Group (DIG) have always recognised that there are complexities involved in the state agency aspect of the decentralisation programme. Traditionally there is no experience of decentralisation among state agencies and no tradition of inter-organisational transfer of movement among staff.

"However, both the Government and the DIG remain of the view that these challenges can be addressed through the active engagement of management and unions," Minister Cowen said.

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Pictured at the draw in aid of Self Help prior to the 10k sponsored walk were (l. to r.): Dr. Tom Higgins, Con Lane, Mary Spratt, Cllr. Damien Geoghegan, Mayor of Dungarvan, Mary Fleming, Celine O'Sullivan and Brigid Broderick. —(Photo: Rory Wyley).

## Discussions on Community Centre Car Park

By Kevin Kirrane

Discussions were urged to get underway with the GAA regarding the use of their car parking facilities at the Community Centre in Lismore.

Lismore is currently facing a parking crux leading up to the busy summer tourism season, and with a number of big events including the Munster Fleadh Ceoil and Imramma to be held in the town, possible

solutions were discussed at a recent meeting of Lismore Town Council.

The problem arose after the closure of the Lismore Hotel car park while the hotel is being upgraded in major renovation and expansion works.

While work is underway on a new municipal car park - located opposite the hotel and beside the entrance to Lismore Castle there is no set time for it open.

Town Clerk, Eric Flynn was in favour of "ploughing ahead" with their own car park which he hoped would be available for a number of high profile events planned in the town.

But he agreed with representations for discussions to take place with the GAA acknowledging there would be "no harm in talking to them."

It followed questions from Fine Gael councillor, John

Heneghan about the use of the community centre car park which would have room for over 100 spaces.

"It's a cheap way of having a number of new parking spaces and it would be an ideal location for tourists," he added.

While respecting that the opening of the gates to visitors would essentially be an "insurance issue" he said he was sure the GAA would be willing to come on board, and "wouldn't look for too much." After all, Cllr. Heneghan said: "This council has been very good to them."

## A BETTER ALTERNATIVE

Speaking last week at the launch of the Report of the National Working Group on the Regulation of Complementary Therapists, Mary Harney urged the public not to avail of complementary therapies without first discussing it with their GPs.

This recommendation is obviously well intentioned, and as a medical herbalist I welcome any measures aimed at safeguarding the public and ensuring that the highest standards of training. However, the recommendation may not be entirely practical for a number of reasons.

Firstly, most GPs do not have any training in the field of complementary medicine, and therefore cannot be expected to know if a particular therapy is safe or appropriate. While some GPs are supportive of complementary medicine, many are willing to condemn other therapies without being fully informed of research which supports their use.

Secondly, GPs cannot confidently make recommendations about individual therapists until a system of regulation is introduced, with approved registers of professionally trained and qualified practitioners. The Report of the National Working Group on the Regulation of Complementary Therapists has recommended a system for statutory regulation for herbalists and acupuncturists, while chiropractors and osteopaths are likely to be regulated via the Health and Social Care Professionals Act. A system of voluntary regulation has been proposed for all other complementary therapists.

Finally, visiting your doctor before availing of other therapies can add a significant amount of money to the overall cost.

Of course it is true that many forms of alternative or complementary medicine are unproven. However there are some forms of alternative or complementary medicine which have been subject to scientific research and which have proven to be effective. Many practitioners have undertaken years of training and belong to professional organisations which impose strict codes of conduct.

For example, herbal medicine has been extensively researched and modern scientific methods have been used to establish the safety and effectiveness of herbal remedies. The orthodox medical profession cannot deny the effectiveness of herbal medicine because many of the pharmaceutical drugs used today are based on plant constituents.

Herbal medicine simply uses the plant itself in its natural form. It still contains the same active constituents which are used by the pharmaceutical industry to make medicines, but these are balanced by the plant's other components. This makes the herbal remedy a more gentle option, but it can also be a more effective option in some circumstances.

Medical herbalists are trained in the same diagnostic techniques as orthodox doctors, a training which takes 6 years on a full-time basis. Medical herbalists can treat almost any condition that patients might take to their doctor, and are trained to know when a condition is best referred for orthodox medical investigations or treatment. In many cases, patients already receiving orthodox medical treatment can also benefit from herbal medicine to improve results or minimise side effects, and medical herbalists are trained to identify any potential interactions between orthodox and herbal medicines.

The Irish Institute of Medical Herbalists (IIMH) is the only professional organisation in this country which upholds such high standards for herbalists. The Institute ensures that all its members are properly trained and imposes a strict code of conduct and requirements for continuing professional training.

The Irish Institute of Medical Herbalists supports regulation of all health professionals and hopes that the Department of Health will implement training for GPs which will enable them to understand the available research, training, and scope of practice for the various complementary therapies.

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

Aine Marie Reilly practices at Lismore Clinic of Herbal Medicine. To make an appointment for a private consultation telephone 058 53200 or 087 934 5910.



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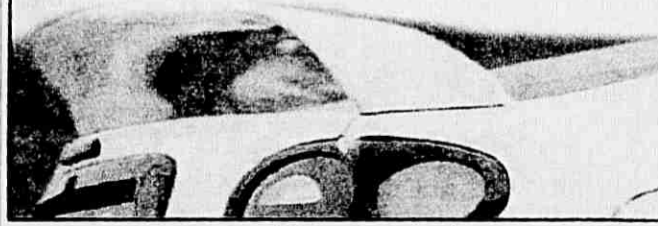
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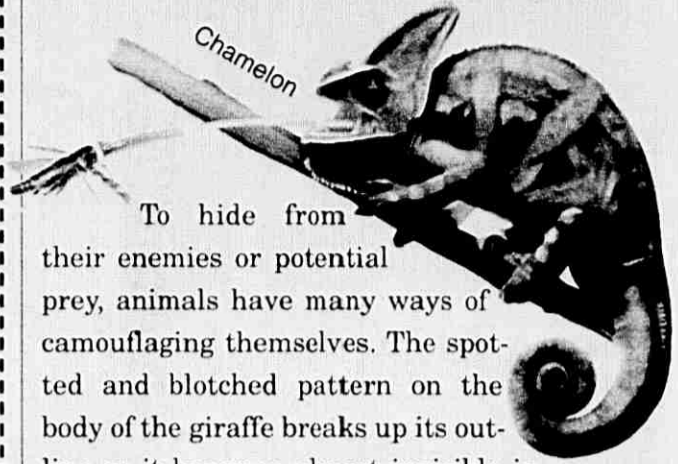
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### JUNIOR PAGE

## HOW ANIMALS USE CAMOUFLAGE



To hide from their enemies or potential prey, animals have many ways of camouflaging themselves. The spotted and blotched pattern on the body of the giraffe breaks up its outline so it becomes almost invisible in dappled sunlight beneath the trees. The spots on a leopard fulfil the same function. Many creatures are so well camouflaged that you do not know that they are there until they move.

#### Some Animals Can Change Their Colour

The chameleon can change its colour to blend in with the background. The praying mantis of Malaysia changes its colour too, to look like a flower and attract insects. The European tree frog can also change its colour to match its surroundings.

#### The Creature With Two Heads

Predators that attack the shingleback lizard of Australia are faced with an unusual form of protection - the shingleback has a short plumb tail that is similar in appearance to its head.



As the creature seems to have two heads, the predator does not know what end to attack.

#### Copypcat Animals

Some animals conceal themselves by looking like something else. This is known as protective resemblance. Stick insects look like twigs, as do the caterpillars of the light emerald moth which can have little twig-like bumps along their surface. There are many species of insect which look like the leaves of a tree.

#### A Sloth Goes Green

An unusual form of camouflage helps the sloth of the South American jungles. Its coarse hair is grooved, and in these grooves grows a simple green algae, the colour of which helps to conceal the sloth.

#### Some Creatures Mimic Others

For protection, some creatures try to look like others. For example, a harmless creature will look like a poisonous or distasteful one that bears warning colours. Many hover flies look like bees and wasps which helps to keep predators at bay because they believe the harmless hover fly may sting them.

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# POPULAR PERFORMERS RETURN TO DUNGARVAN



The Arts Office of Waterford County Council is pleased to present 'The Legacy' by composer and author Mary Ronayne-Keane. The East Cork Lunula Choir will be joined by a section of the Omagh Lunula in a concert performance of 'The Legacy' which is a musical narrative based on the life of Grace O'Malley 'Granaile'. The

group is led by award winning lyric soprano, Jacinta Scully. The story is narrated by Conor Dwane and Sharon Hegarty, with choral direction and accompaniment by Mary Ronayne-Keane.

These performers thrilled audiences in Dungarvan in 2003 with their earlier production 'The Flight of the Earls', this is the first available opportunity for a return performance because of nationwide and international commitments.

The concert will be performed in St. Mary's Church of Ireland, Dungarvan on Friday 26th May 2006 at 8pm sharp. Tickets at €15 each are available in advance from The Old Market House Arts Centre, Lower Main St., Dungarvan/058-48944 or on the door.

**Leslie Dowdall To Make Guest Appearance**  
The Arts Office of Waterford County Council is pleased to announce a special guest performance by the singer Leslie Dowdall of 'In Tua Nua' fame during 'The Legacy' concert.



Leslie Dowdall who will be making a guest appearance at 'The Legacy' concert in Dungarvan with the composer Mary Ronayne Keane.

# Dungarvan No Name Club

**DUNGARVAN HILL WALKERS COMERAGH CROSSING**

The 10 Anniversary Comeragh Crossing organised by the Dungarvan Hill Walking Club takes place this year on Saturday July 1st. This is a very large event and each year it draws a huge entry and generates significant funds for various local charities. Over the past decade more than 100,000 Euro has been raised for many worthy charities. This year the No Name Club has been selected to be one of the organisations, which will benefit from the event.

We are most grateful to the Hill Walking Club for selecting our club.

We urge our members to get involved in the Comeragh Crossing either by participating in the walk, or by helping to man the many services required for such an event. Michael Fitzgerald is looking for fit and able bodies to accompany him for part of the journey over the hills. Don't be put off by the fact that Michael got lost last year - we're sure that was just a once off.

**MEETING ON WEDNESDAY**

Our next club meeting takes place this Wednesday, 24th May at 8:00pm in St. Joseph's School Hall. As we approach the end of the school year we have to decide what our activities over the summer months will be.

**CONDOLENCES TO EDDIE**

No Name Club Founder Eddie Keher was to be the recipient of an Honorary Doctorate from the University of Limerick on Thursday last. Eddie had to cancel these plans however due to the death of his mother at the great age of 91 years. We extend our condolences to Eddie and to his family at this time. We understand that the Conferring Ceremony will be re-scheduled for some time in autumn.

**SPOTLIGHT ON... EILEEN O'CONNELL**

This week we focus on Eileen O'Connell who was an individual award winner at the recent Variety All-Irelands in the Modern Dance category.

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Eileen O'Connell from Dungarvan No Name Club won the Individual Award for Best Female Modern Dancer at the Variety Awards held recently at the University Concert Hall, Limerick.

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Best thing about No Name - All the friends, Everything.  
Fav. Actress - Hilary Duff  
Best Film - Cinderella Story

Best song ever - Come on Eileen  
Song I can't get outta' my head - Joseph Megamix  
School - Ard Scoil  
Fav Teacher - Mr. Burke (The Legend)  
Best NNC event attended - Variety Finals  
Career Ambition - (To be "pure rye good") to succeed.  
Fav TV - Kilnaskully  
Coolest person on the planet - Desmond, David, Stefan, & Welshie. Not forgetting Lorna & de Girls.  
Best Sportsperson - David Beckham  
Most Embarrassing Moment - In the Leader's Room with Des in Melleray??  
My best quality - Personality  
Worst Habit - Calling people Shams  
My earliest memory - Screaming  
My first kiss was with ... A boy!  
Playing Kiss-chase back in the days.  
Proudest Moment - Getting in to No Name & winning the Variety.  
What animal best represents you - A Tiger (cos I'm wild)  
Coolest person in the No Name Club - Too many to narrow it down - Ye Legends.

**CONTACT DETAILS**

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[www.nonameclub.ie/dungarvan](http://www.nonameclub.ie/dungarvan)

# Fourmilewater Houses To Be Allocated

By Kevin Korrane

Two local authority houses in the Fourmilewater area are due to be allocated this week, a meeting of Waterford County Council heard.

It follows on from representations made by Cllr. Ciaran O Riain who called for a number of measures to be taken in the area before the official opening of the nearby Health Centre. Cllr. Riain has called the houses to be allocated since before last Christmas. "This has now dragged on into the middle of this year now," he added.

Director of Services with Waterford County Council Caroline Curley said it's hoped that the houses will be allocated before the Minister's visit and assured the councillor that work on cleaning up the area will also be carried out.

# PATRICIA REPORTS FROM THE USA

This is the journal of Transition Year student Patricia Ryan from Blackwater Community School who traveled to the USA recently as winner of THE GRADUATE ONLINE QUIZ



PATRICIA RYAN

On the 20th of April, I started my journey to one of the most famous cities of the world, New York, but my trip wasn't going to end there. Through out my week in America, I was also going to be visiting Philadelphia and Washington.

My preparation started way back in October when I participated in the online quiz, The Graduate, which runs every year and includes prizes such as trips to America and Strasbourg to the European Parliament as well as cash prizes and iPods. I was told at the time that I would be joined by other students through out Ireland that also had won the trip of a lifetime.

On the morning of my departure, I met all the organisers of the quiz and the other students that also won the prize at the Regency Airport Hotel. The prizes were then presented to the students by different sponsors. My prize was presented to me by Valerie Robinson from the NDP. Following the ceremony, we went to Dublin Airport and left Ireland.

We arrived in JFK Airport late into the night and many of us were still too excited to sleep despite the long flight. We were greeted by a tour guide, who gave us a brief description and told us about some of the sites we passed, such as the Roosevelt Island Tramway, as we were brought to the Pickwick Arms Hotel. After we checked into the hotel, we went for a short walk through New York and of course, we had to go to McDonalds.

The next day was one of our busiest days in New York. It included

a bus tour of the city with plenty of stops. During the tour we saw many famous sites of New York and saw a lot more of the amazing architecture. Our very first stop was at Central Park where we strolled through Strawberry Fields and saw one of the most famous musical iconic memorial, the John Lennon Imagine memorial.

After that, we visited Greenwich Village and saw the Washington Memorial Arch. We also stopped for a short while in Chinatown, before we arrived at City Hall Park. At that time we walked up Brooklyn Bridge, where we were able to get a good view of the East River.

After lunch at the South Street Seaport we took the Stanton Island ferry. The ferry allowed us to get a breathtaking view of the Manhattan Skyline as well as seeing the famous Statue of Liberty on Ellis Island. Following the tour was a visit to the most eerie and poignant areas of New York, Ground Zero. To see the site today, it is nothing more than a demolition site. It is impossible to imagine the impact 9/11 had on New York unless you visit St. Paul's Chapel beside Ground Zero. Here, there are many stands and art work depicting the sadness that was experience that day and the days that followed.

Through out the day we saw many more famous sites including the Empire State Building, the New York Public Library, Chryslers Building and we drove through Little Italy and Wall Street.

That evening, we went to see the many light of Times Square. And of course, we had to go shopping, which included a visit to Macy's. Our day ended with dinner at the Hard Rock Café where we saw many musical memorabilia items including suite won by the Beatles, Elvis and Prince and song lyrics by Bob Dylan.

On the following day it was raining, but we were lucky because our morning visit was to the United Nations. We were given a guided tour of the UN building which brought us through the many conference rooms and history of UN and its work through out the world.

For lunch that day we went to the Grand Central Terminal. This was followed by a visit to the USS Intrepid, which is a sea, air and space museum. We then went for our final shopping trip in New York and finished the night by going for dinner in Planet Hollywood, where we saw many movie memorabilia items such as costumes from Greece and props from 'Star Wars', 'Blade' and 'Big'.

The following morning started with a bus to Philadelphia. When we arrived in Philadelphia, we were greeted by a tour guide. The tour was based around the early history of the United States of America, including George Washington and Benjamin Franklin. The tour was a bus

and walking tour where we stopped at some of the most important and historic parts of Philadelphia. These included, Betty Roses House, The Liberty Bell and the Town Hall, and of course we couldn't leave Philadelphia without running up the famous Rocky Steps.

We continued our bus journey to Washington and arrived late into the evening. After our check in at the Harrington Hotel, we went for a night walk through Washington where we saw many of the famous buildings and monuments magnificently lit up.

On Monday, we were brought on a walking tour of Washington. On this tour we were told all about the history of America and of Washington. We visited the many historic buildings and monuments including the Theodore Roosevelt memorial, the Washington Monument and the US Supreme Court.

We then visited the Lincoln Memorial in the Constitution Garden. Here is also where we saw the Korean War memorial which is represented by 19 statues of heavily armed soldiers all facing in different directions. We walked up to the Arlington cemetery which is where all the American soldiers that fought during the World War, the Vietnamese War and the war currently in Iraq are buried. We also saw where President John F Kennedy is buried and the ever burning flame at the top of the memorial.

Later that evening, we went to the Mall, which is where all the museums in Washington are located, such as the Air and Space Museum and the Natural History Museum.

The next day started with a visit to the White House Visitors Centre where we saw many historical artefacts and learned a lot about the White House and the owners. Later that day we went shopping to one of the biggest shopping centres in America.

The next day was our departure day from Washington to JFK airport to get our return flight to Ireland. Unfortunately our flight was cancelled and we were placed on an earlier flight. We all arrived back in Dublin early on Thursday morning.

I really enjoyed the trip and made many friends while I was over there. I recommend all students to take part in "The Graduate" online quiz which will be starting again in September as they give many worthwhile prizes and great opportunities. The website is simply [www.graduate.ie](http://www.graduate.ie). I would also like to thank Valerie Robinson of the NDP for sponsoring my prize as well as our supervisors, Bronagh McLoughney and David Simpson as well as the quiz organiser Martin Heneghan. —(Patricia Ryan).

# Coffey Added to Fine Gael Ticket

By Kevin Korrane

Fine Gael's executive council has added Cllr. Paudie Coffey to its general election ticket, joining Deputy John Deasy and Waterford city councillor Jim Darcy as candidates in the constituency.

Cllr. Coffey, a native of Portlaw, and a long time Fine Gael activist, said he was delighted that the Fine Gael National Executive has put their trust and confidence in him for the next General Election.

"I look forward to working with Deputy, John Deasy, and Cllr. Jim Darcy to maximise the Fine Gael vote in the Waterford Constituency and put us in with a fighting chance of regaining the second seat for the party in Waterford.

"I am committed to working with both groups of Fine Gael city and county councillors in furthering the promotion and delivery of essential services to all of our communities right across the county.



Cllr. Paudie Coffey

### NOMINATION

Cllr. Coffey was second in the nomination race behind Deputy Deasy at the Waterford party convention a number of months ago, outpolling Cllr. Jim Darcy and Senator Maurice Cummins. However, Fine Gael headquarters said just one candidate should be selected in the county and one in the city, effectively edging out the popular Portlaw county councillor.

Cllr. Coffey speaking after his nomination said there are many areas that need to be addressed.

"At present there are huge deficits in sewerage and water infrastructure in the county which are not being addressed by the Government with Local Authority applications for improvements being strangled in Government Departments.

"I firmly believe that the young families of this country are being let down by the present Government. They are finding it ever increasingly difficult to get on the first rung of the property ladder, therefore new private and public housing initiatives will be specific focus during my campaign."

### ELECTED

Cllr. Coffey, who was first elected to Waterford County Council in 1999, went on to say the south east region and Waterford have been neglected in the delivery of essential infrastructure.

This includes university status for WIT, the delivery of public radiotherapy treatment at WRH, adequate funding for Waterford City and County Council to tackle service deficits in housing, water, refuse collection, emergency services and Community facilities and finally dealing with inadequate Garda stations and resources to tackle drug related crime and anti-social behaviour.

"The farming sector has been under attack from all angles over the term of the present Government. Sugar Beet farmers have been sold out, the new nitrates directives have foisted huge financial obligations on farmers threatening their viability, milk price and farm incomes are under constant threat.

### GOVERNMENT

"Therefore I want to support Fine Gael in putting Farming and farm issues right back in the heart of Government priorities to secure the future for farming in Ireland."

He said he will offer the electorate of Waterford a "fresh and passionate new voice in the forthcoming election.

Senator Maurice Cummins, who failed in his bid to get a Fine Gael nomination for the general election was the first to welcome the fact that Cllr. Paudie Coffey was added to the Fine Gael ticket.

"I stated at the convention that I would do everything possible to have Coffey added to the ticket, which was the wish of a large section of the membership and I am glad that Paudie is now a candidate.

### EXCELLENT CANDIDATE

"I believe that Paudie Coffey is an excellent candidate. He is from Portlaw and has worked in the city with the ESB for the last 20 years. Paudie is a proud Waterford man with proven ability and a track record for hard work.

"There is a huge groundswell of support for his candidature in both city and county and I believe that he could be the surprise packet in the next General Election. He will certainly have my full support and I am appealing to all my supporters to vote for Paudie Coffey at the next election."

# REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



The recent much regretted passing of Bill Sheehan, Caseyville, Dungarvan, recalls to mind the halcyon days of Rings and Darts throwing in Dungarvan and in other areas in the county. Bill was a fine exponent of both and played Rings with Duceys in Main Street (now part of the Credit Union Building), who were one of the well known Rings houses at the time. They had their own in-house annual tournament and also took part in the Inter Pubs Tournaments, entering as many as 3 & 4 teams in some. One of the biggest tournaments was run by Crotty's, Leamybrien and it was a moment of great pride for Bill when he captained Ducey's winning team in Crotty's Tournament Final in 1971. It was Bill, in fact, who shot the "1" to clinch the game against Mooney's of Ballylenn, Ballylanean. The other members of Ducey's team were Michael "Showery" Flynn, Danny Barry, Michael Power and John Moore.

Pictured above at the presentation of the trophy are (l. to r.) Danny Barry, Noel Sheehan, John Moore, Bill Sheehan, Michael Power, Michael Moloney, Bridge Street (sponsor), Michael Flynn and Dick Fleming, Chairman of Crotty's Ring Club.

## Award winning Irish Poet Louis dePaor hosts bi-lingual workshop at Immrama

### THE LISMORE FESTIVAL OF TRAVEL WRITING



Award winning Irish poet Louis dePaor who will conduct creative writing workshop at Immrama.

Well-known Irish Poet and writer Louis dePaor will present the creative writing workshop at this year's Immrama Festival. The workshop is taking place over 2 days this year and is open to those who are interested in improving their creative writing skills. This is a bi-lingual workshop and writers of both the Irish and English language are welcome to attend.

Louis will be giving tips on improving the participants' creative writing skills. He is inviting those participating to submit a piece that they have previously written. This will be reviewed by him and he will suggest ways in which the piece of work might be rewritten and improved. He also expects the workshop to provoke and generate new work from everyone involved. It will commence on Friday afternoon 16th and conclude on Saturday morning the 17th June.

All those interested in improving their creative writing skills in either Irish or English can book a place by ringing 058-53803.

Another first for this year's festival is the bi-

lingual storytelling workshop for primary school children which will be given by Nuala Hayes. This event is fully booked out.

For those who will not have an opportunity to attend the workshop Nuala is also appearing at the public library, Lismore at 11am on Saturday morning June 17th where she will entertain young people with exciting adventures, legends and folk stories. In our fast-paced, media-driven world, storytelling can be a nurturing way to remind children that their spoken words are powerful, that listening is important, and that clear communication between people is an art. Nuala Hayes is renowned throughout Ireland as a storyteller and this is a wonderful opportunity for young people in the locality to see her. The event is free and all are welcome to attend.

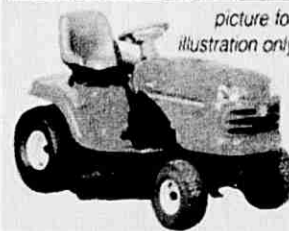
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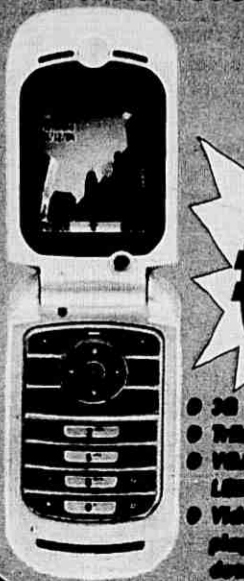
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## Joel Cummins BOOKMAKER



David O'Keeffe winner of the weekly colouring competition (sponsored by Mary St. Traders) receiving his prize from Paddy O'Sullivan from Cummins Bookmakers. Included are David's mum Martina and brother Paul. (Photo: Robert Power Photography)



Bridget Burke, Acting Director of Nursing, receiving a cheque for the Friends of St. Joseph's, from Tim Foley, Manager of the Dungarvan Shopping Centre, the proceeds of a recent table quiz organised by the Dungarvan Lions Club in conjunction with Dungarvan Shopping Centre. Included are Paul Meehan, Hospital Administrator and staff of St. Joseph's. Sean Byrne Photography

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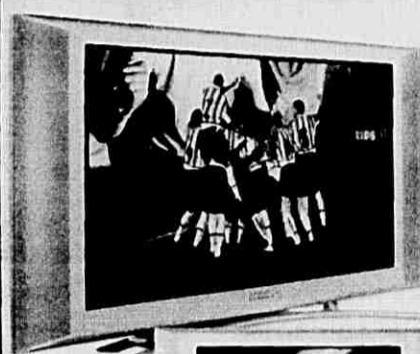
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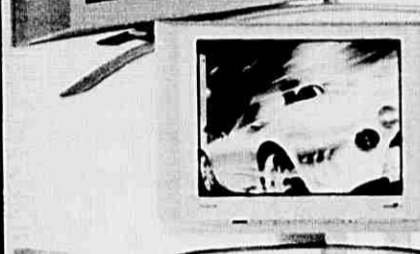
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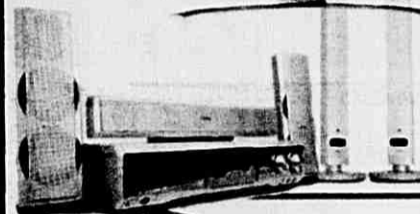
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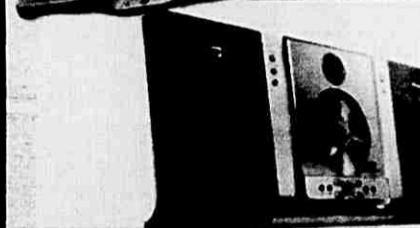
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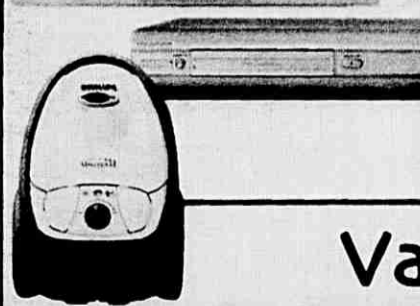
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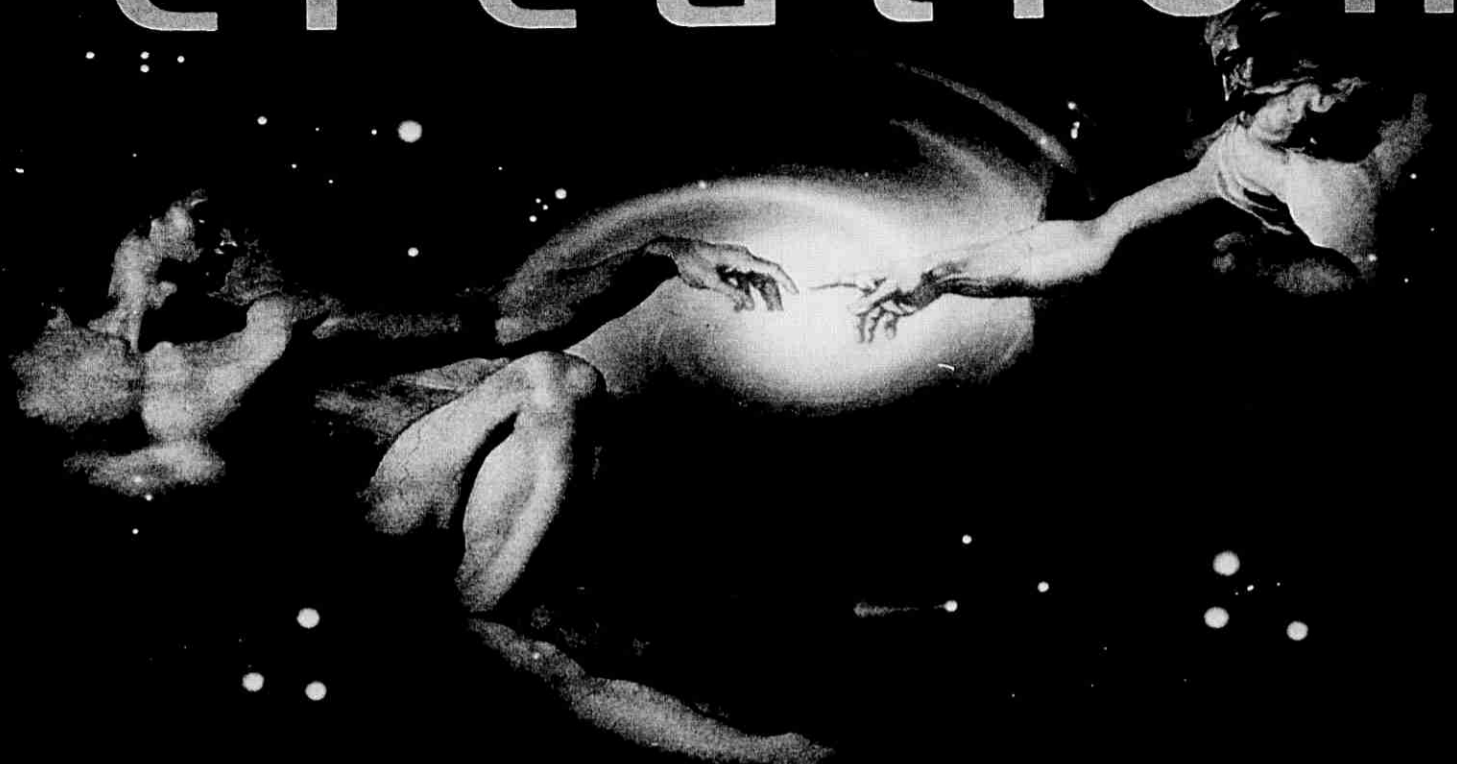
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## Local Woman Scoops Prize Worth €80,000

By Kevin Kirrane

A local woman is celebrating winning a jackpot prize on Friday night's, Late Late Show on RTE.

Fiona Walsh who hails from An Rinn secured a quarter share in a Portuguese holiday villa which is worth up to 80,000 euros. The luxury holiday property is worth a whopping 320,000 euros in total.

"I'm delighted - I'm thrilled. It's been a great experience," Fiona told the Dun-

garvan Leader.

Fiona was selected for the fun quiz on the ratings hit show after her entry was one of four pulled out of the draw with 466,000 other correct entries on the previous weeks, Late Late Show.

Fiona, who works at the popular Curlilocks Hair Salon in Friary Street in Dungarvan, then had to see off three other competitors in a nerve wracking finale.

Pat Kenny, the shows host,

asked the competitors to guess the nearest amounts to questions such as how much was Paris Hilton asked to pay in ransom for her dog back. Those who answered closest moved forward in the tense eliminator game.

Fiona, who will finalise contracts for the property in September or October of this year, said she had never won anything in competitions before.

She said she is waiting to look at all her options before she plans to do anything with the prize.

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Geoff Muldaur is one of the great voices and musical forces to emerge from the folk, blues and folk-rock scenes centered in Cambridge, MA and Woodstock, NY. During the 1960's and '70's, Geoff made a series of highly influential recordings as a founding member of the Jim Kweskin Jug Band and the Paul Butterfield's Better Days group, as well as collaborations with then-wife Maria and other notables (Bonnie Raitt, Eric Von Schmidt, Jerry Garcia, etc.). He left the stage and recording world in the mid-1980's for a working sabbatical but continued, however, to hone his craft, albeit 'flying beneath radar'. He composed scores for film and television, garnering an Emmy in the process, and produced off-beat albums for the likes of Lenny Pickett and the Borneo Horns and the Richard Greene String Quartet. And his definitive recording of "Brazil" provided the seed for - and was featured in - Terry Gilliam's film of the same title.

With his magical voice and singular approach to American music in tact, Geoff is once again touring the world. Recent performances have included The Lincoln Center in New York City, The Getty Art Center in Los Angeles, Royal Festival Hall in London, as well as folk and blues festivals in Newport RI, Edmon-

ton Canada, Dublin Ireland, San Francisco CA, Bergen and Notodden Norway to name a few. Geoff may be heard regularly as a guest on Garrison Keillor's "A Prairie Home Companion" and has been featured on a variety of National Public Radio shows, including Weekend Edition and All Things Considered.

Geoff's newest albums have met with high critical acclaim and feature Geoff's unusually crafted interpretations of classic, oftentimes obscure, American material as well as his own unique compositions. The recordings include performances by David Lindley, The McGarrigle Sisters, John Sebastian, Van Dyke Parks, Roswell Rudd, Amos Garrett, Lenny Pickett and Howard Johnson in supporting roles. And about a recent performance in London, The London Times wrote, "Immaculate guitar picking was matched by vocals that were rich, and bore out the guitarist, Richard Thompson's praise for him: 'There are only three white blues singers, and Geoff Muldaur is at least two of them.'"

Geoff Muldaur plays Lismore World Music on Saturday May 27th at 9.00 in Rose's West End Bar, Lismore. For information phone 085 7089490 or visit the Blog at <http://lismoreworldmusic.blogspot.com/>

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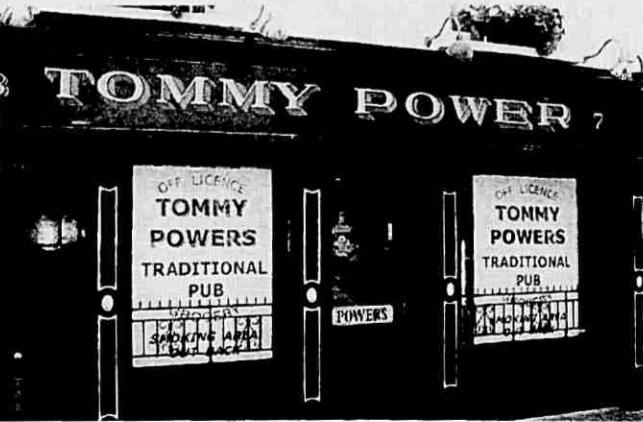
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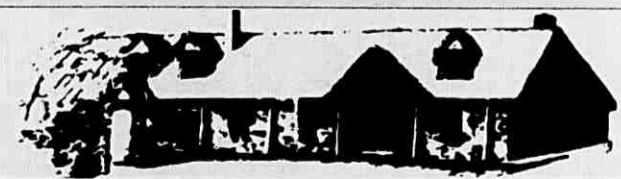
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# Little Angels Pre School (Dungarvan)

## BAGS OF FUN FOR EVERYONE

The photos shows parents, staff and children of Little Angels Pre School with their kit bags recently received from Coillte.

The staff, parents and children of Little Angels were more than delighted to show their appreciation to Coillte for their kind donation of 20 kit bags. Manager Jennifer Whelan said she was so pleased with the response from Coillte. We are always looking for people like Coillte to support our efforts in improving all areas of the Pre-School. Now we have a very tidy area in the Hall thanks to our Coillte Kit Bags. Thanks to Martin Delaney who very kindly sent us out the bags. Missing from the photographs was John O'Halloran, Coillte representative.

### BARNARDOS TODDLE WADDLE

We will be holding our Toddle Waddle last Wednesday in aid of Barnardos. Many thanks to all the parents for their assistance on the day. The children walked from the Pre-School to the end of the estate where they will be encouraged to make a wish and leave off a balloon in recognition of their support for the annual Barnardos Toddle Waddle walk. The children then returned to the pre-school where they were treated to a special party of wholesome nutritious but fun feasts prepared by the staff of Little Angels.



## Local Pharmacists Hold Childhood Illness Open Morning At Marquis Drive

Photograph shows parents and staff of Little Angels Pre School who attended the childhood illness morning on Wednesday, 19th April in Marquis Drive. They were very impressed with the contents of the discussion and said the questions and answers session was very interesting indeed. An extended welcome was sent to all residents on the estate. Anyone who was unable to attend this time will be welcome to attend the next session to be organised by Unicare Pharmacy, which is facilitated by Therese Burns and Aoife O'Rourke (Pharmacist). Many thanks to you both.

## Crackdown On Unauthorised Waste Disposal!

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### 'BATTLE OF THE BINS'

It's seen as the latest escalation in the so-called 'Battle of the Bins' between the council and private operators. The council had previously warned private collectors that they must have segregated collections of rubbish or face the consequences.

"The action currently being taken is in line with direction received from the Department of the Environment, Heritage & Local Government and the EPA," the spokesperson went on to say.

"The Council has already secured a number of prosecutions against individuals who have given their refuse to unlicensed operators. Significant fines have been handed down by the courts and costs have been awarded against offenders."

### WASTE OF TIME

However, the initiative has been slammed by opponents of the flat fee "as a waste of time, a waste of manpower and a waste of money."

Chairperson of the Householders Against Service Charges, Eddie Walsh, said the plans are an attempt to "frighten and bully decent tax payers and the low paid" into joining the council's waste service.

"I would call on the council to relook at what they are doing," Mr. Walsh, who has set up opposition committees in Dungarvan, Tramore, Portlaw and Kilmacthomas, said. "They won't get away with bullying and frightening people as long as the HASC is here. I think the council would be better served by hiring salespersons to get the extra customers on stream, rather than go about it in the way it is - it won't be worth the effort."

"I think this is a threat from the County Manager to come to peoples houses and ask them what they are going to do with their refuse collections. They have lost out on an awful amount of money and it's their own fault. Now they are attempting to intimidate people into paying."

## Site For Marina Identified In Dungarvan

By Kevin Kirrane

A site for a marina in Dungarvan harbour has been identified, Town Manager, Denis McCarthy told a recent meeting of Dungarvan Town Council.

While the plans are at the "earliest stages" a possible site for a marina has been identified at Borrenatra.

It follows a successful fact-finding mission by a number of members of the council together with Brian Rafferty, the Business Executive Officer, who is leading the plans for a marina in Dungarvan.

If the site is suitable the council will then go onto the next stage and will come back to the council again for further discussion.

Mr. McCarthy said it was hoped the marina would be advanced by the end of the year.

Labour councillor Teresa Wright, a member of the fact-finding delegation, said she hoped to see it come on line as soon as possible.

Town Clerk, Joe O'Flathery said another trip, this time to Kinsale is being planned to view the facilities there.

## Waterford IT Goes West

Pictured are two graduates of the Rural Resource Management course recently offered in Dungarvan by Waterford IT through Waterford County Council.

On the left, Tom Walsh, actively involved in many community groups over the years, best known now, perhaps, for his role with St Vincent de Paul in Dungarvan and the County Community Forum.

On the right, Micheál ó Maranáin, Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Eireann, Craobh na gCumarach and Executive member of the Dungarvan and County Community Forums, is well known all over the county for his huge contribution to the preservation and dissemination of Irish music, culture and heritage down through the years.

"This is the first time ever that Waterford IT has brought third-level education direct to the people of West Waterford," said Oliver Coffey, Chair, County Waterford Community Forum, "and they have chosen an excellent course to start with. Rural Resource Management is key to the social, economic and cultural de-

velopment of the county and we are delighted to have two graduates from this course on the

County Community Forum team. Congratulations to Tom and Micheál."



## ENVIRONMENT TODAY

Waterford County Council's Organic Brown bin collection programme began in September 2004. The two authorities in the county collect approx 150 tonnes of brown bin waste every three weeks. This goes to the facility at Six-Cross-Roads in Waterford City to be processed. Waterford County Council collects an additional 5 tonnes per week of compostable material from businesses in the Dungarvan Area. This material is composted at Dungarvan Recycling Centre. When the brown bin waste arrives at the facility, it is blended with garden waste (collected at the Civic Amenities sites) to give it a better consistency and to improve the carbon: nitrogen ratio.

The composting process takes approx. two months to mature and to be ready for screening. The finished product is a high quality, pathogen free compost that is ready to be given back to the general public.

What is biological Treatment? Materials that were once part of a living organism will slowly rot if the conditions are right. These are called "biodegradable" wastes. Compost and anaerobic digestion are methods of controlling (and speeding up) this decomposition process.

Why composting is a good idea.

- Composting decomposes and turns organic material into a soil like product called humus. This is nature's way of recycling.

- It reduces the amount of waste you send for final disposal.

- Makes the rest of your waste easy to recycle

In addition:  
Challenging targets must be achieved for the diversion of

biodegradable waste from landfill. (EU Landfill Directive). About 75% of the waste discarded at home and the workplace is biodegradable. Diversion of Biodegradable Municipal Waste (BMW) from landfill will help reduce the amount of greenhouse gas emissions.

See National Strategy on Biodegradable Waste on [www.environ.ie](http://www.environ.ie)

Examples of items accepted in Organic (Brown) Bin.

- Kitchen Food Scraps, plate scrapings, fruits and vegetables.

- Meat, Fish, Poultry and bones, Bread, cakes and biscuits.

- Eggs and dairy products

- Plant Trimmings (up to finger sized twigs)

- Grass clippings, and leaves. Cut flowers and old plants.

- Biodegradable nappies.

Tips.

- Layer your brown bin by putting a layer of grass on top of other food waste as fruit flies will not be encouraged to bury for food.

- Keep the bin in the shade if possible, to help reduce any smell. Wrap food in several sheets of newspaper, before placing it in the bin.

- Keep the bin closed - this means that flies cannot get into your bin.

- Only put organic food waste, i.e. cooked and uncooked food as well as green waste.

- Never place any type of plastic in your bin as this will not compost and means that your bin is contaminated with unsuitable material.

- For more information, contact the Environment Section of Waterford Co. Council or call Anne Murphy, Environment Awareness 058 22040. Check our website [www.waterfordcoco.ie](http://www.waterfordcoco.ie)

## Concerns Over Recruitment of Consultants

By Kevin Kurrane

Concerns were expressed at the use of consultants to draw up plans on behalf of the council, a recent meeting of Dungarvan Town Council heard.

Labour councillor, Billy Kyne called for a breakdown on how much it was costing to use consultants who work on designing and planning projects on behalf

of the local authority.

He said the council "has to face difficult decisions" on the use of consultants for projects.

Responding, Director of Services and Dungarvan Town Manager, Denis McCarthy said the reason consultants were used in the town and county is because the council is tied to the amount of staff that could be hired for projects and for that reason, the local authority uses consultants to draw up the plans.

## Private Gum Buster Machine May Be Hired

By Kevin Kurrane

A private firm may be hired to remove chewing gum from the streets of Dungarvan, a recent meeting of Dungarvan Town Council has heard.

Many streets in the town are pockmarked by the unsightly problem, but the towns gum buster machine is out of action due to problems in finding replacement parts.

Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty said a private firm was hired to clean up other towns in the county. He was responding to a call from Independent councillor, Michael O'Riordan.

Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Damien Geoghegan said it is important that the work takes place before the summer.

## BALLINAMEELA/AGLISH/MOUNT STUART LOURDES FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

The AGM of the above committee took place in the Ballinameela Community Centre. The following officers were elected: P. J. Connery, Chairman;

Marian Walsh, Secretary; Michael O'Brien, Treasurer; Committee; Brid Power, David Reynolds, Maura Ahearne, Marianne Cliffe, John O'Brien, Deirdre Corkery, Mary Guiry and Peggy Reynolds.

This being our 21st anniversary, the committee would like to take this opportunity of thanking all our supporters for their generous contributions to our fund. We would also like to thank Rev. Fr. Lucey for his help and support. During the past 21 years, due mainly to the generosity of your donations, we have sent 44 invalids from the parish to Lourdes. With your support in the coming years we hope to be able to continue this work.

We would also like to thank the Finisk Drag Hunt Committee for their very generous donation.

## Summer Concert in Aid of Hospice

A Summer Concert will take place in Blackwater Community School on Wednesday May 24th of May at 7.30pm.

This concert will feature local musicians with songs from the 'Sound of Music,' piano playing, solo singing, and story telling from the ever popular James Lehane and songs from the Melleray Folk Choir.

This promises to be a very entertaining night giving entertainment for all ages.

Tickets are available at 5 euro from the Credit Union in Cappoquin and Lismore. Also at Cahill's Shop in Lismore.

All money raised from this concert goes to West Waterford Hospice.

## Ballyduff Notes Ballyduff Walking Club

Thirty two members of the Ballyduff Walking Club went on a weekend away to the Woodlands Hotel in Adare, Co. Limerick from Friday, May 12th to Sunday, May 14th. It was a weekend of getting completely pampered with great food in secluded surroundings and of sylvan splendour. On Saturday, May 13th Paddy Crowley organised a great walk at West Limerick as we walked from Ashford to Broadford on to the Mullaghareirk trail. We walked to the Mass rock in Ashford and we walked to Lough Ghi. The walking club would like to thank Paddy Crowley for leading this wonderful walk. Fr. Cullinan concelebrated Mass for the walking club in the Woodlands House Hotel on Saturday evening at 7:30pm. The club was served dinner each night at the restaurant in the Woodlands and on Saturday night the club held a raffle. Tom Kearney sponsored the novelty prizes. The walking club raised E230 in the raffle and proceeds were donated to the Jordan family fund.

On Sunday, May 13th Noreen Geary organised a walk in East Limerick at Inch St. Laurence. We walked up the hill to the Holy Year Cross that was erected to commemorate the Marian year. There were lovely views from the Holy Year Cross. The club enjoyed the scenery of Ballyneety, Caherconlish and Ballybricken. The walking club went to Lough Gur on Sunday afternoon and we walked around the lake and the crannog that was built as a defended lake dwelling sometime between 500 and 1000AD by people who farmed the land near the lake. Lough Gur is a very historic site as by 3,000 BC the first farmers at Lough Gur had cleaned the forest around the lake and built their stone houses. They planted crops in the newly made fields, herded animals and hunted game on the hills. These people learnt gradually how to use metals, first bronze and then iron to make their farm work easier. The Vikings came and later the Anglo-Norman Earls of Desmond and they built two castles to guard the lake. After the Desmond's lost their lands to Queen Elizabeth 1st, Lough Gur was granted to the Bouchier family. It was later passed to the Count de Salis who sold the lakes to Limerick County Council in 1984. Many of the Ballyduff walking club members went to visit the Grange stone circle. The stone circle at Grange is the largest in Ireland. It was built about 2,000BC by Bronze Age people living around the lake. We were able to learn about the burial practices and local customs at the megalithic tomb in the Grange stone circle. The Ballyduff walking club would like to thank Ann Cotter and Jackie Hanon for planning and organising the wonderful, relaxing and superior weekend in the executive suites at the holistic village of Adare. It was also an opportunity for the Ballyduff walking club to explore the beautiful scenery of Co. Limerick.

### Next Walk

The Ballyduff walking club will go walking in Dromana drive, Cappoquin on next Sunday, May 28th. The walking club will meet in Ballyduff Hall at 1pm.

## Ballyduff Community Council

May Community Council Meeting

The May meeting of Ballyduff Community Council was held on Tuesday May 16th in St. Michael's Hall.

### Social and Festival Committee

Pat Kenny on behalf of the social and festival committee told the meeting that the Drifters concert was a success as it had been in 2005 with everybody enjoying a great nights entertainment. His hard working committee are presently planning the activities for this year's gala day in August and will take on board suggestions for new events for the day.

### Community Care

Speaking on behalf of the community care group John Hogan said his committee were honoured to have been selected from approximately 300 Community Council and Community alert groups in the South East area for a new project entitled the E-volve Project under the auspices of Muintir na Tire. He also stated that their recent social was very successful. He is at present organising a fundraising event in support of Child-Aid.

### Volunteer Core Group

Pat Joe Ahern reported that the volunteer core group are making good progress with their project on the Library.

### Votes of Sympathy

Sympathy was extended to Eilish Flynn, Glencairn on the death of her father Jimmy O'Regan Shanballymore recently and also to the family of Michael Hallahan Castlelyons and the family of Hannah Holland.

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# RECENT DEATHS

## Late Nora McCarthy (nee Daly)



The unexpected passing on Wednesday, 10th May of Nora McCarthy (nee Daly) at her residence at 30 Kyne Park, Abbeyside cast a cloud of sadness over the locality. Wife of Paddy (Hackney Service), Nora was a native of Ballinacourty, aged 68 years and was for many years employed at the Augustinian Priory carrying out her cooking duties and responsibilities which were her forte. She also gave of her very best of Melrose Hotel, Ardmore.

Well known and hugely respected she loved her home and gardens. She had a deep interest in gardening matters and loved to visit the various gardening centres. Her dogs were another pride and joy and indeed Nora also enjoyed nothing better than visiting her many friends Theresa Foley, Mapstow and only the night before her untimely passing, she spent some time with Paddy and Kathleen Murray. A lady of many endearing qualities, Nora

will be missed especially by Paddy and Gerard.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home, Fr. O'Riordan P.P. led all present in prayers and rosary before the funeral cortege left for St. Laurence's Church, Ballinroad, Fr. O'Riordan P.P. assisted by Fr. R. Doherty P.E. led all in the funeral service. V. Rev. Fr. P. Ahearn P.P. and Rev. Fr. M. Cooney O.S.A. also offered words of sympathy and comfort.

On Saturday morning, Fr. T. O'Riordan P.P. with co-celebrant Fr. Flor O'Callaghan O.S.A. celebrated the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass in thanksgiving for Nora's life. The Lessons were read by Margaret Egan and Majella Moynihan (cousins) while Lisa McCarthy (niece), Sinead Egan, Jack Elstead, John Kiely and Gail Sandford (cousins) shared the Prayers of the Faithful. The Offertory Gifts were brought to the altar by Gerard (son), Carmel Cummins and Sandra Cummins (cousins). The Parish Choir accompanied by Anne Ryan sang much appreciated hymns while Paddy O'Brien was also present to sing his "Never Grow Old". In the adjoining cemetery we gathered for final prayers and blessings as Nora was laid to rest.

A woman who loved the simple things of life, visiting friends, extending hospitality and a visit to New Images Salon where Nicola and Annie did the needful.

'May She Rest In Peace'  
Chief mourners were husband Paddy and son Gerard, brothers-in-law Paul, Finbarr, Vincent and John McCarthy, sisters-in-law Claire O'Donnell and Mary Margaret Brazil, her

mother-in-law Mary McCarthy, Ardmore and a wide circle of other relatives and friends.

Months Mind Mass for Nora McCarthy will be offered on Friday, 9th June at 7:30pm in St. Laurence's Church, Ballinroad.

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

## Late Sean Casey

One of the towns best known businessmen Sean Casey, Youghal Road, Dungarvan passed away unexpectedly at his residence on Wednesday evening last. We offer our deepest sympathy to Billy, Pat, Noelle, Yvonne and John and families at this sad time.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home, the removal took place on Friday morning to St. Mary's Parish Church for funeral Mass at 11am, interment followed afterwards in the adjoining cemetery.

Predeceased by his wife Margaret in May 2000, may Sean rest in peace.

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

## Late Eileen Mac Kenzie (nee Callan)

With great sadness and deep regret we write on the passing on Wednesday, May 10th at Corbally House Nursing Home, Limerick of Eileen Mac Kenzie (nee Callan), 64, Mayorstone Drive, Ennis Road, Limerick.

A native of Ballina, Co. Mayo, aged 93 years, she was married to her husband John for 63 years. Working in the postal service, she took postings in An Spidéal and Dungarvan. Since 1961 John and herself lived in Limerick. Not enjoying the best of good health for some time, she spent the last two and a half years in Corbally Nursing Home.

A woman of deep religious beliefs, she sang with the Franciscan Choir in Limerick, loved her flower arranging, dress making and playing Bridge with her friends. She also assisted with Credit Union matters, and was very interested in the world of literature and poetry. The works of Shakespeare was special to her.

Very much family orientated, she had many endearing qualities which made her a great favourite. As a neighbour and friend, she had few equals. She possessed a very positive, uplifting attitude to life and remained active up to a few years ago. She would walk to the city centre at the age of 90 years and up to a few years previously she could be seen cycling her bicycle.

On Wednesday last, Eileen's remains were brought to the Holy Rosary Church, Ennis Road for funeral Mass which was celebrated by V. Rev. Fr. Ryan P.P. assisted by co-celebrant Fr. Seamus Power. The Lessons were read by Ian and Dorothy while the Psalm and Gospel acclamation was sung by Deirdre and Aisling. The Prayers of Intercession were shared by Doireann, Duncan,

Eoin, Alex and Caroline. The Offertory Gifts were brought to the altar by Ava and Cyrus. Mary Mangan sang the Offertory Hymn while David O'Connell provided Communion Music. A Reflection was shared by Ruth. Son David Mac Kenzie played the entrance music to the funeral which was a true celebration of Eileen's long life.

Very many neighbours and friends comforted and consoled the bereaved at the Church. After the Holy Sacrifice, the funeral cortege left for St. Augustine's Cemetery, Abbeyside where following graveside blessing and prayers recited by V. Rev. Fr. T. O'Riordan P.P., Eileen was laid to rest.

We offer our sympathy to husband John, sons Ian and David, daughters Margaret, Jeanne and Alexandra, brother Eamonn, sisters Peggy and Sr. M. Pauline, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, great grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends. We pray that Eileen and daughter Carmel whose demise took place in New York a decade ago, may be reunited at the Heavenly Banquet.

A Thiarna, reitigh áit do Eibhlín i gcomhluadar na naoimh, i bhFlaitheas na Glóire. Radharc na Tríonóide go raibh aici.

Bean a rugadh i gContae Muigheo, a chaith tréimhse fada, i Luimneach agus anois tar éis saol fada áta curtha lena gaolta i nDún na Mainistreach ins na Déisibh.

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

## Late Agnes Hartney

Friday, 12th May brought the sad news of the passing of Agnes Hartney, formerly of 1, St. Martin's Terrace, Dungarvan. Over the last six years, Agnes was cared for by Tom and Joan O'Leary and staff at Drumhill's Nursing Home.

The care, thoughtfulness and attention was really appreciated by Agnes' relatives.

A native of Askeaton, Co. Limerick she had reached the wonderful age of 95 years. A nurse by profession which entitled her visiting many patients in their homes. As cars were a rarity, Agnes would cycle her bicycle the many miles giving comfort and care to the sick. Her counsel was often sought and many have related to me that as a nurse nothing was too much trouble for her. In her younger days she loved her game of golf and played her cards. She was a sincere person who had many loyal friends over the years.

Reposing at the Kiely Funeral Home, following prayers and rosary, the removal took place to St. Mary's Parish Church. Canon O'Mahoney P.P. led all in the funeral service. On Sunday morning funeral Mass was celebrated by Fr. Paul Waldron C.C., the Lessons were read by Thomas (nephew) and Bridget (niece) while Prayers of the Faithful were shared by Thomas (nephew) and Elaine who some weeks earlier mourned the loss of her father Ian Laird.

After the funeral Mass, the funeral cortege travelled to Co.

Limerick where Canon Anthony O'Keefe P.P. led all at Reilig Mhuire, Askeaton as Agnes Hartney was laid to rest.

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

## Late Sean Shortt

We write on the passing of Sean Shortt in Canada during February of this year. Predeceased the previous February by his wife Kitty (nee Wall), who was a native of Ballycoe.

We offer our condolences to his sisters-in-law who live locally Maura Quinn and Alice Kiely. Our sympathies also to sons Eamonn (Canada), Derry (Dublin), daughters Claire (Dublin), Maura (England) and Orla (Canada), grandchildren and other relatives.

Funeral Mass will be celebrated this Friday, 25th May at 2pm in St. Brigid's Church, Killossanty after which Sean's cremated remains will be interred in the adjoining cemetery.

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

## Late Nora Huband (nee Downey)

It is with great sadness and deep regret we record the passing of Nora Huband (nee Downey), Lavenham, Suffolk and formerly of Dyrick, Ballinamult, which sad event occurred on Saturday, May 6th in England.

Nora was born in Ballingulkee, near Broe mountain in 1929. She was one of five children of whom three survived, Michael Downey of Woodhouse and Margaret Cashman of Summerhill.

Nora's father Robert died when she was 11 years old and the family were cared for by her mother Josie on the mountainside.

Together with many other Irish country girls in the 1940's, Nora was to train as a nurse in England where she qualified as a State Registered Nurse. She nursed terminally sick children in London, and then T.B. patients in Ardkeen, Waterford in the 1950's. She later returned to England and qualified as a midwife.

Nora went to what is now Zambia in 1958 where she worked as a nurse, met her husband Patrick (on St. Patrick's Day in 1959!) and where her three daughters Siobhan, Patricia and Sheila were born. The family returned to England

in 1970 and were frequent visitors to Ireland thereafter.

Nora was renowned for her generosity, simplicity, loyalty, compassion, gentleness and modesty. She always had a great devotion to Our Blessed Lady and a great love for her native Ireland.

Removal took place on Wednesday evening last from Walsh's Funeral Home, Cappoquin where prayers were recited by Rev. Fr. Arthur P.E. in the presence of a large crowd of mourners. On arrival at St. Mary's Church, Touraneena her remains were received and blessed by Rev. Fr. C. Kelleher P.P. On Thursday morning funeral Mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. C. Kelleher P.P. During the Mass, Readings and Prayers of the Faithful were read by family members.

A selection of hymns were sung by Andrea Cunningham accompanied by Mairead Cullinane, organist. Burial took place in the adjoining cemetery where Nora was laid to rest in the family plot. Rev. Fr. C. Kelleher P.P. officiated at the graveside in the presence of a large crowd.

We extend our deepest sympathy to her husband Patrick, daughters Siobhan, Patricia and Sheila, brother Mickey Downey, sister Margaret, sister-in-law Stasia, grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

May she Rest in Peace.  
Funeral arrangements were by Aidan Walsh and Sons, Funeral Directors, Cappoquin.

## Late Elizabeth (Lindis) Connolly

It is with great sadness and deep regret we record the passing of Elizabeth (Lindis) Connolly, Rivergleng, Cappoquin which sad event occurred on 11th May at Waterford Regional Hospital.

Removal took place on Tuesday morning from Walsh's Funeral Home to St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin followed by funeral Mass which was celebrated by Rev. Fr. J. Kiely P.P. Following Mass, burial took place in St. Declan's Cemetery where Elizabeth was laid to rest.

We extend our deepest sympathy to her husband Gerald, daughter Margaret, grandchildren, son-in-law, relatives and friends.

May she Rest in Peace.  
(Full obituary next issue)  
Funeral arrangements were by Aidan Walsh and Sons, Funeral Directors, Cappoquin.

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# RECENT DEATHS

## Late Mary O'Donoghue (nee Whelan)



It is with profound feelings of loss and sadness we record the passing of Mary O'Donoghue (nee Whelan), aged 81 years of Crowhill, Cappoquin. This sad event occurred on Monday April 24th peacefully at Waterford Regional Hospital.

Mary, a quiet, gentle and devoutly religious woman was a native of Lacken, Ballinamult. She received her early education at Croughlooney National School, where she made many lifelong friends. While she lived in Lacken she worked at Knockmeal Co-Operative Stores, Ballinamult. Upon her marriage to Tomas O'Donoghue she moved to Crowhill, Cappoquin.

Mary was a very religious person and never missed Mass. She was a lifelong member of the Pioneer Association and was very proud to have received a gold pioneer pin some years ago, marking 50 years of total abstinence.

In declining years, Mary spent some time in St Carthage's House Lismore, Padre Pio Nursing Home Cappoquin and St Joseph's Hospital Dungarvan, where she received the best of care and attention.

Her passing is much regretted by her family, relatives and a wide circle of friends. Rosary and prayers were recited by her lifelong friend and schoolmate, Fr. P. Hallinan on Tuesday evening at 9pm in Walsh's Funeral Home, Cappoquin. Removal took place on Wednesday evening to St Mary's Church, Cappoquin. On arrival, her remains were received and blessed by Fr. R. Arthure. On Thursday morning, Fr. Arthure, assisted by Fr. P. Hallinan, celebrated Requiem Mass. Appropriate music and hymns were sung by Mairead Cullinane and the Melleray Choir. Readings were by her son Willie O'Donoghue and niece Ann McDarby. Prayers of the Faithful were read by her grandson Thomas and nephews Jim and Mick Fenton. The funeral proceeded to the graveyard at Mount Melleray Abbey. Following graveside prayers and blessing, Mary was gently lowered to her final resting place next to her late husband, by her sons and eldest grandson in the presence of a large and representative cortege of mourners.

The chief mourners were her sons Willie, Michael and Tom; daughters-in-law Mary, Helen and Maureen; grandchildren Thomas, Steven, Dylan, Owen, Michelle and Robert; her sister Kitty Fenton, Newtown, Ballymacarbery and her brother Ned Whelan, Newcastle; sisters-in-law; brother-in-law; nieces, nephews and a wide circle of relatives and friends.

(Funeral arrangements were by Aidan Walsh & Sons, Funeral Director, Cappoquin).

## Late Mary (Molly) McGrath



With great sadness and regret, the locality learned of the passing, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan, of Molly McGrath, Inchindrisla, Dungarvan, on Friday 5th May 2006.

Molly recently celebrated her 100th Birthday on the 15th April with a celebration Mass said by Canon O'Mahony and Fr. M. Kennedy and shared with Family, Friends and Staff of St. Joseph's Hospital.

Molly spent the last years of her life lovingly cared for by the kind staff of St. Joseph's. A lady of outstanding character, Molly was a member of one of Kilgobinet's best known and respected families. She was a quiet, gentle, unassuming woman, much loved and admired by all who knew her. Her door was always open and the cup of tea ready on the table.

Molly was the eldest of eight children born to James and Johanna Dee on 15th April 1906 in Kilgobinet. Having completed her primary education in Coolnasmeear school, she went to work in the house of Mr. M.J. Keane, Dungarvan for six years. She then went to America for ten years and later spent four years in England. She married Tommy McGrath, Inchindrisla in 1942 and was a devoted wife and an adoring mother. Molly's life was one of constant and unflinching love and contribution to her family. As a loving and committed wife and mother, Molly was the best. After forty-five years of marriage, her husband Tommy died in 1987. Molly's deep devotion to her faith and acceptance of Gods' will helped her to carry on. She had the uncanny knack of instilling the fundamental gifts of honesty, kindness and faith with everyone that she came in contact with. Her family were her first priority. Her enormous love for her Grandchildren was evident up to the very last. On the night she died the last words she said were "Tell the girls look after themselves and drive carefully." She always had the purse under her apron and always wanted to give them something when they visited her. She loved the company of young people and they loved listening to her.

She could recall the incidents from the distant past and was a mine of information regarding people and relations. Molly was asked to shoulder the cross of bereavement with the death of her daughter, Maureen, in 1995 but again her belief and love of God helped her to carry on. Masses and prayers were her mainstay. She used to say "Whatever you give to God you will get it back ten times over." She had little use for worldly goods. Enough to carry on she used to say.

On Friday evening, Rosary and prayers were recited by Sr. Therese of the Mercy Convent at Drohan's Funeral Home in the presence of family, neighbours and friends. Removal took place on Saturday evening to her beloved Kilgobinet Church where they were received and blessed by Rev. Fr. Michael Kennedy P.P., assisted by Canon O'Mahony, Rev. Fr. R. Doherty A.P., Rev. Fr. Pat Butler P.P., Rev. Fr. Enright P.P. and a large crowd of mourners.

On Sunday morning Molly's funeral Mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. M. Kennedy P.P. Her Grandson Alan Looby and Nephew Maurice Dee did the Readings, Prayers of the Faithful were read by Margaret McGrath, Brid Brett, Nora Halley and John McKeon.

The Offertory Gifts, depicting various aspects of Molly's life, were brought to the altar by her son Tom (Molly's passport and a certificate from Cobh Heritage Centre), her daughter-in-law Margaret (Molly's sewing basket and Mrs. Beeton's Cookery Book dated Xmas 1926), her great-granddaughter Niamh (Molly's Apron), her granddaughter Shirley (Molly's portrait taken in Chicago aged 25 years and a letter from the President of Ireland Mary McAleese congratulating her on reaching 100 years of age), her Nephew Martin (Molly's prayer book dated Chicago 1935). Her granddaughter Martina detailed in a commentary the significance of each of these gifts in Molly's life.

Beautiful Hymns were provided by the Kilgobinet Church Choir accompanied by organist Christina Tobin. Dessie Norris, accompanied by Willie White, sang 'My God Loves Me', which was both powerful and moving. Shirley and Martina played a beautiful slow air at the communion reflection for a Grandmother who adored them. Richard Walsh (grandson-in-law) provided a lovely eulogy on Molly's long life.

As Molly's coffin was carried to her final resting place within 100 yards of where she was born 100 years ago, Dessie Norris sang 'Never Grow Old'. Beautiful floral tributes were laid at the graveside by Molly's family.

The Chief Mourners were Alice (sister), Tom and Jim (sons), Margaret and Ethna (daughters-in-law), Shirley, Martina, Alan, Laura, Mandy and Glen (grandchildren), Rachel, Lucy, Chloe, Niamh, Darragh, Kyle, Kristen and Eoghan (great-grandchildren), Jim, Maurice, Eddie, Martin (nephews), Brid and Joan (nieces).

Months mind Mass for Molly on June 4th in Kilgobinet Church.

Grief is something deep and awesome  
It's a tide that shakes and stirs the soul  
It has in it life's bitter waters  
That from unguessed horizons roll  
It is not swift as pain in passing  
It is not noisy in distress  
It is as if an angel bore it  
And darkly placed it in our breast  
(Funeral arrangements by Tom Drohan Funeral Directors, Dungarvan).

## Late Bernard Curran

We learned with great sadness and regret on Wednesday 10th May of the passing in Dublin of Bernard Curran, Raheny, Dublin who was a native of Kilrush, Dungarvan.

Aged 74 years, Bernard enjoyed a robust good health for almost all of his life was diagnosed with Motor Neurons Disease last June. He is survived by his wife Marie and six children Mark, Emer, Maurice, Niall, Darragh and Gavin.

Born on New Year's Eve 1931, he was the youngest of a family of 7 children, 5 boys and 2 girls. Brother to Tom, Jimmy, Michael, Jack, Mary and Josephine. Bernard was the last member of the family having been predeceased by his brothers Jack and Tom over the last year. He moved from Dungarvan his hometown at the age of twenty having decided that a career in the resident town leather factory was not for him. He preferred to take the daunting step to upsticks, leave home and ply his trade as a custodian of the people in An Garda Síochána in Dublin where he started in 1952. Bernard's success in the Gardaí was a compound of performance, personality and politics. At the base of it all, however, was an extraordinary record of innovation and modernisation in the enforcement of the law.

He was a results man and that focus, commitment and direction resulted in him been promoted to the significant and prestigious post of Assistant Commissioner with full responsibility for the city of Dublin 1990. He carried that heavy burden of responsibility with ease as he was a true leader who facilitated the progression and growth of An Garda Síochána for forty five years.

He was a man of the people which is a quality that spoke volumes of his humble upbringing in Dungarvan. Although spending the majority of his adult life in Dublin, he was effusive in his praise and love for his hometown and he craved the opportunity to return home to meet his family for the Summer months or long weekend. He was primarily a family man and he was never more comfortable than in the company of his brothers and sisters and their families regaling about their lives and how the Old Boro had changed, changed utterly, with every visit.

When the honour of Freeman of Dungarvan was bestowed upon him in April 1996, it was an accolade that represented the pinnacle of his career. That award sits proudly and foremost among many awards on his mantle after a long and successful life serving the people.

Alas, he has now moved to new pastures, comfortable in the knowledge that he has built a monument through his family. He has also made a significant contribution and touched many lives throughout his own full life.

We offer our heartfelt sympathies to Bernard's wife, family and many relatives, many of whom live locally on their loss.

Removal took place to the Church of Divine Grace, Raheny and the interment was in St. Finntan's Cemetery, Sutton, Dublin. (Obituary - James Kiely and Sons, Funeral Directors)

## Late Eileen Colbert

With sadness we record the passing of Eileen Colbert, Rocky Road, Ardmore which sad event occurred on Monday, 15th May at Golden Meadows Nursing Home, Abbotside.

Removal was from her residence on Wednesday evening to St. Declan's Church, Ardmore. Following funeral Mass on Thursday morning, burial took place afterwards in St. Declan's Cemetery, Ardmore.

(Full obituary next issue)

To her family and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

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

## Late Johnny Fennell

With deep regret we record the passing of Johnny Fennell, Ballyvoile, Stradbally which sad event occurred on Friday, 19th May at his residence.

Removal was from his residence on Saturday evening to Stradbally Church. Following funeral Mass on Sunday, burial took place in Ballinroad Cemetery.

To his sons, daughters, broth-

ers and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

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

## Late Joan McKenna (nee Foley)

We learned with sadness of the passing of Joan McKenna (nee Foley), Ballinaparka, Aghlish and late of Graigue at Waterford Regional Hospital on Tuesday.

Wife of the late Maurice, her passing is much regretted by sons Pat and Michael, daughter Ann Wright, brother Davie, sister Maisie, sisters-in-law Bridie and Delia, son-in-law Ollie, daughters-in-law Joanne and Ann, grandchildren, other relative and friends.

Rosary this Wednesday at 8pm at the Kiely Funeral Home. Removal on Thursday at 7:30pm from the Kiely Funeral Home to Aghlish Church arriving at 8:30pm. Funeral Mass on Friday at 11am, interment afterwards in the adjoining cemetery.

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

## ST. MARY'S PARISH NOTES

Ascension Sunday  
Acts 1:1-11 He was lifted up while they looked on.

Ephesians 1:17-23 He made him sit at his right hand in heaven.

Mark 16: 15-20 He was taken up into heaven, there at the right hand of God he took his place.

**Examination Mass**  
A special Mass for Exam students will be celebrated at 7:30pm on Saturday, 27th May. All welcome.

**Marriage Jubilees for the Years 1956, 1966, 1981**  
Congratulations to all those celebrating their 50, 40 and 25 years of marriage and who attended our parish celebrations on Saturday last. Following the 7:30pm Mass, a great night was had by all. Special thanks to the CBS for the use of their Hall. Congratulations to the organisers for a very successful night.

**First Holy Communion**  
Congratulations to the children from St. Mary's Primary School who celebrated their First Holy Communion last Saturday and special thanks to their teachers who prepared them for their special day.

**Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help**  
Continues on Monday nights until Monday, 19th June. Please note there will not be a 9:30am Mass on the day of the Novena.

**Rosary**  
Rosary will be recited at the Grotto of "Our Lady Of Peace", Youghal Road, on each Friday evening for the month of May at 7pm, weather permitting. All welcome.

**Divine Mercy**  
Exposition of Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy Prayers in the Chapel at St. Joseph's Hospital Dungarvan every Friday from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. All are welcome.

**Blessed Sacrament Chapel**  
The chapel is now open in St. Mary's on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. All are welcome.

## DUNGARVAN AND WEST WATERFORD CHAMBER NOTES

Dungarvan and West Waterford Chamber will host its Annual General Meeting to-night Wednesday 24 May 2006 in Lawlors Hotel at 6.30 p.m. All are welcome to attend.

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For an Application Form and Brochure please contact the Chamber at 058 45054 or contact WIT directly.

## Dungarvan Toastmasters

Our next meeting will be on Thursday, May 25th in the Park Hotel at 8 pm. The Tall Tale Competition will be held on that night. Come along and hear tales that have never before been told.

Our last meeting of the season takes place on Thursday, June 8th. Members are anxious to complete their manuals, and gain those awards. Meetings will resume again in September.

At a recent AGM we elected Marita as president and we congratulate her on this. We thank Winston for all he has done for our club in the past year as president and also all the other committee members who contributed to the success of our club. Denis and Nora gave workshops on the roles of officers in the club.

The committee for the 2006/07 season is as follows — President: Marita Collins; EVP Education: Suzie Wingfield; EVP Membership: Nora Curtin; PRO: Anne Halpin. Secretary: Mgt. Anne Cummins. Sergeant at Arms: Kathryn O'Donovan. Treasurer: Anne Power. Immediate Past President: Winston Boyle.

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# IN MEMORIAMIS



**CANTWELL** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of Kitty Cantwell of 6 Ballyrandle, Dungarvan who died on 22nd May, 1997. If memories bring us closer, Then we are never far apart, For you are always in our thoughts, And forever in our hearts. (Always loved by your husband Tommy, sons and daughter).

**CASEY** — Thirty-seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother, Jodie Casey, late of Headborough, Knockanore who died on May 26, 1969. Rest in peace. Masses offered. St. Anthony pray for her. As time goes by without you, And days turn into years, They hold a thousand memories, And a million silent tears. You showed us love and kindness, You showed us how to care, You bound us all together, With a love few families share. Someday we will meet again, Where sorrow is unknown, We will fold our arms around you, And tell you we've come home. May the God of love be with you, Mam, And grant you eternal rest. (Always remembered by her loving family).

**COLBERT** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother and grandma, Mary Colbert, late of Old School Road, Aglish whose 1st Anniversary occurs on May 25th.

The pain I feel today, Is the pain I've learned to hide, No-one will ever know, The tears I've held inside. It seems like only yesterday, The wound is still so sore, For every hour of everyday, I miss you more and more. They say that hearts don't really break, Dear Lord that's just not true, The day you took my Mam from me, You broke my heart in two. I laugh, I talk, I play the part, But behind my smile is a broken heart.

Nan, you looked after me when I was small, Watch over me as I grow tall, Little angles dressed in white, Kiss my Nan Co for me tonight. (Always loved and remembered by your daughter Helen, son-in-law Patrick and grandson Conor xxx)

**COLBERT** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother Mary Colbert, late of Old School Road, Aglish who died on 25th May 2005.

The love of a wonderful mother, Is something that always lives on, Filling the days with sweet memories, Long after her presence is gone. You still feel the warmth of her caring, Her wisdom will never depart, For the love of a wonderful mother, Forever lives on in your heart. You were someone I could talk to, And on whom I could depend, For you were more than my mother, You were also my best friend.

(Deeply loved and missed by your daughter Mary and son-in-law Johnny xx)

**COLBERT** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother Mary Colbert, late of Old School Road, Aglish who died on 25th May 2005.

Memories of a lifetime Mam, Are wrapped up in my heart, Of happy thoughts not long ago, Though now we are apart. Although I sadly miss you Mam, I know I am not alone, For you are watching over me, From a place you now call home. So always stay beside me, It helps to know you're there, I thank you for the memories, And the good times we all shared. You were always someone special, Always so good and kind, You will never be forgotten Mam, By those you left behind. (Never forgotten by your son Billy x).

**COLBERT** — First Anniversary — First Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear mother Mary Colbert, Old School Road, Aglish who died on 25 May, 2005.

Although we smile and make no fuss, No one misses you more than us, And when old times we do recall, That's when we miss you most of all, It isn't what we write, It isn't what we say, It's how we feel inside, As we think of you today, Our wish is just a simple prayer, God bless and keep you in his care.

(Sadly missed by your loving son Eddie, daughter-in-law Mary, grandchildren Declan, Tanya and Donna).



**COLBERT** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Mary Colbert, late of Old School Road, Aglish, Cappoquin who died on 25th May, 2005.

We miss you from your fire-side chair, Your loving smile and gentle air, Your vacant place no one can fill, We miss you Mam and always will.

(Always loved and remembered by your son Maurice, daughter-in-law Maureen, grandchildren Kevin, Peter and Linda).

**COLBERT** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my mother Mary Colbert, Old School Road, Aglish, Cappoquin, Co. Waterford who died on 25 May, 2005.

Away in the beautiful land with God, In a valley of peace so fair, Someday, some time dear mother, I will find you waiting there, I will know your voice in the heavenly crowd, And your steps on the streets of gold, And the same sweet smile on your face, I knew in the days of old. Your memory is my greatest treasure, Deep in my heart you will live forever.

(Your loving son Bobby).



**COSTIGAN** — In loving memory of Margaret Costigan, late of 15, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs on May 26. Anniversary Mass will be held on Friday, May 26 in St. Joseph's Hospital at 10 a.m.

Along the road to yesterday, That leads us straight to you, Are memories of happy days, Together we once knew, You left those memories, Mam, They make us laugh and cry, But the love that's planted in our hearts, While we live, will never die.

(Always remembered — from Nellie and grandchildren and all the family).



**COLLINS** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Pat Collins, Grovemount, Tallow who died on 27th May, 2005.

We think of you in silence, And often speak your name, How we would love to hear your voice, And see you smile again, You may be out of sight, We may be worlds apart, But you are always in our minds, And forever in our hearts. (Sadly missed by your loving wife Mary and family).



**COLLINS** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of our Dad Pat Collins, Grovemount, Tallow who died on 27th May, 2005.

Not a day do we forget, With pride we speak your name, Life goes on without you, But will never be the same, Today is your anniversary, You wouldn't want a fuss, Lord place a kiss upon his face, And tell him it's from us.

(Always remembered by Maeve, Claire, Paula and Kieran).



**CUFFE** — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Sheila Cuffe, late of the Paddocks, Ballyduff who died on 31st May, 2001. Anniversary Mass in St. Michael's Church, Ballyduff at 8 pm on Saturday, 27th May.

A mother's love is a blessing, A gift beyond compare, You only know its meaning, When you find she's no longer there, So hold her in your arms dear Lord, Treasure her with care, For you have in your possession, A mother beyond compare. (Always in our thoughts and prayers your loving family).



**DUCEY** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband John, late of 85 Childers Est., Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on the 26th May. May he rest in peace.

Three years have passed already John, I can't believe it's true, I thought about you lots today, But then I always do, Forget you John I never will, For in my heart I love you still.

(Loving, remembering and missing you always your loving wife Helen).

**DAD**

Time slips by and life goes on, But from our hearts Dad you are never gone, The memories we treasure, With thoughts that are dear, We think of you always, Dad, Not just once a year. (Your loving daughter Ursula, sons Matty, Michael, Eoin, Ben and John (Jnr)).

**GRANDAD**

We love and miss you, Ten special kisses for you, grandad. Wayne, Elijah, Robyn, baby John, Jamie, Tyrone, Chloe, Dale, Becky Helen, baby Bethanie XXXXXXXXXX).

**DUCEY** — In fond and loving memory of a loving brother John Ducey, late of 85 Childers Est., Dungarvan whose third anniversary is on 26 May. R.I.P.

In the silence of a May morning, You heard a gentle call, You took the hand of Jesus, And quietly left us all, You suffered much in silence, But your spirit did not bend, You faced each day with courage, And smiled right to the end, We recall to mind the way you spoke, And all the things you said, Your strength, your courage, your love, Remember those instead, The happy smile you always had, And eyes that shone with laughter, So much of you will never die, But will live forever after. Will those who remember John today,

A little prayer to Jesus say, (Loved and missed today and everyday your brothers Micky and William, sisters Bride, Helen and Suse).

**DUCEY** — In loving memory of John Ducey, 85 Childers Est., Dungarvan who died on 26th May.

**In Memory of My Dad**

May the winds of love blow gently, On a quiet and peaceful spot, Where the Dad I love lies sleeping, And will never be forgot, Your life was love and labour, Your love for your family true, You did your best for all of us. (I will always remember you, love always Dolly XXX).

**In memory of my Grandad**

We'll look up into the heavens today, And smile and say, we miss and love our grandad, More each passing day, Here are four kisses grandad, (From Wayne, Elijah, Robyn, baby John XXXX).



**FRAHER** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother Birdie Fraher, late of 50 Caseyville, Dungarvan who died on May 22, 1996. R.I.P.

We think of you in silence, And often speak your name, How we would love to hear your voice, And see you smile again, You may be out of sight, We may be worlds apart, But you are always in our minds, And forever in our hearts.

(Sadly missed by your loving daughter Ester, son-in-law John and grandchildren Sinead, Sharon and Jason).



**FRAHER** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother Birdie Fraher, late of 50 Caseyville, Dungarvan who died on May 22, 1996. R.I.P.

You can only have one mother, Patient, kind and true, No other friend in all the world, Will be the same as you, When other friends forsake you, To Mam you will return, For all her loving kindness, She asks nothing in return, As we look upon her picture, Sweet memories we recall, Of a face so full of sunshine, And a smile for one and all.

(Sadly missed - your loving daughter Lucy, son-in-law Matt and grandchildren Dolores, Maurice, David, Brendan and Shane XX).

# IN MEMORIAMIS



**ENGLISH** — Fifth Anniversary — Remembering in sorrow our dear friend Jackie English, 7 Coolagh Road, Abbeyside who died on 24th May 2001. (Sadly missed and deeply loved by Eddie, Mary, Ann and Una).

**FRAHER** — Tenth and Thirtieth Anniversaries — In loving memory of our dear mother Birdie Fraher, and our dear father Michael Fraher, late of 50 Caseyville, Dungarvan whose anniversaries occurs at this time.

Loving parents, God ever sent, Loving parents, God only lends, There are other parents yes we know, But they were ours and we loved them so. (From her daughter Kathleen, son-in-law Billy).

We walk beside you everyday. (From your son Jimmy, daughter-in-law Mary).

**FRAHER** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother Birdie Fraher, late of 50 Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on May 22, 1996.

As we look upon her picture, Sweet memories we recall, Of a face so full of sunshine, And a smile for one and all, The ache in our heart will always stay, As we miss you more and more, You won't come back we know that's true, But one day Mum, I'll come to you.

(Loved and remembered by Marion and Jimmy, grandchildren Pat, Mark, Nicola and Jenny and great grandchildren Jodie and Alanah).

**FOLEY** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Maura Foley, late of Ait Aiobinn, Ballinamona, Ardmore, who died on 29 May, 1999.

You left us with golden memories, Your love is still our guide, Although we cannot see you, You are always by our side. (Always remembered by your loving niece Marie, relatives and friends).



**ENGLISH** — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Jackie English, late of 7 Coolagh Road, Abbeyside who died on 24th May, 2001. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass at Abbeyside Church on Saturday 27th May at 7 pm. No more tomorrows for us to share, But yesterdays memories will always be there. (So sadly missed by your loving wife Kitty and family).



**GEARY** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Paul Geary, Knockrour, Tallow, who died on 27 May, 2004.

Look around your garden, Lord, For an angel with a smile, He won't be hard to recognise, He must stand out a mile, So put your arms around him, Lord, And kiss his smiling face, For he is very special, And can never be replaced, Will those who think of him today, A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Sadly missed by your loving wife Ber, son Cathal and daughters Jen and Rachel, Mam and Dad, brothers and sisters).

**GEARY** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother Sarah (Sadie) Geary, Ballinaha, Tallow whose anniversary occurs on the 23 May.

If only we could meet you, Just for a little while, To tell you how much we miss you, And just to see you smile, To put our arms around you, But this we cannot do, So until we meet again, May God take care of you.

(Always thinking of you, your loving family).

**GEOGHEGAN** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear dad, William Geoghegan, 1 Towns Park, Lismore who died on 23rd May 2003.

Your life was one of kindly deeds, A helping hand for others needs, Sincere and true in heart and mind, Beautiful memories left behind.

(Sadly missed and never forgotten by your loving daughter Mary).

**GEOGHEGAN** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of William Geoghegan, 1 Towns Park, Lismore who died on 23rd May 2003

Sweet are the memories, Precious your name, Close in our hearts, You will always remain. (Sadly missed by Mike).



**GEOGHEGAN** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband William (Willie) Geoghegan, no. 1 Townspark, Lismore who died on 23rd May, 2003. Anniversary Mass in St. Carthage's Church on Friday, 2nd June at 10 am.

Memories are like leaves of gold, They never tarnish or grow old, In our hearts you will always remain.

(Loved and remembered everyday from your loving wife Nellie).

**GEOGHEGAN** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear granddad, William Geoghegan, 1 Towns Park, Lismore who died on 23rd May 2003

A beautiful nature, a heart of gold, Your loss to us can never be told, A special person, a special face, A special granddad we can never replace.

(Loved and remembered by your grandchildren Jennifer and Philip).

**GEOGHEGAN** — Third Anniversary — Cherished memories of a dear father and grandfather, Will Geoghegan, late of 1 Townspark, Lismore on your third anniversary.

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

(Always remembered by your son Noel, Mary and grandchildren Leon and Esmé).



**HALLAHAN** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of William Hallahan, Kereen, Cappoquin who died on the 23rd May, 2005. Anniversary Mass in Aglish on Thursday, 25th May at 7.30 pm.

You cannot stop the hands of time, Nor live again the past, But we will always love and think of you, As long as time will last, Time will pass and fade away, But memories of you will always stay.

(Sadly missed by his son Tom and family, daughter Kathleen and family, and sister Kathy).



**HORGAN** — Third Anniversary — In fond and loving memory of a dear husband, father and grandfather Tom Horgan, late of Garryduff, Colligan who died on the 26th May, 2003. Anniversary Mass in St. Anne's Church, Colligan at 7.30 pm on Saturday, 27th May.

For every year that passes, We seem to find a way, To wonder back to meet you, On the road called yesterday, These precious years won't come back again, When we were all together, But the joy and love you gave us, Will stay with us forever. (Always remembered by your wife Eily and family).



**HEALY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear son 'Mike', late of 29 McCarthyville, Abbeyside who died on 26th May, 1993. Anniversary Mass on Friday, 26th at 10 am in Abbeyside Church.

We had a beautiful son, Michael was his name, In life we loved him dearly, In death we do the same, In the silence of our minds, Where no one else can see, Your smile, your voice, your memory, Is kept so tenderly, Thirteen years have passed already 'Mike', We can't believe its true, We thought about you a lot today, But then we always do, No words were ever written,

No verse will ever say, How much we love and miss you 'Mike', On this our saddest day. (Never forgotten Mam XX and Dad XX).

**HEALY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Mike Healy, late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs at this time.

On this your anniversary, You wouldn't want a fuss, Just to be remembered, And loved by all of us, You are always in our hearts, No matter what we do, Nothing is more precious, Than memories of you.

Forever, loved and missed your brother John, nieces Vivian and Courtney and nephew Sean XXX).

**HEALY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Mike Healy, late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Time and years slip gently by, But love and memories never die, Happy thoughts of times together, Hold memories that remain forever.

(Lovingly remembered your sister Marian, brother-in-law Seamus, nephew Stephen, niece Michelle XXX).

**HEALY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Mike Healy, late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs at this time.

This message is sent with all our love, From here on Earth to heaven above, The sorrow we feel we can never explain, The ache in our hearts will always remain, These words are written with deep regret, For a brother we loved and will never forget.

(Sadly missed, your brother Eugene, Sandra, nephews Eoin, Shane, niece Rachel XXX).

**UNCLE**

Little angel robed in white, Give our uncle a kiss good-night. (All your nephews and nieces XXX).

**HEALY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Mike Healy, late of 29, McCarthyville, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Somewhere beyond the sun set, Where loved ones never die, You sleep in a beautiful garden, Beneath a golden sky, Though heaven and earth divide us, We are never far apart, For you are always in our thoughts, And forever in our hearts. (Loved and sadly missed your brother Aidie, Denise, nephews Cian and Oran and niece Cliona).

**GODFATHER**

There is a star in heaven, The first one out at night, I know it is my godfather, Who has come to say good-night. (Love - your godson Cian XXX).

**HEALY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — Treasured memories today and always of my dear brother Mike.

No words we write will ever say, How much we miss you everyday, Although we smile and make no fuss, You are deeply missed by all of us,

No one knows the grief we bear, When the family gathers and you're not there, We laugh, we talk we play the part, Behind our smiles are broken hearts,

The sorrow we feel, we can never explain, But the ache in our hearts will always still remain.

(Your sister Cathy, Thomas, nephews Lee and Rian XXXX).



**HEALY** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my brother Mike Healy, late of 29 McCarthyville, Abbeyside who died on 26th May, 1993. Anniversary Mass on Friday, 26th at 10 am in Abbeyside Church.

There is always a face before me, A voice I would love to hear, A smile I will always remember, Of a brother I love so dear, As the days go by without you Mike, And weeks turn into years,

They hold a million memories, And hide a million tears, And when I see your photo, You seem to smile and say,

Don't cry I'm only sleeping, We'll meet again someday. Treasured memories are all I have left, Of a brother I love and will never forget.

(Sadly missed, always in my thoughts your sister Siobhan (Wannie)).

**KELLEHER** - In loving memory of Dan and Kitty Kelleher, Ballyduff, Dungarvan whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Happy memories keep forever, Of days when we were all together, They bring a smile, often a tear, But always a wish that you were here.

Thank you for the years we shared, The love you gave and the way you cared. (Sadly missed by your family at home and abroad).

# IN MEMORIAM



**KIELY** — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Maurice Kiely, late of New Line, Abbeyside, whose fourteenth anniversary occurs on May 25. Memories have such lovely ways, Of bringing back our yesterday, Each of us in our own way, Have special thoughts of you today. (Sadly missed by Jenny and family).



**LAMBERT** — Thirtieth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister, Noreen Lambert, late of Caseyville, Dungarvan who died on 27th May, 1976. R.I.P. Memories are something, No one can steal, Death is a heartache, No one can heal, Time slips by and life goes on, But from our hearts, You are never gone, To your place of rest we travel, Flowers we place with care, No one knows the heartache, As we turn and leave you there. Always remembered by your loving sister Mary, Jackie and family in London XXX).

**MURRAY** — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Brian Murray, King Street, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. We think of you in silence, And often speak your name, How we would love to hear your voice, And see you smile again. You may be out of sight, We may be worlds apart, But you are always in our minds, And forever in our hearts. (Always remembered by Maureen, Mike, Tara and Mikey Gee).



**LANDERS** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Nora Landers, 16 Townspark, Lismore whose anniversary occurs on the 22nd May. Our hands cannot write what our hearts want to say, Except that we love you and miss you each day, Deep are the memories especially today, No passing of time can take away, No matter how our lives may change, Or whatever we may do, We will never forget those special years, The ones we had with you, Will those who think of our mother today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always loved and missed very much, Billy, Michael, John, David, Joseph and families).

**McNAMARA** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Jim McNamara, 28 Parks Road, Lismore who died on May 25, 2004. If memories keep us together, Then we are never far apart, For you are always on my mind, Will those who think of Jim today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by your loving wife Catherine).

**McNAMARA** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear dad and granddad, Jim, 28 Parks Road, Lismore who died on May 25, 2004. Every day we think of you, In our thoughts and in our dreams, Memories of a dad so great, Are locked away in our hearts. What we would give to have you here, And to hear you say it will be alright, Look down on us Dad as we pray for you, Our special dad and grandad in heaven. (Miss you so very much Dad — your loving son James, Rosann and grandchildren Joshua and Naithan).

**McNAMARA** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of a wonderful dad Jim, 28 Parks Road, Lismore who died on May 25, 2004. Two years has passed since you left these shores, I cherish the memories you left behind Dad, I close my eyes and pull you near, And think of you Dad, so loving and kind, I miss you more than words can say, And hold you close within my heart. (Loved and remembered everyday by your loving son Patrick).



**McNAMARA** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of a wonderful brother Jimmy McNamara, Tallow & Lismore who died on 25 May, 2004. Quietly today your memory is kept, No need for words we will never forget. Always in our thoughts your loving brothers and sisters Terry, Kathleen, Paddy, Martin, Sonny Bridget, Bernie, Rose and families).

**O'SHEA** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan who died on May 17, 1996. R.I.P.

Away in the beautiful land, with God, In a valley of peace so fair, Some day, some time, dear Willie, I will find you waiting there, I will know your voice in the heavenly crowd, And your steps on the streets of gold, And the same sweet smile on your face, I knew in the days of old, Your memory is my greatest treasure, Deep in my heart you will live forever. (Never forgotten by his loving sister Mary and family and grand-niece Jessica).

**O'SHEA** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear uncle Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan who died on May 17, 1996. R.I.P.

You never miss the sunshine, Till the evening shadows fall, You never miss loved ones, Till they are gone beyond recall, So be forever with him, Lord, Hear him should he call, And light a star above his grave, When evening shadows fall. (Never forgotten by his nephew Jimmy, Marion, Nicola, Mark, Pat and Jenny).



**POWER** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother Nellie (Ellen) Power, Ballyshunnock, Kilmacthomas who died on the 29th May, 2005. Anniversary Mass at 6.30 pm in the Convent Church, Kilmacthomas on the 27th May. R.I.P.

Away in the beautiful land with God, In a valley of peace so fair, Someday, some time, dear mother, We will find you waiting there, We will know your voice in the heavenly crowd, and the same sweet smile on your face, We knew in the day of old, Your memory is our greatest treasure, Deep in our hearts you will live forever.

(Forever in our prayers, your loving family, daughter Noelette, sons Paul, Sean, Mick, Bernie, Joe, son-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, great grandchildren, relatives and friends).



**RYAN** — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Joan Ryan, The Grange, Curraglass, Conna, who died on May 28, 2001.

Lord, I ask not why you took her away, I thank you for having given her to us, Will those who think of her today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Sadly missed by your loving family).

**WALL** — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Joe Wall, late of Killongford and Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan who died on May 25, 2001 and whose birthday occurred on May 16. A bouquet of beautiful memories, Sprayed with a million tears, Wishing God could have spared you, If just for a few more years. (From his brother Brian, Keith and Melissa).



**WALL** — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Joe Wall, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs at this time.

A little tribute small and tender, Just to show we still remember, A heart of gold, a life so true, Loved and respected by all he knew. Always willing, helpful and kind, What beautiful memories he left behind, Will those who think of Joe today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by brother Tom and family).



**WALL** — Fifth Anniversary and birthday remembrance — In loving memory of Joe Wall, late of Killongford and 29 Cathal Brugha Place. Anniversary Mass on Thursday morning at 9.30 am.

As each day dawns and starts anew, And as each ends we think of you, And in between, no matter where, In our hearts, you are always there, Will those who think of Joe today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Love always Joe, Dad and your brother Ben).

No farewells were spoken, No time to say goodbye, Our loss was oh so sudden, Only God knows why, Find the softest pillow Lord, To rest his head upon, Put a kiss upon his cheek, And tell him who it's from, Gone from us, but leaving memories, Death can never take away. (Always remembered by his brother Tony, Eileen, 4 nieces, 3 grandnieces, 1 grand-nephew).

Those you love don't go away, They walk beside us everyday, Unseen, unheard, but very near, Loved, remembered, always here, Will those who think of Joe today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Love always Joe, from your sister Tina, Peter, Michelle, Colin, Darren and Dale).

**WALL** — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear brother, Joe Wall, 29, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on May 25, 2001.

God must have thought you special, To take you the way He did, They say He only takes the best, And this He surely did, Look around your garden, Lord, For an angel with a smile, He won't be hard to recognise, He must stand out a mile. (Always remembered by his sister Susan, brother-in-law Johnny and niece Sheree).



**WADE** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother, Jo Wade, late of 9, Connolly Row, who died on May 22nd, 1997. Happy thoughts of times together, Hold memories that will last forever. (Always remembered by your loving family).

## 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 — M. O'C.

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## Birthday Remembrances



**GLEESON** — Birthday Remembrance of Johnny Gleeson, Clonegale, Ballinamult, whose 28th birthday occurs on May 29.

A little tribute small and tender,  
Just to say we still remember.  
(Loved and missed everyday by your uncle Mike, Bernie and all your cousins in Knockboy).

## In Fond Remembrance

**GLEESON** — Twenty Eighth Birthday Remembrance of Johnnie Gleeson, late of Clonegale, Ballinamult whose birthday occurs on the 29th May.

One year comes and another goes,  
But the gates of memories never close,  
You live in our hearts,  
You walk by our side,  
And from heaven above,  
You are always our guide.  
(Always loved and remembered everyday by Mam, Dad, sisters Michelle, Emma and Gina).



**MILLS** — Birthday Remembrance of Irene Mills, 8 Chapel St., Tallow, Co. Waterford whose 20th birthday occurs on 27th May. Happy birthday Irene.

It's your first birthday away from home,  
But we know Irene you're not alone,  
The heartache we feel,  
Will always be there,  
Just to remind us of how deeply we care,  
We love you Irene,  
Happy birthday.  
No special day is needed,  
For us to think of you,  
For you were someone special,  
And we thought the world of you,  
Deep in our hearts you will always stay,  
Loved and remembered everyday.  
Love you and miss you lots.  
(From Dad, Mam and sister Chloe).

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### LATE NORA HUBAND (née Downey) Lavenham, Suffolk and formerly of Dyrick, Ballinamult

The husband Patrick, daughters Siobhán, Patricia and Sheilaigh, brother Mickey Downey, sister Margaret, sister-in-law Statia and grandchildren of the late Nora Huband wish to express their sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them on their recent sad bereavement; all who attended removal, funeral Mass and burial; all who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, flowers and wreaths; to all our dear friends, relatives and good neighbours. A very special word of thanks to Rev. Fr. C. Kelleher, P.P. for his support and kindness. Also many thanks to the chaplain, organist Mairead Cullinane, soloist Andrea Cunningham, Mass servers, gravediggers and Aidan Walsh & Sons, Funeral Directors.

We trust that this acknowledgment will be accepted by all as a token of our appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for all your intentions.

### LATE ANASTATIA (STATIA) KIRWAN Knockenpower, Colligan, Dungarvan

Sons Michael and Rody, daughters Breeda, Anne and Mary, twin sisters Mary and Margaret and extended family wish to convey their deepest gratitude and appreciation to all who sympathised with them on the recent death of Statia. A heartfelt thanks to the wonderful and caring staff of St. Enda's Ward, St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan for their kindness to Mam and their support given to the family in her last few weeks; to the many people who attended the rosary, removal and funeral Mass; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, called personally and sent floral tributes. To our wonderful friends, neighbours, relations, colleagues and those who visited and kept in touch with Statia at home and in hospital over the last few years — was all greatly appreciated. A special word of thanks to Fr. Michael Kennedy, P.P., Colligan and all the visiting clergy. Sincere gratitude to all who helped at the house, caterers, traffic organisers, Kay, our Sacristan, the ladies who did the flowers in the church, the altar servers, grave diggers, Dina and the choir for their appropriate music and all who took part in the Mass, making it such a wonderful celebration of Statia's life. Finally, we thank Tom and James Drohan, Funeral Directors for their thoughtfulness and professionalism.

As a token of appreciation the holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for all.

### LATE TED BULFIN

15, St. Martin's Tce., Dungarvan

The family of the late Ted Bulfin wish to thank all who sympathised with us, through attendance at the removal and burial, or through the many sympathy cards received.

The Month's Mind Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, 11th June at 9.30 in St. Augustine's Church, Abbeyside.

### LATE PATRICK (PATIE) LAWLOR

Kilmactomas, Co. Waterford

The wife and family of the late Patrick Lawlor wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with us on our recent sudden loss, those who attended the removal, funeral Mass and burial. We wish to extend our gratitude to all those who called to our homes, telephoned, sent cards, letters and floral tributes. Thank you to our extended family, wonderful neighbours and friends for their help and generosity, they were and continue to be such a source of support to us all. Our sincere thanks to Fr. Liam Holmes for the removal service, funeral Mass and burial that was made so personal to Patie. Thanks also to Fr. Crowley, Fr. Kelleher, Fr. Desmond and Fr. Rogers and those who prepared the church and served the Mass. Thanks to all who arranged the car parking facilities and guards of honour on both days. We would also like to extend our gratitude to those who attended Patie, the emergency services and the staff of WRH for their help and kindness following Patie's death. A special word of thanks to Kents Funeral Directors for their professional arrangements of the funeral and for their kindness. As it is impossible to thank everyone individually, we hope that this acknowledgment will convey our deepest appreciation to you all. We will always remember your kind expressions of affection for Patie. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for all your intentions as a token of our sincere appreciation.

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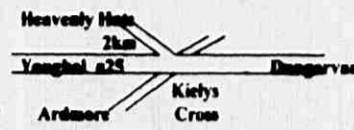
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1. 50 seater Bingo.
2. 25 amusement machines

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the applicant will rely on the following matters in support of the application:

1. The applicant is not disqualified by section 8 of the said Act from the promotion of gaming under section 6 or section 7 thereof.

2. The other forms of amusement to be provided are as follows:

1. 35 gaming machines.

Dated this 16th day of May, 2006.

**Signed: David Burke & Co.  
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**AN CHUIRT DUICHE  
(THE DISTRICT COURT)  
District Court Area of Tallow  
District No. 21  
APPLICANT: NOEL HENLEY**

**APPLICATION FOR  
RENEWAL OF CERTIFICATE  
OF QUALIFICATION TO HOLD  
AN AUCTIONEERS LICENCE**

TAKE NOTICE that application will be made at the District Court sitting at TALLOW in the County of Waterford on the 14th day of July, 2006 at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon on behalf of Noel Henley of Limekiln Close, West Street, Tallow, in the County of Waterford for a renewal of a Certificate of Qualification to hold an Auctioneer's Licence to carry on business at Limekiln Close, West Street, Tallow, Co. Waterford.

Dated this 17th day of May, 2006.

**Signed:**

**James V. Walsh & Son,  
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Fermoy,  
Co. Cork.**

TO WHOM IT CONCERNS

**AN CHUIRT DUICHE  
(THE DISTRICT COURT)  
District Court Area of  
Dungarvan  
District No. 21  
THE AUCTIONEERS AND  
HOUSE AGENTS ACT 1947  
TO 1973**

TAKE NOTICE that Edmond Spratt & Son Ltd who proposes to carry out business under the name Edmond Spratt & Son Property Partners intends to apply at the sitting of the District Court to be held at Dungarvan on Wednesday the 28th day of June 2006 for a Certificate of Qualification to hold an Auctioneers Licence to carry on business as an Auctioneer at 9 O'Connell Street, Dungarvan in the County of Waterford. Dated the 22nd day of May, 2006.

**Signed: Lanigan & Curran,  
Solicitors, Dungarvan, Co.  
Waterford.**

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## PLANNING NOTICES

**Waterford County Council** — We, Kenneally, Rochford & Associates Ltd. (024-95857), intend to apply to the above for full planning permission to construct a new dwelling, garage, septic tank, new site entrance and associated site works at Ballynamultina, Clashmore, Co. Waterford for Kathleen Cotter. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (€20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Raymond Cummins, intend to apply to the above authority for planning permission to erect a single storey dwelling, entrance, septic tank and percolation area and all associated site works at Kilkeany, Ballymacarbray, Co. Waterford. Details of this planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (€20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — We, Fiona and Paul Kidd intend to apply to Waterford County Council for permission consequent on the grant of outline permission (PD.04/492) to construct dormer dwelling, treatment plant, percolation area and entrance at Rusheens, Old Parish, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the planning authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee (€20) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — We, Jimmy and Caryl-Ann McCarthy, intend to apply for planning permission to convert attic into usable living space: install windows in both gables and velux windows in roof of existing dwelling house at Ballyconner Upper, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. 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 prescribed 20 euro fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — We intend to apply to the above authority for permission to construct dormer type dwelling house, garage, entrance and driveway also bore-well and domestic effluent treatment unit and percolation areas, including all associated site works and ancillary services at Lackandarra Lower, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. Signed: Mr. and Mrs. McCloskey. 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 prescribed 20 euro fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — Karmic Construction intends to apply to the above authority for Permission consequent on the grant of outline permission Planning Register Number 04/1021 to construct 2 no. dormer type dwelling houses, entrances and driveways also domestic effluent treatment units and percolation areas, including all associated site works and ancillary services at Monaman Upper, Lismore, Co. Waterford. Signed: Karmic Construction. 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 prescribed 20 euro fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I Maurice Condon am applying for permission consequent on the grant of outline permission (Ref. No. 01/532) for removal of derelict cottage and erection of fully serviced dormer bungalow at Townparks West, Tallow. 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 prescribed 20 euro fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Dungarvan Town Council** — Planning permission is being sought for the first floor extension (for commercial office use) to existing single storey retail unit and all associated works at Kelly's foodstore, corner of Mitchell Street/Fitzgerald Terrace, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford for Mr. J. McGrath. This application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Local Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10:00am to 1:00pm and 2:00pm to 4:00pm Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). Submission or observations in relation to the application can be made in writing to the Planning Authority, upon payment of a prescribed fee, for a period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — Chris Keane intends to apply for planning permission for a storey and a half dwelling, site entrance, garage and proprietary treatment system at Paddock, Tallow. 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 prescribed 20 euro fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — Tony Dunne intends to apply for planning permission for a storey and a half dwelling, site entrance, garage, septic tank and percolation area at Ballynarah, Lismore. 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 prescribed 20 euro fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — Thomas and Josephine McDonald intend to apply for outline planning permission for a single storey dwelling, site entrance, and proprietary treatment system at Gortnapeaky, Ballyduff Upper. 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 prescribed 20 euro fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — Permission is sought for renovations and dormer-style extension to the rear of existing dwelling which incorporates the demolition of existing front porch and side garage, new garage, driveway and all associated site works at Ballymakee, Ballymacarbray, 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: Richard Power.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Pat O'Connor, intend to apply to Waterford Co. Council for planning permission to construct a dormer style dwelling, waster water treatment system, percolation area and all associated works at Pickardstown, Tramore, Co. Waterford. The application may be inspected or purchased at the Planning Department, Waterford Co. 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 fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I, Francis Galvin, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for planning permission to extend existing slatted house, and to replace existing silage slab at Curraheen, Stradbally, Co. Waterford. The application may be inspected or purchased at the Planning Department, Waterford Co. 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 E20 fee, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — Planning permission is required for a single storey extension to an existing 1 1/2 storey dwellinghouse and ancillary works at no. 34 Ballyrandle Drive, Ballinroad, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford for Mr. W. Denmead. This application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Local Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 10:00am to 1:00pm and 2:00pm to 4:00pm Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). Submission or observations in relation to the application can be made in writing to the Planning Authority, upon payment of a prescribed fee, for a period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt of the application.

**Waterford County Council** — I am applying to the above for Planning Approval on the Grant of Outline Permission (PD. 01/734) for a Bungalow, Entrance, Treatment System, Percolation area and all ancillary works at Ballydowane East, Stradbally, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. Signed: John and Helen Maddox.

**Waterford County Council** — I am applying to the above for Planning Permission for a Bungalow, Entrance, Treatment System, Percolation area, Storage Shed and all ancillary works at Mountainfarm, Lismore, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, during normal opening hours i.e. 10:00am to 1:00pm and 2:00pm to 4:00pm Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays). A submission or observation in relation to the application may be made in writing to the planning authority within a period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application, on payment of the fee of €20. Signed: Thomas Keane.



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TAKE NOTICE that Jack Flanagan who proposes to carry out business under his own name intends to apply at the sitting of the District Court to be held at Dungarvan on Wednesday the 28th day of June 2006 for a Certificate of Qualification to hold an Auctioneers Licence to carry on business as an Auctioneer at Main Street, Dungarvan in the County of Waterford.  
Dated the 22nd day of May, 2006.

Signed; Lanigan & Curran, Solicitors, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

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TAKE NOTICE that David Reynolds who proposes to carry out business under the name of Sherry Fitzgerald Reynolds intends to apply at the sitting of the District Court to be held at Dungarvan on Wednesday the 28th day of June 2006 for a Certificate of Qualification to hold an Auctioneers Licence to carry on business as an Auctioneer at 22 Grattan Square, Dungarvan in the County of Waterford.  
Dated the 22nd day of May, 2006.

Signed; Lanigan & Curran, Solicitors, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

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**CAPPOQUIN  
CORNERSTONE  
CARNIVAL 2006**

Planning for the second Cornerstone Carnival (Friday 7th - Sunday 9th July) continues and a large number of events have now been confirmed.

Many thanks to all who have offered help in staging this year's festival which will again start with a bang as the Firework display, sponsored by the Maderson Family, lights up the town on Friday night.

Throughout the weekend two exhibitions will provide much to enjoy and are sure to provoke much discussion. Our Senior Citizens who attend the Day Care Centre will be displaying their Art and a separate major pictorial exhibition will be staged including many historical maps and photographs.

On Saturday morning The Square will host The Food Market and this year our local Producers will be joined by "Producteurs" from our Twinned town, Chant La Mouteyre, in the Auvergne. There may be some Franco-Irish rivalry but we can look forward to a gastronomic feast as a result. During the market, music will be provided by "The Wild Boars" (Jason & Robin Turk)

Also on Saturday, Railway Athletic will again hold a Family Open Day with plenty of Side-shows for young and old, a Bouncy castle and the U-8 soccer competition for the Mary McLoughlin Perpetual Trophy. The many people who attended last year's Open Day will surely look forward to another fun filled afternoon.

The GAA clubs are organis-

ing games for our young folk over the weekend including some challenge matches with our neighbours and details are now being finalised.

On Sunday, Brendan Kiely will be continuing his very popular Historical Town Walk which he started last year. Join him this year and enjoy a History lesson from a master as he uncovers the past you never knew.

Many more sporting activities, artistic events, music, competitions and fun are planned and further details will be given in the coming weeks. Make sure you have your diary cleared for the weekend of

July 7th, 8th and 9th because Cappoquin will be "en fête", be there to enjoy the craic.

We are particularly interested in hearing from local clubs and societies who wish to have an input into this community effort. Do you have any historical photos, maps or artefacts which you would lend for the Pictorial Exhibition? If so, please hand them in to the Credit Union or to Kevin McCarthy; copies are welcome if you are anxious about particularly precious items.

We are also looking for families who would be willing to host our French Visitors who are expected to arrive on Friday, July 7th and leave on Monday 10th. There is no need to be able to parlez francais, just be ready to extend a cead mile fáilte for the weekend. If interested, please contact Keith on 0879054068

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday May 31st at 8.00pm in Cappoquin Library. New ideas and new faces are most welcome.

**Dungarvan Bay  
Sponsored Swimmers**

"Swimmers wishing to register for the 12th Annual RNLI Sponsored Swim from Ballinacourty to Helvick Head, are requested to do so" advises Hon Fundraising Chairman Christopher Kelly. "Please contact me, or Clare Morrissey at (086) 832 3378 or any of the committee members for confirmation and registration before May 30th, for this important fundraising event."

"The next Committee Meeting will take place in the Lifeboat House in Helvick on Wednesday May 31st at 8:30 pm."

The RNLI is a very worthy cause, comprised of men and women who volunteer their services 365-24-7, often risking their lives in all kinds of weather to save life at sea. Joan Clancy, Hon Press Officer.

**LISMORE/  
BALLYSGART  
COMMUNITY  
GAMES**

**Boys U11 Hurling**

The Boys U11 Hurling County Final which was to be played on Wednesday last in Bushy Park was cancelled due to the inclement weather conditions, is to be held tonight, Wednesday at 7:30pm at the same venue.

**Area Athletic Finals**

The Lismore/Ballysgart area athletics are being held on this coming Sunday, May 28th at 6pm in the school field at Bunscoil Bothar na Naomh. This year the club has been donated a set of plaques as first prize for all events. So every child from U8 to U16 from the Parish of the Lismore/Ballysgart area are welcome to attend and join in the fun.

**Sculpture  
Marking  
All-Ireland  
Considered  
for  
Walton's  
Park**

By Kevin Kirrane

A number of proposals for a suitable sculpture and plaque in Walton's Park are being considered, it's emerged.

Work on Walton's Park is currently being undergone in a major new project to breathe new life into the public amenity and in a bid to stamp out anti-social behaviour in the area.

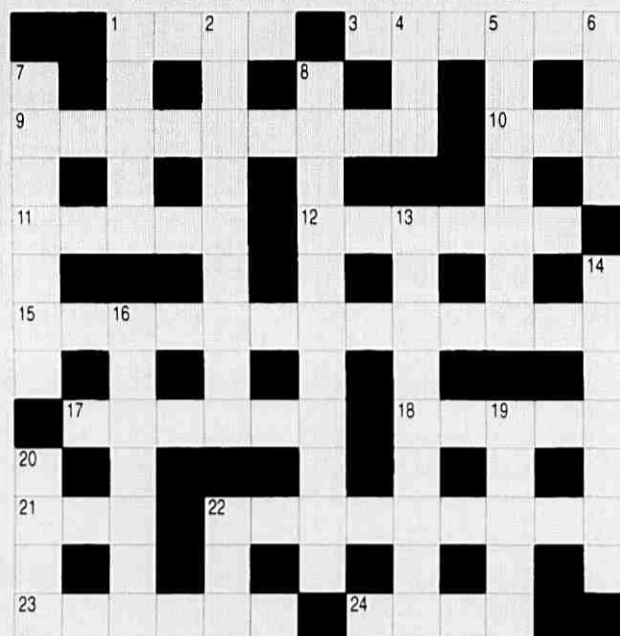
A number of suggestions for a new statue for the revamped park were put forward at a recent protocol meeting of Dungarvan Town Council.

One of those is a sculpture or plaque marking Waterford's last All-Ireland Hurling Championship win in 1959, which was proposed by Independent councillor, Michael O'Riordan.

Proposals for a sculpture of Earnest Walton, the Dungarvan-born Nobel Laureate scientist who first spilt the atom, was also put forward at the meeting.

**Leader Crossword**

SOLUTIONS AT BOTTOM OF PAGE



**ACROSS**

- 1 Flop at the box office (4)
- 3 Feeling of sickness, a word derived from the Greek for ship (6)
- 9 Vowel or consonant rhyme (9)
- 10 A luminous electrical discharge between two points (3)
- 11 Type of prehistoric circular stone tower in Scotland (5)
- 12 Anagram of NUILITY (6)
- 15 A dark chamber with an aperture through which an upside-down image is projected (6,7)
- 17 Giorgio —, Italian fashion designer (6)
- 18 A make of muesli (5)
- 21 Abbreviation relating to the company founded by Harland D. Sanders (1,1,1)
- 22 Attempt to resolve a point of contention (4,2,3)
- 23 Fernando —, reigning Formula One world champion (6)
- 24 A disreputable bar or club (4)

**DOWN**

- 1 Aah! — (5)
- 2 Former name of North-East China (9)
- 4 What, according to the saying, should precede beauty (3)
- 5 — Ballet, pop group name derived from a graffiti on a wall in Berlin (7)
- 6 Prefix meaning principal or pre-eminent (4)
- 7 Perkin —, 15th-century pretender to English throne (7)
- 8 Earlis son who married Princess Alexandra (5,6)
- 13 Arturo —, conductor who promoted La Scala (9)
- 14 A wealthy and influential business figure (7)
- 16 Fine goatskin leather tanned with sumac (7)
- 19 An unmanned exploratory spacecraft (5)
- 20 Seabird noted for forcing gulls to disgorge their catches (4)
- 22 Letters prefacing the name of some ships (1,1,1)

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**Leader Crossword**

SOLUTIONS - Questions on top of page

**ACROSS:** 1 Bomb, 3 Nausea, 9 Assonance, 10 Arc, 11 Broch, 12 Untidy, 15 Camera obscura, 17 Armani, 18 Alpen, 21 KFC, 22 Alpen, 23 Alonso, 24 Dive.

**DOWN:** 1 Bisto, 2 Manchuria, 4 Age, 5 Spandau, 6 Arch, 7 Warbeck, 8 Angus Ogilvy, 13 Toscanini, 14 Magnate, 16 Morocco, 19 Probe, 20 Skua, 22 HMS.

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Classic Gents looks certain to secure a large and regular clientele as Jacqui has been in the hairdressing trade for over twenty years and brings with her a vast wealth of experience. Always on hand to deal with any customer queries and to offer a prompt and personal service, Jacqui has become a much sought after hairdresser for her



Pictured at the Official Opening of Classic Gents which was performed by Seamus Prendergast (Waterford hurler) were (L. to R.): Natalie Kelly, Damien Dillon (Architect), Vincent Murray (Damien Dillon Architects), Jacqui Ahearne (Proprietor), Seamus Prendergast, Johnny Hourigan (Contractor), Tony Ahearne, Aoife Cummins. Missing from photo is Triona Connolly.

well versed on successes and failures on the hurling field and race track and often swaps the latest sports news with some of the more sports fanatic clientele at Classic Gents.

Classic Gents is also ideally located for school-children and perfectly suited for pupils who are looking for a trim straight after school, as it is situated just a "stone's throw" away from both St. Joseph's Primary School and the Christian Brother's Secondary School.

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Jacqui Ahearne (seated) pictured with her team at Classic Gents (L. to R.) Triona Connolly, Leane Truman, Natalie Kelly and Aoife Cummins.

Jacqui would also like to thank Johnny Hourigan and his team of experts and help.



The beautiful new interior of Classic Gents Photos by: Pat Crowley

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expertise, advice and attention to detail. The new salon is a dream come true for Jacqui, who even from an early age, harboured the ambition of becoming a hairdresser. Over the years, Jacqui's reputation as a hairdresser has grown as quickly as her now large number of regular clientele. This hardly comes as a surprise as her expert eye and extensive experience is available to customers who seek ad-



Jacqui Ahearne, Proprietor Classic Gents (on right) pictured with (L. to R.) Linda Nagle, Colm Nagle and Damien Dillon, Architect

vice on what hairstyle will best suit them. She stresses, however, that the emphasis in Classic Gents will be on delivering a professional service in an atmosphere that's both friendly and relaxed. This relaxed and friendly atmosphere comes in a large part from the fact that Jacqui is an avid sports fan. A regular at hurling matches and races around the area, and further afield, Jacqui is

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Eamonn De Paor and John Boylan with the 1984 school team. See can you identify a number of current junior and senior players.

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

15/5/06. Nos. Drawn: 8, 12, 13, 18. No jackpot winner.

Consolation prizes to: Christina McCarthy (West St.), Edna Geary, Laura & Billy Henley, Ruare O Keefe. Promoter: The Murrays.

22/5/06 Jackpot: 7350. Results next week.

### Cobhron

Tallow GAA club extends deepest sympathy to John Murray and family, West St. on the death of John's mother. Ar dheis De go raibh si.

### Tickets For Munster Semi-Final

Members requiring tickets should contact club secretary Lindsay before Sunday 28th @ 058 56015. If you receive no reply, please leave a message. She will check her messages and get back to you. Tickets are to be collected and paid for on Wednesday 21st in St. Patrick's Hall @ 8.30

### Club Meeting

We have important decisions to make regarding field development so it is important we have a full attendance at this month's meeting on Thursday night @ 9.00 in St Patrick's Hall.

### Junior Hurling

We play Fourmilewater Sunday in the second round of the championship in Cappoquin. Players will be notified by txt.

### Portlaoise Take A Stand But The Farce Continues

"... it was the only way of highlighting what clubs are having to put up." The words of Portlaoise chairman Vincent Dowling after his club threatened to withdraw players and facilities from county teams in protest at the treatment of clubs. He added: "clubs in the county and nationally have thanked us for highlighting this issue."

The trouble is Vincent not enough clubs are prepared to

stand up and be counted like yours and not enough "lififers" on county board are prepared to show leadership, while Nicky Brennan wants to pass the buck.

It is true that our county board's hands are tied to an extent because of inter county fixtures but they could start by enforcing existing rules regarding release of club players, which are regularly flouted.

You may remember last year Tallow and other clubs waited four full months between games. We may be looking at the same this year. At minimum clubs will have a three months wait before playing the next round of the championship. Even if the first round series had been completed teams would know where they stood. The majority of teams have stepped down or ceased training completely for a few weeks. It is impossible to keep a team in a state of readiness for months on end. As I said before the GPA is doing all the complaining while it is the club player who has the real grievance.

Fixtures are doled out sparingly, like candy to a baby. Here's one to keep you quiet. If your good you'll get another in

a few weeks (months) as is the case with the junior hurling championship. I suppose you could call it incremental (mis)management. Will we ever see the day when every club can come out of the county convention at the start of the year with a fixture booklet giving a full list of fixtures and dates for the season ahead. I'm banging this drum with nearly ten years and I can honestly say that nothing has changed. The only reaction is that some "lififers" have got their back up and want to shoot the messenger. Portlaoise took a stand but most clubs seem happy to muddle along. Mark my words, if we don't get our act together we will pay the price. Anybody selectors/coaches out there will clubs know only too well how hard it is to keep lads hurling. Our own association is making it even harder. Before very long I will get fed up banging this drum. That's how the system works you see. They wear you down.....

### Cobhron

Tallow GAA club extends deepest sympathy to the Coady family on the death of Jimmy Coady. Ar dheis De go raibh a nam.



Eamonn De Paor with Jimmy O Gorman, Jimmy De Paor, and another man.

## WRITER'S WORKSHOP

A workshop will be given by Vincent McDonnell in Tallow on Thursday 25th May from 7pm to 10pm. Contact No: 058-56290.

## BRIDEVIEW UTD A.F.C. NOTES

### First Game for Ladies

Our ladies team played a friendly last week away to Ballybridge. Short some regulars due to holidays and injuries Utd put up a terrific display before going down 6-4.

Our lotto jackpot was not won so get your ticket early while the weather forced some matches to be put back for another week.

### Ladies Friendly

#### Ballybridge Utd 6 Brideview Utd 4

No shortage of goals here in this ladies friendly played in Ballmacoda last Thursday evening. Our girls went two goals in front here thanks to Grace Carr and Lisa Dunne. The homeside fought back and got back on level terms. Grace Carr put Utd back in front after 30 minutes and we held this lead till the break.

Ballybridge got back into the game early in the second half and scored twice to go in front for the first time. Midway through this second half the homeside stretched their lead to two goals before Jackie Forbes pulled once back for Utd. The homeside scored number six to make sure of victory.

Plenty of goals and entertainment here for the fans.

Utd; S. Power, M. Pratt, J. Hallahan, T. Casey, A. McIntosh, A. Power, G. Cunningham, J. Forbes, G. Carr, L. Dunne, B. O'Keefe. Res used; A. Condon, N. Guile.

### Ireland's Volleyball Team

Young Jackie Forbes has been picked for the Irish U-20 volleyball squad. This is a big honour for the young Tallow girl. Jackie is a real all rounder. She plays on our ladies soccer team and is also a player with the local camogie team.

### Birthday Corner

This week we congratulate our Chairman Tomas McCarthy who celebrated his birthday on Saturday last. Tomas was in great form on Saturday night. His age, someone

said he was around forty but I said he does not look forty.

### Summer Camp

The boys and girls are looking forward to the summer camp which takes place from July 10th to July 14. Forms can be had from Liam Fraser. Book your place now.

### U-14 League Cup Final

This game was cancelled due to the weather and now goes on this coming Saturday. Support for the lads would be welcome.

### Come On Munster

Well done to Anthony Foley and all the lads from Munster who won the Heineken Cup on Saturday after a real thriller. All sportspeople could only be proud at the way these lads played. Laurence got a taxi home while Michael said he would have one for the road. Right lads. Anyway well done to all involved with Munster.

### Clubs AGM

The AGM will take place in June. The club had hoped that it could take place in May but due to some of the boys on holidays we had to put it back.

However, the club are looking for managers of our premier and div. two teams. Interested - then get in touch with Liam Fraser. Please do not rush me lads.

The club are looking for people to come on the committee or indeed anyone interested in managing a team. I understand that many of the schoolboys managers are staying put and this is very welcome. The club had a very successful season at schoolboys level and let's hope it continues this season which begins in August.

### Fixtures this Saturday, May 27th

In Tallow U-14 League Cup Final; Brideview Utd v Ardmore, kick off 3.15 pm.

### Lotto Jackpot 5,400 Euro

Last weeks numbers 7-12-18-22. No winner. Match 3 nil. Next draw Friday night in the Corner House at 10 o'clock.

## KNOCKANORE/GLENDINE/KILWATERMOY COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

### Fete and Vintage Rally

June 29th - 2nd July, full details later. We are delighted that our community has been chosen as one of only two commu-

nities in County Waterford which will participate in the active communities programme for 2006 in association with Waterford Sports Partnership. This will also involve a number of meetings with the other or-

ganisations in the community and possibly a public meeting in order to get buy-in from the whole community. The chief objective of this programme is to have more active, healthier and happier communities.

# KILL NOTES

### Deise Draw

Promoters are reminded that the May draw will take place on this Friday night, 26th May. Here's hoping for some luck for our many members.

### Charity Night

Preparations are on going for the big charity fundraiser in aid of the South Eastern Cancer Foundation in Gardenmorris on Saturday, July 15th. Like previous years the night will commence early with a top quality barbecue, and then non stop dancing to 2am. Taking to the stage will be Waterford's own Brendan Bowyer making his first appearance in the South, where he returns from Las Vegas soon to commence his Summer dancing and cabaret tour of Ireland. Together with daughter Aisling and the band, the former King of Showband era is sure to draw a large crowd to the picturesque mid county venue. Also appearing on the same bill will be Sea Breeze from Dunmore East, a

band presently making a big impression on the dancing circuit throughout the country. Like other years a great night's entertainment is assured and for a worthy cause. Tickets are available from Bernie Queally 396427, Mick Kirwan 292162, Davy Mulcahy 292260 and Martin Kennedy 292167.

### News From Kirwans

A special welcome home to Paul Mooney after his stay in hospital from all the lads in Kirwan's.

### Kill Disco

The next disco will take place on the 3rd June. Admission is E10. Doors open at 9pm. Hall rules strictly apply. No alcohol.

### Hall Bookings

The following times are available Monday, Wednesday and Friday 7 - 10pm. To make a booking contact 086-3919347.

### Dunphy's Jottings

Congratulations to last weeks dart winners Nedly Torpey and Noel Hayes. Runners up were Sean Lonergan and Jimmy Torpey.

### St. Anne's

Congratulations to St. Anne's on their victory over Mile Rovers in the first round of the 7-a-side.

Team as follows: Mary Hayes, Kerry Dunphy, Jane Murphy, Karen Kelly, Mairead Murphy, Lorena Mooney, Kate Rockett, Emma Gallagher, Niamh Kavanagh, Siobhan Kavanagh, Niamh Ryan and Marie Halley. Final score of the game: St. Annes 4-18 Mile Rovers 1-13. Well done girls. The girls will play Ballyduff next weekend.

### Football Training

Will take place on Wednesday evening at 6:30pm in the Dunhill G.A.A. Grounds. All Players are asked to attend.

### Congratulations

To Andy Hubbard who was part of the Waterford Football team that played in Killarney on Sunday. Unfortunately Waterford lost to Kerry.

# Horoscopes with Ali

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

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



**ARIES**  
Mar 21 to April 20  
A promise fulfilled brings trust. Emotional bonds, tried and tested, are strong even in difficult circumstances. Long hours are tiring so ensure that you get adequate sleep. You are running on empty. It is said that nothing will ever be attempted if all possible objections must first be overcome. Be decisive and have faith. Finances are set to improve. ☎ 1550-920-257

**TAURUS**  
April 21 to May 21  
A door closes but another opens. Be assured that you are heading towards success and just rewards. This week, let bygones be bygones and make a social occasion a peace making operation. Educational matters are especially well starred. Avoid hair-splitting, especially when it comes to work where you have to work at maintaining good relations. ☎ 1550-920-258

**GEMINI**  
May 22 to June 21  
Financial opportunities come from the strangest of sources. A friend has good news. Beware of saying too much in the heat of the moment. It will get you out of the frying pan and straight into the fire! Attending social or business functions introduces you to fascinating new people. Keep building with yesterday's themes but adopt a slower pace. ☎ 1550-920-259

**CANCER**  
Jun 22 to July 22  
In an important situation, the next move is yours. Get ready to turn the tables by playing an ace while you still have the advantage. Seek the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth during a week when it may be difficult to tell fact from fiction. A fond farewell brings tears to your eyes but you will enjoy a reunion sooner than you think. ☎ 1550-920-260

**LEO**  
July 23 to Aug 22  
Professionally and personally, you have the edge. Avoid hedging your bets. Don't risk cherished bonds over a trifle. Anger is a short madness. When surprised by events not on your agenda, an amount of flexibility is required. In difficult situations, earn your stripes by displaying the Bull's most exalted qualities - humility, kindness, and loyalty. ☎ 1550-920-261

**VIRGO**  
Aug 23 to Sept 22  
Don't over-step the mark or over-stay your welcome this week. A friend may be too polite to put thoughts into words. Financial debts and commitments prove a burden. Are you spending beyond your means? Try to stay on top of money matters rather than let such issues get on top of you. Summon up fond childhood memories and get back in touch with youthful dreams. ☎ 1550-920-262

**LIBRA**  
Sep 23 to Oct 23  
Beware of someone playing a "divide and conquer" strategy. Counter by being aware of ulterior motives. In all matters, pay attention to details. Your dedication to perfection is your key to success. It may prove difficult to reconcile your professional and personal life, especially as someone seeks your exclusive attention. ☎ 1550-920-263

**SCORPIO**  
Oct 24 to Nov 21  
Recording your memoirs can be an important tool of self-discovery. Keep a journal. This week, expect the unexpected, especially romantically. Cupid has a surprise or two in store. Professionally, roll with the punches and duck and dive. This is a competitive time. A friend comes to your rescue. Explore your party host persona. Fun and games top the charts. ☎ 1550-920-264

**SAGITTARIUS**  
Nov 22 to Dec 23  
Don't let your dreams be defeated by minor concerns. Recognise that a fear of failure can block you from reaching your full potential. Reach for the stars and you will be successful. Feeling a little out of sync? Well this week, you find yourself in good company. Your powers of persuasion are amazing. You could sell ice to the Eskimos! ☎ 1550-920-265

**CAPRICORN**  
Dec 24 to Jan 20  
A personal relationship that has felt like hard work now becomes easier and more fun. Patience proves a virtue but perhaps one that you are sometimes lacking. Discretion is the better part of valour. Make "Mum's the word" your motto. A minor matter could become a major concern but nothing you cannot handle. You have the upper hand provided you play your hand close to your chest. ☎ 1550-920-266

**AQUARIUS**  
Jan 21 to Feb 19  
Don't underestimate your talents. Others around you know what you are capable of, even if you don't! This weekend, a moment comes that you have been waiting for. Walls fall as new bridges are built and old emotional issues dissolve. If possible, minimise travel time which is particularly energy draining. Home is where the heart is and where you can relax and unwind. ☎ 1550-920-267

**PISCES**  
Feb 20 to March 20  
Financial trends are positive and money matters continue to dominate your agenda. Avoid spending on credit. In personal circumstances, you may have difficulty seeing the wood for the trees. Advice from a loved one may help. Become more involved in group activities. For too long you have been a "one man band". No matter how pressed, stick to your principles. ☎ 1550-920-268

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# Dungarvan Leader - This Week In The Garden

## How to plant a butterfly patch

YOU do not have to have a huge garden to attract some of nature's loveliest pollinators, butterflies. All you really need is to provide them with lots of nectar and providing butterflies with food will also give you masses and masses of brightly coloured flowers to enjoy too. Attracting butterflies to feed is quite simple, all you need is a sunny garden space that is not too windy. Select host and nectar plants specifically for butterflies in your area (a local garden centre can help with your choices). However, most butterflies will love any nectar-rich plants, such as the ice plant (Sedum spectabile or the butterfly bush (Buddleia davidii)). They also love lavender, with its mauve or purple scented flowers, and mint, which produces spikes of mauve flowers. Another favourite herb which attracts masses of butterflies is marjoram, which produces sprays of pink flowers on aromatic plants. Another favourite is Milfoil, which has flat-topped red, pink or yellow flowers that attract a host of insects, while michaelmas daisies will attract butterflies later in the season through to the autumn.

### Attracting butterflies: top tips

- Don't go mad and change your mind when caterpillars start devouring your foliage - that's the whole idea!
- When it comes to weeding the garden, do not be too meticulous
- NEVER spray insecticides in a butterfly garden as they will kill butterflies just as easily as other bugs
- Container gardens can also attract butterflies and birds successfully - dot them around the patio



If you have room, try to include plants that supply food for butterfly caterpillars too. Native plants are ideal, but many of these, may be considered too much like weeds by gardeners. An example of this are stinging nettles, which are a favourite food for caterpillars that will grow up and transform into the small tortoiseshell, peacock, red admiral and other butterflies. Holly and ivy provide food for the holly blue caterpillars and wild flowers, such as lady's smock, attract orange tips and green-veined whites. Privet is useful too as it provides a feast for the privet hawk moth caterpillars. Generally if you are looking to attract feeding butterflies select several flower types that open flat like daisies for perching. Also pick plants with bright colours and lots of very fragrant flowers in large masses. It is also useful to provide a water source, preferably with flat rocks for sunning.

### This Week In The Garden

Plant window boxes and hanging baskets  
May is the time to fill your window boxes and hanging baskets with their summer displays. Hanging baskets must have a suitable liner, such as punctured black polythene, to prevent the soil from washing through. Give your chosen plants a thorough watering after planting. Plant out French Beans  
You may safely plant out hardened plants. Choose a sheltered place and be ready to cover the plants at night with some garden fleece or newspaper should the weather turn suddenly frosty. Plant the beans 15cm apart in rows 45cm apart.  
Thin out raspberry canes  
Look at your raspberry plantation and reduce the number of new canes if they are very numerous. There is no point in having more than six canes per plant and these should be quite close to the dump. Raspberries have a habit of sending suckers up all over the bed and unless you remove them from between the rows it may be impossible to get between the canes to pick fruit later.  
Feed plants in full growth  
It is a good idea to feed plants that are growing fast now. Most herbaceous plants are making a big effort and many are forming their flower stems. Spring sown vegetables are growing quickly and need plenty of nourishment. Give plants a small topdressing of a quick acting fertiliser, such as chicken manure pellets, and hoe it in. Sow main crop beetroot  
May is the time to sow the main crop of beetroot. For this you should choose a long rooted intermediate beet rather than a globe variety unless your ground happens to be very shallow. Sow the seeds in drills 2.5cm deep and 30cm apart. If you space the seeds, which are quite large, at about 5cm apart it will be a very simple matter to thin the seedlings to about 15 cm later on.



# Cappoquin Notes

## CAPPOQUIN SNOOKER & BILLIARDS CLUB CAPPOQUIN CIVIC LINK

### Jameson Cup Final

The final of this seasons Jameson Cup took centre stage on Sunday last as both Eamon Costin and Robbie Allen served up a brilliant game of snooker. With every frame contested down to the last ball it was going to be a very tight game in what was described as the battle of the lefties.

The opening frame was very nervy with both players keen not to make a mistake and let the other in. Eamon led by twenty at one stage but Robbie stormed back in the colours only to see Eamon clinch it on the pink. Robbie really needed to win the next and produced some really fantastic potting. Eamon had no answer to this and Robbie won the second frame to level it up. The third frame was nip and tuck all the way. Just as they entered the colours Robbie had opened up a nice lead and led by nineteen with only four colours left. Eamon then produced a brilliant break with a 22 clearance to win the third. In the fourth Eamon got a handy break early and led into the colours. Robbie got back into it but Eamon kept his nerve and potted a fine pink to go 3-1 up. The fifth frame was a cracker. Both players were now having a real go. Eamon led early by over 20 points but Robbie got a break of 28 and as it went to the colours it was anybody's frame. Eamon was seven behind with only the black left and knocked it in with a great shot. In the respot Eamon left Robbie in for a half chance and Robbie obliged with a great shot to bring it back to 3-2. It could so easily have been 4-1 to Eamon. In the sixth Robbie produced some great snooker, potting freely and getting very good safety, he had Eamon under pressure. Eamon needed snookers in the colours and even though he got one Robbie clinched it on the blue. Level at 3-3 the 7th was also very close. Great snooker by both early on and some fine safety play meant this was a very long and tense frame. Robbie just edged ahead in the colours and won it on the pink to lead for the first time in the match 4-3. Robbie's experience in finals was starting to show as he twice got in for handy breaks in the eighth frame. Try as Eamon might he couldn't reel Robbie in and Robbie potted for fun in the last to win it early in the colours. All who observed this game agreed that it was a fine game of snooker. Club Chairman Rhiney Walsh then complimented both players for a top class match. He also said that it was great to see support in the hall for both lads. He then presented the prizes to beaten semi finalists Mike Doherty and Eddie Hickey, runner up Eamon Costin and finally to Jameson Cup champion for 2006 Robbie Allen. Robbie in turn thanked the committee for the great work they have done this year. He also thanked Eamon for a very tough game and then it was off for some refreshments to the local. Well done to all involved in the Jameson Cup.

### Market House League Final

The final of this season's league took place on Monday 15th last and one can only say what an exhibition of snooker was witnessed by the large crowd in attendance. Undoubtedly the two best players in the club Robbie Allen and Mike Doherty put on an excellent show and the game itself was close, right to the end. One of the main attributes of the game was the brilliant safety play by both players and the potting by both was also top class.

The opening frame was tight with both players wary of making a mistake and letting the other in. Some fantastic breaks by both lads meant that going into the colours it was

going to be anybody's game. Robbie had the slight edge and potted a very good blue and pink to win the opener. Dots to his credit fought back in the second and won the second frame on the pink. After some fantastic safety by both, the third frame really saw both players having a right go. Robbie made a few mistakes and Mike really did punish him. Robbie tried to get back into it but Dots potted a very good blue to clinch the frame. Nip and tuck right to the end the frame ended level and to a respotted black. Robbie kept his head to pot an excellent black and level the game up at 2-2. The fifth frame was also tight, Robbie took the early lead but Dots fought back to take a very slight lead as they entered the colours it was anybody's game. Robbie got the crucial balls to clinch it on the pink. In the sixth Mike had the early advantage and as it entered the colours he still had the lead. With just the Blue, Pink and Black left and Mike needing just blue he was very unlucky to just catch the middle jaw and Robbie had a chance. Robbie potted a tight pink and then a very good pink. The black was tight on the left hand cushion and it looked as if Robbie was going to play safe. He got up from the table to take one more look and then had a shot to win the league title. As cool as your like Robbie knocked in the black and was crowned league champion. Both players got a very well deserved round of applause by the large attendance and it was much deserved as both players really played some great snooker. Club Chairman Rhiney Walsh then said a few words and thanked all who had taken part in the league. He congratulated both players on a fantastic game of snooker and referee Eamon Costin who was in control throughout!! He then thanked league sponsor John and Marie McGrath and family of the Market House for their kind sponsorship of the league. John (or Jack as he is better known in Cappoquin) then said a few words. He said he was delighted to sponsor the league and was also very happy to see the amount of people who took part in the league ladder. He also congratulated both players for a marvellous game and then presented the prizes to first both beaten semi finalists, Rhiney Walsh and Martin Reddy, then runner up Michael "Dots" Doherty and then to the league champion Robbie Allen (Robbie overwhelmed us with his victory speech). Then Robbie and his supporters went for a few sociable drinks and (word has it even Dots had a few) so the curtain comes down on this season's snooker campaign and on behalf of all the committee I want to take this opportunity to thank everybody who joined the club this season. When we started back in October we never thought we would have as many members. Also a big thank you to all the night duty officers for their wonderful efforts in looking after the hall this season. Thanks also to our sponsors, without sponsors any club will struggle and we are very lucky to have the kind of sponsors we have. Finally I would like to say a very big thank you to Colm Nagle and staff at the Dungarvan Leader. The coverage they have given us in the Cappoquin notes this season has been absolutely fantastic and we as a club have really blossomed thanks to your wonderful coverage in the Dungarvan Leader.

### Duck Derby

We hope by now that you have gotten your duck for the derby. This we hope will raise a substantial amount of money for us as we

strive to improve everything about our club. The old timber floor in the hall is in a very dangerous condition and all monies raised from the duck derby will go towards putting in a new floor, new walls and recover both tables. As I have said in previous notes these tables are in the club since 1928. They are fantastic tables and it would be a shame to let anything happen to them as they are very rare tables and with your help we can raise enough money to do the necessary works to them.

### Grant Aid

At present we are awaiting news from the National Lottery to see if our grant application is successful. We need to have about 8 to 10,000 euro to carry out all the jobs in the hall and whatever happens this work needs to be done. We are hoping that our application will be successful and this will go a long way towards completing the hall. We wait with abated breath.

### Seasons End

Yes, it is hard to believe but we are now finished for the summer. It has been an absolutely breathtaking season for snooker this season. When we got together back in October last we had eleven people at a meeting and from that meeting we formed a committee and hey presto crowds just started coming from everywhere to the hall and it was just a whirlwind from there. In the space of a few months we had over sixty members and things were looking very bright. Let's hope next season we will have more. During the closed season however things won't stop in the hall. Our redevelopment of the hall is to begin very shortly and by the start of next season the hall will have a total facelift. A lot of work needs to be done over the closed months and a lot of funds will have to be raised to get this work done. The Duck Derby is our main way of making money but can I take this opportunity to thank some of the businesses of the town for their very generous donations to the club. This money will all go towards our development plan and if any other or individual would like to make a donation our club would be delighted. Thanks to everyone who have helped out again this year.

## CAPPOQUIN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CO. LTD

The Cappoquin Community Development Company reiterate their gratitude to those people and businesses who are loyally supporting their fundraising fund for the community centre monthly, especially their most recent business support from Red Mills who generously donated a substantial amount to this fund. We are deeply indebted for this generous offer.

We are not forgetting all of you who buy lotto tickets weekly or annually, this will assist greatly in strengthening the funds for the Centre, and thank you for your support given, in helping us to get to this stage.

### Lotto Results

Lotto for 22nd May. Jackpot €9,800. No winner. Numbers drawn were 3-5-16-27. Next jackpot will be €9,900. Consolation prizes went to Pat Denn, Joan Kearney, Tom Feerick, Shane Fraher, Anna Barrett, Bohumila Barjova.

Next draw will take place on Monday, 29th May. All proceeds go towards the Community Centre.

## SPEEDY RECOVERY

Speedy recovery to Mrs Maura Murray Barrack St Cappoquin who is currently hospitalised. Speedy recovery to Mrs May Whelan Melleray Road who is currently recovering at home after being hospitalised.

Sympathy is extended to the Mrs Agnes Keniry Shanbally on her recent family bereavement.

### CAPPOQUIN CAMOGIE NOTES

## Cappoquin Go Down Fighting

In an enthralling match at Bushy Park on Thursday night last, Cappoquin's Under 14 camogie team came within a goal of recording the club's first county title of modern times. Following a tremendous run of victories over Dunhill, Ardkeen (Mt. Sion) and Tramore (twice), the girls found themselves pitted against the only team to have previously beaten them in the league section of the competition, Dungarvan.

From the word 'Go', Cappoquin took the game to the favourites, launching attack after attack on the Dungarvan goal. We were rewarded with a couple of fine scores, included a pointed free from distance by Gemma Burke and an excellent goal by Aoife Cahalane. Dungarvan responded in fine fashion and had drawn level before half time. Then, with minutes to go to the interval, Dungarvan took the lead with another good goal, leaving the half-time score 2-1 to 1-1.

With the breeze and occasional showers behind Cappoquin in the second half, it looked very likely that victory could be on the cards for the Cornerstone club. For lengthy periods of the second half, the girls in red and black laid siege to the Dungarvan goal, hitting the upright and having some very bad luck as they searched for the equalizer. Amazingly, and thanks to some very determined play from Dungarvan, that equalizer never came. When the final whistle went, that agonising goal just hadn't come, leaving the Old Boro' outfit the new county champions.

There is little consolation that can be offered to Cappoquin on this occasion. Getting to the final was a tremendous achievement for a squad which is largely under age for next year as well. It just wasn't to be on the night. The girls were treated to chips and burgers by the club back at the 'Cornerstone' after the game. Many, many thanks to the team's manager, Shem McCarthy, and selectors Pat Cullen and Shane Fraher. Many thanks too to the hundred-plus parents, friends, teachers and supporters who made the journey to cheer the girls on during the game. Special thanks also to our jersey sponsors, Kellehers, and also to the Credit Union for the lovely display before and after the game.

Training continues for the under 12s, still in their championship with a chance of progressing, and the Under 16s whose championship will start in a few weeks' time. Following that, it will be the turn of the Under 18s. A special 'good luck' wish to one of our star players, Jessica Johnson, who is due to take part in the Primary Game before the Waterford-Tipperary Munster Championship game on Sunday week. We know she will do the club proud, as she always does.

## AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB

Presidents Prize Night Results; 24/4/06 - 1st: Claire Meaney and Mary Navin; 2nd: Pat Murphy and Ann O'Neill; 3rd: Kathleen O'Mahoney and Monica O'Sullivan; 4th: Catherine McCarthy and Eileen Tinnelly; 5th: Mary O'Connor and Brid Bergin; 6th: Mary Fletcher and Addie Buckley; 7th: Rose Sargent and Rita Hegarty.

Results May 1st, 1st: Walter and Mary Murphy; Joint 2nd: Mary Navin and Claire Meaney; Billy Kelleher and Mary Radford; 4th: Lil Costin and Andrew McGrath.

Results May 8th, 1st: Addie Buckley and Andrew McGrath; 2nd: Claire Meaney and Eileen Tinnelly; 3rd: Monica O'Sullivan and Brid Bergin; 4th: Betty Kelleher and Helen Buckley.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Maeve Mc Grath Kilbree and Alan Sirchio Toms River New Jersey who got married recently. Congratulations to Cora Cummins Main St and Vincent Lombard Aghish who got married recently.

Congratulations to the boys and girls of Second Class Bunscoil Gleann Sidheain taught by Mr James Bennett who made their First Holy Communion.

## AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN GAA NOTES

### Intermediate Hurling Championship

We play Clashmore this coming Friday the 26th of May in Lismore at 7.30.

### Field Development

It's great to see the field in use again after the year long lay off. Great credit must go to the field committee who have done Trojan work to get it in the condition it is in and we will soon be putting up the new electronic scoreboard.

### Tickets

Anyone looking for tickets to the Munster senior hurling championship match between Waterford and Tipperary in Cork on the 4th of June please contact club secretary Jennifer Hickey only on 087-1230440. The orders will have to be placed tonight Wednesday the 24th as Thursday is the cut off for all clubs to have their application in.

### Get Well Soon

Get well soon to club referee Tommy Sullivan who suffered an injury last week and is out of action for a while.

### Club Lotto

15-May-06. Draw 1: €10,000, no winner, numbers drawn: 1, 2, 3 & 9. Draw 2: €800, no winner, numbers drawn: 4, 9, 12 & 19. Consolation Prizes: Seamus Fitzgerald, Salterbridge, Anne Kiely, Green Street, John Millea, Affane, Kitty O'Donoghue, Lower Shanbally, Caroline Carey Fitzgerald, Monattarive.

## CAPPOQUIN TIDY TOWNS

Well done to all ladies and gentlemen who participated in the clean up of Shanbally Flower bed on Tuesday night, there was a gathering of over 25 people. Keep up the good work, a litter clean up will follow beginning next week, and for the coming weeks while the judging is taking place. We appeal to the clubs to come out next week in numbers again, and anyone who has free time to assist. Don't omit to paint your house, when weather improves. Next meeting Tuesday, 30th May in Walsh's Hotel at 8pm.

# Blackwater Community School News



2006 Leaving Class of Blackwater Community School, Lismore with School Principal, Denis Ring, Deputy Principal, Ann Fitzgerald and John Ahern, 6th Year Head.

**Choral Evening**  
Well done to our School Choir and its members who participated in the Summer Choral Evening last Wednesday night along with The Lismore Choir. They put on a superb performance.

**LCA Activities**  
The Leaving Cert Applied group headed to Mallow last Friday to attend the 10th anniversary of the LCA Programme. They had a fantastic display of the marvelous projects and work that both groups undertake over the

last two years. This week the LCA Year 1 have their oral Irish on Tuesday so we wish them the best of luck.

**Transition Year**  
Last week this group along with Caroline completed their pilgrimage walk to Mellary.

They received a talk on the life of the monks in Mount Mellary.

This week they are in Killfinane Education Centre as part of their Gaisce Award with an overnight stay and will take part in an action packed two days of activities.

**Camogie**  
Best of luck to our Junior Camogie Team who contest the Munster Final this Thursday against Borrisoleigh

**Rice Cup**  
Best of luck to the Rice Cup team who will compete in the

final of the Rice Cup this Thursday against Doon CBS at a venue yet to be decided.

**Graduation Night**  
Our 6th year mass and graduation night will be held in the school this Thursday night 25th May at 7.30pm

## Ard Scoil na nDéise News

**Fair Trade Coffee Morning.**  
Friday morning of April 28th proved to be a chocolatey good one for the teachers and staff of Ard Scoil na nDéise. They were treated to an Fair Trade coffee morning, in order to raise awareness about the importance of Fair Trade products in the school community. I worked closely with Mrs. O'Brien and her 2nd Year CSPE class to educate them about Fair Trade. It was a great success! I would like to thank National Organic Products Ltd. for sending me the Fair Trade tea and coffee samples. Also, Chelon Lindo from the Day Chocolate Company who sent me leaflets with very valuable information. Anne & Rob Whinnett from Blasta Wholefoods, Dungarvan who helped fill the gaps with biscuits and fruit!  
I am sure the teachers were de-

lighted with Mrs. O'Brien's Fair Trade Chocolate Swirl Cake and Alex Duff-White and my Fair Trade Chocolate Brownies.  
The 2nd Years have been fantastic, they made a beautiful poster and I know everyone was impressed with their waitressing skills!  
Lastly, thank you to the teachers who made it possible and their generous donations to GOAL.  
**AOIFE POWER, 5th Year Dunmore Tour**  
On Wednesday, 17th May, the 2nd Years went on their school tour to Dunmore East. The bus left at 8.45 a.m. and arrived at the Adventure Centre at 10.15 a.m. Everyone's immediate reaction was that the place smelled strongly of fish (which it would, being a fishing port!) but we soon got over that.

The year was split into two groups. One group started with water sports while the other did archery. We weren't able to go abseiling due to the bad weather, but we had a good time anyway. Mr. Collins, Mrs. Power (Home Ec) and Bean de Paor joined in with the archery. They wouldn't come into the sea, though. Killjoys!  
When the archery group finished, the water sports groups were still not out of the water, so we had lunch and played games. (Wrapping up an egg with paper, balloons, etc and then dropping it off a balcony, and building a tower out of toothpicks and other random objects).  
Then the groups switched around.  
Despite the bad weather and wetsuits that almost cut off circulation, we entered into the spirit of things and had a really good time. We did kayaking, buried each other in sand and finally returned to the short in pedal boats, singing at the top of our voices.  
We spend a good 500 years or so in the changing rooms, showering, doing our hair and ultimately, attempting to peel off our wetsuits. When we were finally warm and dry, we left the changing rooms to another small monsoon. We went back to the bus and headed to Waterford City for shopping therapy and food. We shopped for an hour and much to the dismay of many students who would have stayed all night if given the choice.  
Finally, exhausted and with considerably lighter pockets, we headed back to Dungarvan. Even with the ominous threat of drowning or being swept away by the wind every time we set foot outside, the day went really well, and everyone enjoyed themselves.



Transition Year students from the Ard Scoil all geared up for a day on the water

**Sarah Szucs and Donna Sheehan**  
**Horse Riding**  
On Thursday the 16th of May (yA (A for animals) ha ha went horse riding out in colligan!! We

left the school at half one so we had to have a quick lunch but it was grand!! Ms Pickering, one of our p.e teachers, came with us because she was greatly interested in horses since she owned her own horse and loved riding!! When we went out there we were split up into two groups, the first group were for the beginners and the second group was for people who had been horse riding or who could ride a horse!! It was really funny trying to watch all the lads trying to get up on a horse but im sure they were saying the same about the second group!! Everyone had to lead a horse, which I wasn't the best idea cause everyone stood about a mile away from the horses!!! Over all everyone had a great day and found it a great laugh!!!! But I say people had pains the following day where they never taught they would have pains!!!! Ha

### Nótaí Meánscoil San Nioclás

**Memorable trip to Dublin for transition year students**  
Bhí lá iontach ag daltaí bliain a ceathair í mBaile Átha Cliath le deanaí. Chuadar ar thuras timpeall Páirc an Crócaigh agus amach go Teamhlach ansin, áit a raibh cluiche eagraithe le Coláiste de hÍde. B'iontach an deis dóibh í.  
**Parents Council come up trumps with Sports Day**  
Gabhaimid buíochas ó chroí le Coiste na dTuismitheoirí as an Lá Spórt iontach a d'éagraigh siad duinn le deanaí. Bhí cluichí de gach tsaghas eagraithe acu. Bhain na daltaí an-thaitneamh as. Bhí bearbaiciú álainn réidh acu duinn, agus dóthain bia ar fáil ann.  
Chuireadar an-chuid eagrúcháin isteach ann agus bhí an t-ádh linn gur sheas an aimsir.

## ST. MARY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

**K'NEX CHALLENGE:** Last Thursday 4th class pupils participated in the K'NEX Challenge. Mr Seán Corcoran, engineer from Waterford County Council, facilitated the event. To encourage teamwork and communication, the pupils worked in pairs. They designed and built a Green Recycling Machine using the educational toy, K'NEX. This challenge, which was run by STEPS to Engineering and K'NEX, gave the pupils an exciting introduction to the world of engineering, design and technology. Kathy Lai and Emeline McGrath, who created the winning design, will travel to the Regional Final in the Waterford Crystal Sports and Social Club, on Wednesday 24th May.  
**PUPPET SHOW:** Puppeteers from Skylight Productions visited St. Mary's last week. Senior Infant and 1st class pupils enjoyed their lively performance. They "helped" Mr. Binman sort out Mr Hackensack's rubbish and clean up his littered garden! Thanks to Waterford County Council environmental department who sponsored this educational show.  
**FILL THE VAN:** On Thursday next a van from Mrs. Quin's Charity Shops will come to the school to collect bags of unwanted clothes, etc. The goods will be sold to raise money for the blind of Ireland, or recycled and sent to the Third World. We know that recycling is a good thing because less waste goes to "landfill". So, parents bring in your bags of unwanted goods- declutter your house and help the environment.  
**SCHOOL CHOIR:** The choirls have been busy practicing for the First Holy Communion. We thank them for their commitment to singing at the monthly family mass at 10 a. m. in St. Mary's Parish Church.  
**WRITERS IN SCHOOL SCHEME:** Storyteller, Mr Pat Speight, recently treated the pupils from all classes to wonderful live entertainment. His stories and poems helped to foster the pupils' creativity. The day was part funded by Poetry Ireland and was run in conjunction with World Book Day.  
**SPORT:** The camogie girls had a busy second term. 30 of the senior pupils trained in the Sports Centre every Friday after school. They participated in both indoor and outdoor competitions. Well done to the mini 7's team on getting to the semi final. They lost to a stronger team from Lismore who went on to win the county title.  
Clodagh Behan and Louise Hyslop took part in the Primary Game Trials. They were both chosen to play on the West Waterford team. Clodagh has been selected for the County Primary Game team, which will play in Páirc Uí Chaoimh on Sunday 4th June.  
Since March lots of boys and girls were busy training for the West Waterford Primary Schools Athletics. 40 pupils competed in the semi finals in the Friary College and half of them qualified for the finals. Well done to all who took part and congratulations to the medal winners: Ciara Hurley, Louise Hyslop, Clodagh Behan, Natalie Wancerz, Nikita Whelan and Johanna McDonagh  
**THE MAYOR VISITS:** Cllr. Damien Geoghegan, mayor of Dungarvan, visited some junior and senior infant classes at the beginning of May. The pupils asked lots of questions about his work and tried on the chain of office. His son, Ronan, and daughter, Caragh, were especially delighted by his visit.  
**QUIZZES:** Lots of girls from 3rd and 4th class competed in the Villierstown Clipboard Quiz last week. Congratulations to the two teams who won second prize in the 3rd and 4th class sections, respectively.

# ST. DECLAN'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE NOTES

## SOCCKER

**U-14 All-Ireland Semi-Final**  
**St. Declan's 0 : St. Mary's Athlone 1**

The U-14 soccer team were beaten by a goal in injury time in their All-Ireland Semi-Final last week. The game was played on a superb pitch in Castlecomer and both sides deserve great credit for the high standard of football on display. Ray Scott of the F.A.I.S. remarked that it was as high a standard as he has seen in a number of years and praised both teams for their displays.

In terms of chances the first half was fairly even with the Athlone keeper saving well from a Kealan Kiersey shot and an Eoin Walsh header while at the other end Marcus Millea made two fine saves to deny the Athlone attackers. Joe Kett also made two great tackles when in one on one situations to leave the scoreline blank at half time.

St. Mary's enjoyed the better of the second half exchanges but as has been the case all season the St. Declan's defence of Anthony Fitzpatrick, Conor Morrissey, Joe Kett, Paul Power, Anthony Maher and keeper Marcus Millea stood firm. Indeed Morrissey and Millea were superb in their defensive duties. At the other end Paul Whyte who always looked dangerous set up Darren Rockett whose 25 yard effort was well saved. In the last minute St. Mary's almost scored but Marcus Millea made a great save and the rebound was sent over the bar. After this the game seemed destined for extra-time but the Athlone school struck a late winner to advance to the All-Ireland final.

Team: M. Millea, A. Fitzpatrick, P. Power, J. Kett, C. Morrissey, A. Maher, B. O'Connor, D. Rockett, K. Kiersey, P. Whyte, E. Walsh. Res: K. Dee, D. Power, C. Hearne, E. Power, L. Duggan, B. Dunbar, B. Gaule, J. Hurton, D. Sutton, A. Béhal, S. Kiely.

### KILMATHOMAS F.C.

Well done to Kilmathomas F.C. on recently winning the Div. 1A League and promotion to the Waterford Premier League next season. Most of the squad are former students of St. Declan's and gave great service to a number of sporting teams in the school during their time here.

### CHEMISTRY TRIP

Our current and incoming 5th Year Chemistry students recently visited WIT to see how modern day forensics work. During their visit the students had to use forensics to solve a murder and all involved thoroughly enjoyed their visit.

### GREEN FLAG

Following the award of a Green Flag last year a lot of work is currently being undertaken to secure a second Green Flag for St. Declan's.

During the year a hardworking "Green Flag" of students have put a huge amount of time and effort into this project and as a reward they recently spent an afternoon bowling in Waterford following a trip to KFC for refreshments.

### EXAMS

As the school year draws to a close, students are busy preparing for exams.

5th Year exams take place on Tuesday 23rd/Wednesday 24th May.

4th Year exams take place on Thursday 25th/Friday 26th May.

1st and 2nd Year exams will be held during the last week of the year.

6th Years are now finished classes and are doing supervised study each day.

A recent meeting with Junior and Leaving Cert parents took place and was well attended. The role of parents during the state exams was outlined at this meeting.

### HOCKEY TOURNAMENT (8-A-SIDE)

Well done to all who took part in the 8-a-side hockey tournament. The two teams that succeeded in getting to the final were Andrea O'Connell's team and Lisa Power's (5th Year) team. A very exciting final with lots of parents cheering on from the sideline and the final results 7-5 to Lisa Power's team. Winning team: Lisa Power, Kelly Fitzsimons, Laura Griffin, Claire Nolan, Megan Whelan, Ciara Larkin, Edel Kelly, Sarah Kiely, Sinead Heame.

### JUMP FOR JOY

Well done to all students involved. You collected €6,000 for Crumlin Hospital and €2,000 for the Motor Neuron Palative Care Unit.

Two afternoons have taken place participating in many hours of activity but due to weather the last two Thursdays had to be postponed.

### SHARON CASEY AND LAURA GRIFFIN RECEIVE 'PLAYER OF THE YEAR' AWARDS FOR WATERFORD HOCKEY

Congratulations to Sharon Casey and Laura Griffin who attended an awards night in Waterford along with many more St. Declan's students who also have lined out for Waterford during the year.

Sharon got her award for 'Player of the Year' in Div. 4 Munster League and cup while Laura won the Waterford U-16 Player of the Year. Well done to all.

### HOCKEY CAMP

A hockey camp takes place in Waterpark during the month of July and August over 10 Fridays. Any players interested please book in by 26th May.

# NÓTAÍ NA GAELTACHTA



An Gaeltacht Aontaithe buaitheoirí sraith faoi 12 Oirthear Chorcaí / Iarthar Phort Láirge. Bhí bua 3-2 ag foireann na Gaeltachta thar Fánaithe na Gleanna ar an Satharn, 20 Bealtaine. Sa phictiúr tá Máirtín Ó Cuirrin, an bainisteoir agus Brian Donnelly, Cathaoirleach Sraith Oirthear Chorcaí / Iarthar Phort Láirge

### Scéim na bPictiúr

Tá áthas ar Chomhlacht Forbartha na nDéise, i gcomhpháirtíocht le hEalaín na Gaeltachta agus Oifig Ealaíon Chomhairle Contae Phort Láirge scéim nua, 'Scéim na bPictiúr' a fhógairt. 'Séard a bheidh i gceist leis an scéim ná deis a thabhairt do mhuintir na Gaeltachta eolas sa bhreis a bhaint amach ar conas grianghrafanna a thógaint agus iad a spreagadh chun samplaí a thógaint dá gceantar dúchais féin. Tá an scéim oscailte do dhaoine 18 bliain d'aois agus os a cionn. Ní gá go mbeadh taithí ar an bhfótógrafocht ag na daoine a ghlacann páirt. Gearrfar táille de €25 ar an rannpháirt. Beidh oíche eolais agus clárúcháin ar siúl i Halla Colmán sa Sean Phobail ar an gCéadaoin 7 Meitheamh ag 7.30 PM. Fáilte roimh cách. Gach eolas ó Lorcán ar (087) 9107861 nó (058) 46752 nó eolas@deise.ie.

### Halla Colmán

Iarrtar ar gach cumann agus duine aonair a úsáideann an halla cruthúnais arachais a chur ar fáil do Choiste Forbartha an tSean Phobail.

### Cnocán na Sí

Le déanaí cuirteadh an t-ainm 'Cnocán na Sí' ar na tithe i gCnocán Rua sa Sean Phobail. Ba é Coiste na Logainmneacha i gComhairle Contae Phort Láirge a cheap an t-ainm. Chuir an nuacht áthas ar Choiste Forbartha an tSean Phobail agus tá siad ag tnú go mór leis an ainm

a chuirfead ar na tithe i mBaile Fearainn, Na Geataí.

### Suirbhé

Ghlac 494 teaghlach sa Rinn agus sa Sean Phobail páirt sa suirbhé a cheistigh faoi chúrsaí fostaíochta, Gaoluinne agus chúram leanaí. Seolfar na foirmeacha a líonadh go dtí Institiúid Teicneolaíochta Chorcaí (CIT) a déanfaidh scagadh ar an eolas. Cuirfead tuairisc ar fáil i Meán Fhómhair 2006. Déanfar deimhin de go mbeidh gach eolas pearsanta a bhailefar faoi rún daingean. Tá Comhlacht Forbartha na nDéise an bhuíoch as ucht an tacaíochta a thug Muintir na Gaeltachta don staidéar.

### Ceol na nÓg

Bíonn seisiún ceol do dhaoine óga ar siúl gach Domhnach ag 5 PM i Halla Pobail na Rinne. Fáilte roimh cách.

### Uaireanta Oifige

Bíonn an tÁisitheoir ar fáil ag Halla Pobail na Rinne gach Luan ó 2 p.m. go 5 p.m. agus ag oifig an Údarais sa Sean Phobail gach Céadaoin ó 2 p.m. go 5 p.m.

### Eolas Teagmhála

Má tá aon eolas nó fógra go dteastaíonn uait foilsíú is féidir é a seoladh ar ríomh phost go mfgdeise@eircom.net, nó cur glaoch ar Lorcán ar (087)9107861 nó (058)46752. Is faoi stiúir Comhlacht Forbartha na nDéise a cuirtear na nótaí seo ar fáil. www.deise.ie

# TOURANEENA NOTES

### Touraneena Reading Group

The book club will meet on Monday, 29th May at 9pm in Dunford's bar. Any member unable to attend the meeting is requested to please leave their books into Dunford's before the meeting. Looking forward to seeing you there.

### Car Boot Sale

A car boot sale will be held at the Community Centre, Modeligo on Sunday, 28th May at 2pm. There has been great interest in the event, so we hope to see a good crowd, both in attendance and in the number of stalls. If you would like to donate any items or have a stall at the sale, please contact either 058-47224 or 47424. All proceeds are in aid of Naomh Brid/Sliabh gCua G.A.A. club, the Waterford Kidney Dialysis Unit and the African Mission, c/o Sr. Marie Goretti Kelleher.

### Congratulations

Alison Queally, Touraneena and Rodney Cronin, Carrigaline who recently celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage in the Church of Our Lady and St. John, Carrigaline, Co. Cork. Afterwards, Alison and Rodney

celebrated their wedding with their families and friends at the beautiful Dunmore House in Clonakilty. We wish Alison and Rodney many years of health and happiness.

### Sliabh gCua Lotto

Week ending 21st May. Winning numbers 6-10-18. No winner. Jackpot E1,400. E20 x 5

winners: Colin Gleeson, Imelda Gleeson, Rose Crotty, Esther Ware and Carmel O'Neill.

Promoters prizes of E20 went to Marian Cliffe. Next draw in Dunford's on Sunday, 28th May.

12th Annual Racquetball club run and walk on Bank Holiday Monday, June 5th.

# BALLYSAGGART NOTES

### Cards Results

18th May - Kathleen Coleman and Jackie Houlihan; Tom Cahill and Mick Morrissey; Mary Power and Ber Coughlan; Pat O'Connor and Pat Kirby. Best of the last 5: Ber Coughlan and Mary Power. Lucky Tables: Sheila Lonergan and Bertie Neville; Kit Crowley and Helen Morrissey.

Tickets: Kathleen Coleman, Bridie O'Brien, Mary Power x 2.

### G.A.A. Championship Hurling

On Sunday next v. Kilrossanty in Fraher Field at 3:15pm.

### Hurling League

On Tuesday night last we played Cappoquin in the League in Cappoquin. After an entertaining hours hurling, we won on the scoreline of 3-15 to 1-14.

### Lotto Results

Numbers on Tuesday 16th May were 1-6-14-19. No jackpot winner. €15 winners were as follows: Julie O'Connell, c/o Chadwicks; James Fogarty, New Ross; Mary Morrissey. Jackpot for Tuesday, 23rd €3,425. Results next week.



# STRADBALLY NOTES

## DRAW

The final rounds in this year's parish draw took place in Ballylaneen Community Centre recently. There was rejoicing in two households in Stradbally with the top prizes going to Dani, Leah and Ali Cunningham, High Street and Olive, Minnie and Breda Leahy, Viewmount Drive. The prizes of 25 euro went to Paddy Power, Kilmacthomas; Maureen Power, Fews; former Principal of Our Lady of Mercy Primary School in Stradbally. Conal Queally, Bonmahon; Alan Connors Bellard, Stradbally; Ned Navin, Killelton; Helen and Paddy Harris, Currahaha West; Annie Murphy, Aberlow; Fr. Greg Power, St. Mary's, Clonmel, Pat Curran, Grawn, Leanne Jamie Casey, Kilmacthomas. The promoters were Joan Cashin, Margaret Corbett, Nellie Casey, Mai Barrett, Mary Hearne. The promoters prizes went to Mai O'Brien, Helen Power, Fr. Michael Enright, Mary Barry and to round off a great draw Nellie Casey went home with two promoters prizes. A word of thanks to all the promoters and the general public who once again supported the draw so well. The proceeds will definitely pay for a good few slates on the roof of

St. Anne's Church, Ballylaneen. **BELL**

Rumour has it that the celebration bell has been ringing out in Faha on two occasions recently to celebrate first of all Tipperary's great win over Limerick in the Munster hurling championship and then Munster's great win over Biarritz in the Heineken Cup Rugby European final. Even though there were no Waterford players on the team Tipperary was represented.

## RETIREMENT FUND

Any outstanding envelopes for the priests retirement fund annual collection should be returned as soon as possible. The Easter season is also coming to a close for any Easter dues envelopes still outstanding.

## FIRST COMMUNION

The day was fine and sunny on Saturday, 20th May for the boys and girls who made their first Holy Communion in Holy Cross Church, Stradbally. The Mass was concelebrated by Fr. Michael Enright and Fr. Martin Keogh and all the boys and girls who took part in the liturgy of the Mass under the direction of teachers Mary Crowley and Orla Costin. The boys and girls were Yasmin Power, Nichole Galvin, Niamh Power,

Laura Cusack, Shannon Hickey, Laura Power, Caitriona Maher. The choir with Connie Di Fusco as organist added to the occasion as did Paul Dunphy who read a Communion reflection and Mary O'Mahoney who did the commentary for the offertory procession.

## SYMPATHY

The death took place at his residence in Ballyvoile on Friday, 19th May in the loving care of his family of Johnny Fennell at the great age of over ninety years. Sincere sympathy is extended to his brothers Willie, Pat and Tom, daughters Monica Dwane, Ann Power and Margaret Murray, sons John, Pat, Mike and Tom, grandchildren, great grandchildren, in-laws and the extended Fennell and Dunford families. The remains were removed from his residence on Saturday 20th May to Holy Cross Church and were received and blessed by Fr. Michael Enright assisted by Fr. Tim O'Riordan P.P., Abbey-side, Ballinroad and Garranbane. Requiem Mass on Sunday, May 21st was concelebrated by Fr. Michael Enright, Fr. Columba O'Donnell, O.S.A., Fr. Tom Whelan C.S.S.P. and Canon Nicholas O'Mahoney both neighbours of Johnny Fennell. The readings were shared by Johnny's grandchildren Monica, Ann and Francis with granddaughter Melissa singing the responsorial psalm. The prayers of the faithful were shared by Sahron, Carmel, Joanne, Fiona, Margaret and Tracey. Majella Dwane introduced the offertory procession which consisted of the bread and wine brought by Monica and John while Christopher brought a cow and a calf symbol, his great grandson Johnny Treen brought a newspaper, Chloe brought a small crucifix and Tracey a family photograph. Margaret represented the family as a Eucharistic Minister at Communion after which Pat spoke on behalf of the family. Following Communion Mina Stone sang Going Home. Aimee recited a poem relating to time. Near neighbour Helena Hogan played a brilliant rendition on the tin whistle and Melissa sang Johnny's favourite song The Wind in the Willows. The altar servers were grandchildren Nicola, Anthony and Seamie Fennell and the latter two paid their tribute to their grandfather on tin whistle on Saturday evening. Marion, Noel, Brendan and Bobby Clancy played a traditional air as the remains were brought to the church also on Saturday evening. A significant feature on both days was the fact that Johnny's daughter Margaret who with her husband Jim Murray looked after Johnny so well, was one of the pall bearers with the coffin. The senior choir with Mary Dunphy at the organ sang appropriate requested hymns during the Mass. Burial took place in Ballinroad Cemetery with Fr. Enright, Fr. O'Donnell, Fr. Cooney and Fr. Whelan present along with a very large number of sympathisers.

Procession in honour of Our Lady. All the children who recently made their First Holy Communion from the parish are invited to attend.

## STRADBALLY/FAHA/BALLYLANEEN COMMUNITY GAMES Draughts

U-12 team travelled to Ballinacorney Wednesday last for the Draughts County Final. An enjoyable time was had by all but no medals this time. The team were as follows; Ciaran Hartigan, Ryan, Jake and David Philips, Maurice Sweeney and Osgar De Paor. The U-10 and U-14 teams may go straight to the Munster finals due to lack of teams in the county.

## U-12 SOCCER COUNTY FINAL

### 14th May in Ballinroad Stradbally 5 Ardmore 5 (AET) Ardmore Won on Sudden Death Penalties

Last Sunday Stradbally U-12 took on last years All Ireland champions in the Waterford County Final at Ballinroad. This turned out to be a thrilling encounter played in the right spirit. The first half saw Stradbally trail 3-2, with the Stradbally goals coming from top scorer Philip Curran and Eoin O'Brien. The second half saw Stradbally come back twice to level the match 4-4 at 90 minutes. Stradbally's goals from substitute Ryan Philips and Cathal Cusack. This brought extra time with a super headed goal from Ger Wyley only to see, Ardmore equalise and sent it to penalties. As we know this is a cruel way to decide a game but those are the rules. It shows a lot of character and bravery to step up at any level to take penalties and it was still all square at 5 penalties each only for Stradbally to bravely bow out at sudden death. This was a wonderful game to watch and all players and officials did us proud and not forgetting Stradbally still won county silver medals which they thoroughly deserved.

The Stradbally panel were as follows; Andrew Kirwan, Ciaran Cusack, Ger Crowley, Kyle Walsh, Stephen Curran, Anthony Drohan, Osgar De Paor, Declan Leonard, Cathal Cusack, Philip Curran, Eoin O'Brien, Ryan Philips, Maurice Sweeney, Jack Navin, David Philips and Steven Power. Thanks to Ballinroad for the use of their pitch and facilities, the referee for an excellent job done, the parents for their massive support and all connected with Ardmore - good luck in the rest of the games. Also special thanks to the management team of Dave Philips and Paul Leonard.

Up-coming events; Athletics; Long Puck (please bring your own hurley and sliotar) ad throw ball will take place this Wednesday, 24th May at 6.30 pm sharp at the Stradbally GAA pitch. Categories - boys and girls U-8, U-10, U-12, U-14, U-16. U-8's must be at least 6 years of age by 31st July this year. 3 euro per child.

U-10 boys GAA football team are through to the county final on this Monday, 22nd May at Bushy Park. Best of luck to you all.

Thanks to all the parents and helpers for all these events.

# ABBEYSIDE SCOUT AND CUB NOTES

The cub meeting started at seven o'clock and the fun started off with a game of dodge ball. It has to be said that some were a lot better and lighter on their feet than others for this game. Following on from this it was time to recap on some rope work skills when the reef, bowline and sheet bend knots were practised by all before each cub in turn was examined by the leaders. Then it was time for some relay games based on these knots.

To finish up a game of indoor soccer was played and enjoyed by everyone.

The scout meeting on Saturday night was to a large extent a planning one. Top of the list was annual camp. The date of camp this year will be Sunday the 23rd of July to Sunday the 30th and the cost is €200. For those with a good brain for remembering this is roughly four euro more expensive than our last annual camp in Ireland two years ago and as such represents good value for money. All camp deposits should have by now been paid and of course scouts can continue to pay off money for camp at the meeting each week if they wish to.

Next it was time to sort out the lone patrol weekend camp which is taking place at the end of June. At the meeting it was decided by means of a draw that the following patrols will go to the following venues. The Tiger patrol along with the Panther patrol will be going to Mellery scout centre while the Wolf and Eagle patrols will be heading off to Cork namely to Kilcully. The Kestrel patrol will be travelling the longest distance when they head off for Killaloe in county Clare.

Over the coming weeks it will be the task of each patrol to organise all aspects of this weekend camp from transport and food as well as cost involved to equipment required for the trip. The patrol leaders of each patrol need to book in their patrols to their venues by the end of this week. At each of these venues the patrols will be joined by patrols from all over Ireland and take part in a full filled programme over the time. It is expected that there could be another fifty patrols at least at each of the venues. These weekends are meant to be an experience in how a patrol in conjunction with their patrol and assistant patrol leaders should plan for an event. Therefore with the adult leaders support over the coming weeks these weekends should prove to be a great experience on the day because as with all events the more planning and preparation that goes into something, means that the participants will get a lot back.

## ATTENTION

Both the cub and scout meetings begin at the earlier time of 6:45pm this Saturday night as the whole troop will be going to the local fire station for a tour of the facilities. Everyone should wear full uniform for this outing. For the scouts this visit represents the culmination of months of work as it represents the final piece in the jigsaw which is their emergencies merit badge. This meeting should finish back at the den at about 8:30pm approx.

## THANKS

To the Lawless and O'Mahoney families we say thank you for giving Neil's Tiger and James' Wolf patrols space to carry out their overnights last Saturday night. These were the last two patrols to undertake this exercise and all thoroughly enjoyed the experience!

# ABBEYSIDE REFERENCE ARCHIVE

## WEST WATERFORD

It's always great to get a book that fits well into the Archive. There is no doubt but the book *West Waterford - People And Events Celebrated In Verse* by Eamon Breathnach is one of those.

It was published by The Cluibhán Press, Waterford in 2005 and printed by Litho Press, Midleton, Co. Cork. All involved with it are to be congratulated and thanked.

We now have a book of 92 poems all with a West Waterford connection, it will fit very comfortably into the poetry corner at the Parish Office every Sunday evening. This Sunday evening Eddie Cantwell will be minding our Poetry Corner and all the other treasures.

# MODELIGO NOTES

## Cappoquin Flower Club

Members and friends take note, The National Flower Festival is being held this year in University College Cork. This is a wonderful opportunity to see the work of the best of Ireland's floral artists. Our annual outing this year will be to this wonderful event on Saturday, 10th June. Please contact Mary O'Reilly on 058-47947 or Rebecca Keevers on 058-54432 if you wish to travel. A walk in Brian Cross' beautiful garden with its unique design is also included in the itinerary.

## Crannchur Aitíul

Numbers drawn for Saturday, 19th were 9-14-22. Jackpot not won, mar sin, beidh E500 sa phota oir don tSathairn seo chugainn. E25 go Paddy O'Donnell, Derra; Deckie Walsh, Modeligo; Ann Cliffe, Cappagh and David and Michael Phelan, Cappagh.

## Millstreet Market

The legal right of the people to hold a market at Millstreet has been preserved for a further 10 years at least following the initiative of an enterprising group of locals who set up a number of stalls for the purposes of trading recently. The Local Government Act (1996) which sought to regularise 'casual trading', decreed that any place that had long established trading rights would lose them if a 'market' was not staged within 10 years. The Millstreet market was an event going back many centuries, and was included in a national register of fairs and market places, along with such venues as Mountain Castle and Whitechurch, compiled during the 1830's. The Millstreet event, which went into abeyance during the 1920's, was originally a 'barter' and latterly, a butter market. Mile buiochas to the Cummins family, who provided light refreshments for the occasion, perhaps the organisers might consider holding this market as an annual event?

## First Communion

Modeligo N.S.'s First Communicants, Nicky O'Donovan, Lorraine Walsh, Cian O'Byrne, Keight Hickey and Sarah McCarthy got the worst of the weather on Sunday morning last for their big occasion, nevertheless it was a wonderful and spiritually uplifting occasion. In the course of his homily, celebrant Fr. Ned Hassett gave fulsome praise to the children and their parents for the thoroughness of their preparation, as well as the choir and scripture readers. Class teacher Ms. Norma Wall was presented with a bouquet of flowers by Martin Walsh, representing the children's parents.

## Women's Soccer

Following last years successful campaign, plans are underway for Modeligo Women's Soccer team for 2006, and the first training get together will be held at the Community Field, Modeligo on June 1st. All last years players, as well as any other ladies who would like to join us for the coming season, are very welcome to be part of the group.

## Car Boot Sale

A car boot sale will take place at the Community Centre on Sunday next, 28th May. There are still some stalls available, should you feel that you have some saleable items in the attic, otherwise, come along and avail of the bargains, as well as supporting worthy causes.

## Modeligo Pattern

It's that time of the year when fore planning for the annual Pattern begins. With this in mind, the A.G.M. will be held at the Community Centre on Monday next, May 28th at 8:30pm. It's essential that we get as many people as possible involved, to enable us to continue staging this traditional event.

# WEST WATERFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL SPORTS

The West Waterford Primary School Sports were held over the last few weeks in St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside. As in previous years these fixtures were very well supported by all the schools in the west of the county. The big schools heats kick start this years event on April 27th with the small school heats on May 4th.

The finals were held on May 11th with Abbeyside taking the overall award on both boys and girls. These were sponsored by M.T. Motors, Ballymacmague, Dungarvan while the small schools award went to Whitechurch for girls and An Rinn for boys. The sponsor for these awards were Tom Curran Hardware, Grattan Square, Dungarvan.

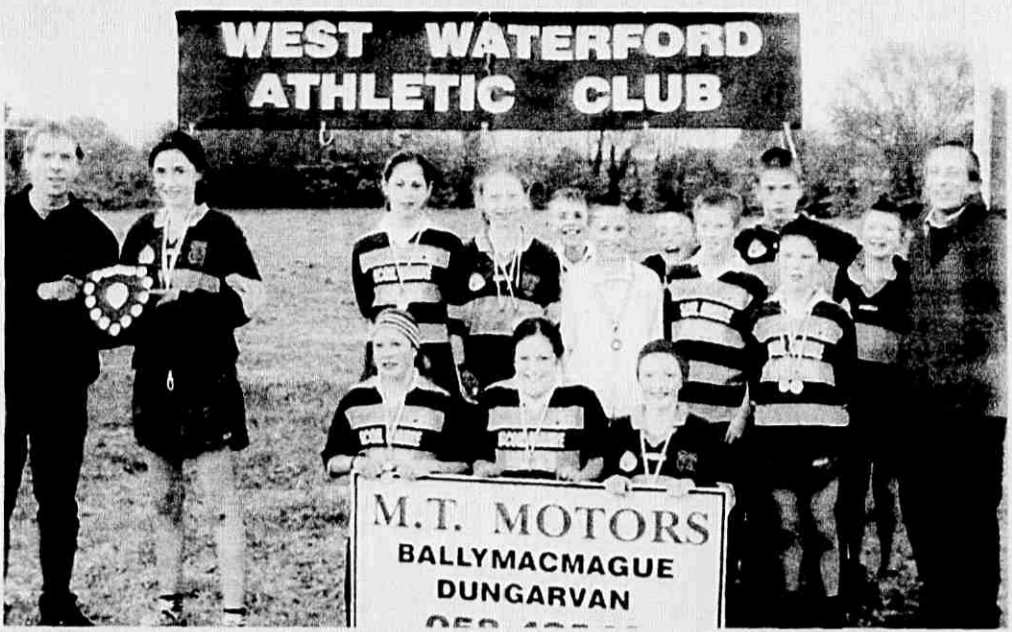
The County finals of these sports will be held in the same venue on Thursday, May 25th at 6:30pm sharp with athletes being lined up at 6:15pm. We are delighted to welcome on board Dungarvan Chevrolet, Youghal Road, who will be sponsoring the evenings event. Thanks to all sponsors and stewards for their help and to Br. Patrick Lennon for the use of their excellent facilities. We ask for your continued co-operation with the final night.

- RESULTS SMALL SCHOOLS**
- Girls U8 80m  
1st: Sinead Flynn, Kilbrien; 2nd: Sinead Roche, Knockanore; 3rd: Aoife French, Grange.
- Girls U9 80m  
1st: Denise Murphy, Ardmore; 2nd: Elsa Griffin, St. James; 3rd: Caitriona O'Brien, Stradbally.
- Girls U10 80m  
1st: Sarah Matthews, St. James; 2nd: Eve McGrath, Whitechurch; 3rd: Karen Condon, Whitechurch.
- Girls U11 100m  
1st: Fiona Salmon, Grange; 2nd:

- A. Nic An Taoisigh, An Rinn; 3rd: Hannah Power, Stradbally.
- Girls U12 100m  
1st: Ciara Scanlon, Villierstown; 2nd: Fiona Shine, Whitechurch; 3rd: Chloe Walsh, Kinsalebeg.
- Girls Over 12 Relays  
1st: Sc. Garbhain; 2nd: Cappoquin; 3rd: St. Mary's.
- Girls U8 Relay  
1st: Kinsalebeg; 2nd: Kilbrien; 3rd: Fewes.
- Girls U9 Relay  
1st: Stradbally; 2nd: Ardmore; 3rd: Grange.
- Girls U10 Relay  
1st: Whitechurch; 2nd: Grange; 3rd: Fewes.
- Girls U11 Relay  
1st: Grange; 2nd: Whitechurch; 3rd: An Rinn.
- Girls U12 Relay  
1st: Whitechurch; 2nd: Sean Phobal; 3rd: An Rinn.
- Girls Over 12 Relay  
1st: St. James; 2nd: Sean Phobal; 3rd: Grange.
- Boys U8 80m  
1st: Daniel Sliney, Knockanore; 2nd: Paul Curran, Coolnasmeear; 3rd: Eoghain O'Shea, Ardmore.
- Boys U9 80m  
1st: Michael Culloo, Whitechurch; 2nd: Darragh Herlihy, Carriglea; 3rd: Sean Curran, Carriglea.
- Boys U10 80m  
1st: Michael Shine, Whitechurch; 2nd: Ryan Phillips, Stradbally; 3rd: Adam Curley, Kinsalebeg.
- Boys U11 100m  
1st: Jamie De Baruin, An Rinn; 2nd: Peter Bowen, Ardmore; 3rd: Paul O'Connor, Clashmore.
- Boys U12 100m  
1st: Colin Dunford, Coolnasmeear; 2nd: Sean O'Donovan, Modeligo; 3rd: Stephen Hally, Aghlish.
- Boys Over 12 100m

- 1st: Ciaran Toibin, An Rinn; 2nd: John Power, Grange; 3rd: Brendan Dwyer, Villierstown.
- Boys U8 Relay  
1st: Carriglea; 2nd: Ardmore; 3rd: Modeligo.
- Boys U9 Relay  
1st: Whitechurch; 2nd: An Rinn; 3rd: Knockanore.
- Boys U10 Relay  
1st: Kinsalebeg; 2nd: Grange; 3rd: An Rinn.
- Boys U11 Relay  
1st: Ardmore; 2nd: An Rinn; 3rd: Modeligo.
- Boys U12 Relay  
1st: Whitechurch; 2nd: An Rinn; 3rd: Coolnasmeear.
- Boys Over 12 Relay  
1st: An Rinn; 2nd: Grange; 3rd: Sean Phobal.
- Mixed Relay Under 10  
1st: Modeligo; 2nd: An Rinn; 3rd: Kinsalebeg.
- Mixed Relay Under 14  
1st: Kinsalebeg; 2nd: Grange; 3rd: Clashmore.

- RESULTS BIG SCHOOLS**
- Girls U8 80m  
1st: Laura Cummins, Abbeyside; 2nd: Sarah Landers, Lismore; 3rd: Rebecca Sweeney, Garranbane.
- Girls U9 80m  
1st: Jessica Glavin, Cappoquin; 2nd: Roisin Cahillane, Lismore; 3rd: Dawn de Paor, Sc. Garbhain.
- Girls U10 80m  
1st: Laura Connors, Glenbeg; 2nd: Johanna Houlihan, Lismore; 3rd: Niamh Clare, Abbeyside.
- Girls U11 100m  
1st: Aileen Gallagher, Glenbeg; 2nd: Cara Mullaney, Garranbane; 3rd: Shauna Keating, Abbeyside.
- Girls U12 100m  
1st: Ciara Hallahan, Tallow; 2nd: Aoife Cahillane, Abbeyside; 3rd: Chloe Creedon, Abbeyside.
- Girls Over 12 100m  
1st: Elisa Organ, Abbeyside; 2nd: Eibhlin Ferncombe, Sc. Garbhain; 3rd: Sorcha Ni Liathain, Sc. Garbhain.
- Girls U8 Relay  
1st: Abbeyside; 2nd: Cappoquin; 3rd: Lismore.
- Girls U9 Relay  
1st: Cappoquin; 2nd: Sc. Garbhain; 3rd: Abbeyside.
- Girls U10 Relay  
1st: Abbeyside; 2nd: Lismore; 3rd: Glenbeg.
- Girls U11 Relay  
1st: Abbeyside; 2nd: Lismore; 3rd: Garranbane.
- Girls U12 Relay  
1st: Abbeyside; 2nd: Cappoquin; 3rd: Tallow.
- Girls Over 12 Relay  
1st: Sc. Garbhain; 2nd: Cappoquin; 3rd: St. Mary's.
- Boys U8 80m  
1st: Pat Fraher, St. Joseph's; 2nd: Jamie McKlevin, Abbeyside; 3rd: Conchuir O hAodha, Sc. Garbhain.
- Boys U9 80m  
1st: J. Beecher, Tallow; 2nd: Adam Flynn, Lismore; 3rd: John Elstead, Abbeyside.
- Boys U10 80m  
1st: Patrick Curran, St. Joseph's; 2nd: Adam Walsh, Kilmac; 3rd: Jack Houlihan, Lismore.
- Boys U11 100m  
1st: Matthew French, Abbeyside; 2nd: Aidreas O Conchuir, Sc. Garbhain; 3rd: Lee Mulhearn, Abbeyside.
- Boys U12 100m  
1st: Glen Power, St. Joseph's; 2nd: Joshua Youngveal, Abbeyside; 3rd: Jason Nagle, Abbeyside.
- Boys Over 12 100m  
1st: Michael Tutty, Abbeyside; 2nd: Adam O Cathain, Sc. Garbhain; 3rd: Mike Daly, St. Joseph's.
- Boys U8 Relay  
1st: Tallow; 2nd: Abbeyside; 3rd: Lismore.
- Boys U9 Relay  
1st: Tallow; 2nd: Abbeyside; 3rd: Kilmac.



Overall winners in Big Schools boys and girls - Abbeyside National School receive their trophy from Michael Tutty, MT Motors (sponsors). Also included is Pat White, NT, Abbeyside NS.



Boys under 9 Small Schools relay medal winners (from left): Shauna Curran (Tom Curran Hardware, sponsors), An Rinn 2nd, Whitechurch 1st, Knockanore 3rd, David McCarthy, West Waterford AC and Noedi Power, Chairman County Board AAI.



Small Schools 800m Over 12 medal winners (from left): John Power, Grange (2nd), Ritchie Fitzgerald, Ballycurrane (1st) and Ray O'Callaghan, An Rinn (3rd). Also included are Noel Power, County Chairman AAI and David McCarthy, West Waterford AC.



Small Schools Under 8 80m medal winners: Sinead Roche, Knockanore (2nd), Sinead Flynn, Kilbrien (1st) and Aoife French, Grange (3rd). Also included are Noel Power, County Chairman AAI and Damian Geoghegan, Town Mayor.

- Boys U10 Relay  
1st: Sc. Garbhain; 2nd: Abbeyside; 3rd: St. Joseph's.
- Boys U11 Relay  
1st: Abbeyside; 2nd: Sc. Garbhain; 3rd: Lismore.
- Boys U12 Relay  
1st: Abbeyside; 2nd: St. Joseph's; 3rd: Garranbane.
- Boys Over 12 Relay  
1st: Abbeyside; 2nd: St. Joseph's; 3rd: Sc. Garbhain.
- LONG RACE**
- Girls U8 300m  
1st: Sinead Flynn, Kilbrien; 2nd: Sinead Roche, Knockanore; 3rd: Emma Buckley, Whitechurch.
- Girls U9 300m  
1st: Elsa Griffin, St. James; 2nd: Edell Looby, Whitechurch; 3rd: Ciara O'Brien, Ardmore.
- Girls U10 600m  
1st: Karen Condon, Whitechurch; 2nd: Lauren Faul, Knockanore; 3rd: Lucey Barron, Touraneena.
- Girls U11 600m  
1st: Abigail Griffin, St. James; 2nd: A. Nic An Tosaigh, An Rinn; 3rd: Fiona Salmon, Grange.
- Girls U12 800m  
1st: Mary Cummins, Whitechurch; 2nd: Megan Faul, Knockanore; 3rd: Rachel Sadecki, An Rinn.
- Girls Over 12 800m  
1st: Eileen O'Brien, Stradbally; 2nd: Catriona Allen, Knockanore; 3rd: Liz Flavin, Grange.
- Girls U8 300m Big Schools  
1st: Megan Dunford, Abbeyside; 2nd: Rebecca Lyons, Cappoquin; 3rd: Ciara Hurley, St. Mary's.
- Girls U9 300m Big Schools  
1st: Jessica Glavin, Cappoquin; 2nd: Sarah Wyley, Abbeyside; 3rd: Dawn de Paor, Sc. Garbhain.
- Girls U10 600m Big Schools  
1st: Gemma Wyley, Abbeyside; 2nd: K. O'Connell, Tallow; 3rd: Ruth Cusack, Kilmacthomas.
- Girls U11 600m Big Schools  
1st: Lydia Mangan, Lismore; 2nd: Lynn O'Mahoney, Abbeyside; 3rd: Clodagh McGrath, Abbeyside.
- Girls U12 800m Big Schools  
1st: Leanne Herlihy, Abbeyside; 2nd: Fiona Morrissey, Abbeyside; 3rd: Kate Veale, Garranbane.
- Girls Over 12 800m Big Schools  
1st: Ciara Moore, Cappoquin; 2nd: Eibhlin Ferncombe, Sc. Garbhain; 3rd: Louise Hyslop, St. Mary's.
- Boys U8 300m  
1st: Gavin Dalton, Modeligo; 2nd: Kieran Tobin, Kilbrien; 3rd: Tim Tierney, Ardmore.
- Boys U9 300m  
1st: Michael Culloo, Whitechurch; 2nd: Sean Curran, Carriglea; 3rd: Darragh Looby, Whitechurch.
- Boys U10 600m  
1st: Michael Shine, Whitechurch; 2nd: James Kennedy, Grange; 3rd: Ger Crowley, Stradbally.
- Boys U11 600m  
1st: Paul O'Connor, Clashmore; 2nd: Fergahal O Ceallaigh, An Rinn; 3rd: Tom O'Hanlon, Whitechurch.
- Boys U12 100m  
1st: Sean O'Donovan, Modeligo; 2nd: Stephen Hally, Aghlish; 3rd: Tadgh de Burea, An Rinn.
- Boys Over 12 100m  
1st: Richie Fitzgerald, Ballycurrane; 2nd: John Power, Grange; 3rd: Ray O Ceallaigh, An Rinn.
- Boys U8 300m Big Schools  
1st: Conor Houlihan, Glenbeg; 2nd: Pat Fraher, St. Joseph's; 3rd: Michael O'Riordan, Abbeyside.
- Boys U9 300m Big Schools  
1st: Josh Moore, Kilmac; 2nd: Andrew Molumphy, Cappoquin; 3rd: Dan Cusack, Kilmac.
- Boys U10 600m Big Schools  
1st: Stephen Keane, Kilmac; 2nd: Michael Coleman, Sc. Garbhain; 3rd: Shane Murphy, Cappoquin.
- Boys U11 600m Big Schools  
1st: Oscar De Paor, Sc. Garbhain; 2nd: Danny Fraher, St. Joseph's; 3rd: Lee Mulhearn, Abbeyside.
- Boys Under 12 800m Big Schools  
1st: David Earley, Abbeyside; 2nd: Eoghain Bergin, Abbeyside; 3rd: Sean Lonergan, Lismore.
- Boys Over 12 800m Big Schools  
1st: Dara O'Riordan, Abbeyside; 2nd: Adam O Cathain, Sc. Garbhain; 3rd: Richard Walsh, St. Joseph's.

**WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES**

**GER WYLEY/NIKE SUMMER SERIES RACE NO.3.**

# Sandis Turns On The Style In Buterstown 10k

Race number three in the Ger Wyley/Nike summer series The Buterstown 10k and 5k fun run saw a brilliant turn out of 192 athletes in the 10k event plus a good turn out for the shorter 5k fun run last Saturday evening for the Annual race with all proceeds from the event as usual going to the Waterford Alzheimer's Society who were presented with a substantial cheque on the night by Pat Hennessey race organiser.

Accepting the cheque on behalf of the society Fintan Walsh thanked all the athletes who participated in the race and for supporting this very worthy cause. The race as is usual was very well organised by Pat and his small band of helpers whom we thank for all their work on the night. Thanks to all others also who helped in any way also.

This years winner was West Waterford's Sandis Bralitis in a time of 31.22. Sandis broke clear of the fired from the gun and ran his trade mark race from the start leading from gun to tape. West Waterford also filled second spot when Dzintars Klava who incidentally also finished in this same position last year was clocked at 32.10 with former winner of this event Mick Kelly of Gowran third in 32.34. Fourth

place was filled by Peter Dugan, St. Joseph's 33.01 who held off last years winner Raivis Zakis by just 8 seconds. From a West Waterford prospective their were good performances from many athletes, but run of the day most surely go to Michael Dwyer who is back in the Old Boro for a short break from the U.S.A. Michael was 22nd overall in a fine time of 37.05, no doubt about it the track work pays. Good to see you keeping well and fit kid. Another club man running very well presently is Joe Kelly who finished 28th overall in a time of 38.23. Some other Male club performances of note came from Martin Hayes, Anthony Dwyer, William Rotte, Martin Sandford, Rolf Power, Martin Mullarkey, Kieran Coleman, Jim Duhig, Pat Moore, and Charlie Barry to mention a few.

**JACKIE CARTY MOST IMPRESSIVE**

Jackie Carty, Kilmore, Wexford, was a decisive winner of the ladies race posting a time of 38.35. Jackie finished well up the field in 31st place overall. This was Jackie's second win in a row here in Buterstown as she was also victorious in 2005. In second place also for the second year in succession was West Waterford athlete Diane Behan in a time of 40.40 finishing overall in 57th place. Good to see Diane starting to coming back to full fitness again. Third lady home was club mate of Diane's, Norma Wall in 41.30, by far her best performance to date over the 10k distance and this seems par for the course presently for

Norma as she progresses hugely with each outing over a host of various distances. Fourth lady home was Waterford's Brea Cooke in 41.58 great running also from Brid. Other West Waterford ladies to impress on the night were Bridget Coffey, Aine Feeney, Sinead Moore, Joan Navin, Paula Earley, Maria Wright and Caroline Lenane. Well done to all.

**TEAM EVENT**

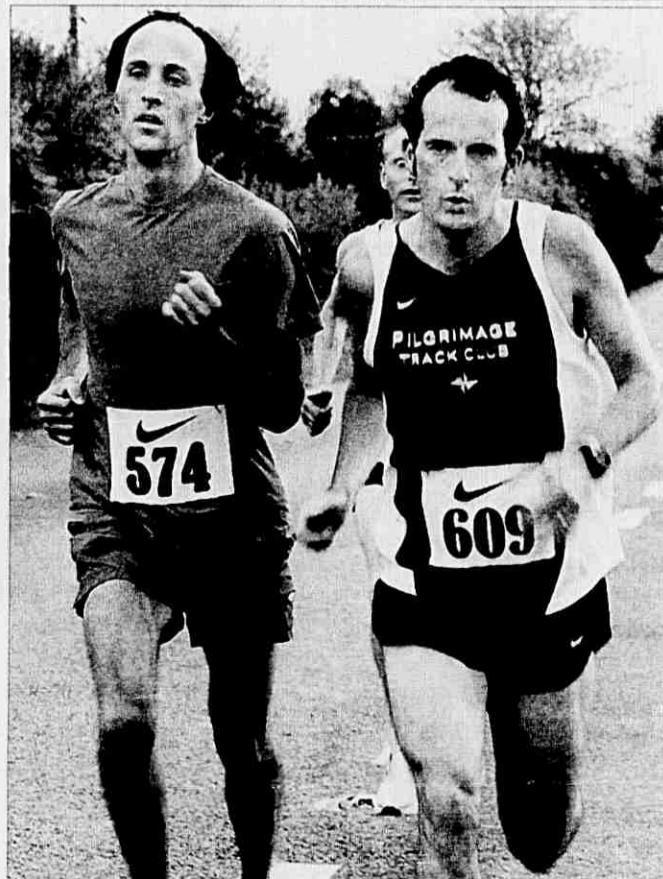
In the team event in Buterstown last Saturday evening, which was picked on the handicap system, first place went to the team consisting of Arron Colbert, Michael Dunford and William Rotte. The second placed team were Ned Power, Mike Dunford and Joanne Jackman, and the third award was won by the team consisting of Shane Scadding, Jack Dugan and Tony O'Mahony.



Pat Hennessey race organiser of the Buterstown 10k presents the winners prize to Sandis Bralitis, West Waterford Athletic Club.



Happy days for Joanne Jackman, Pat Hennessey and Davy Wade at the Buterstown 10k last Saturday evening.



Passing the half way mark at the Buterstown 10k last Saturday were Joe Kelly West Waterford and Michael Dwyer West Waterford and Pilgrimage Track Club U.S.A.

**NIKE/BALLYCOTTON SUMMER SERIES**

**Ballyandreen 5 Mile Race**

On tomorrow night Thursday 25th the Annual Ballycotton four five mile race series gets under way with the Ballyandreen 5 starting at 8 p.m. Then over the following three months of the summer there will be the Shanagarry 5 on June 22nd at 8 p.m., Churchtown South July 27th at 8 p.m. and finally Ballycotton itself on Thursday, August 24th - this start will be at the earlier time of 7.30 p.m. because of the fading light. Prizes each night, first 10 men first 3 over 40, 45, 50, first 2 over 55, first over 60, 65 and 70, first 2 under 20 juniors, three two three to score outside individual prize winners. Women first 6, first 2 over 35, 40, 45, 50, first over 55 and 60, first team 3 to score outside individual prize winners. Also spots will award at each race.

Overall prizes will be decided on by cumulative times over the four races. First 6 men, first three masters (any age) first two juniors. First five women. In addition a special T-shirt will be awarded to the first 50 men and first 15 Women over all in the series. All athletes who complete all four races will receive a souvenir plaque. Results sheets will be published after each race and will be available on the night, entry is €4 per race taken on the night of each race. Final race €5 with €1 going to a designated charity.

**CRUACHAN MOUNTAIN RACE SPONSORED BY BRIDGIE TERRIE'S PUB**

## Return Of The High Plains Drifter

When I was fourteen years old I went to see Clint Eastwood in 'High Plains Drifter'. It was a 'late show' in the now defunct Ormonde Cinema and it is doubtful if I was legally old enough to attend the movie. Nowadays I say very little about my age - back then I said even less. In the movie Clint Eastwood's lachronic loner character comes into town shoots all the locals and then drifts off into the sunset. John Lenihan from Kerry reminds me in some ways of Clint Eastwood - he drifts in this time every year from the high plains of Kerry for the Cruachan Mountain Race, runs the legs off the locals and disappears westward into the Kerry sunset with the prizes and the Munster Championship points securely in his saddlebags. Unlike the Clint Eastwood character John Lenihan is a gentleman but yet if you toe the line beside him and get a sideways glance from the 'long haired one' you will know that a metaphorical "are you feeling lucky punk?" is left hanging in the air. John is now at an age where most of his contemporaries' involvement in athletics is reduced to perhaps attempting to write funny race previews in local papers but the former World Mountain Running Champion continues to win races. These races are not just at Masters level but open championships. However just like in the Westerns, the bane of life of a top gun is that there is a line of young pretenders lining up for a showdown. There is

always someone younger and faster out there and perhaps this will be the case on Sunday next. Will our 'Baltic Bandidos' lace up their six-guns (sorry racing flats) for the showdown. Contrary to tradition the action will not start at High Noon but at 1pm from the entry to the Mast track on the Mauma Road. (Just beyond the sheep corral). Entries will be taken from midday at Bridgie Terries and an open invitation is extended to all newcomers to the Mountain Running discipline. Come and join us we will all be there The Good, The Bad and the .....Ugly.

**2ND ANNUAL WATCH THE SUN RISE CHALLENGE**

If you don't fancy joining the cowboys and cowgirls at the Cruachan race this coming Sunday how about joining us for the 2nd annual watch the sun rise challenge for a very worthy local cause on Sunday morning June 18th next. West Waterford Athletic Club in association with St. John's School, Dungarvan, will hold a get up and go challenge to watch the sunrise over the Déise with all proceeds going to St. John's.

Entry is 20 Euro which includes a post race breakfast. We will meet at Eurospar car park, Abbesside at 4 a.m. and travel by car to the summit before walking the mile or so to the top of Cruachan Mountain. Come on are you up for it?



# WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES



Pictured over at the start of race number one of the Ger Wyley Sports/ Nike Summer Series 2006 — **THE MARINE CLIMB 6 MILE ROAD RACE**



Jason Travers, Joe Gough both West Waterford A.C. and Niall Sheil, Slaney Olympic, stride for stride at the recent Marine Bar sponsored Marine Climb.

## MUNSTER TEN-MILE SPRING CLASSICS SERIES 2006

# Norma Wall 2nd Overall In Ladies Event

The rescheduled Mallow 10 was held last Sunday week which rounded off the John Buckley Sports sponsored Munster 10 mile Classic Series. Numbers were down somewhat in Mallow which was to be expected after the unavoidable postponement last January of the race due to a very bad fog which descended on the town on race day. Nevertheless the series itself, overall, was a most successful one and all who participated are to be congratulations for running

the four races in the series. A total of 71 athletes completing all four races, West Waterford had 10 athletes complete the series, Kieran Russell was the clubs highest placed finisher in an excellent 13th place overall. Kieran was the 4th senior athlete in the series. Our highest placed Lady was Norma Wall who finished second lady overall in 28th position. Norma who is in top form recently has lowered her 10 mile time from 72 minutes in Ballycotton in March down to 68 minutes in Mallow two weeks ago, keep up the good work Norma your on the right pat. Ann Dunford too was the first over 35 lady finisher in the series well done to Ann who also dipped under the 70 minute mark at the Crystal 10 during the series. Mairead Flynn was second lady over 35 in the series also.



Johnny Brunnock and William Rotte battle it out at the Butlerstown 10k last Saturday evening, the race was race number 3 in this years Ger Wyley Sports / Nike summer series road races hosted by West Waterford AC.

Our thanks to those who looked after the series tables, etc., and to the race organisers of the four races. Congratulations to the overall winners Keith Ryan, Limerick A.C. and to Mary Sweeney, St. Finbarrs who won the ladies crown. Thanks go once again John Buckley Sports, the main sponsors of the Series, and to the individual sponsors of the four races.

Name	Team	Cat.	Dungarvan	Ballycotton	Kilnaboy	Mallow	Total
1 RYAN, Keith	Limerick AC	M40	00:56:40	00:55:59	00:56:45	00:57:02	3:46:26
2 O'SULLIVAN, Joe	Bandon AC	M45	00:58:48	00:58:32	00:58:02	00:57:57	3:53:19
3 BLACKBURN, Thomas	Bilboa AC	M40	00:58:28	00:58:39	00:58:38	01:00:54	3:56:39
4 CARRROLL, Denis	Eagle AC	M45	01:01:25	01:02:17	01:02:34	01:02:48	4:09:04
5 KENNEALLY, David	Thurles Crokes	M	01:02:54	01:01:52	01:03:30	01:04:50	4:13:06
6 SWEENEY, Mary	St. Finbarrs AC	F45	01:03:12	01:04:18	01:04:50	01:05:08	4:17:28
7 HARKIN, Patrick	Naval Service	M	01:05:24	01:04:50	01:04:22	01:04:20	4:18:56
8 ASPEL, Brendan	Waterford AC	M	01:03:38	01:05:58	01:07:47	01:05:44	4:23:07
9 CUNNINGHAM, Mike	Bilboa AC	M40	01:06:35	01:06:52	01:04:35	01:08:26	4:26:28
10 COPITHORNE, Joe	Belgooly AC	M50	01:09:34	01:04:53	01:08:21	01:04:05	4:26:53
11 BUCKLEY, Tim-Joe	Donoughmore AC	M55	01:04:56	01:04:34	01:07:10	01:10:30	4:27:10
12 DOOLEY, Michael	Eagle AC	M40	01:07:28	01:06:15	01:08:29	01:06:19	4:28:31
13 RUSSELL, Kieran	West Waterford AC	M	01:06:49	01:08:50	01:07:42	01:07:29	4:30:50
14 BURKE, Alan	Atherry AC	M	01:09:13	01:06:56	01:06:59	01:08:00	4:31:08
15 OTOOLE, Paul	U.C.C. BHAA	M40	01:08:05	01:07:18	01:09:09	01:08:07	4:32:39
16 EGAN, Colm	Midleton AC	M	01:07:25	01:08:38	01:09:04	01:10:42	4:35:49
17 WALSH, Michael	Midleton AC	M	01:07:40	01:08:15	01:09:40	01:11:16	4:36:51
18 WALSH, Christy	St. Finbarrs AC	M40	01:06:59	01:08:34	01:09:12	01:12:58	4:37:43
19 BURKE, Ray	West Waterford AC	M40	01:07:18	01:10:58	01:09:28	01:10:09	4:37:53
20 WILLIAMS, Adrian	Midleton AC	M	01:09:08	01:07:50	01:10:36	01:10:24	4:37:58
21 COLLINS, Trevor	Naas AC	M	01:10:01	01:12:37	01:08:45	01:07:13	4:38:36
22 MCCARTHY, Malachy	West Limerick AC	M45	01:07:39	01:10:13	01:10:45	01:10:36	4:39:13
23 BENT, Nick	Donoughmore AC	M45	01:10:10	01:09:02	01:11:54	01:08:29	4:39:35
24 DOYLE, Paul	Grange-Fermoy AC	M	01:08:20	01:08:53	01:10:41	01:11:44	4:39:38
25 MEEHAN, Ger	Tulla AC	M45	01:07:10	01:08:19	01:12:09	01:12:33	4:40:11
26 AHERNE, Joe	Bilboa AC	M50	01:08:58	01:11:24	01:10:25	01:10:14	4:41:01
27 TUTTY, Vincent	West Waterford AC	M40	01:09:17	01:12:13	01:11:36	01:09:04	4:42:10
28 WALL, Norma	West Waterford AC	F	01:09:58	01:12:40	01:10:48	01:08:46	4:42:12
29 O'Reilly Brian	Laragh	M45	01:07:24	01:11:50	01:09:52	01:13:14	4:42:20
30 DUGGAN, Loreto	St. Marys AC	F	01:09:39	01:10:27	01:10:46	01:11:54	4:42:46
31 MOYNA, Kate	Riocht AC	F40	01:12:38	01:10:20	01:10:23	01:09:58	4:43:19
32 GRIFFIN, John	Carraig na bhFear AC	M	01:11:12	01:12:07	01:09:54	01:10:21	4:43:34
33 TWHIG, Denise	St. Finbarrs AC	F	01:11:21	01:11:14	01:12:06	01:10:22	4:45:03
34 CRONIN, Denis	Mallow AC	M40	01:10:17	01:11:51	01:13:38	01:10:19	4:47:05
35 KEARNEY, Oliver	Duhallow AC	M45	01:07:49	01:05:49	01:07:41	01:28:21	4:49:40
36 DUNFORD, Ann	West Waterford AC	F35	01:09:35	01:12:36	01:12:27	01:16:39	4:51:17
37 HEALY, Deaglan	Cork BHAA	M	01:11:30	01:11:38	01:14:16	01:14:12	4:51:36
38 O'SULLIVAN, Sean	Midleton AC	M	01:12:02	01:13:56	01:13:40	01:15:16	4:54:54
39 FREET, Patrick	West Waterford AC	M40	01:11:25	01:11:31	01:11:13	01:21:56	4:56:05
40 MCCARTHY, Danny	Midleton AC	M55	01:13:52	01:14:06	01:16:10	01:15:21	4:59:29
41 GALLAGHER, Oliver	Kilmurry-Ibrick NC AC	M45	01:13:33	01:17:45	01:14:38	01:16:06	5:02:02
42 TWOMEY, Christy	Donoughmore AC	M40	01:12:40	01:20:10	01:15:14	01:14:00	5:02:04
43 O'CONNELL, Donie	Midleton AC	M55	01:15:29	01:16:19	01:17:05	01:13:51	5:02:44
44 FLYNN, Mairead	West Waterford AC	F35	01:15:32	01:15:20	01:14:46	01:18:43	5:04:21
45 HAYES, Calvin	Bilboa AC	M40	01:18:26	01:15:20	01:15:23	01:15:24	5:04:33
46 MURPHY, Stephen	Mallow AC	M45	01:14:01	01:14:55	01:16:18	01:19:59	5:05:13
47 COLLINS, Niall	Naas AC	M	01:14:49	01:22:24	01:14:46	01:13:23	5:05:22
48 Kearney, Batt	Leevale	M45	01:17:47	01:12:21	01:25:17	01:14:14	5:09:39
49 O'LEARY, Nellie	Belgooly AC	M60	01:19:10	01:18:20	01:18:34	01:18:14	5:14:18
50 KELLY, Bernie	Galway City Harriers	F45	01:15:02	01:17:30	01:23:12	01:20:06	5:15:50
51 MOORE, Ray	West Waterford AC	M	01:22:08	01:21:55	01:17:55	01:14:52	5:16:50
52 GODSIL, Caroline	Midleton AC	F	01:19:03	01:18:56	01:21:08	01:19:58	5:19:05
53 HICKEY, Anne	Cork BHAA	F40	01:22:48	01:21:31	01:21:55	01:22:33	5:28:47
54 MURRAY, John-Philip	St. Finbarrs AC	M50	01:26:13	01:22:56	01:23:00	01:19:20	5:31:29
55 UI CHONGAILLE, Maire	Donoughmore AC	F45	01:21:44	01:28:16	01:22:09	01:23:21	5:35:30
56 NAGLE, Dan	Mallow AC	M55	01:22:45	01:21:48	01:23:27	01:27:36	5:35:36
57 O'SULLIVAN, Sandra	Cork BHAA	F35	01:12:02	01:27:00	01:31:33	01:28:44	5:39:19
58 LAWTON, Jerry	Belgooly AC	M50	01:23:00	01:25:17	01:28:40	01:23:50	5:40:47
59 O'Sullivan-Byrne, Francis	Riocht AC	F45	01:20:10	01:25:21	01:29:57	01:27:26	5:42:54
60 SHEEHAN, Michael	Limerick Country Club	M45	01:24:25	01:23:35	01:27:12	01:30:24	5:45:36
61 WALL, Triona	West Waterford AC	F	01:21:49	01:41:25	01:23:18	01:19:11	5:45:43
62 PETERS, Donal	Limerick Country Club	M45	01:18:44	01:25:23	01:23:40	01:43:00	5:50:47
63 Murphy, Mary	CSO	F 45	01:26:15	01:31:28	01:31:11	01:31:55	6:00:49
64 FITZGIBBON, Sheila	Blarney Park	F35	01:32:03	01:30:29	01:34:12	01:27:42	6:04:26
65 O'DWYER, Ann	Blarney	F40	01:32:22	01:33:01	01:34:50	01:36:35	6:16:48
66 CROWE, Hubert	Tipperary	M	01:35:08	01:32:46	01:32:35	01:36:47	6:17:16
67 WEEKES, Lynda	Kilkenny	F40	01:32:17	01:37:48	01:35:58	01:37:56	6:23:59
68 O'CONNELL, Kathleen	Midleton AC	F45	01:32:29	01:40:49	01:36:01	01:37:07	6:26:26
69 HARNEY, Mary	West Waterford AC	F	01:36:17	01:41:03	01:37:45	01:42:44	6:37:49
70 COLLINS, John	Limerick Country Club	M 60	01:46:26	01:44:59	01:45:46	01:43:00	7:00:11
71 TOHER, Mary	Midleton AC	F45	02:23:54	02:19:46	02:29:05	02:30:00	9:42:45

## WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

# The Minnies League Is Going From Strength To Strength

The Minnies League is growing more popular week by week and the proof of this is in the huge numbers attending each week. So far, a total of 195 people have turned up in the three weeks of its existence and there is no doubt that this number will increase even more. In the one lap league 29 people signed up last week, which was very encouraging to see. We welcome Lucinda Shrubbs, Susan Guiry, Paul Mooney, Angela Daly and Laura Walsh. Well done to all of you on your first run at the Minnies League and we look forward to seeing you from here on.

For many of our regular runners, the Friary Leagues was where it all began for them and like so many of you, they all started running one lap and as time went by they increased the distance. Although, the time you run is not important by any means, everyone that ran the one lap league in week 2, all recorded faster times in week 3. Significant improvements were also recorded in the 2, 3 and 4 lap leagues. This improvement in time means that you are getting fitter week by week so just imagine what you will be like after 9 weeks of the league! The sky's the limit!!

For those of you that have not yet run in the League but are thinking about it, it is a running league that lasts for 9 weeks over the summer. It caters for all runners and more specifically for those that are not runners or haven't ever ran, but are interested in giving it a go for health and fitness reasons. It is run every Tuesday night in the Friary College and begins at 7 p.m. All you have to do is turn up, go to the van (you can't miss it!!) Just ask for the Ryan Express!! Pay €2 and with a bit of willingness and enthusiasm run your chosen lap distance. Each lap of the Friary Grounds is 1.2 miles. There is no time limit whatsoever in this league. If you have never ran before, you may try walking a bit and jogging a bit and build

### CONGRATS'

All at the club extends congratulations to club members Martin Mullarkey and Maria Delaney on the announcements last week-end of their engagement.

### MUNSTER TRACK & FIELD TEAMS FOR MASTERS IN CASTLEISLAND

The Munster Masters Track and Field Championships will be held on this Sunday 28th May in Castleisland, Co. Kerry and the club will be sending a strong ladies and mens squad to the event. All those travelling please note the bus will leave the Park Hotel at 8 a.m. sharp.

## MORE AND MORE AND MORE!

on from there. Remember, we all have to start somewhere and there are plenty people out there in the same boat. Support and encouragement will be provided in abundance and we also provide a guarantee that you will never look back once you have made the move. People are welcome each and every night and you don't have to run every night nor do you have to have been doing it from the start. What have you to lose!! See you soon!

#### ONE LAP

Week 3 saw the biggest number yet running the one lap league, which mainly consists of those, new to running and already the improvement shown here is remarkable. Sarah Fitzpatrick was the first lady home last week in a brilliant time of 10.30 and no doubt she will be running the lap in well under 10 minutes before the league ends. Ann Wall on her first night clocked 12.35 and congratulations to Valerie Organ who smashed a minute off her previous time. The Kirwan girls, Bernadette and Danielle must be rightly pleased with their times, both clocking an impressive 13.20 each. Will 13.00 be their aim for the next night? We'll have to wait and see.

#### TWO LAPS

The two-lap league saw many newcomers for week 3. Emer Scanlon dipped just under 18 minutes for the two laps, as did Joe Byrne. Pearse Moloney is getting very close to breaking the 19-minute barrier. All the training is paying off for Nuala Hearn as last week she knocked off an incredible 90 seconds off her previous time. Finial Ro-maine and Josie Hearty look well capable of breaking 22 minutes for the two laps in the not too distant future. Well done to all the two lappers and keep up the good work!

#### THREE LAPS

A total of 13 runners ran the 3-lap league but it certainly wasn't unlucky for these 13. They were led home by Rory Moloney and Eilish Ni hAod-

ha. Andrew Quealy was close to breaking 27 minutes and Liam Power had a fabulous run to clock 28 minutes even. One runner that can't go without a mention here is Aine Kelly. She ran 36.34 in week 2 and in week 3 she ran 33.26. That is some achievement in such a short space of time. Well done Aine.

#### FOUR LAPS

A total of 46 runners opted for the four-lap league. Once again, Raivis led the field home but he was closely followed by Keith Radley, only seven seconds separated the two athletes. Pat Dunford clocked 31.55 and Des Feeney and Anthony Dwyer are very close to getting under the 32 minutes. Both Jim Barry and Liam Budds improved significantly on their previous times. Ann Dunford, Ann Whelan and Tom Scanlon knocked close to a minute off their times as well. The ever-improving Dixie was "observed" flying around in a very impressive 37.46, well over two minutes off his previous time. Well done to everyone that participated and we hope to see you again at the next round of the league.

#### SPONSORS

The Minnies League, as with all our other races and events, could not be run without the generous support of our sponsors. We would like to take this opportunity to thank the O'Brien family of Minnies for their generous support of this league.

#### MINNIES LEAGUE RESULTS OF ROUND 3

1 Lap	Time
1 Tom Fitzgerald	9.09
2 Sarah Fitzpatrick	10.30
3 Caitriona Molloy	10.31
4 John Kieley	11.30
5 Gillian Mc Namara	12.02
6 Majella Walsh	12.18
7 Rosemarie O'Brien	12.28
8 Noirin Fennell	12.29
9 Ann Wall	12.35
10 Mary O'Brien	12.37
11 Michael Burke	12.42
12 Teresa McDonnell	12.46
13 Christine Mulvihill	12.47
14 Timmy Hyslop	12.49
15 Carla Twomey	12.56
16 Valerie Organ	13.07
17 Paul O'Connor	13.08
18 Sean Bluett	13.08
19 Gretta Whyte	13.09
20 Helena Crotty	13.11
21 Bernadette Kirwin	13.20
22 Danielle Kirwin	13.20
23 Mary O'Riordan	13.21
24 Mella Fahey	13.28

25 Lucinda Schrubbs	14.07
26 Susan Guiry	14.09
27 Paul Mooney	14.28
28 Angela Daly	15.03
29 Laura Walsh	15.06

#### 2 LAP

1 Joe Barry	16.31
2 P.J.Hunt	17.13
3 Tom Byrne	17.47
4 Emer Scanlon	17.53
5 Joe Byrne	17.55
6 Inese Meine	18.01
7 Paul Twomey	18.55
8 Noel Hogan	19.14
9 Pearse Moloney	19.21
10 Shane Curran	19.24
11 Marie Murray	19.32
12 Alice Fitzgerald	19.52
13 Nuala Hearne	20.38
14 Niamh O'Donovan	20.56
15 Martina Ryan	21.16
16 Emma Dalton	21.19
17 Caitriona O'Brien	21.38
18 Padraig de Burca	21.48
19 Marcus Dixon	21.54
20 Paula Nugent	21.56

21 Maave Curran	21.59
22 Ann Marie O'Brien	22.13
23 Deirdre Cunningham	22.18
24 Alan Browne	22.19
25 June Whyte	22.31
26 Triona Whyte	22.32
27 Fionnuala Royanye	22.46
28 Josie Harty	22.47
29 Lisa Cronin	23.01
30 Helena Morrissey	23.21
31 Niamh Budds	23.30
32 Annette Long	23.43
33 Ita Mason	23.48
34 Una Tynan	25.14
35 Cliona Nic Ghiollachuda	25.29
36 Helen Carey	27.34
37 Regina Cunningham	27.48
38 Johnny Morrissey	30.02

24 Eamonn Flavin	36.25
25 Tony Shalloe	36.28
26 Earl Navin	36.38
27 Ann Whelan	36.40
28 Tom Scanlon	36.45
29 Pat Earley	37.20
30 Triona Wall	37.41
31 Dixie Deegan	37.46
32 Pat Morrissey	38.13
33 John Foley	38.17
34 Paul Brunnock	38.21
35 Richard Kelly	38.24
36 Padraig Nolan	38.35
37 Jason Dee	38.39
38 Eoin O'Brien	38.41
39 Tom O'Grady	38.47
40 Stephen O'Brien	39.37
41 Ray Moore	39.54
42 Bridgid Coffey	40.25
43 Brid Veale	40.35
44 Judy Hanrahan	41.24
45 Sean Dwyer	41.40
46 Dave Pollock	42.20
47 Caroline Russell	47.30

1 Rory Moloney	23.04
2 Ellis Ni hAodh	25.54
3 Andrew Queally	27.07
4 Finbar Kelly	27.19
5 Liam Power	28.00
6 John Whelan	29.05
7 Ray Curran	29.20
8 Michael Tutty	29.36
9 Aine Kelly	33.26
10 Onra Power	34.15
11 Alice Shanley	34.53
12 Doireann Ni Riain	35.56
13 Muriel Ni hAodh	37.14

#### 3 LAP

### SINCERE SYMPATHY

West Waterford Athletic Club extends sincere sympathy to the family of Johnny Fennell, Ballyvoile, who died last week. May he rest in peace.



Brid Cooke 4th lady finisher at last Saturday's Butlerstown 10k receives her prize from race organiser Pat Hennessey.

#### 4 LAP

### DUNGARVAN BOXING NEWS

## Success For Dungarvan Boxers On Sunnyside Tournament

Sunnyside boxing club which is run by the famous Joyce brothers Kieran and Gordon held their annual tournament at the St Vincent Hurling club in Knocknaheeny Cork on Friday night last.

Dungarvan boxing club had four young boxers on and they all boxed extremely well in fact they all won. John Harty had his very first bout against Michael Kerns Sunnyside and brought home his first winners trophy also Denis 'The Menace' Murray had an impressive win over Sean O Callaghan Sunnyside.

The two brothers Michael and Jim rounded off the winning night for Dungarvan Michael beat John Morrissey and Jim celebrated his 12th birthday by beating Eamon Reynolds, so a great night for the local club.

#### RACE NIGHT

The club are also running a fund raising night on the 3rd of June in the Diplomat Bar, Abbeyside. A race night is being organised and horses are being sold for 10 euro from club members. This is a great night out and also a fund raiser for the club so buy a horse or just come along on the night and have a flutter.



**TOURANEENA RACQUETBALL CLUB NOTES**

# Julie & Triston Make National Senior Team

The Irish Senior Racquetball team that will compete at the World Championships in the Dominican Republic in August have been selected and Touraneena will be represented by both Julie Skehan and Triston Hickey. They will be joined on the team by Susan Neary (Arklow), Elma Gibney (Moyleagh), Geraldine Byrne (Arklow), Joe Farrell (Arklow), Adam Neary (Arklow) and Stephen O'Loan

who is the player/coach from Queens in Belfast.

The Championship itself will be held on the Carrabeen Island on the first week of August and I will attract teams from all over the world. It will be a superb experience for our duo in what will be their first time playing in these same Championships.

Triston has twice before played in The European Championships at senior level while he also played in the World Junior Championships in 1999 in Los Angeles, USA. He has also been with the Irish team at both the German and English Opens in recent years. He has been very successful this season winning most of the Open Doubles titles with his partner, Adam Neary on the National circuit. He won the National Open Doubles title for the first time in Arklow. He also won his first Open Singles title in Moyleagh, Co. Meath last February while he gave some outstanding performances at the recent Irish International Open in Arklow especially in his defeat of 7 times European Champion, Joachim Loof of Germany.

Julie played in last year's European Championships in Hamburg where she won a bronze

medal in the under 18 grade. She was part of the Irish Junior team that travelled to Juarez, Mexico that participated in the World junior Championships last December. Here she won a silver medal in the Under 18 Mixed Doubles grade with her partner, Chris Carey from Fermoy. She is the only player of the 14 on the Junior Team that have progressed to the senior Team at the first attempt. She has also travelled to Alconbury in England where she participated in the English Open. This season have seen her defeat the National Singles Champion,

Elma Gibney at the Leinster Open which was one of her best performances at the top level. She won the National Women's 'D' Singles grade in Kingscourt while she was also part of the Touraneena teams that won both the National Junior Girls and Intermediate Women's grades at the Club Championships.

The team will have many training sessions before they depart in late July and everyone involved with the club would like to wish them the very best of luck in their quest for International glory.



**JULIE SKEHAN**



**An action shot of Triston Hickey**

## ABBEYSIDE/ BALLINACOURTY G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

**Under 21 Football**

We take on the Nire in the Western final on Saturday evening in the Fraher Field. When these teams clashed at Minor level three years ago it was a very tight game, so all support would be greatly appreciated. Throw in time is 7:30pm.

**Junior Hurling**

We play our second game in the championship this Sunday when we play Lismore in Fraher Field at 7pm.

**Under 16 Hurling**

We were defeated by St. Patrick's in the league style championship last week and have no game in this championship until after the Junior Certificate when we play St. Oliver's on June 17th.

**Intercounty Activity**

Well done to the Senior Footballers on their fine performance in Killarney on Sunday. Shane Briggs, Gary Hurney and John Phelan were on the starting fifteen whilst John Hurney was introduced in the second half. Lar and Patrick Hurney were also on the panel.

**Congratulations**

We would like to congratulate Damien Cliffe and Dorothy Cassells who were married on Friday last in Mount Temple, Co. Westmeath. Anybody who has any interest in our club will be aware of the commitment that Damien continues to give. There was a large contingent from the club present for the wedding and certainly, all seemed to enjoy themselves thoroughly, though the midlands did make one or two a little sleeper than others!! Again we wish Damien and Dorothy the very best for their future together.

**Booking Of Pitches**

Anybody who requires tickets for the Waterford/Tipperary game must have their order with Bernard Shields by Saturday evening.

**Committee Members**

All members of the club committee are asked to attend a meeting of the committee this Thursday at 8:30pm in the club grounds.

**Deise Development Draw**

The May draw takes place on Friday night, so we would ask all promoters to get your returns to Packie Hurney by Thursday evening, especially if you have any new members.

**Under 14 Hurling**

We were defeated by Tramore on Monday last in Round 3 of the County championship. On Monday, May 29th we play Mt. Sion in Abbeyside at 7:30pm.

## THE BALLYRAFTER CENTRE LTD. LISMORE

**RESULTS PANDA  
LEAGUE Unregistered  
QUALIFIER 17th MAY  
2006  
PONIES**

**128cms 0 - 50cms**

Div. Sharon Guiry's, Move Along Misty, Abbey Guiry, Diane Walsh's, Sapphire Tessa, Rebecca Walsh, Lesley Entwhistle's, Ruby Rocket, Grace Maher.

**128cms 0 - 60cms**

Div. Sharon Guiry's, Move Along Misty, Abbey Guiry, Daphne Power's, Bobby, Lorna Power, Diane Walsh's, Sapphire Tessa, Rebecca Walsh.

**128cms & 138cms  
0 - 70cms**

Div. Anne Condon's, Hally Bop, Gillian Condon, Sharon Guiry's, Move Along Misty, Abbey Guiry, Diane Walsh's, Sapphire Tessa, Rebecca Walsh, Dara Mellerick's, Cindy, Lucy Mellerick.

**138cms & 148cms  
0 - 80cms**

Div. Anne Condon's, Hally Bop, Gillian Condon.

**RESULTS PANDA  
LEAGUE HORSES  
Unregistered QUALIFI-  
ER 18th MAY 06  
HORSES**

**0 - 70cms**

Div. Mary Pam Morrissey's, Breeze, Kate Morrissey.

**0 - 80cms.**

Div. Sharon Dempsey's, Parkway Magic, Sharon Dempsey.

**0 - 90cms.**

Div. Martina Rahe's, Quicksilver, Martina Rahe, Melody

Williams's, Foxhill Rambler, Melody Williams, Pat Ronayne's, Coolbell Bready, Denise Conway.

**1 - 00m**

Div. Pat Ronayne's, Coolbell Carraig, Pat Ronayne, Pat Ronayne's, Coolbell Bready, Denise Conway, Martina McGrath's, Coolbell Moss, Tom O'Riordan, Thomas Hyland's, Peaty, Thomas Hyland.

**RESULTS PONY  
SUMMER LEAGUE  
QUALIFIER  
19th MAY 2006**

**128cms Grade D**

DIV. Therese O'Keefe's, Starburst's Joy, Ellen O'Keefe.

**DV. 138cms Grade D**

Div. Joseph O'Keefe's, Ronan's, Cottage, Ellen O'Keefe.

**138cms Grade C & D**

Div. Stephanie Hennessy's, Winnie Jackson, Killian Hennessy, Catherine Kiely's, Glenavadra Percy, Paul Kiely, Edmond Fennell's, Killineen Ferris, Ruth Fennell, Edmond Fennell's, Golden Friskey, Anna Fennell, Noel Devereux's, Knockenpower Cailin, Holly Dunford.

**138cms Grade ABC**

1st William Madden's, Loughville Ranger, Niall Madden, 2nd Peter O'Donovan's, Cappagh Bam Ba, Sarah-Kate O'Donovan, 3rd William Madden's, Castlemartyr Charles, Niall Madden, 4th Liam Tully's, Finisk Flyer, Orlaith Tully, 5th David Walsh's, Misty Day's, Rachel Walsh.

**148cms Grade D**

Div. Daniel O'Hanrahan's,

Ashbourne Prince, Nancy O'Hanrahan, Michael Lane's, Carramba, Brendan Lane, Catherine Kiely's, Glenavadra Dark Velvet, Paul Kiely.

**148cms Grade C & D**

Div. Liam Tully's, Aran Strand, Megan Tully, Eileen Riordan's, Cahalane Prince, Fiona Riordan, Daniel O'Hanrahan's, Ashbourne Prince, Nancy O'Hanrahan, Michael Lane's, Carramba, Brendan Lane, Veronica O'Farrell's, Aisling Gheal, Ellen O'Keefe, Edmond Lonergan's, Beach Mount Boy, Martin Lonergan.

**148cms Grade ABC**

1st John Morrissey's, Kennivan Lady, Christine Morrissey, 2nd Joseph O'Keefe's, Ronan's Star, Grace O'Keefe, 3rd Edmond Lonergan's, On Track, Martin Lonergan, 4th Edmond Lonergan's, Beach Mount Boy, Martin Lonergan.

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**0 - 80cms**

Div. Ulla McLaughlin's, Ferdinand, Ulla McLaughlin.

**0 - 90cms**

Div. Alice Fitzgerald's, Glenlickey Rose, Alice Fitzgerald, Ulla McLaughlin's, Ferdinand, Ulla McLaughlin, Francesca Kelly's, Cancara's Joy, Francesca Kelly, Oonagh McMahon's, Over the Limit, Oonagh McMahon, Thomas Griffin's, Rosie Atkinson, Monica Griffin, Eileen Riordan's, Cahalane Star, Ellen Riordan, Eileen Riordan's, Cahalane Jet Magic, Ellen Riordan, Brigid

Neill's, Scelig Michael, Brigid Neill, Leila Cotter's, Country Venture, Leila Cotter.

**1 - 00m**

Div. John O'Connell's, Freestyle Maximum, Colin Hannan, Thomas Griffin's, Rathdrum Queen, Monica Griffin, Brigid Neill's, Scelig Michael, Brigid Neill, Leila Cotter's, Country Venture, Leila Cotter, Marian O'Callaghan's, Oh Danny Girl, Colin Hannan, Martin Collins's, Banner Lucky, Noreen Quealy, Barbara Moran's, Pride of Mangan, Barbara Moran, Diane Breecher's, Artist Eile, Diane Beecher, Lorcan Hennessy's, Bally Night Master, Lorcan Hennessy, Thomas Hyland's, Rio, Angela Larkin, William Connolly's, Shinawil, Sarah Connolly, Sinead Fitzgerald's, Branagan Clover, Sinead Fitzgerald.

**1 - 10m**

Div. Sean Kelly's, Rinneen Clover, Sean Kelly, Barbara Moran's, Pride of Mangan, Barbara Moran, William Connolly's, Shinawil, Sarah Connolly, Rosarie Murphy's, Laura's Angel, Sean Kelly, Patrick Fives's, Sapporo, Stevie Keane, John Buttimer's, Master JB Imp, Dolores Kingston, Derry Kingston's, Ole Gunner, Derry Kingston, Derry Kingston's, Riverside Albert, Derry Kingston, Michael Courtney's, Lady Clover Imp, Kilian Browne.

**1 - 20m**

Div. Sean Kelly's, Rinneen Clover, Sean Kelly.

## All-Ireland Junior Camogie Championship

**Sunday 1.00pm Venue - WALSH PARK  
Waterford v. Armagh**

On Sunday the All-Ireland Junior Championship commences for Waterford with a home game against Armagh. With the Division 3 League title secured in style the team now venture into new territory. Unknown territory it has to be said, the Junior championship includes all teams that competed in Divisions 2 and 3 along with last year's Junior Champions Dublin who were beaten in Division 1B League final.

On paper the Dub's and last years beaten finalists Clare will be favourites to contest the final again with Derry looking like the most likely team to cause an upset. For Waterford a Quarter Final place would be a reasonable expectation and would certainly represent progress.

For the first time ever the All-Ireland Junior Championship is organised into four qualification groups. The Counties contesting the Senior Championship have been excluded, the hope being that the traditionally weaker counties will get an opportunity to improve. In previous years when they were defeated in their Provincial Championship their season ended, normally in May. Now all teams will be active at least up to late July, this should see an improvement in playing standards and a higher profile for the game.

The top two teams in each section will qualify for the All-Ireland Quarter Finals. Along with Armagh, Kildare and Roscommon make up Waterford's group. The girls from The Orchard county had a poor league run but this will count for nothing on Sunday, they travel to Waterford on Saturday to ensure they are fully rested for Sunday's clash. They will include last years Young Player of the year Collette McSorley in their line-up.

The recent Munster Junior Championship defeat by Cork gave the Deise girls a wake up call following their League success. The benefits of that game should be apparent on Sunday when we will hopefully see further development in their game. Will this be adequate to gain the points? We will have to wait until 2.15pm on Sunday for the answer. A home victory would fill their sails with confidence as they head out into deeper waters.



# County Bord Na nÓg Notes

## BALLYGUNNER TO FACE STIFF OPPOSITION AT FÉILE NA NGAEL

Details of this year Féile Na nGael have been posted up on the Féile Na nGael section of the G.A.A. official website, [www.gaa.ie](http://www.gaa.ie). Waterford's representatives, Ballygunner will play in Section A of Division one where they will face some stiff opposition.

Along with Sarsfields who will host the Ballygunner Club for the weekend, the Gunner's will also play another Cork side Bishopstown and Dublin's second representative St. Jude's. Many may be quick to dismiss the opposition provided from the side travelling Lee Side from the Capital, but we must not forget that some great work is been done in the Capital to promote hurling at underage and college level. This was clear to see recently on T.G.4 when the Dublin Colleges defeated a fancied St. Flannan's side in the Dr. Croke Cup Final at Carlow. The Ennis based college side some weeks earlier had won the Dr. Harty Cup Final.

In section B in division one of the competition the two Cork sides in the competition will be Douglas and Middleton. Ballyboden-St. Edna's from Dublin and Shelmaliers from Wexford are also in the same group. Glen Rovers and Na Piarasigh are the Cork sides in section C of division one. They will be joined by the Offaly Champions Tullamore and the Kilkenny Champions who were not named on the website.

Section D in division one is an all Munster affair. The sides from the Rebel County in this group are Blackrock and St. Finbarr's. Tipperary champions Dúrlas Óg and Limerick champions Adare are also in this section of the competition. Division one has five sections. Section E is made up of Sean Clarachs and Mallow from Cork as well as unnamed clubs from Clare and Galway.

The draws for the knockout stages of the competition have also been posted up on the website. The winner of the five sections will advance to the knockout stages of the competition. In the quarter finals the winners of section D and C will meet at 3-30pm on the 17th of June.

The semi finals of the competition will take place later than evening. The winner of the Quarter final game will play the winner of section B and the winner of Ballygunner's group will play the winner in group E. Both semi finals have a 7-00pm throw-in. The final will take place on June 18th in Páirc Uí Chaoimh at 1-00pm.

In the next few weeks, in these notes and in the County Youth Notes further details will appear of this year Féile Na nGael and Féile Peil Óg competition which will take place this year in Wicklow.

### LEAGUE TABLES

A number of people have asked me to include up to date league tables for the county under 14 and 16 hurling championships which are kindly sponsored by the Waterford G.A.A. Supporters Club in the County Bord Na nÓg notes in the local papers each week.

For this to happen the help and co-operation of every club is required. So as that the most up to date league tables as possible can be included in the papers, it is important that every club phone the result of their county games to Thomas Keane as soon as possible after each game. Results of games can be phoned or texted to 087 2919595.

In the coming weeks if enough if league tables are kept up to date, it is hoped that towards the end of the two championships that league tables might be read out on Gaelic Ground and on Terrace Talk on W.L.R.fm.

### SUMMER CAMPS

Forms for this year VHI Cúl Camps have been distributed to all schools in the county at this stage. For those who may not have got a form yet, forms can be got by down loading it from the G.A.A. official website which is [www.gaa.ie](http://www.gaa.ie).

### SYMPATHY

On behalf of the officers of both County and Divisional Bord na nÓg's and on behalf of all the juvenile clubs in the county, I would like to sympathise with long standing treasurer of West Waterford Bord na nÓg Jimmy McCarthy on the death of his sister Josephine O'Shea who died after a duration of illness in England recently.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the Dungarvan C.B.S. team on their win over St. Declan's Community College in the County Senior "A" final at Fraher Field recently. Dungarvan C.B.S. won the game on a score-line of 2-7 to 0-7.

Congratulations also to the County Primary Game Football team on their draw with Kerry in Killarney on Sunday. By all accounts, Waterford were very unlucky not to win the game.

### RAINED OFF

The County Under 16 Football Division One replay between Clashmore and Gaultier as well as the County Peil Óg Final between De La Salle and Dungarvan, which were fixed for Sunday last were called off about two hours before the starting time of the first game because of the heavy rain that fell over night and well into the Sunday morning.

The County under 16 Football replay will not take place this evening (Wednesday) in Clashmore with a 7-30pm throw-in. As these notes are been put together no date is fixed for the County Peil Óg Final, which was originally fixed for Wednesday last in Walsh Park but had to be called off because of the weather conditions.

### PRIMARY SCHOOLS

The finals of the West Waterford Primary School Leagues in hurling and Camogie are down for decision over the next two Wednesday evening at Fraher Field. The very best of luck is wished to each team taking part.

Some great work is been done by the teachers in the school's in promoting hurling, football, Ladies Football and Camogie. Often the work that they do goes unrecognised by some personnel within the clubs the schools are in, and these same teachers get very little reward for their work. The workload on teachers has increased dramatically over the past few years, yet they find time to prepare teams and get them entered into competitions.

We see many different awards within the G.A.A. where those who work hard for the Association as players and administrators are rewarded. Often it is the top players at the highest level and administrators at the top of the ladder who receive these awards. The work that teachers do for the association is often forgotten about or else receive what can only be described as lip service. We should never forget the work done by the teachers and be only to willing to help them in anyway we can whether it is by providing coaching in the school's providing equipment to the school's, helping to provide transport to games in someway, including reports on as many games as possible the schools play in club notes or helping out in any other way.

### THIS WEEKS FIXTURES

#### Wednesday May 24th

**Combined Waterford Credit Union's County Under 16 Football division one replay** — Clashmore v Gaultier. In Walsh Park at 7-30pm. (Extra Time will be played if necessary).

#### Monday May 29th - All Games at 7-30pm.

**Waterford Supporters Club County under 14 Hurling Championship — Division One**

Tramore V De La Salle

Cappoquin V Lismore

Ballygunner V Dungarvan

Abbeyside V Mount Sion

**Division Two** — Portlaw/St. Mollerans V Roanmore

Clonea V Passage

Naomh Brid V Sacred Heart

**Division Three** — Ferrybank V Butlerstown

St. Oliver's V Cois Bhríde

St. Mary's V Fourmilewater

Brickey's V Clashmore

**Division Four** — Ardmore V St. Saviours

Kilmacthomas V Stradbally

Ballyduff Upper V Kilrossanty

First named team has home advantage.

### LEAGUE TABLES

#### Waterford Supporters Club County under 14 Hurling Championship.

##### Division One

Dungarvan	2	2	0	0	4
Lismore	3	2	0	1	4
Cappoquin	1	1	0	0	2
Mount Sion	3	1	0	2	2
Tramore	1	1	0	0	2
Abbeyside	2	0	0	2	0
Ballygunner	0	0	0	0	0
De La Salle	2	0	0	2	0

##### Division Two

Clonea	1	1	0	0	2
Naomh Brid	1	0	0	1	0
Passage	0	0	0	0	0
Portlaw/St. Mollerans	0	0	0	0	0
Roanmore	0	0	0	0	0
Sacred Heart	0	0	0	0	0

##### Division Three

Butlerstown	3	3	0	0	6
Cois Bhríde	3	3	0	0	6
Ferrybank	3	2	0	1	4
St. Oliver's	3	2	0	1	4
Fourmilewater	3	1	1	1	3
Brickey's	3	0	1	2	1
Clashmore	3	0	0	3	0
St. Mary's	3	0	0	3	0

##### Division Four

Kilrossanty	2	2	0	0	4
Kilmacthomas	1	1	0	0	2
Ardmore	1	0	0	1	0
Ballyduff Upper	1	0	0	1	0
St. Saviours	1	0	0	1	0
An Gaeltacht	0	0	0	0	0
Stradbally	0	0	0	0	0

#### Waterford Supporters Club County under 16 Hurling Championship.

##### Division One

Ballygunner	2	2	0	0	4
Dungarvan	1	1	0	0	2
Passage	2	1	0	1	2
Lismore	1	0	0	1	0
Roanmore	2	0	0	2	0
De La Salle	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Sion	0	0	0	0	0

##### Division Two

Cappoquin	1	1	0	0	2
Clashmore	1	1	0	0	2
Clonea	1	1	0	0	2
Brickey's	1	0	0	1	0
Cois Bhríde	1	0	0	1	0
Dunhill/Fenor	1	0	0	1	0

##### Division Three

Naomh Brid	3	3	0	0	6
Abbeyside	4	2	0	2	4
Ferrybank	2	2	0	0	4
Fourmilewater	1	1	0	0	2
Tramore	2	0	0	2	0
St. Oliver's	1	0	0	1	0
Portlaw/St. Mollerans	0	0	0	0	0
St. Mary's	4	0	0	4	0

St. Mary's have been expelled from this year's competition. Two points have been awarded to all teams St. Mary's were due to play up to and including round four. Two points will be credited to clubs St. Mary's are due to play as the rounds progress.

##### Division Four

Kilrossanty	2	2	0	0	4
An Gaeltacht	1	1	0	0	2
Kilmacthomas	1	1	0	0	2
Stradbally	1	1	0	0	2
Ardmore	3	0	0	3	0
St. Saviours	2	0	0	2	0
Ballyduff Upper	0	0	0	0	0
Sacred Heart	0	0	0	0	0

Ardmore has withdrawn from this year's competition. Two points have been awarded to teams Ardmore was to play up to and including round three. Two points will be awarded to each clubs Ardmore are due to play as the round progress.

The above league tables have been drawn up from results available. To have up to date league tables it is important that clubs ring or text their results to Thomas Keane on 087 2919595 after each round of games.

# Brave Performance by Dungarvan CBS in Rice Cup Semi-Final

DOON CBS 4-6 DUNGARVAN CBS 0-7

An understrength Dungarvan CBS side put in a very brave performance against Doon CBS in the Rice Cup semi final played in Ardinnan last Friday. Without regular full back Tom Curran, midfielder Robbie Buckley and wing back Gary Hurley, the Dungarvan side was considerably weaker than usual. Doon led by 1-6 to 0-3 at half time. Dungarvan had the gap down to 5 points early in the

second half. Then Doon in a matter of 7 minutes scored 3 goals. Dungarvan dominated the final 20 minutes. The Waterford side applied intense pressure, hit the post twice, crossbar once. The Doon goalkeeper made numerous saves. The final scoreline did scant justice to Dungarvan's heroic efforts.

For Dungarvan Colin Walsh played very well in goal. Aidan Condon and John Nicholas

Fennell were strong in defence with centre back Luke Egan outstanding throughout at mid field. Jim Curran, Conor O'Shea and Sean Ryan also battled hard.

Scorers: Colm Curran 0-3, Luke Egan (0-1), Jim Curran (0-1), Ian Sheehan (0-1).

Dungarvan CBS; Colm Walsh (St. Oliver's), Liam Beresford (Abbeyside), Brendan McCarthy (Dungarvan), Aidan

Condon (Fourmilewater), John Nicholas Fennell (St. Pat's), Luke Egan (Dungarvan), Gary Hurley (St. Oliver's), Sean Ryan (Dungarvan), Colm Curran (Dungarvan), Ian Sheehan (Dungarvan), Jim Curran (St. Oliver's), Darren Duggan (Dungarvan), Gavan Whelan (St. Pat's), Conor O'Shea (Ardmore), Jack McGrath.

Subs; Donal Breathnach (Gaeltacht) for Jack McGrath. Kieran Lynch (St. Oliver's) for G. Hurley. Cormac Condon (St. Pat's) for D. Duggan. Tom Curran (St. Oliver's) for J. Sheehan. John Morrissey (Brickey's) for G. Whelan.

## Dungarvan GAA Notes

### E.G.M.

The club wishes to notify all paid up members of its intention to hold an extraordinary general meeting on this Wednesday at the Clubhouse at 6.30 pm.

### DEISE DRAW

The next phase of the Deise Draw will take place in Ardmore this Friday night, 26th. We wish all our members the very best of luck. Anybody interested in joining the draw may do so by contacting any member of the committee.

### JUVENILE NOTES

#### U-10 Hurling Ballyduff Tournament

Our U-10 hurlers travel to Ballyduff next Saturday morning, 27th May to play in their Annual U-10 Hurling Tournament, one of the biggest juvenile tournaments in Munster.

Dungarvan won the tournament in 2004 and 2005 and we will be bidding for 3-in-a-row in 2006. We are playing in division 1 and face stiff opposition from Fermoy, Lismore and Tramore with the top team from each group qualifying for the semi finals which will be played the following Saturday, 3rd June.

We thank Ballyduff GAA Club for their kind invitation to take part in this prestigious tournament.

Our U-10 panel is Rian Reddy, Michael Harty, Adam Houlihan, John Havans, Joseph Allen, Donchadha Kirwan, Patrick Curran, Billy Egan, Darragh Lyons, Aaron Donnelly, Ryan Davis, Christopher O'Donnell, Darragh Hayes, Aidan Ryan, Sean Kiely, Shane Murphy.

#### U-12 Hurling

Our U-12 hurlers defeated Naomh Brid 2-9 to 2-2 last Tuesday evening in Touraneena to record their third win in the U-12 championship. The team played very well and were worthy winners over a gallant Naomh Brid whose goalkeeper brought off a string of outstanding saves during the game.

Our next game is against Abbeyside next Tuesday evening, 30th May at 7 pm in Abbeyside GAA grounds. We would ask all our supporters to support the team.

#### U-14 Hurling

Our U-14 hurlers defeated De La Salle last Monday evening in the club grounds to record their third successive win in the Bord na nOg County Championship. We played Lismore on Monday 22nd May in Lismore (report

next week).

Our remaining fixtures in the -14 championship are as follows;

Monday 29th May v Ballygunner (away) 7.30 pm. Monday 5th June v Tramore (home) 7.30 pm. Monday 12th June v Tramore (home) 7.30 pm.

We wish the team and mentors the best of luck in their remaining matches and we hope they can qualify for the knockout stages of the championship.

#### U-14 Football - Feile Peil County Final

Our Feile Peil County Final versus De La Salle due to be played last Sunday in Walsh Park was postponed due to the atrocious weather conditions. The game will be fixed for later this week. Please contact any member of the juvenile committee for time, date and venue.

#### U-16 Hurling

Our U-16 hurlers recorded their second successive win in the county championship last Saturday evening when they defeated Roanmore 1-16 to 0-9 in Roanmore GAA grounds.

Our remaining fixtures in the U-16 hurling championship are as follows; Saturday, 17th June v Ballygunner (home) 3 pm. Saturday 24th June v Mt. Sion (away) 3 pm. Saturday 1st July v Lismore (away) 3 pm.

#### Primary Schools - Blake Cup Final

St. Joseph's, Dungarvan, play Lismore in the West Waterford Primary Schools Hurling Final on Wednesday evening, 24th May at 5.30 pm in the Fraher Field. We wish St. Joseph's the best of luck in the final.

#### Club Colours

Our new juvenile club togs and socks for 2006 can be purchased through our youth officer Pat Curran while stocks last.

#### LADIES FOOTBALL

Our U-14 girls played their first match against Comeragh Rangers in Rathgormack on Tuesday last. They all played well and were worthy winners on the night. Their next outing is against Ballymacarbry. This game will take place at our club grounds on Friday, 26th at 7 pm. Please come along and support the girls on the night.

#### U-12

Our U-12 girls have commenced training. Anyone interested in playing please come along and join in the fun. Training for all ages at 7 pm, Wednesdays and Fridays. Due to the inclement weather

our juniors game versus the Shamrock's due to be played on Sunday last was postponed. This game will not go ahead at a future date.

#### Registration

Registration and Insurance is now due and must be paid and we ask all our members to pay same as soon as possible to Anne Hayes or Claire Morrissey.

#### Exams

We would like to wish our girls and the boys of the club who will shortly be sitting for their exams the best of luck.

#### Sympathy

We in the Ladies Football Club would like to express our deepest sympathy to the Ward and Coward families and to Thea O'Riordan on the untimely death of Tim Burden. Tim was a regular supporter at our games and will be missed by us all.

The club would like to express their sympathy to the wife and family, and the extended Curran families on the recent death of Bernard Curran, who died in Dublin. Bernard was a brother of the late Tom Curran. Grattan Square and Jack Curran of Kilrush and also uncle of our Chairman Ciaran. Our sincere sympathy also to the Casey family on the death of Sean Casey. Ar dheis De go raibh siad.

#### Get Well

We would like to send get well wishes to Eleanor Conway who was recently hospitalised.

#### Well Done

On behalf of the adult club we would like to say to our U-14 Camogie girls congratulations and well done on winning the U-

14 camogie title on Friday night last when they defeated Cappoquin at Bushy Park.

#### Munster Hurling Semi-Final

Tickets for Munster hurling semi-final at Paire Uí Caoimh on Sunday June 4th are available from club secretary Grace O'Callaghan and orders must be placed before Friday 26th May. Tel. 087-7977272

#### Under 16 Hurling Championship

We played the second round of the under 16 hurling championship away to Roanmore on Saturday evening last at 6pm. The first half proved to be a close encounter and we lead at the interval by 2 pts on a score line of Dungarvan 10 pts Roanmore 8pts. In the second half we approached the game with a much better attitude and demonstrated way more urgency, which in turn was reflected on the scoreboard. That said it was only in the final 10 minutes of the game that we pulled away from our opponents. The final score was Roanmore 0.09 Dungarvan 1:16.

Our next fixture is on Saturday the 17th of June at 3pm at home to the Championship favourites Ballygunner. Our performance will have to improve greatly from Saturday if we are to have any chance against Ballygunner.

Panel: Sean Crotty, David Houlihan, Luke Egan, David Crotty, Shane Crotty, Neil Fitzgerald, Eoin Healy, Sean Ryan, Kenneth Moore, Colm Curran, Liam Ryan, Mickey Byrne, Craig Kiely, Cormac Curran, David Moore, Daniel Sheridan, Thomas Cleary, Craig Shead, Mark O'Keefe, John Geary.

## WATERFORD G.A.A. FIXTURES

### Wednesday May 24

Co. Hurling League; Division 1  
At Dunhill at 7.30 pm Dunhill v Ballygunner (V. O'Toole).

### Thursday May 25

Co. Hurling League; Division 1  
At Passage East at 7.30 pm Roanmore v Passage (D. O'Leary).

Co. Football League; Division 2  
At Tramore at 7.30 pm Tramore v De La Salle (B. Power).

### Friday, May 26

Woodchester Finance East U-21 (B) Football Championship Final

At Walsh Park; Portlaw/St. Molleran v St. Mary's.  
Comeragh Oil West Intermediate Hurling Championship  
At Lismore; Cappoquin v Clashmore (J. M. Kelly).  
At Fraher Field; Rinn Ua gCuanach v Geraldine's (P. Casey).  
Qualitle East Junior Football Championship  
At Fews; John Mitchells v De La Salle.  
At Roanmore; Roanmore v Dunhill.  
At Ballybeg; St Saviour's v Ferrybank.  
At Mt. Sion; Mt. Sion v Kilmacthomas.  
At Gaultier; Gaultier v Tramore.

All games at 7.30 pm.

### Saturday May 27

Bridie Dee's West U-21 (A) Football Championship Final.  
At Fraher Field at 8 pm Ballinacourty v Nire (M. Condon).  
Albert McGrath Newsagents West U-21 (B) Football Championship Final

At Fraher Field at 6.30 pm Brickey Rangers v Stradbally (P. Casey).

Pat McCarthy Car Sales East Intermediate Hurling Championship

At Portlaw at 7.30 pm Clonea v Erin's Own.  
At Walsh Park at 7.30 pm Tramore v St. Saviour's.  
The Local Bar West Junior Hurling Championship  
At Cappoquin 6.15 pm Fourmilewater v Tallow (K. Martin).  
7.30 pm Ballinameela v Modeligo (J. M. Kelly).

Co. Football League; Division 2  
At Kill 7.30 pm Kill v Emmett's (R. Whelan).

Co. Hurling League  
Division 2 at Knockanore at 7.30 pm Shamrock's v St. Molleran's (P. Fitzgerald).

Division 4 at Butlerstown at 7.30 pm Butlerstown v Fenor (R. Grace).

### Sunday, May 28

The Local Bar West Junior Hurling Championship  
At Cappoquin at 3.15 pm Tourin v Glen Rovers (P. Casey).  
At Fraher Field 2 pm Ballyduff v Stradbally (M. Condon).  
3.15 pm Ballysaggart v Kilrossanty (D. O'Murchadha).  
7 pm Abbeyside v Lismore (J. Condon).

Co. Football League; Division 1  
At Gaultier at 7.30 pm Gaultier v Rathgormack (D. O'Leary).

Co. Hurling League

Division 1  
At Portlaw at 7.30 pm Portlaw v Ballyduff Upper (M. Wadding).

Division 3 At Bushy Park at 7.30 pm Brickey Rangers v Ballydurn (M. Condon).

### Tuesday, May 30

Co. Hurling League Division 1  
At Ardmore 7.30 pm Ardmore v Fourmilewater (J. M. Kelly).

Co. Football League Div. 3  
At Cappoquin at 7.30 pm. Affane v An Seana Phobal,

### Wednesday, May 31

Co. Football League 2005 Division 1 Semi Final  
At Fraher Field 7.30 pm Stradbally v Clashmore (D. O'Murchadha).

Qualitle East Junior Football Championship  
At Poleberry; Erin's Own v St. Molleran's.  
At Fenor; Fenor v Kill.  
At Bonmahon; N. Bonmahon v Naomh Pol.  
All East J.F.C. Games at 7.30 pm.

### Saturday June 3

Co. Hurling League; Division 1  
At Clonea; Clonea v Roanmore.  
At Passage East; Passage v Stradbally.  
At Ballyduff Lower; Ballyduff Lower v Abbeyside.  
Monday, June 5  
At Fraher Field 2 pm Co. Football League Division 3 2005 Final

Rathgormack (B) v Sliabh gCua (J. Condon).  
3.15 pm Co. Hurling Division 2 2005 Final  
Ballyduff Upper v Dunhill (D. O Murchadha).

Co. Hurling League 2006 Division 1  
At Ballygunner 7.30 pm Ballygunner v Ardmore (M. Wadding).

## WATERFORD G.A.A. RESULTS

### Pat McCarthy Car Sales East Junior Hurling Championship

Roanmore 1-12 Ballyduff Lower 2-6.  
Ballygunner 3-13 St. Molleran's 1-1  
Dunhill 4-8 Kilmacthomas 2-6  
De La Salle 0-19 Ferrybank 3-2.  
Fenor 2-14 Passage 1-11.

### Lawlor's Hotel West Junior Football Championship

Kilrossanty 2-7 Clashmore 0-5.

### Co. Hurling League

Division 2 Clashmore 3-7 Shamrock's 1-13.  
Division 4 Ballysaggart 3-15 Cappoquin 1-14.

### Co. Football League -

Division 1 Kilrossanty 0-13 Bonmahon 1-4.

## G.A.A. NOTES

## BY "COMMENTATOR"

# Senior Hurling Team News

In the immediate aftermath of the Tipperary victory over the favourites, Limerick at Thurles on Sunday week there seemed to be a change of attitude about our prospects of getting to the Munster final after our semi-final game on June 4th.

Up to that stage everyone seemed to have been measuring our prospects against Limerick in Thurles. The change of scene will take us to Pairc Ui Caoimh where we defeated Tipperary in the 2002 Munster final.

In Portlaw on the evening of the Tipperary victory and while waiting for the Mossy Whelan benefit match to commence, the whole topic of conversation was on the provincial semi-final against the Premier county who have bounced back into strong contention for the Munster title.

One of our well known students of the game predicted that we have gone from outsiders to rank outsiders after the super display of skill and commitment by our neighbours.

On Sunday last one sports

journalist having referred to Waterford as a 'lame duck' with three All-Stars unavailable, wrote about the mouth watering prospect of seeing the traditional 'white heat' Munster hurling final involving the provinces greatest rivals, Tipperary and Cork.

Making us the outsiders or rank outsiders is one thing, but writing us out of the championship altogether is another matter.

Eoin Kelly got himself suspended for twelve weeks, John Mullane is out injured and Ken McGrath whose chances of being fit are said to be reduced to 50/50 and this clearly means that our challenge is weakened very considerably and if we can win without them against Tipp, we must be favourites to go the full distance. Looking at the bookmakers odds we are not going to win. But they have been proven wrong on so many occasions before that they can be wrong once again.

While not pre-empting the outcome, if the worst does

come to the worst, we still have a lot of hurling to play in this All-Ireland championship as if we lose to Tipperary we have three matches in the qualifiers.

One of the three will be against either Dublin, Laois or Westmeath, who are the designated counties on June 17th and in this case we must travel to the home venue of whichever county we are drawn against. It is the same system as last year and again there should not be any doubt about reaching the All-Ireland quarter final.

The dates for the qualifiers are June 17th, July 1st and July 8th. Two of the quarter finals will be played on July 22nd and the other two on the following day, July 23rd.

The All-Ireland semi-finals are on August 6th and 13th.

The final is on Sunday September 3rd (one week earlier than normal because of the Ryder Cup).

## Tickets & Admission Prices to Munster Semi-Final:

Tickets are now issued through 'Ticketmaster' and under this new system are printed at our county office in Walsh Park. The County Board have issued the following statement concerning tickets for next Sunday week's match at Pairc ui Caoimh, Cork.

The price of tickets is as follows.

Covered Stand (limited) €25, Uncovered Stand €20, Family Tickets (adult) €25 & €20. Family ticket, child €5. Terrace ticket €15. Terrace ticket concession €10.

Orders for tickets must be made through Divisional secretaries or direct to County office, Walsh Park.

Tomorrow Thursday May 25th is the deadline for applications. No returns will be accepted after Thursday June 1st.

## LAST YEAR

Readers will no doubt recall that having lost to Cork by just 2-17 to 2-15 in the championship we entered the Qualifier. Our first match was against Offaly in Carlow and we won that on a 1-26 to 1-15 scoreline and then we played Dublin whom we hammered in Walsh Park (4-17 to 1-3) before travelling to Ennis and losing by 4-14 to 0-21. Losing this one meant that we had a less favourable pairing in the quarter final and were again drawn against Cork for the second time in the same championship. This is something that should not have happened and was one of the major flaws in the organisation of the McCarthy Cup championship. And I do not know if steps have been taken to avoid such a situation this year, if things work out as last year. It was played in Croke Park on a dirty, wet and windy afternoon and after Waterford had endured serious travel problems when the plane could not take off from Tramore. In the game Cork seemed to get all the breaks and won by 1-18 to 1-13

## The Mossy Whelan Benefit Match

It was an outstanding success and the thousands of supporters who turned up at the splendidly prepared Portlaw venue got great value and were treated to a super challenge between two teams who certainly gave it all they knew for the enjoyable 70 minutes.

Kilkenny had 7 or 8 of their regular side and Waterford had about 11 or 12.

Organising chief, Frankie Cullinane, speaking after the game, described the occasion as the greatest exhibition of support and appreciation as has ever been experienced in this or in any other county. When Mossie was brought into the entrance to the ground in a wheelchair, he was afforded a guard of honour by both teams. This gesture was accorded prolonged applause.

A man-of-the-match award for each team was subsequently presented to Clinton Hennessey for a super display in goal for Waterford and Aidan Fogarty was awarded the Kilkenny trophy.

## MUNSTER COUNCIL REPORT

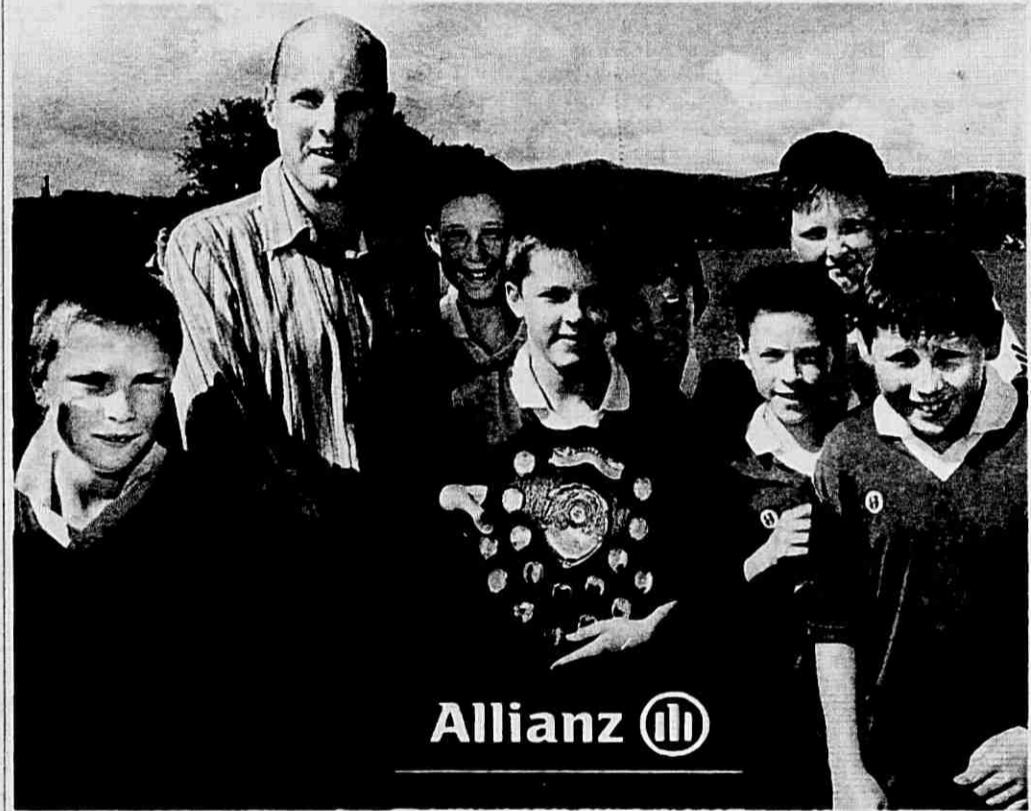
At the recent meeting of the County Board, delegates were informed that a new sponsor had been received for the Primary game. Also clubs in all six counties were requested to participate in the Munster leagues which will probably take place during July and August. Counties who are participating will be required to have team selections with the Council not later than noon on the Wednesday before the game in question.

## Planning Permission Granted

Planning permission for the proposed development at Walsh Park has been approved, but the decision to commence work on the city venue, which is Waterford's number one county ground, will not commence until funding is in place.



St. Declans, Waterford beaten by St. Josephs, Dungarvan in the Co. final of the Primary Schools boys Mini 7s football competition at Abbesside GAA Grounds.



Cillian O'Reilly, Chairman Co. Primaries Schools GAA presenting the Mini 7s shield to St. Josephs captain, Conor Curran. —(Sean Byrne Photography)



St. Josephs, Dungarvan winners of the Primary Schools Co. Mini 7s football title after their narrow victory over St. Declans, Waterford in the final at Abbesside GAA Grounds.

## G.A.A. NOTES

## BY "COMMENTATOR"

## Munster Senior Football Championship

# Kerry Overcome Solid Waterford Challenge

Those who travelled to Fitzgerald Stadium, Killarney on Sunday will readily agree that this was a classic example of the scoreboard giving a very misleading impression of a contest which saw rank outsiders Waterford put mighty Kerry to the limit for well more than three-quarters of the game.

In fact when halftime was called and the Kingdom side led by 0-8 to 0-5, they having played with the strong wind, one could sense the serious concern of the home supporters who had obviously expected to feel safe at this point of the semi-final.

Obviously realising that Waterford were going to be no push-over, it was generally expected that Kerry would come out for a second half fully bent on reversing the trend of the game and showing their visitors what football was all about.

But this did not happen as suddenly as they had obviously expected and by the 17th minute of this second half, Waterford had kicked 5 wides as against none for Kerry and they had reduced the gap to just two points.

Also an idea of Waterford's input to this Munster semi-final can be gleaned from the fact that Waterford held Kerry scoreless from play for 33 minutes.

Kerry, the current National League and Munster champions

## KERRY 0-16 WATERFORD 0-8

did win by eight points in the end but it must be stated that the final score did less than justice to Waterford who had also missed a second half penalty.

There were passages of play that made Waterford look well above their Division 2 league status and we did see periods when they were in control of the game. The Waterford defence, in particular were magnificent and continued to make life difficult for the very highly rated Colm Cooper, Eamon Fitzmaurice, Declan O'Sullivan and company and others in the all-star category but towards the end, they conceded scores to Kerry some of which might have been avoided.

Team Coach John Kiely afterwards expressed himself happy with the tremendous effort put in by the players but disappointed that we lost by eight points which, he said was totally against the run of play.

His opposite number praised the great Waterford effort, but had to give the age-old excuse that Waterford looked good because Kerry were poor.

### PLAY

The game in Fitzgerald Stadium was played in torrential rain and got underway five minutes behind the scheduled time of 3.30 p.m.

Kerry won the toss and decided to play with the wind. In a

matter of five minutes they were three points to the good when their three full forwards each had his name on the scoreboard, Brian Sheehan in the first minute, free, Declan O'Sullivan in the 2nd minute and Colm Cooper in the 5th minute. Mick Ahearne opened for Waterford with a point from play in the 7th minute and Jason Ryan pointed a free in the 9th minute to leave just a point between them.

Galvin and Cooper had Kerry points and after three further scores were made by Declan Sullivan, Brian Sheehan and Eamon Fitzmaurice the home side's total was at 8 points (23rd minute) and they did not score again for the next 28 minutes. In fact they were not to score from play for the next 33 minutes.

For the remaining 12 minutes of this half Waterford were in control and added points per Ger Power and Jason Ryan (2) to leave the half way tally at 0-8 to 0-5.

### SECOND HALF

As stated above Waterford had the best of the play in the opening minutes.

Andy Hubbard kicked a penalty which the 'keeper saved. Liam O Lonain pointed from play and Waterford kicked five wides before the Munster champions were able to regain

control of the match.

Eoin Brosnan pointed from a free to give them their first score of the second half in the 24th minute and Waterford responded with a point when Gary Hurney fisted over in the 17th minute. The score at this point was 0-9 to 0-7 and Waterford looked to be taking control.

Kerry made switches that seemed to work and when Sheehan, Cooper and O'Sullivan all had points a feeling of relief was evident among the supporters. In the 24th minute they got their first score from play since the 23rd minute of the first half.

Jason Ryan had Waterford's final score in the 32nd minute and the winners added the points which sealed the victory for Kerry.

**Scorers.** Kerry - B. Sheehan 0-7, D. O'Sullivan 0-3, P. Galvin 0-2, C. Cooper 0-2, E. Fitzmaurice 0-1 B. O'Connor 0-1. Waterford. J. Ryan 0-4, G. Power, G. Hurney, L. O Lonain and M. Ahearne 0-1 each.

**Kerry** - D. Murphy, A. O'Mahony, M. O'Shea, T. O'Sullivan, T. O'Shea, S. Moynihan, M. Lyons, D. O'Shea, K. Donoghly, P. Galvin, E. Fitzmaurice, E. Brosnan, C. Cooper, D. O'Sullivan, B. Sheehan. Subs played: M. McCarthy, P. O'Connor, T. Griffin.

**Waterford.** T. Wall, E. Walsh, J. Phelan, S. Briggs, B. Wall, E. Rockett, P. Ogle, A. Ahearne, M. Ahearne, A. Hubbard, K. Power, G. Power, S. Cunningham, G. Hurney, J. Ryan.

Subs played L. O Lonain, W. Hennessey, J. Hurney. Referee Pat McGovern, Galway.

## MUNSTER JUNIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

# Kerry Win With Late Scores

## KERRY 0-17 WATERFORD 0-11

This was a splendidly contested junior semi-final in which Waterford kept in touch right up to the closing stages when the home team and hot favourites pulled away to win by six points and create a gap that to some extent exaggerated their dominance of the game.

Waterford were a mere 3 points in arrears at the break and the same gap existed in the 55th minute of this 60 minute match.

The feeling among many Waterford people was that had this Waterford side been together for a longer time, they would certainly have matched the Kingdom here, but full credit to all the players who gave their all in this splendid contest.

**Scorers:** Kerry - S. Wallace 0-4, R. McAuliffe 0-4, M. McNally 0-3, C. Daly 0-2, M. Murphy 0-2, D. O'Sullivan and N. Fleming 0-1 each; Waterford - E. Hogan 0-3, R. Hennessey 0-3, L. Hayes 0-2, K. Connery 0-1, E. Kirwan 0-1, I. Cantwell 0-1.

**Waterford** - P. Houlihan, B. Mooney, S. Prendergast, T. Welsh, K. Connery, S. Lannon, M. Prendergast, J. Hennessey, K. Whelan, E. Kirwan, L. Hayes, K. O'Keeffe, E. Hogan, A. Fitzgerald, R. Hennessey. Subs played I. Cantwell, A. Power.

Referee. Donal Cahill, Tipperary.

## PRIMARY GAME

This was a very entertaining game between the primary schools of the same counties and unfortunately the brave Deise lads were caught in the last few seconds of a very spirited display by both teams.

Up to the last kick, which was a free, Waterford led by 0-3 to 0-1. The last second goal was a shattering blow.

**Waterford** - Dean Roche, St. Stephens N/S. Evan Joy Kil-macthomas, James Connolly, St. Declans, Chris Kervick, Ballygunner, Brendan Phelan, Whitechurch, Diarmuid Murphy, Ballymacarbry, Michael Curry, Rathgormack, Shane Roche, Knockanore, Kevin Sheehan, St. Josephs, David Collins Garranbane, Peter O'Keeffe, Lismore, Ciaran O Toibin, An Rinn, Mark O'Keeffe, Scoil Lorcaín, Kieran Power, Fews, Aidan Flynn, Clonea

# BALLYDUFF UPPER GAA NOTES

### County Hurling League 2006

Our senior hurlers will play Portlaw in the 2006 County Hurling league next Friday evening May 27th in Portlaw at 7.30pm.

### Junior Football

Our junior (B) footballers will play Tourin in Knockanore on Saturday June 3rd at 7.30pm.

### 2005 Div 2 Hurling league Final

We will play Dunhill in the 2005 Div 2 League Final on Mon June 5th in Fraher Field at 3.15pm.

### Munster Senior Hurling Championship Tickets

All members who want tickets for the Waterford v Tipp. senior hurling semi-final in Pairc Ui Caoimh on Sunday June 4th are to asked contact Eugene Flynn as soon as possible.

### Lotto Results

The numbers drawn in last week's lotto draw in Tobin's Bar on Tuesday May 16th were 6-11-24. There was no jackpot winner. The €30 winners were Leanne Power, Claire Feeney, and Mary Kenneally. This week's jackpot was €1,400 and the draw took place in Lindsay's Bar on Tuesday May 23rd. The results of this draw will appear in next week's notes.

### County Hurling League 2006

Our senior hurlers will play Portlaw in the 2006 Co. Hurling league next Sunday evening May 28th in Portlaw at 7.30pm.

### Junior Hurling

Next Sunday May 28th our Junior hurlers will play Stradbally in Fraher Field at 2.00pm.



Lismore under 11 team who won the Ber Ryan tournament captained by Stephen Bennett, held in Lismore recently.

**G.A.A. NOTES**

**BY "COMMENTATOR"**

# Under 21 Football Finals This Weekend

All going well on Saturday evening next, the divisional board will see their first two championships of the season completed.

Both the A and B finals are listed as a double header at Fraher field and should provide interesting fare if all four teams play to form.

**Ballinacourty v. Nire**

Not an unfamiliar pairing as the clubs have met many times in this championship and on a number of occasions it was in divisional finals.

But as I have written before it can be very misleading to judge standards on previous years at underage level since all clubs lose players through the ageing process.

When the first rounds were played last month Ballinacourty defeated Clashmore at Bushy Park and on the same evening at Fraher field the Nire accounted for Kilrossanty. Then in the semi-finals Ballinacourty rather luckily overcame a very spirited challenge from An Gaeltacht and the Nire defeated St. Olivers.

Both winners were quite impressive so the clash here should be lively and interesting.

Three seasons ago when these teams met at minor level in Touraneena only a point separated them at the end.

Also two years ago when the Nire and Ballinacourty met in the final at Cappoquin the Nire emerged narrow winners after a

mighty contest.

Last year Ballinacourty won the divisional and county championship but since then a number of their players have aged out of the grade.

This is certain to be a close game and very much in the balance right up to the finish

**Stradbally v. Brickey Rangers**

This is the "B" final between teams of an equal standard and it can go either way but if Brickeys can reproduce the form they showed against Dungarvan, they must be in with a big chance.

## Under 21 Hurling Championships Cancelled

In deference to the wishes of the clubs involved and very many of the parents, the Western Board decided to defer the under 21 hurling matches.

Appeals from clubs indicated that a very large number of the players involved were sitting for third level examinations and others preparing for the leaving certificate, so with their welfare in mind the committee took the decision to cancel the programme for last weekend.

As a result of the decision it may mean that when they are refixed, the championships may have to be completed in a shorter time scale.

We understand that the Eastern Board have taken a similar decision and that their programme for last weekend was also called off.

It was made clear that this will not apply to the under 21 football divisional finals which will go ahead as scheduled.

## JOHN FENNEL R.I.P.

A devoted G.A.A. man all his life and even in recent years when he was no longer able to travel, his interest in the fortunes of both our hurling and football teams never waned.

A top class footballer in his young days, John with his brothers Jim and Larry wore the county jersey at senior level for a number of years. In fact they played in the Munster senior football championship against Cork at Dungarvan in 1939 when Cork survived on a score of 0-8 to 0-7.

He played his early football with the Pike and later with Kilrossanty when his long time friend "Aeroplane" Kiely was at the height of his career.

The family were steeped in the G.A.A. tradition all their lives. His son is chairman of the successful Stradbally club. There was a huge crowd, very many of them from clubs around mid Waterford, at the removal of his remains from Ballyvoile to Stradbally church on Saturday evening.

We offer our very sincere sympathy to his family. May he rest in peace.

## Intermediate Hurling Championships

Two second round matches which were postponed at the request of the football management have been rescheduled for next weekend.

**Cappoquin v. Clashmore at Lismore**

Clashmore who had a first round bye will be having their initial game in the present championship when they line out against Cappoquin at the Lismore venue on Friday evening and if producing their best form of last year they must stand a fairly good chance.

Cappoquin were impressive when defeating Geraldines at Fraher field in the first round and this first win over the Aghlish based club in a very long number of years, will certainly help their confidence. Whether or not this will be enough to turn the game in their favour is something we must wait to see.

## JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

A total of 12 teams will be in action at two venues here in the West on Sunday next. A double header at Cappoquin and Fraher field in the afternoon will be followed in each case by a 7 p.m. fixture at each venue.

**BALLINAMEELA V. MODELIGO**

This game between two very close neighbouring clubs will open the proceedings at Cappoquin. A win for the stronger Ballinameela is expected as they looked very impressive when defeating Kilrossanty by 2-14 to 0-5 three weeks ago. Modeligo lost to Tourin on the same day.

**TOURIN V. GLEN ROVERS**

This is the feature game on the afternoon programme and it is likely that Tourin who were divisional champions two years ago and got caught on the hop last year, will advance. In fact, at full strength the favourites here must be in contention at least for a place in the final. Glen Rovers who are based in Mellary have a balanced team but need a few stronger players to give them a long deserved 'lift.' They did show fair form when scoring 8 points against a strong Ballysaggart team three weeks ago.

**TALLOW V. FOURMILEWATER**

This is the evening match at the Cornerstone venue. Fourmilewater have recorded a win against Abbeyside and Tallow in scoring 2-11 looked impressive in accounting for Stradbally (3-3). I fancy Tallow here.

**BALLYDUFF V. STRADBALLY**

This is the opener at Fraher field with two first round losers in opposition. With sides of similar standards involved the game can go either way.

**BALLYSGAGGART V. KILROSSANTY**

On current form this tie must result in a victory for the re-graded Ballysaggart who scored 3-22 in their previous match.

**LISMORE V. ABBEYSIDE.**

Two weeks ago when Lismore defeated neighbours Ballyduff, Abbeyside were losing to Fourmilewater and on a line through the form shown in these ties, Lismore will be fancied here in the evening match.



Clara Twomey, Secretary Western Primary Schools GAA presents the Mini 7's Shield to Lismore's captain, Niamh Prendergast.



Bothar na Naomh, Lismore (above) who beat Scoil Mhuire, Abbeyside (below) in the final of the Western Primary Schools Mini 7s Camogie Competition. —(Sean Byrne Photography)



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# Gaelic Games Coaching Corner

## SCHOOL COACHING VISITS

For Monday 29/05/06 to Thursday 1/06/06  
Monday Piltown/Grange  
Tuesday Scoil Garbhan  
Wednesday St. Joseph's  
Thursday St. Mary's

## U-15 FOOTBALL DEVELOPMENT SQUAD

Last Thursday there was a very disappointing turnout for the U15 team. Only 2 clubs were represented at the session. The next session is on this Thursday (May 25th) And Keith Ricken of CIT will be taking the session and all clubs are asked to have their players in the Friary at 7.30pm. If players are not going to attend the training sessions the future of the squad will be in jeopardy. It is up to players and clubs to decide if they want to participate. The managers have put in work contacting all clubs and are hoping that players will attend this Thursday.

## LARRY QUINN SKILLS

The Eastern and Western finals took place last week. In the East final Eamonn Power from Tramore won with Johnny McCarthy and Conor Molloy both from Ballygunner coming 2nd and 3rd respectively. The along with the top ten are through to the county final tonight (Wed 24th). The Western final was won by Brendan Phelan from St. Oliver's. Cois Bri'ds Edward Lonergan was 2nd with Jack McGrath from St. Oliver's in 3rd place. The top ten are through to the County Final. This will take place in Clonea GAA club. Players are asked to be at the pitch at 7.15pm to start at 7.30pm.

## SUMMER CAMP FORMS TO BE RETURNED ASAP

All clubs and schools are asked to ensure that completed forms are returned to club coordinator or Eoin Breathnach as soon as possible. Please contact your club co-ordinator or any of the GPO's for further details. All people who apply by mid June will get their kits before the 1st camps start in July. Forms can also be downloaded for the GAA website [www.gaa.ie](http://www.gaa.ie)

## UNDER-13 HURLING SQUAD

The U13 panel will be training this coming Sat and also Sat 3rd June. The 1st session is at 1.30pm and the 2nd is at 2.45pm. Both sessions take place in the Abbeyside GAA Club. Players are asked to be in attendance 15 minutes before the start of the session.

## SHAMROCKS G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

### INTERMEDIATE HURLING LEAGUE DIVISION 2 Shamrocks 1-13 Clashmore 3-7 BEST WISHES

We send best wishes to all our young players and supporters, boys and girls who will soon be involved in exams.

### CONGRATULATIONS

To four pupils from Knockanore School who took part in the Irish part of the European Union and rights of the child poster competition on Europe day, May 9th organised by the European Commission, which took place in Dublin. Our pupils came 3rd in their category and got medals which were presented by Brian Lenihan, Minister for Children. The successful pupils were Ciara Ahearn, Emma O'Neill, Jack Neville and Oisín O'Neill. It was a great honour for a small school and we also congratulate the teachers.

### CLUB LOTTO

In last Sunday nights draw at Lombard's, Lackaroe, the numbers drawn were 3-8-11-24, and there was no jackpot winner. E20 consolation prizewinners were: Tommie O'Donovan, Coolbeggan; Rebecca and Colum O'Keefe, Kilwinny; Gerard Power, Killenagh; Mark Geary, c/o Rose Casey; Sandra McGrath, Camphire. In Saturday nights draw the jackpot will be €2,875 and tickets at €1.50 each can be had from the usual promoters.

### DEISE DRAW

The next draw will be on this Friday night, May 26th in Lismore and all money to be with Johnny Baldwin, club-co-ordinator immediately.

### MUNSTER HURLING SEMI FINAL

**Waterford v Tipperary** - Anyone from the club who are paid up members and require tickets for the game on Sunday, June 4th are asked to contact Ann O'Keefe as soon as possible.



Eddie O'Shea, Chairman of County Bord na nOg and Joe Cleary Treasurer of County Bord na nOg presenting a set of gear to Luke Egan, Dungarvan, winner of the County Feile Skills competition. Also included are Luke's dad Tommy and brother Billy. (Photo: Robert Power Photography)

## Clashmore/Kinsalebeg G.A.A. Club Notes

### LOTTO

The club lotto has almost reached the €4,000 mark again and will continue to rise unless some lucky supporter can crack the 4 number combination. Spot prizes of €15 are still up for grabs and we thank everyone for helping to support the club when you buy a ticket.

### UNDER 16 A COUNTY FINAL

The replay of this game vs Gaultier is now due to take place this evening (Wednesday). This game was supposed to take place last Sunday but the pitch in Waterford was un-

playable. Best of luck to the lads and we hope to see as many as possible down in Waterford cheering them on.

### DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The next draw takes place on the end of the month and anyone who isn't already in with a chance of winning €10,000 along with many more top prizes can buy a ticket for just €10 a month from any of the club committee.

### INTERMEDIATE HURLING LEAGUE

On Friday evening we took on local neighbours Shamrocks

in another tightly contested encounter. We were short a number of players but all the lads put in a big effort and we came away with a draw with Shamrocks equalising in the closing moments. Best for Clashmore were Paudie O'Rourke, Gavin Dower, Declan Allen and Ed Beresford.

### JUNIOR FOOTBALL

On Thursday night the juniors took on Kilrossanty but unfortunately lost out here. Again we only had the bare minimum of players with Tim O'Keefe making a cameo return also. Well done to the lads who battled hard right to the end and hopefully for the next game we can get a bigger crowd out.

### FIXTURES

On this Friday evening we play the first of this year's hurling championship games. We take on Cappoquin in Lismore at 7.30pm. We hope to see all our supporters there at what will be a very tight game.

### WATERFOD FOOTBALL

Well done to the Waterford footballers who acquitted themselves very well in their First round Munster Championship game vs Kerry at the weekend. Kerry who won division one of the league were always going to be a mountain to overcome but with only 5 minutes remaining in the game Waterford were within 3 points of the Kingdom. It goes to show that the state of Waterford Football is better than its given credit for and all involved should be complimented on their commitment and improvement.

### INJURED

At present Roger Ryan is on the injured list after breaking a bone in his hand in a recent league match. Roger had been playing some great stuff in both Hurling and Football and will be a loss while he is out of action. We all hope he has a speedy recovery.

## GERALDINES GAA NOTES

### INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

We play Ring in our second game on Friday night at 7.30pm in the Fraher Field. This is a must win game for us to get back in contention.

### LOTTO

12th May 2006- Winning numbers 2, 25 and 26. No winner of €1400. €20 winners - Bud Morrissey, Austin Curran, Sheila Motherway, Lorraine Hally and Stephen Donovan.

19th May 2006- Winning numbers 5, 7 and 13. No winner of €1550. €20 winners - Talor O'Brien, 3 of us-Kereen, Paddy + Anne, Betty Prendergast and Michael Meaney. Next weeks jackpot is €1700 and the draw is in the Cruiscin Lan.

### MEMBERSHIP

Membership is now overdue and must be paid to David Cullinane: - Players €40, Non-Players €20, Students €10. All members are expected to purchase a Deise Draw ticket.

### DEISE DRAW

This year's Deise Draw continues on Friday night @ €10 per month. 1st Prize is €10000, 2nd Prize is a Continental Holiday + €2500, 3rd Prize is a Weekend in Paris + €1500, 4th Prize is a Weekend in London + €1000, 5th Prize is €1000, 6th to 10th Prizes - €500, 11th to 20th Prizes - €200. There are also numerous bonus prizes throughout the year including All-Ireland Hurling + Football Weekends for 2 in Dublin. We had no winner last month and tickets are available from any committee member or player and we urge everyone possible to support the club in what is a major fundraiser for the club.

### WATERFORD v TIPPERARY

Anyone who needs tickets must contact Donnacha Tobin before Monday night.

## TOURIN G.A.A. AND NEIGHBOURHOOD NOTES

### TOURIN V MELLERAY

Tourin are due to play Melleray this weekend in the Championship. This match is fixed for Cappoquin on Sunday afternoon. Check for time in local press.

### DEISE DRAW

The 3rd Draw of this series will be held this Friday night (26/5/06) in Lismore. If you

## KILGOBNET G.A.A. NOTES

We are due to play Ferrybank on Tuesday night in Bohadon in the Intermediate Hurling League.

On Saturday night in Bohadon we are playing the Michael Hickey Cup against the Geraldines.

The club would like to thank everyone who played cards last weekend and to all who gave sponsorship. A special word of thanks to Bridgie Terries for the use of the bar and for the refreshments provided.

have not previously purchased a ticket, you can still participate by contact Veronica O'Keefe. Remember, the club benefits if you contribute!

### SPONSORSHIP CARDS

Once again, all sponsorship cards for the recent walk should be handed in and yes, Celine it is now a 'fait accompli'.

### COMMUNITY SCHOOL CHOIR

A Summer Choral evening was held at the Blackwater Community School last Thursday night. The Lismore Choir and the Blackwater Community College Choir (among other guests) entertained the audience with their wonderful singing. The School choir won the National Secondary Schools Choral Festival 2006 and much credit must go to their Music Teacher, Ms. Libby Creedon.

### CAPPOQUIN CAMOGIE CLUB

Cappoquin U-14 Camogie team played Dungarvan last Thursday evening, however, they lost on the scoreline of 2-1 to 1-1. Hard luck girls.

### MUNSTER SEMI-FINAL TICKETS

Tickets for the match v Cork at Páirc Uí Caoimh will be available shortly. Tickets prices will be as follows: Covered Stand €25, Uncovered €20, Terrace €15, Student €10 and Family Ticket €20 & €25. If you are interested, please contact William Leahy (058) 53139 on or before Thursday as William will need to have numbers for Thursday night.

### WATERFORD V KERRY

Waterford put up a good performance against Kerry last Sunday in Killarney and lost by a scoreline of 0-16 to 0-8. They will now have to wait for their unknown opposition in the losers group.

### MUNSTER V BIARRITZ

What a match this was! Munster came up trumps and all due to a Peter Stringer 'work of genius' try that put Munster on the road to victory. It was real edge of seat stuff and the support for Munster seemed endless. Well done lads!

## Cumann Lúthchleas Gael

# Bord na nÓg

## Port Láirge Thiar

This past weekend saw the postponement of all games due to weather the only games to survive were those that were played on Friday night or earlier in the week. However one disappointing note was that clubs that cancelled games failed to notify the ref.'s in many instances. Club's who did not notify referees will have to bear the expenses in those games.

Also at this stage in the Championship the number of complaints from clubs re the divisional status of some teams is on the increase. Many clubs are now objecting to group teams playing in the lower divisions. However we must point out that this is one for convention at the end of year.

### The Jimmy McCarthy U12 Hurling

The Jimmy McCarthy Hurling League continues in Div 1 & 2 midway through their championship and Div 3 commencing this week. Dungarvan continued on their winning way with success over Naomh Brid and Clashmore were victorious over Cappoquin. In Div 3 stradbally were defeated by Cois Bhríde.

### League Table - Division 1 & 2

Club:	P	W	L	D	T
Abbeyside	3	1	2	0	2
Brickeys	3	1	2	0	2
Clashmore	3	1	0	0	2
Cappoquin	3	0	2	1	1
Dungarvan	4	3	1	0	6
Lismore	4	4	0	0	8
Naomh Brid	2	1	0	1	3

### FEILE

Dungarvan will represent the West in the Feile Football County final. The final due to have been played on Sunday May 22nd now goes ahead later this week. We wish Dungarvan all the best in the county final their second Feile final this year.

### RESULTS

**The Jimmy McCarthy U12 Hurling:**  
**Division 1: Results Sunday 14th May:**  
 Cappoquin 2 - 3 V Clashmore 2-6.  
 Naomh Brid 2 - 3 V Dungarvan 2 - 9

### FIXTURES

**The Jimmy McCarthy U12 Hurling:**  
**Tuesday 23rd May. All games at 7.30pm.**  
 Clashmore V Cappoquin.  
 Abbeyside V Dungarvan.  
 Clashmore V Naomh Brid.  
**Sunday 28th May: All Games 11.30am.**  
**Division 1:**  
 Naomh Brid V Brickeys.  
 Abbeyside V Cappoquin.  
 Clashmore V Lismore.  
**Division 3:**  
 Ardmore V Stradbally  
 Cois Bhríde V Fourmilewater.  
 An Gaeltacht V Ballyduff Upper.  
 Killrossanty V St. Oliver's  
**Under 16 County Final Replay:**  
 Wednesday May 24th Walsh Park @ 7.45 pm.  
 Clashmore V Gaultier.

## Saint Olivers

# G.A.A. Club Notes

### Under 14 Hurling

The under 14 hurlers have 4 games played in the county league. They have 2 games won and 2 games lost to date, and would need to win 2 of their remaining 3 games to qualify for the semi-finals.

### U8+U10 Football Tournaments

U8+10 football tournaments commence this week and will continue over the next few weeks.

### Under 10

Wed 24th May @ Cappoquin 6.30pm  
 Wed 7th June @ St Olivers venue tbc 6.30pm  
 Wed 21st June @ Cappoquin 6.30pm

### Under 8

Wed 31st May @ Bushey Park 6.30pm  
 Wed 14th June @ Clashmore 6.30pm  
 Wed 28th June @ Abbeyside 6.30pm

### Exams

Best wishes to all the club members that are just finishing college exams or are about to start the Leaving and Junior cert exams.

### Committee Meeting

The next committee meeting takes place in Ballinameela at 8.30 p.m. on Tuesday May 30th.

### Tickets

Anyone that requires tickets for the Waterford - Tipperary game can contact Dave Power before Friday.

## Cois Bhríde

# Juvenile GAA Notes

### U-12 Hurling

Cois Bhríde U-12 hurling team played their first championship game of the year away to Stradbally last Friday evening. Weather conditions were awful which meant the team took some time to settle into the game, but after ten minutes our new full forward and man of the match Matthew Ahearne found the back of the net with a beautiful shot for our first score which settled the team, and scores flowed more freely after that. At half time we led by 4-1 to nil. We continued to notch up the scores in the 2nd half and ran out easy winners in the end. Best wishes to Aine McCarthy who had to retire injured during the match. Panel: Chris Hartnett, Michael Tobin, Tomas O' Neill, Alan Curley, Paul O'Mahony, Kegan O' Farrell (1-1), Billy Buckley, Robbie O' Sullivan (1-2), Robbie Beecher (1-1), Roisin Cantillon, Padraig Ahearne (2-3), Michael O' Neill, Aine McCarthy, Matthew Ahearne (1-0), Adam Crawford, Noel Condon (1-0), Nathan Cantwell, Sean Curley, Andrew O' Riordan, Ernestas Budlogtis. Their next game is at home to Fourmilewater on Sunday next at 11.30.

### U-16 Hurling;

### Dunhill/Fenor 1-12

### Cois Bhríde 1-4

Our U-16 hurlers made the long trip to Dunhill last Saturday for the second round of the Co. championship. Despite playing quite well into the wind in the first half and only down a couple of points at half time, Cois Bhríde found it difficult to convert chances into scores in the second half, and eventually lost by a margin of 8 points. The selectors were disappointed with the result as they felt the team hurled fairly well, but didn't take their chances, and the game was closer than the scoreline suggests. They now have a break until the end of June or early July before they play again. Panel: Dean Hennessy, Brian McCarthy, Bob McCarthy, Aaron Pratt, Tom McGrath, Keith Hallahan, Diarmuid O'Regan, Kevin O'Brien, Diarmuid Ahearne, Kevin Curley, Sean O' Sullivan, Tommy Daly, David Hartnett, Donnchadh Mulcahy, Eoin Roche, Evan Sheehan, Peter O' Callaghan, Daniel McLroy, Joe Leahy.

### U-14 Hurling;

### Cois Bhríde 7-6

### Fourmilewater 1-2

Contrary to what the scoreline suggests, this 4th round tie versus the boys from the Nire Valley played last Monday night in Tallow was a close tight match which only went our way conclusively in the last ten minutes of the game. It took some stout defending from our backs in the first half to keep a determined Fourmilewater team at bay, with Brian McCarthy, Aaron Pratt, Kieran Fraser and Kegan O' Farrell being particularly prominent. Goals, as usual turn matches, so the first half goals from Shane Roche and Padraig Ahearne and some fine points from Evan Sheehan meant we went into the break leading 2-4 to 0-1. A greasy ball and slippery underfoot conditions made flowing hurling difficult, but Cois Bhríde still made good progress, and with Dean Hennessy and Evan coming more into the game, we gradually took control. Goals from Alan O' Riordan, Evan, and a beauty from Robbie O' Sullivan saw us win decisively. We are away to St. Oliver's next Monday (29th) at 7.30pm. Panel: L. O'Gorman, S. Lucey, B. McCarthy, K. O' Farrell, K. Fraser, A. Pratt, J. Leahy, E. Sheehan (2-4), E. Roche, D. Hennessy (0-1), A. O' Riordan (2-0), E. Lonergan, S. Roche (1-1), D. McLroy, P. Ahearne (1-0), R. O' Sullivan (1-0), B. Buckley.

### Primary Game.

Well done to Shane Roche who played in the Primary football match in Killarney last Sunday prior to the Senior match between Ciarraí agus Portlairge. The match finished all square, and Shane acquitted himself very well indeed. So too did the Senior Waterford Footballers who pushed Kerry hard all the way.

### U-13 Skills.

Well done also to Edward Lonergan who, having won our own internal competition last week, then finished tied second in the Western finals on Thursday night. Shane Roche and Stevie Lucey also represented the club in these finals, and finished a respectable tied 3rd (Shane), and just one point adrift of a third or second spot on the night (Stevie). Well done boys. The County final is on this Wednesday night in Clonea, and Edward will be our representative.

## STRADBALLY G.A.A.

# CLUB NOTES

### Western Final

Our Under 21 Footballers take on the Brickeys in the Western final on Saturday next in Fraher Field. Check for time locally. Best of luck to all involved.

### Summer Camp

This years Summer Camp will be held during the first week of August. The camp is for boys and girls from 6 to 12 years of age. All places must be pre booked.

### Sympathy

Our club extends sincere sympathy to our Chairman Pat Fennell on the death of his father

Johnny last weekend. May he rest in peace.

### Deise Draw

The May draw takes place on Friday, 26th next. Please have all money with Noel Costelloe early this week.

### On County Duty

Well done to our players who were members of the Waterford Senior and Junior Football teams that were narrowly beaten by Kerry in the championship.

### Music Cancelled

The music for last Sunday night in the Social Centre was cancelled as a mark of respect to the late Johnny Fennell.

## ABBEYSIDE

# A.F.C. NOTES

### Division 1 Cup 2nd Round

### Abbeyside 5 St. Otterans 2

Played on Saturday, 13th Abbeyside advanced to the next round by beating St. Otterans, the League runners up, for the first time after four attempts this season.

The Villagers led by 2-0 at half time with 11th hour replacement Philip Wade outstanding in the centre of the defence.

In the second half, Abbeyside added three further goals, one a real cracker from Shane Delahunty who was returning after injury. Overall, this was one of the best performances of the season with all 13 players giving 100% to advance to the next round of the cup.

Goal scorers were Mark Ferncombe (2), Diarmuid Sheehan (1), John Hurney (1), Shane Delahunty (1).

Team: T. Walsh, D. Ferncombe, P. Wade, D. Cahill, H. Morrissey, R. Bannon, M. Barry, J. Hurney, L. Sheehan, D. Sheehan, M. Ferncombe.

Res: S. Delahunty, R. Halpin, (both used second half).

### Golden Goal

Our golden goal on the F.A. Cup Final was a great success. The winning time was 19 minutes 58 seconds. If you have a ticket near this time (i.e. before or after), contact Diana Morrissey, 25 Kyne Park to claim your prize of €200. Thanks to everyone for their great support.

### Pub League

The annual pub league will be starting early in June. The entry forms and rules will be distributed to your local bar this week, so it is time to polish up the old boots again.

### RESULTS

Schoolboys U-16 De La Salle 2 Abbeyside 3.

### FIXTURES

U-16 Abbeyside v Ballinroad 2.15 pm kick off. Monday 29th U-16 Kilmacthomas v Abbeyside at 6.15 pm.

### SINCERE SYMPATHY

To the Burden family on the passing of Tim Burden. Tim was a member of our 3rd division panel. May he rest in peace.

### GET WELL SOON

To Dick Curran who has been very ill as of late. Let's hope to see him up and about again soon.

### LOCAL DERBY

Saturday, we play local rivals Ballinroad at home at 2.15 pm. So let's hope the lads have plenty of support in the field. As they are 3 games away from clinching the under 16 league title.

### VILLAGERS COME THROUGH TOUGH TEST

### De La Salle 2 Abbeyside 3

We started well scoring in the first minute with a neat chip from Crocker three minutes later, slopping defending gave the home team an equaliser. That's the way it stayed for the rest of the first half. We started much better in the second half when Healy gave a superb through ball to O'Mahony to make 2-1. Fifteen minutes later De La Salle pulled level 2-2. Straight from kick off a superb solo effort from Healy made it 3-2 full time.

Team: S. Enright, S. Fehilly, C. Kiely, S. Slater, S. Kearney, J. O'Mahony, E. O'Donnell, J. Healy ©, M. O'Connor, D. Crotty, D. Power, Subs A. Joyce, S. Kinghorn, M. Fehilly. Sub used Joyce for O'Connor 54 mins.

Man of the Match: Jason Healy.

## DUNGARVAN HARBOUR

# SAILING CLUB

### Coaching

The coaching session, held on Monday last, 15th May was a great success. The large fleet kept Toby busy and the improvement in sailing skills was dramatic. Well done everyone. The next coaching session will be held next Monday, 29th May. Meet on slip at 6pm. All welcome.

### Dinghy League

The Dinghy League is well under way. Places are very close which makes for exciting racing. There will be a meeting for parents of dinghy racers in the Clubhouse on Wednesday, 24th May at 9:30pm. All parents please attend.

### Adult Sailing Course

The Adult Sailing Course will run from 12th - 15th June inclusive. Further details soon.

### 60th Anniversary Celebrations

DHSC celebrating 60 years afloat will run from 12th June to 30th June. A full schedule awaits including Adult Sailing Course, Junior Regatta, Midsummer Night Fireworks and Music in the Clubhouse, Photographic exhibition and launch of Club DVD, Junior Sailing and BBQ party, lifeboat and helicopter rescue display, Blessing of boats, etc. Further details coming shortly.

## BRICKEY RANGERS

# G.A.A. NOTES

### BRICKEY MINI LOTTO

The lotto draw was held in Tommy Power's bar on Thursday night last. Numbers drawn were 16-23-25. There was no jackpot winner. 25 euro winners Marie Barry, Helen Nugent, James Cummins (jnr), Patricia Murray. This weeks draw will take place in Bridie Dee's Bar and the jackpot will be 1,400 euro. Tickets only 2 euro each available from any promoter.

### DEISE DRAW

The May draw will take place on Friday night, 26th. All tickets and monies to be in to club coordinator before Thursday night.

### U-21 WESTERN FINAL

We play Stradbally in the U-21 Football Western Final on Saturday 27th May in the Fraher Field.

### TICKETS

Tickets for Munster Hurling Semi Final Waterford v Tipperary on June 4th will be distributed to members on Friday 26th May at 8 pm in Bushy Park. Please be there on the night or contact a member of the executive, as all unused tickets will be returned to the Western Board on Monday, 29th May.

## DUNGARVAN HILLWALKING CLUB



Members of Dungarvan Hillwalking Club, West Waterford Hospice, The No Name Club, The National Council for the Blind, Cappoquin Day Care Centre, Deise Day Care Centre and The South Eastern Mountain Rescue Association, along with representatives of main sponsor GSK Dungarvan, at the launch of the 2006 Comeragh Crossing.

### Launch Of Comeragh Crossing Walk & Challenge

The tenth annual Comeragh Crossing was launched by Dungarvan Hillwalking Club chairman, Peter Mangan, at a reception in The Tudor House, Dungarvan, last week. This year marks the 10th anniversary of the event, a long distance walk from Clonmel to Dungarvan. GSK Dungarvan is main sponsor again this year

and has also contributed a generous supply of Lucozade Sport to make sure everyone has enough energy to make it to the finish. The walk has developed over the years into one of the highlights of the national hillwalking calendar, and has raised more than €100,000 for charity. A third of the proceeds raised

this year will go to West Waterford Hospice, with the remainder being divided among The No Name Club, The National Council for the Blind, Cappoquin Day Care Centre, Deise Day Care Centre and the South Eastern Mountain Rescue Association.

The Comeragh Crossing Committee led by Michael J.

Power has organised a great day on the mountains, catering for walkers of all levels and fitness. Last year we had 200 walkers take part.

For further information, contact: Michael J. Power on 058 42617 or 058 42412. E-mail: info@dungarvanhillwalking.org

## C.L.G An tSean Phobail

### AN SRAITH

D'imríomar Baile Dhuibh íochtar sa sraith ar an Luain. Bhí tosach uafásach againn ach sa dara leath thánamar thar nais. Sa deireadh bhfodar ró-mhaith dúinn. An scór deireadh An Sean Phobail 1-8 Baile Dhuibh 1-11.

We played Ballyduff Lower in the league on Monday. On the night we weren't good enough and one thing we learnt is that we need more training. Everybody be there Thursday night at 7.45.

An Foireann: A. De Paor, P. Ó Céithín, P. Ó Conbhuidhe, R. Ó Turraoin, D. Ó Bhrian, C. Ó Inneadúin, S. Ó Conbhuidhe, T. Ó Cuirrín, T. Ó Mathúna (0-2), R. De Paor (0-1), S. De Paor, Maidhc De Paor (1-0), S. Mac Gearailt (0-1), S. Ó Dhomhnaill, T. De Paor (0-4).

Fir Ionad: S.Uada, L.Ó Muiríosa, B. De Paor, A. Breathnach, M. J. Ó Céithín, B. Ó hÓgáin, K. De Paor, T. Ó Gealbháin

### PEIL NA MBAN

Comhgairdeachas le cailíní An tSean Phobail a bhuaiigh in aghaidh Na Deise sa comórtas faoi 14 ar an Luain. Bhí an scór deireadh An Sean Phobail 2-3, Na Deise 1-4.

### PRIMARY SCHOOL SPORTS

Go n-eirí an t-ádh leis the girls under twelve and the girls over twelve relay teams who will be competing in the primary schools sports county finals this Thursday (25/05/06) in St. Augustine College Grounds, Abbeyside.

### CRUINNIÚ

Tá cruinniú coiste ar an Deardaoin 25/05/06 ag 9.30 i John Paul's.

### MUNSTER CHAMPIONSHIP TICKETS

Tickets for the Munster hurling semi-final between Waterford and Tipperary are available through the club. If you are interested in purchasing a ticket please contact Ann Hogan (058) 43518 as soon as possible.

### SHOCK'S LOTTO 21/05/06

This week's numbers: 5, 12, 22, 23. There was no jackpot winner. Winners of €15 — 1) Paddy Roche, 2) Orla Ní Mhuiríthe, 3) Sharon Ní Dhomhnaill, 4) Sam Reed, 5) Tiernan Ó Muiríthe. Next week's jackpot: €4, 280.00.

## Causeway Tennis Club Notes

### OPEN WEEK

The Tennis Club Open Week will be starting on Sat. 3rd June. The categories for this are Ladies and Mens Doubles and Mixed doubles. Members should get their entries in as soon as possible. There will be a Premier Section and A,B,C and D sections, so all levels are catered for. This is always a very popular tournament with players coming from Waterford, Clonmel, Carrick-on-Suir and other clubs around the Sout East. Members will be asked to help out during the week so if you can provide refreshments or be available some nights during the week to help with the running of the tournament please let the tournament directors know.

### FUN NIGHT

There was a very poor turn out of Club Members for the Fun Night held in the Club on Fri. 12th May. In spite of this and the dodgy weather we did manage to play and those that did play thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The winners on the night were Ted Dipple and Peg Heneberry. These nights are very sociable and good fun so watch the notice board for details of the next one. It doesn't matter if you are a complete beginner or an experienced player you are very welcome on these nights.

### MEMBERSHIP

Membership is now due and all members should have received their forms in the last week or so. Don't forget to get them in to any committee member. Anybody wishing to join should come over to the club any evening and get a form.

## West Waterford Juvenile Athletic Notes

### SUCCESS FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS AT KIT KAT MUNSTER SCHOOLS TRACK AND FIELD

There was plenty of excitement and record-breaking performances on Saturday last when the Kit Kat Munster Schools Track and Field was staged at C.I.T.

Representing Ard Scoil na nDeise, C.B.S, St. Augustine's and St. John's, West Waterford's young athletes were among the medal winners on both the track and field. The programme got under way at 9.30 and the final event concluded at 6.30 so it was a long and busy day of athletic events.

Seven athletes were among the gold medal winners Suzie Lonregan, Patrick Palmer, and Mark Bannon in the Pole Vault, Padraig Healy in the walk, David McCarthy in the 800m, Diarmuid O'Foghlú in the steeplechase all of whom represented St. Augustine's and Kevin Harty (CBS) in the triple jump. Patrick Palmer went on to win silver in both the 100m and the hammer, as did Siobhan Brackett in the Pole Vault.

Bronze medallists included Lisa Houlihan, relay, Meg Fitzgerald, hammer, Aisling Fennel, pole vault, Alan Akehurst, walk, Sean Stilwell, (St Johns), steeplechase and Eadaoin Ashe, (Ard Scoil), discus. All of these athletes' head for Tullamore in two weeks time to compete in the Kit Kat All Ireland Schools Championships.

### PRIMARY SCHOOLS FINALS ON THURSDAY NEXT

All roads lead to the Friary on Thursday when the county final of the Primary School Sport gets under way at 6.30.

Make sure to arrive early, as parking inside will be very limited. The first races sprints for under 8's and under 9's will be lining up at 6.15. This is the highlight of the primary school athletic events for the young boys and girls taking part so we urge all parents to come out on the night and support the young athletes. West Waterford Juvenile and Senior clubs will provide the officials and stewards on the night and we ask all our helpers to arrive early to ensure the smooth running of the event. Despite the bad weather of the last few days the forecast for Thursday is reasonably good so we look forward to an entertaining night with some very close finishing in the sprint events.

## CUNNIGAR PITCH AND PUTT CLUB NOTES

The Munster Ladies Strokeplay Championships were held last Sunday at Collins in Cork. Three of our ladies travelled there and even though they had to play in torrential rain at a course that they had never played at they still did us proud. In 2nd place was Corinne McGee, 4th place Mary O'Neill and 5th place Breda O'Donnell. These ladies are great ambassadors for the club. Well done ladies.

On Sunday 28th at 2pm we are holding a benefit game for Pat O'Leary's family, all are welcome to play this game.

The Inter County trials will be at Cunnigar on Monday evening at 7pm. The Inter County club scramble will be on Thursday, 25th at Cunnigar. This will be the last of the six games which have been a huge success.

Committee meeting tonight (Wednesday) at 7pm. All committee members are asked to attend as this is a busy time of the year.

Congratulations to Mary Donnelly's son David and Cait Mulcahy's daughter Michelle when they married last Friday. All the best for the future.



Munster Strokeplay Championship Winners — Photo shows Cunnigar Pitch And Putt Club members who played in the Munster Championship at Collins in Cork last Sunday — (l. to r.) Mary O'Neill (4th), Corinne McGee (2nd) and Breda O'Donnell (5th).



## BALLINROAD A.F.C. NOTES

### Wonderful Sponsorship From Gentleman's Corner Hairdressers



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The committee and players of Ballinroad Soccer Club are deeply indebted to Stephen and Ursula Whelan of Gentleman's Corner Hairdressers, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan for their presentation of a set of playing gear to the club. We wish Stephen and Ursula every success in their business venture and we would like to see members of our club supporting them. Sponsored set of **At the presentation were (l. to r.) Ger Beresford, Team Manager, Paul Hayes, Michael Fraher Jr., Vincent Tobin, Club Chairman, Ursula and Stephen Whelan, Proprietors Gentlemens Corner (sponsors), Maurice Tobin and Michael Fraher, Club PRO.** (Sean Byrne Photography)

### INFIRMARY CUP MATCH REPORT

# Ballinroad Bow Out After Wonderful Comeback

**BALLINROAD 3  
KILMACTHOMAS 3**  
(Kilmacthomas Win On Penalties)

The story of this game goes back to the oldest cliché in football, namely, you have to take your chances. Ballinroad created at least seven chances and netted three while Kilmac' got what you could call three half chances and took them all.

A strong cross field wind made things difficult for both sides who gave all they had in their bid to reach the cup semi final. Ballinroad had the best of the early exchanges but were dealt a sucker blow in the 30th minute when a mistimed clearance landed at the feet of Anthony Power and from all of forty yards he lobbed the ball past the home keeper.

Ballinroad continued to mount attack after attack but could not apply the finishing touch to good outfield play. Kilmac' always looked danger-

ous on the break and stunned the homeside with their second goal in the 70th minute. Ballinroad still had chances but when the visitors netted a magnificent third goal in the 82nd minute, they seemed well on their way to the semi final (well some of us who left the ground thought so anyway).

Ballinroad came back from two goals down against Bohs in the last round but on Wednesday evening last staged an unbelievable comeback scoring three times in a six minute spell. Philip Coles whipped in the first goal and when Maurice Tobin got the second Kilmac' were suddenly on the rack. The homeside threw everything into one last effort and Paul Hayes was on hand to force the ball home and take the game into a penalty shootout.

Unfortunately there was no fairy tale ending for Ballinroad as Kilmacthomas won the shoot out 4-3. Whilst defeat was their lot.

Ballinroad have put in a great effort throughout the season and look forward with optimism to next season. Ger Beresford took over as manager to get the team working and

the club are proud and delighted that we have someone whose aim is to push forward and get this team playing 1st Division football.

Ballinroad — S. Raheer, D. Keohan, P. Coles, M. Coles, M. Tobin, W. Morrissey, P. Hayes, J. Rio, R. Hayes, C. Foley, P. Lennon. Res: M. Fraher, D. Hickey.

## Roy Keane Testimonial



▲ Pictured above is Eddie Dee and Club President John O'Shea after Manchester United's last home game of the season against Charlton.

← Pictured over are Rita Brennan, Breda Sheehan, Kathleen Young and Jonathan Sheehan enjoying themselves in the "Theatre of Dreams" prior to the Roy Keane Testimonial on May 9.

### Ballinroad A.F.C. Pitch Development Lotto Draw

Results of draw held on 21st May - Numbers drawn were 3-8-9-16. No jackpot winner. New jackpot is €2,300. Winners of €20 each were Declan Boland, Claire Kennedy, Eamonn Hogan. Sellers prize went to Maurice Terry. Next draw will be held in Maguire's Pub, Ballinroad on Monday, 5th June.

We thank you for your support.

## Club Grounds

Great credit is due to Vincent Tobin for all the effort he puts into keeping our pitch in such wonderful condition. This pitch is a wonderful amenity for the youth of the area and we would ask them to treat it and the property on it which has cost thousands of hard earned money with the respect it deserves.

### F.A.I. JUNIOR CUP

## Well Done To Waterford Crystal

Waterford Crystal have done football in Waterford Junior League proud on Saturday last when they won the F.A.I. Junior Cup in Galway. 624 teams started out in this competition making it the biggest cup competition in Europe. Also good luck to all of Waterford's under age sides who are in the All Ireland finals.

## MANCHESTER UNITED SUPPORTERS CLUB

### WATERFORD BRANCH

#### End Of Season Meeting

Friday night last we had our final meeting of the season. Big thanks to all our members for the season gone and there will be no shortage of football to keep us ticking over with the World Cup.

#### New Season

It was agreed at Friday's meeting that our membership will stay the same as the previous four, that is E10 for adults and E5 for juniors. Due to the rise in ticket prices in Old Trafford next season, tickets will be E60 for adults and E30 for juniors.

We now sit and wait on the fixture lists in approx. 6 weeks time and hope to get what we apply for.

#### Enjoy The Break

The committee as well as the members will enjoy the short break to re-charge the batteries for the new season.

#### Birthday Boy

Belated birthday wishes to Branch Chairman Pat Grant Snr who was 21 again recently!



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# Dungarvan United A.F.C. Notes

## LOTTO JACKPOT REACHES €5,300

Jackpot E5,100. Numbers drawn were 2-26-29. No winner. €25 went to Annie O'Shea and Susan Delaney. Next Sunday, 28th Jackpot is €5,300 and draw will take place in Enterprise Bar at 10pm.

Give yourself a chance of winning by getting your tickets from the usual outlets. Tickets can be bought in the Enterprise Bar, Bridie Dee's, Gows and John Keane's or from any committee member. Thank you for your continued support.

## SCHOOLBOY RESULTS AND FIXTURES

### Under-16 League

Dungarvan 2 Tramore 1

**Thursday, 25th May Kick off 6:15pm.**

Under-13 League v Ferrybank (Away).

## SCHOOLBOY ROUND UP

Our U-16's under Pat Mulcahy had a fine 2-1 win at home to Tramore last Monday. Gavin and Trevor Crotty were our goalscorers.

## DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C. SOCCER ACADEMY PROFILE



Pictured above this week in our Academy Profile is Jack Lacey. Jack is very keen to learn the skills and is a very definite one to watch out for in the future.

Name:	<b>Jack Lacey</b>
Age:	8
School:	Brothers
Fav. Team:	Liverpool
Fav. Player:	Steven Gerrard
Fav. Position:	Midfield

## JUNIOR ROUND UP

Our Ardagh Cup semi final v Villa is on hold following an appeal being heard on a minor technicality. Let's hope that common sense prevails from the league and that the winners from this tie can contest the final (v Carrick) in the coming weeks.

## RIBENA 5-A-SIDE SCHOOLS TOURNAMENT

The above takes place tomorrow, Thursday 25th May on our astro turf. Schools from around the county will contest to be overall County winners.

## COMMITTEE MEETING

Tonight, Wednesday 23rd at 8pm.

## CONGRATULATIONS

To Pat Kelly (Waterford Schoolboys League) on being appointed Chairman of the S.F.A.I. Pat has been always a great help to Dungarvan United and has done tremendous work for the Waterford Schoolboy League.

Thanks to Francie and David Walsh for attending on behalf of the club.

Also congratulations to Waterford Crystal on winning the F.A.I. Junior Cup on Saturday evening defeating Athenry 1-0 A.E.T.

## SFAI A.G.M.

The SFAI A.G.M. took place in W.I.T. on Saturday, the main talking point was the popular appointment of Pat Kelly as Chairman. Thanks to Ross and Francie for attending the event.

## WATERFORD SCHOOLBOYS A.G.M.

Takes place on Thursday, June 22nd in Waterford Crystal Sports Centre at 7:30pm. Any schoolboy manager or committee member are entitled to attend this meeting.

## FAI PEPSI SUMMER CAMP

The FAI Pepsi Soccer camp will be held in Dungarvan Utd on 29th July and August this year. For bookings ring 1890653653/1890 OLE OLE or online at www.FAI.ie.

## ASTRO TURF

For bookings or queries contact Billy Walsh on 087-0557015.

## ACADEMY

Our Academy takes place every Saturday 1.30 -2.30 pm for boys and girls. Fee 2 euro.

## PREMIER MANAGER

If you fancy the job of premier manager for the coming season apply in writing to the club secretary Owen Simms, 24 Cluain na Greine, Abbeyside, Dungarvan.

## AWARDS NITE

Due to our involvement in the Ardagh Cup details of our annual awards nite are still not finalised. More details next week.

## FORTY YEARS OF BLUES

# Rolling Back The Years!!



Under-11 Cup Winners 1990 — Photo shows back row (l. to r.) L. Simms (manager), D. Kelleher, K. Whelan, M. Power, K. Walsh (Capt), P. Foley, C. Hayes. Front row (l. to r.) A. Harty, O. Morrissey, V. Sullivan, B. Crotty, D. Keating.



Photo shows Kevin Walsh (Capt) receiving Under-11 Cup from Jimmy Sheehan (Waterford Schoolboy League). Also in photo Liam Simms, manager and Matt Hayes (Asst. Manager) in background, both past Dungarvan Utd. stalwarts.

## Interested?

Following the forward development of our new dressing rooms, we find that our well equipped portocabins are surplus to requirement. Those cabins contain four dressing rooms approximately 10' x 10' each. There are two shower rooms with five showers in each room, toilet sink and radiator. The cabins are completely wired for electricity, fully plumbed. Viewing can be arranged by phoning 087-6104212 at any time for interested parties. Quick sale is hoped for and any reasonable offer will be considered by the management committee of Dungarvan United A.F.C.



# W.W.E.C.

West Waterford/East Cork Junior League



## Looking Back At The Div. Two Highs And Lows

This week we conclude our look back at how all the teams competed in the three divisions when we analyse the displays of the eight teams that comprised the Kenneally Rochford Associates Ltd. 2nd Division.

The 2nd division has been noted through the past few years for close finishes for the two promotion places and games of high scoring results. This season was no different with 219 goals scored, but Lismore set a scorching pace from the very start, and Clashmore their nearest challengers and it came as no surprise when both were promoted.

Lismore made promotion their goal for the season as they finished one point behind the promoted sides the previous season in 3rd place. Drawing their 1st league game, they then set a blistering pace and from the 23rd October they headed the league table to the end of the season. They set a marker down on 25th September defeating Clashmore in Clashmore by 4gls to 1 goal. Like Ardmore and Valley Rangers Lismore went through the league undefeated, winning promotion with one league game remaining. Reporting on some of their games we wrote they were like a breath of fresh air to the league with their style of play and their total commitment and dedication to winning promotion. They won many admirers by their display in winning the Bolger Plate Final, defeating Blackwater Rgs at Modeligo on St Stephen's Day by 2 gls to nil, and while many felt this cup win might distract their league aspirations in their remaining games, manager Tommy Pratt made sure this young team kept their feet on the ground and they went on to achieve their goal of promotion.

Eddie Pollard had the distinction of winning the Golden Boot for the 2nd consecutive year, as did Nicky Donnelly from the premier team, surely a record in itself. Eddie shared the award with Shane Troy, Modeligo on 14 gls each.

### LISMORE B ALSO WON THE TEAM OF THE MONTH AWARD FOR NOVEMBER 2005

Clashmore kept the pressure on Lismore throughout the winter and at the halfway stage it became evident that the promotion race was between the top two with Modeligo waiting for a slip up which never happened.

Clashmore were defeated by Lismore in their 2nd league game and from this to the end of the season they were playing catch up to the winners. In the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup 1st rd cup, holders Ardmore were visitors and in a thrilling finish the seasiders came out on top, just, by the odd goal of seven. In the Liam Fitzgerald Cup Clashmore defeated Lismore in the 2nd rd before defeating Valley Rgs in the semi final in a penalty shoot out and then faced Mogeely in the final at Inch. Despite going 2 gls down Clashmore fought back when they scored but could not get the equalising goal that would bring the game to extra time, but they proved with this display that they will hold their own in 1st division next season. Backed by a hard working committee, led by Pat O'Rourke, the future does look bright for Clashmore who also won team of

the month for December.

Cappoquin finished 5 points behind Clashmore and were one of the teams we tipped at the start of the season that would battle for promotion. A bad start that saw them lose 3 of their opening 5 games made it very difficult for them to make up ground for the rest of the season, and at one stage they slipped down to the bottom three at the end of November, early December. However January saw them improve as they pulled themselves up the table and their displays won them the team of the month award for January. But by this time Lismore and Clashmore had opened up a lead which was impossible to claw back.

In the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup they defeated premier side Kilworth in the 1st round and then in an absolute thriller defeated An Ghaeltacht in a penalty shoot out. Their biggest scalp had to be the defeat of cup traditionalists Lismore in Lismore in another penalty shoot out. In their club local derby Cappoquin A proved too strong winning by three goals to nil, while in the Bolger Cup the A team also came out on top in another club derby. So as Cappoquin look back on the season they can take comfort that many of their players have gained much experience and the team will be much stronger next season.

Bride View finished the season in mid table the same as the previous year. They had a good start to the season when they reached the penultimate round of the Bolger Cup, losing to the eventual winners Accrington Celtic in a penalty shoot out after the sides finished one goal each, and the same fate befell them in the Liam Fitzgerald cup losing another penalty shoot out, this time to Cappoquin. In the 2nd round of the Dungarvan Tyre Centre we had a local club derby with the A team coming out on top by 3 gls to nil. Bride View's youth and under age policy does appear to be strengthening their senior league teams, starting with this team in the 2nd division. It is only through a season of league football that young players can gain experience and that experience will eventually pay off. Bride View have been noted for the hard working committee they possess, and with the amount of work and time that is given week after week on and off the field of play, it can only be a matter of time before the trophies start making their way to Bride View Park again.

Modeligo, relegated the previous season, were tipped at the start of the season to be strong contenders for promotion and in the first few weeks they proved us correct and looked as if they would jump straight back up as they led the table for the five opening league games until 23rd October when the eventual winners, Lismore, took over. They held 2nd spot until the end of December when Clashmore leapfrogged them and in the final few games slipped to 5th place in the table. Mogeely defeated them twice in two cup competitions, while Castlebridge surprised them in the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup, and this really was a turning point in their season as they never recovered after this defeat. A club we have the greatest respect for as they have supplied the league with referees and league officers down through the years, and are still doing so, and of course were one of the four founding



Pictured above are the jubilant Lismore (B) side with the Kenneally Rochford Associates Ltd. Div. Two trophy.

members of the league back in 1972. Modeligo, with a strong committee behind them, will, we know be back to the fore again in the next season, and in Shane Troy they have a prolific goal scorer who tied with Eddie Pollard, Lismore, for the golden Boot on 14 goals each.

Glen View finished the season in the same position as last year, in 6th position. Like Affane, they had one of the youngest squads in the division, with many of their players only in their 2nd season of league football. Paddy Tobin was very disappointed with some of the results, as he told us, with experience they could have been picking up points instead of losing them. They played in two of the cup competitions, losing in the first round of both competitions. But it does take young players time for the transition from youth to junior football and regardless of the standard of competition it does apply across the board. A club with a proud tradition and similar to Modeligo in supplying the league with officers of the league, Glen View can look forward to next season with their young players more experienced for the season.

Affane, did not have the best of seasons finishing 2nd last in the table as we write our notes as the bottom team still has a game to play, and depending on that result, the bottom two positions could change. They suffered heavy defeats in the three cup competitions, twice to Mogeely and once to Araglen. In a local cup derby they defeated neighbours Glen View, but in the league could only muster up two victories. Fielding a very young team throughout the campaign, the experience gained can only help those players for the rigours of league football every Sunday, and like their neighbours Modeligo, one of the longest serving clubs in the league and we hope to see them back in the top flight in the not too distant future.

The Castlebridge Celtic club entered a team, playing competitive league football for the first time, in this division and managed by Gene and Joe, this very inexperienced team had just one league victory, while they shocked Modeligo in The Dungarvan Tyre

## W.W.E.C. League Table

KENNEALLY ROCHFORD ASSOCIATES LTD. DIVISION TWO

Lismore	14	12	2	0	45	14	38
Clashmore	14	9	1	4	44	21	28
Cappoquin	14	7	2	5	30	24	23
Brideview	13	6	2	5	29	29	20
Modeligo	14	6	2	6	22	26	20
Glenview	14	4	3	7	18	20	15
Affane	14	2	1	11	20	37	7
Castlebridge	13	1	2	10	11	48	5

Centre Cup 1st round and then defeated Inch B in the next round before the eventual winners Mogeely, easily defeated them. We were impressed by many of their players but it was obvious they needed league experience, and the past season can only benefit them.

So that is our look back at the season in the 2nd division and concludes our annual roundup at the end of the season of all 24 teams who comprised the three divisions. As we always state, the comments are our own, as we saw the various teams play, and from August to April we saw some excellent games with some teams playing to a very high standard, and this standard has been remarked on by other leagues.

Next season will be a whole new ball game again and much will depend on the league's restructure to see how many of the clubs fare. But that is for another day.

Finally, we would like to thank most sincerely all those in the clubs who phoned in the results each Sunday evening and gave us a report of the games which we are so grateful for. Many went out of their way in helping us with results and reports and we say a special thanks to our colleague Liam for all his help especially when we take a weekend off, Killarney is beautiful, isn't it Liam?

Hopefully we will have the same help and co-operation again next season from all the clubs, for without their Sunday evening help we would not be able to compile our notes.



**W.W.E.C.**  
West Waterford/East Cork Junior League

## Congrats' To Waterford Crystal

Through our notes we would like to congratulate Waterford Crystal in winning the Staoil FAI Junior Cup on Saturday night last at Terryland Park, Galway, where they defeated Athenry FC by 1 goal to nil in extra time.

We were privileged to be present and can report the game was a wonderful advertisement for junior football, played before a very large attendance and both teams must be praised for a very sporting final.

The game was played at a fast pace throughout which spoke volumes for the level of fitness of the players, and Lismore will recall the fitness levels of the Crystal when they played at the Castle Farm Grounds last February, winning by 3 gls to nil.

Saturday night last in the heartland of the opposition they made up for their losing display last year to Westport and while at the end of a scoreless 90 minutes, extra time saw the tempo drop slightly and when substitute Jason Halloran got the all important goal with 6 minutes remaining Waterford had to defend for the final few minutes of extra time, and held out they did and the excitement was unbelievable when League President Pat Whiddy presented the cup to captain Paul Wyse.

The man of the match award went to Joe Watson who Lismore will remember only too well. On Saturday he gave another magnificent display.

### S.F.A.I. AGM

## Kelly Takes The Chair

Waterford man Pat Kelly has taken over as Chairman of the S.F.A.I. for the next two years. Pat has been involved in schoolboy football all his life and it's a terrific honour for the Waterford Schoolboy League and for everyone involved in football.

Because of the huge crowd attending the AGM it was switched from the Tower Hotel to the W.I.T. College. It was the biggest crowd ever to attend an S.F.A.I. AGM. They came from all parts of the country which no doubt made the new chairman Pat Kelly a happy man.

The Welcome address was made by the Mayor of Waterford Councillor Hilary Quinlan, Acting Hon. Secretary Martin O'Hanlon was elected to the post of Honorary Secretary beating off the challenge of Bob Smith.

Michael Flaherty remains as Hon. Treasurer. This I believe is his 19th year which shows that people are more than pleased with Michael. Michael O'Brien is the new Vice Chairman.

Outgoing Chairman Fran Ray who completed his third term in the role came in for much praise from the delegates for the way he carried out his duties. Fran thanked everyone and wished Pat the best of luck for the coming two years. Kelly will have his own ideas on how the schoolboys leagues should go in the future. We wish Pat the best of luck in the coming two years.

## WEST WATERFORD/EAST CORK LADIES SOCCER LEAGUE

# Ladies League Kicks-Off In June

Mary P. Pratt will be hoping to do better this season and have strengthened their squad this year.

Ballybridge Utd under Claire O'Driscoll and Sinead O'Donoghue are adding some new faces to their squad while Lismore are in training and Carl Landers is looking forward to this season with confidence having secured extra players.

Tramore could be the dark horses as it were this season. A big squad of players here and no doubt they will be hoping to get the season off to a winning start.

The ladies league will kick off on June 22nd which is a Thursday evening and all games will take place on Thursdays. Seven clubs have entered the league spreading from Ballybridge to Tramore.

No doubt many will be looking to Modeligo to see how they fare this season after their very successful one last season.

Shane Reddy, manager will no doubt be hoping he can pull off the double this season.

Kilmacthomas will also hope that John Power will have a full and fit squad again this season and go one better than last season.

Brideview Utd under coach Frank Power, trainer Georgina Cunningham and Manager

## WEST WATERFORD/EAST CORK SCHOOLBOY LEAGUE

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### UNDER-12 B LEAGUE

# An Gaeltacht Win A Thriller

### VALLEY RANGERS 2 AN GAELTACHT 3

A five goal thriller in Conna on Saturday last. An Gaeltacht are the league champions and in this their final league game they were made fight all the way by a gallant Valley Rangers.

Rangers scorers here were David Martin and Pa Roche while Lorcan O Cuirrin, Fergal O Cuirrin and Mike French replied for An Gaeltacht. Well done to An Gaeltacht.

Presentation  
Brian Donnelly, Chairman of the School-

boy League presented the shield and medals to An Gaeltacht. Brian thanked both teams for a very sporting game and congratulated An Gaeltacht for winning their division.

### FIXTURES FOR NEXT SATURDAY MAY 27TH IN TALLOV'

**U-11 Cup Final**  
Ardmore v Cappelquin, kick off 2 pm. Ref. R. Barrett.

**U-14 League Cup Final**  
Brideview Utd v Ardmore, kick off 3.15 pm. Ref. R. Barrett.

## WATERFORD COMMUNITY GAMES U-12 COUNTY SOCCER FINAL

# Ardmore Defeat Stradbally In Fantastic Final

The final was between Stradbally and Ardmore. The game was held at Ballinroad and many thanks for the use of their superb facilities. The game started at a frenetic pace with both sides giving their all from the kick off the game was from end to end with many opportunities and breath taking football for any age let alone U-12.

Ardmore scored first then Stradbally equalised though Philip Curran but before half time Ardmore were in the lead again from a well struck free kick from just outside the 18 yard box.

The second half was even better than the first with 5 more goals 2 from Ardmore 3 from Stradbally scores Ryan Philips, Eoin O'Brien and Philip Curran Stradbally. There was never

more than 1 goal in it but Ardmore scored first then Stradbally would equalise, the final score at full time was 4-4.

The game went to extra time in which Stradbally scored first and took the lead for the first time in the match through Ger Crowley but as you came to expect from this game in the second half of extra time Ardmore struck back with a goal of their own to take the match to a penalty shoot out.

The penalty shoot out has to produce a winner. With both keepers doing an amazing job in such a large goal for their age and both saving a penalty each it went to sudden death. Ardmore stepped up and scored Stradbally didn't so after a great match Ardmore won 5-4 on penalties.

Good luck to Declan Nick

and the Ardmore team in the Munster final and hope they can repeat their all Ireland victory of last year.

With a final note on the match Ardmore were the winners of the match but in all honesty the real winner was schoolboy soccer as all the supporters, of which there were many. Parents, friends and family, were treated to a game of soccer I would pay to watch even before any of the big matches you would watch any Saturday on the TV, of which the players who took part must watch, but to there credit only took the good positive part of the game and played it like gentlemen, but with passion. Congratulations to all the players on both side the coaches for a fantastic special of soccer.

# Summer Soccer League Kicks-Off In June

The league are holding a tournament during the summer for clubs who asked the league for football during the summer. At a meeting last week six clubs put their names forward and this tournament will kick off on the 10th June.

It will run two nights a week with Wednesday and Saturdays the evenings chosen by the league.

### KICK OFF TIMES

The kick off times will be as follows; Wednesday's 7.30 and Saturdays 7 pm.

The fixtures for the opening games are; Saturday June 10th, kick off 7 pm, all games.

Lismore v Inch

Castlebridge Celtic v Clashmore Ramblers

Brideview Utd v Blackwater Rangers.

Registration Forms will be sent to all clubs this week. Return a.s.a.p. with entry fee of 50 euro.

## PRESENTATION TIME

It is that time of the year again when the victorious clubs hold their presentation night and the players receive their trophies. We are told Lismore are holding theirs this Friday night and Clashmore are likewise the following night. We hope both clubs have enjoyable nights.

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A reminder to all clubs that the Annual General Meeting of the WWEC Junior League will take place at The Red House Bar Lismore on Wednesday 7th June at 8.30 pm.





Waterford GAA Golf Classic hosted by Dungarvan Golf Club. Photo shows front row (l. to r.) Seamus Grant, Secretary Waterford Co Board, Pat Flynn, Chairman Waterford Co. Board, Eoin Murphy, Eugene Power (team winners), Paul Flynn's Bar, Roger O'Connor, President Dungarvan Golf Club, Back row (centre) Emer Barry, Secretary Waterford GAA Golf Classic Committee. Also included are other prize winners. Missing from photo Paul Flynn and Tom Fives (team winners). Photo Pat Crowley

# Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

## DUNGARVAN GENTS RESULTS

11/05/06 Ulster Bank Singles S'ford - 1. Rev J. Condon (Waterford) 31; 2nd Neil O'Connor (15) 30 pts; CSS 34 Non Counting.

**WATERFORD GAA CLASSIC RESULTS** - 1st Paul Flynn (2), E. Power (8), T. Fives (11), E. Murphy (15) 100 pts; 2nd Cappoquin GAA: J. McGrath (1), E. Costin (18), M. Power (19), N. Landers (16) 98 pts; 3rd Comeragh Oil: J. Moroney (8), R. Hyde (16), J. Ryan (11), Ash Fennell (17) 95pts; 4th FDC Accounts: V. Hayes (11), T. Hayes (27), Pat Fitzgerald (20), F. Fitzgerald (23) 94 pts; 5th Lismore GAA: J. Howard (15), J. O'Gorman (16), J. Whelan (13), C. Barry (12) 93 pts; 6th Dungarvan Golf Club: M.L. Leacey (5), D. Verling (11), T. Quinlan (8), A. Butler (14) 91pts. B9

## DUNGARVAN GENTS FIXTURES

Tues 23rd - Weds 24th International Classic Thurs. 25th Ulster

Bank Open Singles, Fri 26th Invitation Scramble Sat 27th 18h S'Ford Purcell Shield Sun 28th JF Rawlins Trophy 18 h S'Ford/ Purcell Shield.

## DUNGARVAN LADIES RESULTS

Sam McCauley Open Singles 16th May - 1. Louise Fleming (13) 39; 2. Mary Kyne (From Carmel O'Brien) (12) 37; Gross Irene Lynch (5) 29; Best Visitor Frances Carroll (29) 32 pts; CSS 74.

## DUNGARVAN LADIES FIXTURES

Fri 19th - Invitation Scramble. Sat 20th - 18h S'ford. Tues 30th - Ruffles Boutique Open 18h 3 Person Rumble.

## GOOD LUCK

Best wishes and good luck to our intermediate cup team in Muskerry who are playing in the third of the leagues.

## THE FRIDAY EVENING SCRAMBLE RETURNS

The Friday evening scramble or-

ganised by our mens and ladies vice-captains has been running again for the last two weeks. This is great fun an a good opportunity to meet your fellow golfers so come along this Friday at 6.30p.m. for the draw.

## CAPTAIN'S PRIZE TIMESHEET

Our Captain Donal Williams holds his prize weekend on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th of June. The time sheets have now been posted and have been quickly filling up so eligible members interested in playing please ring the office or Pro Shop on 44707. We wish Donal the best of luck for his forthcoming weekend.

## CLUB SMART CARD PROMOTION

The Club are promoting an offer to enhance the usage of smart cards. Members can avail of smart card credit, an annual lotto ticket and greenfees for a special discounted rate. Contact the office for more details. Offer valid until end

of June.

## SIXTY.COM:

Results 10th May: 1st Sean de Paor (20) 21pts. Best Lady Margaret O'Donnell (14) 18. Best Gent Jack Elstead (15) 21pts. Next comp at 2p.m. on 17th.

## FIFTY SOMETHING

Results 10th May: 1st Breda Conway (30) 18pts. Next comp at 2p.m. on 17th. We need to see more people for this competition - please come along.

High Handicap Results: 9 Hole S'Ford 15.05.06 1st Pat McGovern 2nd Tony Dalton (19) 22 pts - 2 Note Winner carries 2 penalty points Runner up carries 1 penalty point.

## A NOTE FROM THE PRO

If you think that your child could be the next Tiger Woods or Michelle Wie, then enrol now in the Young Masters Golf Programme for expert tuition. The 10 week course starts on Saturday 27th May. Information available from the pro shop 058 44707.

## INTERNATIONAL CLASSIC

Dungarvan Golf Club is delighted to be one of the clubs this week hosting the Dungarvan International Classic alongside The Gold Coast and West Waterford. We are very appreciative of the generous sponsorship of Michael Ryan Saltan Properties Ltd who are the main sponsors of the event and alongside Bulmers. We are pleased to welcome teams old and new from all over Ireland and the U.K who are taking part in this exciting event. We wish everyone taking part the best of luck for the next few days. Presentations and nightly entertainment are scheduled at 9.30 p.m Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights during the week. Full details are available on the presentation night and entertainment guides distributed around the golf clubs, hotels, and supporting pubs and restaurants.

## DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB MINI LOTTO

Week Ending: 14/05/2006 - Numbers drawn were 5, 6, 7, 10 No Winner. €15 winners: Margurite Norris, c/o Pat Norris, Len Bell, Boatstand, Anestown, Mrs Walsh, c/o Monica (Des), Fergal O'Dowd, Kilworth, Co. Cork, Pakie Lynch, c/o C. Terry. Next weeks jackpot €2,100.00 Next Draw 28th May 2006 Thank you for your support.

## CLUB CONTACT DETAILS

Clubhouse 058 43310 Pro Shop Timesheets 058 44707



Dungarvan Golf Club Ballinacourty Cup (sponsored by David Walsh Office and Schools Supplies) - Photo front row (l. to r.) Owen O'Mahoney (2nd), John Walsh (winner), Donal Williams, Captain. Back row (l. to r.) Tom Melody accepting Gross Prize for Tom Melody Jnr., Roger O'Connor, President, Jim Harty (3rd). (Photo: Pat Crowley)

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# LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

**Results** - Tuesday Bacon - 1st: Paul McCarthy, Stephen Hales and John McGrath 44pts L6.

**Fixtures** - Tuesday Bacon. Thursday, 25th Pierce Purcell versus Dungarvan in Waterford Castle. Tee off 3:30pm. Friday, 26th Open Qualifier sponsored by Golden Meadows. Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th M.J. O'Brien Trophy, 18 Hole Stroke. Club Singles, Four Ball and Mixed Match Plays sponsored by Goldcrop Ltd. Timesheets currently posted in Clubhouse.

Last Sunday 12 Hole competition was cancelled due to bad weather. So let's hope next weekend the M.J. O'Brien trophy goes ahead with good weather.

**Open Qualifier** - Our Friday Open Qualifier sponsored by Golden Meadows continues so please put your name on timesheet posted in clubhouse.

**Pierce Purcell** - This Thursday we take on near neighbours Dungarvan in the above competition. Let's hope the weather will be good and the golf better. Will team be in Waterford G.C. no later than 3pm as first match starts at 3:30pm sharp. Best of luck.

**Club Championship** - The Clubs Singles fourball and mixed sheets are posted in locker room, so please get your names and partners name on the sheets. Draw will take place on 28th May.

**Jimmy Bruen** - On Wednesday, 4th June we have a Bruen practice in Tramore. Tee off time is 5:30pm sharp. Check notice board or ask Paddy or Paul for details.

## LISMORE LADIES GOLF CLUB NOTES

**Fixtures** - Wednesday, 24th May 18 Hole Stableford sponsored by Tallow Area Credit Union. Mixed Friday 26th May at 6:45pm for 7:00pm. Golden Meadows Qualifier Friday 26th May. Monday, 29th May 9 Hole draw at 6:45pm.



# Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Notes

## ENDA DONNELLY 1st AGAIN IN O'MAHONEY CYCLES & NURSERY SUMMER SERIES



Following up on his win last week, Enda Donnelly passed Padraig de Burca on the line to take his second win of the summer series on Wednesday last. A good crowd assembled despite the windy and wet weather and fast paced racing ensued. The 1st and 2nd groups combined to hold off the 3rd and 4th groups however despite that only 3 minutes separated 1st and last place at the end of 40 km. Following in Enda and Padraig were Vincent Tutty, Keith Radley and John Flynn.

The results table is now starting to get interesting but there are still plenty of weeks left to change things around. This handicap event has 6 more weeks to run. It is held over the 40km Millstreet circuit with cyclists sent off in groups, newer cyclists first followed in order of ability. Points are awarded for 1st to 5th however all who finish are guaranteed a minimum of 5 points. Sign on is at 6.30 with 1st cyclists off at 6.45 tonight. Thank you to everyone who has arrived promptly for the last two weeks. This has allowed things to run smoothly. Thanks once again to our sponsors Siobhan and Tony O'Mahony.

### May 17th 2006. O'Mahony Cycles & Nursery Summer Series 2006

Place	Name	Total	Wk 1	Wk 2
1	Enda Donnelly	20	10	10
2	Pádraig de Búrca	14	5	9
3	Davy Tobin	13	8	5
3	Vincent Tutty	13	5	8
5	Kieth Radley	12	5	7
5	Michael Moloney	12	7	5
7	Frank Browne	11	6	5
7	John Flynn	11	5	6
9	Benny Flynn	10	5	5
9	Brett Lynam	10	5	5
9	Brian Collins	10	5	5
9	Brian Whyte	10	5	5
9	Damien Travers	10	5	5
9	Pat Kenealy	10	5	5
9	Ray Dwyer	10	5	5
9	Richie Power	10	5	5
17	Frank O'Rourke	9	9	
18	Aisling O'Shea	5	5	
18	Brian Truman	5	5	
18	Colin Organ	5		5
18	Dane Power	5		5
18	Dermot Hickey	5	5	
18	Eamonn Phelan	5	5	
18	Eoin O'Riordan	5	5	
18	Hugh Mulhearn	5		5
18	Justin Coonan	5	5	
18	Kieran Russell	5	5	
18	Mark Power	5		5
18	Martin O'Hagan	5		5
18	Michael Curran	5	5	
18	Tony Murray	5	5	
18	Tony O'Mahony	5		5

### WEEKEND SPIN

Last Saturday saw a small group head to Lismore, Ballyduff and home via Camphire. Out enjoying the weather were Frank Browne, Frank O'Rourke, Colin Organ, Keith Radley, Enda Donnelly, Richie Power and Padraig de Burca. Sunday unfortunately was a wash out with torrential rain and no spin took place.

Next weekend's spins both leave at 9.30am. On Saturday from John Foley's Garage, Kiltrush and Sunday from the Square.

### FBD INSURANCE RAS

The FBD Insurance Ras is taking place this week. This is a UCI Ranked race and continues until next Sunday the 28th. The field includes local Senior 1 and 2 cyclists as well as international competitors. Cian Power, winner of last weeks Kelly Pharmacy Race in Dungarvan is also taking part.

### BEGINNERS GROUP

The Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Beginners Programme continues next Sunday the 28th of May at 9.30 am from the Square. The group is open to all new cyclists and speed and distance are agreed on the morning at a gentle pace. Come along with your bike (racing or mountain), helmet, food and water and just a little enthusiasm. Support and advice will be given this week by Rory Wyley.

### CLUB WEBSITE

Don't forget the club web site for results, photos and results archive: [www.dungarvancyclingclub.org](http://www.dungarvancyclingclub.org).

## WATERFORD SPORTS PARTNERSHIP

# Meave Leads By Example In Promoting Physical Activity For Older Adults



Following the success of the inaugural Sports Festival last year, Waterford Sports Partnership held their second Sports Festival for older adults in the Faithlegg House Hotel, Faithlegg on Monday, 15th May.

A special celebration took place for Physical Activity Leader Meave Clancy from Dungarvan who not only received her certificate for completion of all 8 leadership workshops but who also celebrated her 80th birthday recently. She is an inspiration to everyone with her positive attitude towards physical activity and her dedication to the weekly Thursday morning activities in Dungarvan Sports Centre.

Frank Fahey and Margaret O'Keeffe from Go for Life facilitated the day with over 50 participants enjoying activities such as Botcha, Target Golf, Marbles, Walking, Sit Fit activities, Parachute games and Line Dancing. The day was a huge success with many of the participants already looking forward to next year's event. Following the activities participants enjoyed a beautiful meal during which a raffle for t-shirts

and bags took place. A special spot prize sponsored by Faithlegg House Hotel was awarded to Finbarr O'Mahoney (Waterford Probus) for his expert demonstrations during the target golf sessions.

Representatives from the following 18 groups participated in the festival: Ardmore/Grange ICA; Assisi House; Ballymacarby ICA; Clonea Power ICA; Comeragh ARA; Deise ARA; Dolmen ARA; Dungarvan CDP; Dungarvan Probus; Waterford IFA; Knockboy ICA; Le Cheile Probus; Probus Waterford; St. Josephs Hospital; Coiste na Seanóirí; Tramore ARA; Tramore ICA and Waterford ARA.

On the day, Frank Fahey presented certificates to 3 PALS (Physical Activity Leaders) - Meave Clancy & Ann Harty, Dungarvan CDP and Mary M. Dee, Dungarvan Probus on their successful completion of all 8 Go for Life workshops. Meave, Ann & Mary are the first physical activity leaders in Waterford to complete the full series of workshops and are now really well placed to share their

skills and experience in leading physical activity for older adults in Waterford.

Quotes from the Day  
"Lovely enjoyable day with a bit of everything in pleasant surroundings and it would encourage anyone to participate in physical activity", Vera Hassett (Clonea Power ICA)

"I enjoyed the day thoroughly and I would have loved to have had more time at the activities" Catherine Connolly (Coiste na Seanóirí, An Rinn)

"I started the day very dubious but by the end of the day I

was delighted to have attended and would love the opportunity to attend again" Tom Doherty (Waterford Probus)

"The day exceeded all expectations and there was a great buzz all day" (Noeline Power, Tramore ICA)

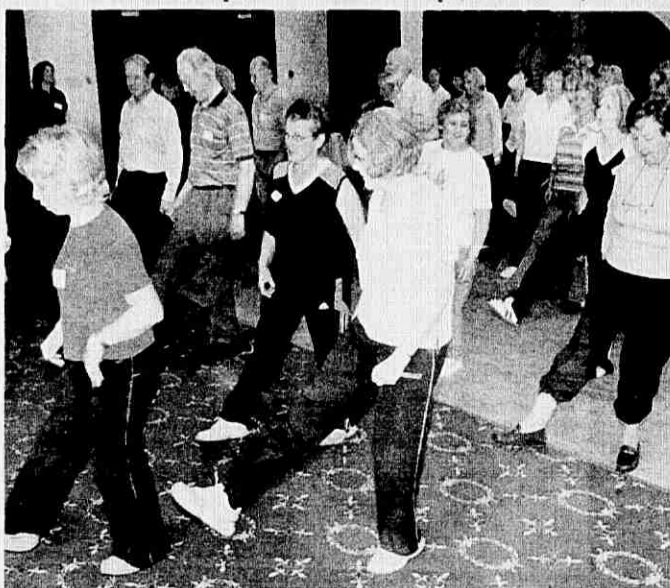
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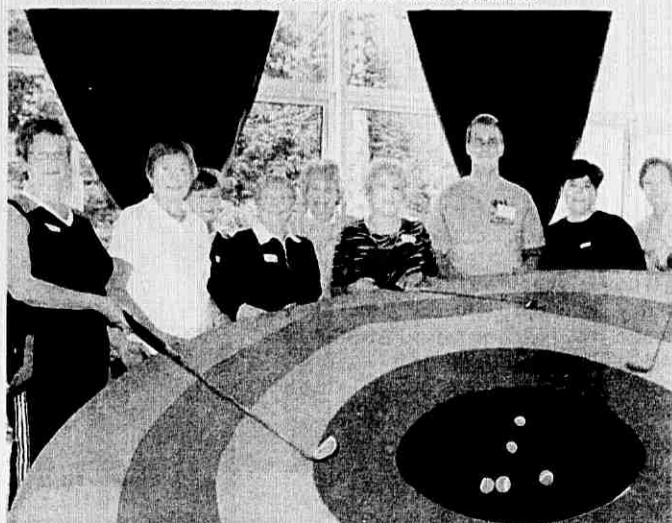
Ann Harty, Mary M. Dee and Meave Clancy receiving their certificates on successfully completing all 8 Go for Life workshops from Frank Fahey (Go for Life)



Inspirational Meave Clancy who recently celebrated her 80th Birthday lining up to take an accurate Bocca shot at the Go for Life Festival



Go for Life leader Margaret O'Keeffe leads a line dancing session in Faithlegg

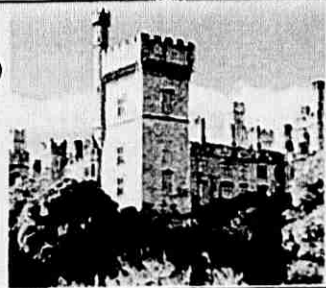


Target Golf - Participants displaying target golf at the Go for Life Festival





# Lismore Notes



Pupils from Bunscoil Bothar na Naomh, Lismore who made their First Holy Communion in St. Carthages Church, Lismore on Saturday 6th May 2006 (Four of the Group received theirs in Ballysaggart Church on Sunday.) (Sean Byrne Photography)

## LISMORE/BALLYDUFF BRANCH FINE GAEL

### Enda Kenny Visits Lismore

It was with great pleasure that Cllr. Declan Doocey welcomed the leader of Fine Gael, Deputy Enda Kenny to the heritage town of Lismore on Friday the 19th May, while on his constituency visit to Waterford.

Although in the pipeline for some time, it was at short notice that a presentation to the families of the late John Joe 'Doc' O'Donnell (Tourin) and Joe Roche (Ballysaggart) was held on this honourable occasion.

Among friends, Enda enjoyed the ambience of this informal gathering. He spoke on his plans for the future of the party, including the three issues of the A&E crisis, wastage of tax payers' money and crime, which the party is focusing its election manifesto on. He is especially adamant about firing without hesitation any minister in his government that wastes public money frivolously.

He also had a few special words of praise and recognition for the families of John Joe O'Donnell and Joe Roche for all their years work for the party, he went onto mention that it was volunteers like these men that helped the party in the past and will continue to help them in the future.

Cllr. Declan Doocey went onto thank Enda for taking time out of his busy schedule to attend the event and presented him with a photograph of Lis-

more Castle on behalf of the Lismore Ballyduff Branch of Fine Gael.

Fond memories of these two gentlemen will remain deep in the hearts of all who knew them and we salute them for the efforts.

#### Cllr. Paudie Coffey added to the General Election ticket...

Congratulations are extended to Cllr. Paudie Coffey who has just been added to the Fine Gael General Election ticket joining our other candidates

Deputy John Deasy and Cllr. Jim D'Arcy. Paudie is both a competent and superb candidate from Portlaw and the Lismore Ballyduff Branch of Fine Gael would like to wish him well in the coming months of campaigning.



Children of Liosmor Mochuda National School enjoying participating in the recent Spring Clean Day.

## LISMORE CASTLE ARTS

### Richard Long - A World Renowned Artist Inspired by Ireland

Lismore Castle Arts is delighted to present a solo exhibition by pioneering land artist Richard Long from 21st May - 1st October 2006. This much anticipated show includes specially created, site-specific work incorporating materials gathered from the River Blackwater and the Lismore landscape, as well as brand new work produced in response to a walk undertaken in Southern Ireland earlier this year.

The landscape is Long's medium, and since the late 1960s he has used walking itself as an artistic form - his sculptures, maps, photographs and works created from the written word documenting his experiences of the natural landscape which he encounters. Long's relationship with Ireland and its landscape is well documented. He featured in IMMA's inaugural exhibition of 1991, and his iconic Burren 'Stone Circles' remain among his most instantly recognisable and best loved works. The new work presented in this exhibition bears testimony to Long's continued love of Ireland and to his ongoing fascination with the Irish landscape.

It is entirely fitting, therefore, that Long's first solo exhibition in Ireland since 1984 will be held at Lismore Castle Arts where the gallery itself is set within beautiful Jacobean gardens which lie in the Blackwater Valley. Indeed, 'Cornwall Slate Line', the work which dominated Long's Turner Prize winning exhibition at the Tate (1989), has been installed in the gardens at Lismore for the duration of the show, adding another dimension to the fine collection of contemporary sculpture which is on permanent display.

In recognition of the significance of this exhibition and of the continued significance of Long's work within Ireland, acclaimed author Colm Tóibín has written a monograph to accompany the show which will be presented together with Long's images in a limited edition publication.

This is an unprecedented opportunity to view previously unseen work by an artist who has been at the forefront of contemporary art for over four decades, and whose relevance within the Irish landscape endures.

#### CUMANN CAMOGAIOCHTA LIOSMOIR

**U12 Championship** - Our U12's were down to play both Butlerstown and Gaultier last week but unfortunately were both cancelled. They were down to play St. Anne's away on Monday night last. Results next week.

**Senior League** - Our Senior players were playing at home to Butlerstown on Friday night last in which they won 5-7 to 3-7.

**Feile Fundraising** - Our U14 Feile girls are currently selling "Golden Goal" tickets as part of their Fund Raising campaign for the Feile finals in June. Tickets are selling at E2 per envelope. These girls will also be doing a bag pack as part of the Feile fundraising venture on the Bank Holiday weekend. Please support this worthy cause.

#### LISMORE COMMUNITY PLAYGROUP AGM

Lismore Community Playgroup will be holding their Annual General Meeting on the 14th June 2006 at 8.00 p.m in the Playgroup Premises located at the G.A.A. Field Lismore. A representative for each child who is attending playgroup this September should be in attendance in order to be allocated the relevant days for playschool. Those who have not enrolled their children yet are advised to do so as soon as possible in order to avoid disappointment. For an application contact the playgroup between 9.30 am - 12.30 p.m Monday to Friday.

#### A.G.M.

Ballinvella Community Centre will hold their A.G.M. on Tuesday, 30th May in the Centre at 8:30pm. New members welcome.

#### LISMORE MOCHUDA LOTTO DRAW

Date: May 16th. Super Jackpot Draw € 12,400.00.ERTZ. No winner. Bonus Jackpot Draw € 150.00 EJQX. No winner. Consolation Prizes € 15.00 each to: Paddy Nugent, c/o Classroom, Lismore. Pamela Stuart, Chapel Place, Lismore. Rita O'Rourke, Ballymacarby. Aaron, Ethan and Caleb Campion, Chapel Place, Lismore Next Draw May 23rd, 2006. Eamonn's Place. Super Jackpot € 12,550.00 (Must be Won)

#### LISMORE TIDY TOWNS

##### Work Nights for May

This week saw the start of our Work Weeks where the Planters in the Main Street and the hanging baskets in the Council Yard were started. The Hot Rod Club did great work tidying up the triangle area and their efforts are greatly appreciated. David Fuller, our Community Employment person is doing great work and is a big asset to the Tidy Towns effort. This week our Work Nights have been scheduled as follows. Thursday, 25th May: Meeting at The Mall at 7 p.m. Saturday, 27th May: Meet at Foley's at 10.30 a.m. to plant up the circular flower bed.

Please check the Community Notice Board for any changes to this schedule due to inclement weather conditions. Also do remember to bring gloves/trowels/brushes etc. with you. All are very welcome to attend and help out.

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# Sherry FitzGerald Reynolds Florida Property Exhibition

Next Sunday, May 28th



Florida is, as we are all very much aware, the ultimate holiday destination for any family, not only from here but also throughout Europe and indeed the USA itself.

Orlando is by far the worlds number one tourist attraction, enticing, on average, 50 million annual visitors. This creates an incredibly buoyant rental market. This, in itself, makes Orlando a hot spot in more ways than one. Property is a continuing source of major investment in Orlando and one Irish owned company EMERALD FLORIDA PROPERTIES realised this some years ago, and has established itself as the market leader in property investment and new development in the region. Sherry FitzGerald Reynolds in Dungarvan and Lis-

more have lined up with this company to put on next Sunday's exhibition at The Park Hotel, Dungarvan, between 12 p.m. and 4 p.m.

Florida is without doubt a real asset to any would be overseas investor. This is the main reason why David Reynolds of Sherry FitzGerald Reynolds is putting on this exhibition in association with Emerald Florida Properties. Emerald Florida Properties have a very comprehensive portfolio of fully furnished 4 and 5 bed pool homes, townhouses and Condominiums, all in prime locations just within the golden 20 minutes radius of the theme parks. With our knowledge of the area we have acquired the most discerning properties on the market today.

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Having an Irish based company with a wealth of experience in dealing with the Orlando property market and a comprehensive support team



# €10m Grant For New Dungarvan Hospital

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mission. It is proposed that the day hospital in Dungarvan will be managed and staffed by the elderly care team in Waterford Regional Hospital," said Deputy Wilkinson.

**VERY WELCOME**  
Independent councillor, Michael O'Riordan also welcomed the announcement saying that it is the culmination of extensive lobbying over a number of years.

"It's very welcome news for the people of Dungarvan because the hospital that is there is dilapidated and is 180 years old," he told the Dungarvan Leader.

"At long last, after a lot of lobbying it is coming to fruition. Like all the public representatives I hope that a start will be made on it at the end of this year because the hospital is not fit for the type of patients that they were treating and it is also a fire hazard."

**GRANTS**  
The development is part of an overall 32 million euro investment in healthcare projects in Waterford over the next three years. Deputy Wilkinson said: "Included

in that spend are St. Enda's psychiatric ward which is to be replaced with a new building costing 1.2 million euros; the medical oncology ward in Waterford Regional Hospital which is to be refurbished costing 1.5 million euro, and the accident and emergency department in Waterford Regional Hospital which is to be expanded with a 2 million euro grant. The hospital is also to get extra car parking spaces.

**RESOURCES**  
"The Government, through the HSE has committed huge resources to Waterford. I have fought hard for those resources and I am particularly pleased that we are making enormous progress on a new 32-bed hospital in Dungarvan. It will have far reaching and very positive implications for people in the county for years to come," he said.

"It is vital that we provide the best possible health services to the community. We are aiming to meet the needs of the people on their own doorsteps. In that, I believe we are succeeding."

## AFTERNOON TEA PARTY

At Kat and John Hogan's, Waterpark, Fermoy.

Sunday, May 28th 2pm till late. Refreshments, slide show, games, book stall, music, song, dance, raffle, etc.

All proceeds go towards the building of an orphanage in Southern India for street children.

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John visited India in February of this year as a volunteer with Child Aid Ireland. They visited several ongoing projects and identified projects that could be developed in the future. Child Aid Ireland guarantee that all money donated goes directly to the projects in India. It is run completely on a voluntary basis.

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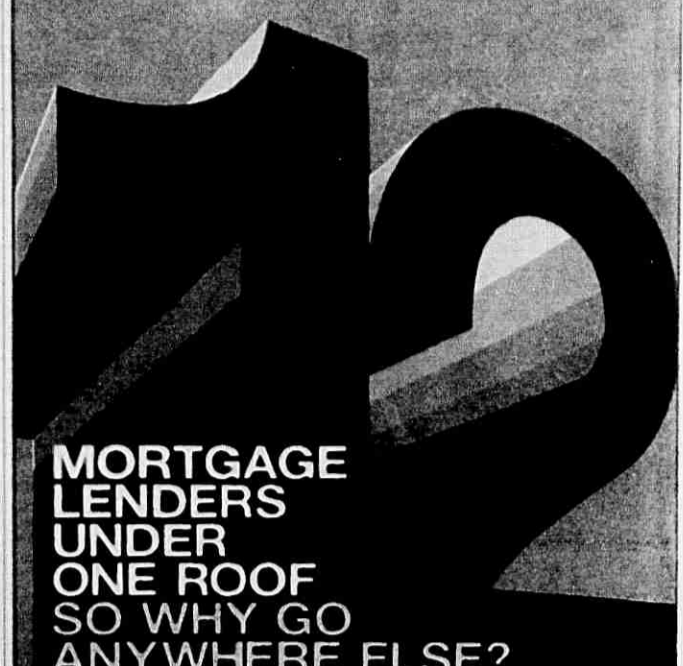


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