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Touraneena sisters Deirdra and Sinead Kiely, pictured with their highly acclaimed teacher and 'Ragus The Show' choreographer Michael Ryan of Tipperary, qualified for the World Championships in style when they picked up a Munster title each in Bunratty recently. Deirdra, who has previously travelled the world as lead dancer with 'Ragus The Show' won the senior ladies title while Sinead, who is a Transition Year student in Ard Scoil na nDeise and spent three weeks of the summer in Japan dancing with 'Ragus', captured her third Munster title in a row. Both girls will now compete in the World Championships in Scotland at Easter.

Exciting Multi-Million Euro Capital Plan Unveiled

WORK ON CONVENT SITE, TOWN HALL AND GRATTAN SQUARE TO GO AHEAD

By Kevin Korrane

An exciting multi-million euro capital plan, which has the potential to transform a number of areas around Dungarvan, was unveiled at Monday night's meeting of the Town Council.

Work is expected to get underway at Walton's Park, the Town Hall, Grattan Square and at the Presentation Convent in the next year or two, while a wildbird impact study is nearing completion for a 12 million euro Marina in the harbour.

When the bird count is complete, the town council hope to draw up plans for the marina, and secure funding from various sources in 2009.

PRESENTATION CONVENT

Funding has already been secured for the largest project to get underway this year – the development of a community facility on the former Presentation Convent site. Work on the project will be completed under a 12 month contract.

The 3 million euro development will house community projects, a new Day Care Centre and the Scouts.

Mayor of Dungarvan, Cllr. Teresa Wright, who in her role as Community Development Officer was instrumental in securing the project, gave a broad welcome to the news.

"It's wonderful to see this happening under amenity in our capital plan. It's a very good plan and I would very much like to welcome this."

She also praised the role of the Town Council, and particularly Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty for his work in securing the funding, and who came

on board when he was needed.

Funding for the development is to come from Pobail, the HSE, Waterford County Council and Dungarvan Town Council. A contribution is also to come from the Scouts.

WALTONS PARK

Meanwhile, tenders for work on Walton's Park in Abbeyside have been advertised and work on landscaping the park should be complete for the summer season. The park has been closed for a number of months, and work delayed due to health and safety issues which have now been addressed, Mr. O'Flaherty confirmed.

The work on transforming the park from its current poor state will cost close to (continued on page 70)

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Waste Land To Be Transformed Into New Town Park

BY KEVIN KIRKANE

Plans for a new town park surrounding the Sluicin at Dungarvan Shopping Centre are to go on public display, with work hoped to begin in April.

The plans would see the transformation of the waste land behind St. Brigid's Well housing estate. The park would extend from an area from St.

Brigid's Well near the Dungarvan Observer offices to the old ESB depot on the turn in to the shopping centre.

The park will be developed by Lavine Ltd, the developers of the shopping centre, and then ownership will be transferred to Dungarvan Town Council. It will be free of charge to the local authority.


SLUICIN

The development would see the widening and deepening of the Sluicin, in plans which are hoped to bring an end to the flooding problems experienced by businesses nearby. It would also see the landscaping of the green area and the development of a boardwalk around the Sluicin. Cont. on page 70

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Rising Market Prices Putting Houses Out of Range of Tenants

By Kevin Kirrane
The Celtic Tiger property boom is having a knock on effect on tenants of council housing in Dungarvan, it's emerged. Only a handful of tenants are now buying out the deeds of their housing because the rising market values of the houses are putting them out of their range. Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty said that the result is the council's housing stock is rising each year.

"We are only selling one or two a year compared with five years ago. We do our best to accommodate people, but sales are very slow," he said.

A total of 481, 172 euro will be spent this year on maintenance and repair of the housing stock. Ninety eight percent of painting work has been done but a small percentage of tenants don't wish for work to be carried out due to disruption.

Meanwhile the council estimates that it will collect 860,000 euro in housing rents this year, an increase of almost 8,000 euro from last year due to the rising housing stock.

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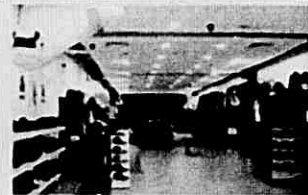
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'The Brothers' receives IFTA nomination for Ring-based Nemeton Television

The highly acclaimed tv documentary, The Brothers, has been nominated for the highest award a television documentary can receive in Ireland, the IFTA.

In August of 2006 Nemeton Television produced an extraordinary piece of television for RTE. Screened by the national broadcaster under the Townlands strand, the programme made headlines in the national and regional media all over the country as viewers across Ireland were treated to a ring-side seat in the telling of an unforgettable story of two brothers,

Paddy and Nicholas Butler from Co. Waterford.

The poignantly told story narrates the lives (and deaths) of the two brothers who lived together on their farm in the Comeragh Mountains. Photographer Richard Fitzgerald who gathered over 20 hours of footage, had regular access to the Butler brothers from 1992 to 2004 and during that time got to know them and their story closely. Crafted into a half-hour documentary by the talented director and editor, Mikey Ó Flatharta, the story takes an unexpected twist at the

funeral of Paddy Butler when a woman in her fifties appears claiming to be Paddy's daughter. In a style that is both admirably and unfashionably sensitive to the programmes main subjects, the programme makers do not attempt to exploit this unpredicted twist of events. Instead the programme sees out the concluding chapter in the Butler brothers lives, and we the viewers are guided to a conclusion in a uniquely non-sensationalist manner. We learn gently how the various issues arising are resolved and how in true rural tempo, life simply

goes on. For those who have not seen The Brothers it would be unfair to elaborate any further.

Says Irial MacMurchú Producer of the programme and Managing Director of Nemeton, "This is a programme particularly close to the heart of all those who worked on it. The story captivated us all. And while we've had IFTA nominations in the past, I'd have to say

in this instance we would love to see The Brothers winning this award, not for kudos, but because it would be a fitting closure to the story of Nicholas and Paddy Butler. It would be nice to think that the final chapter in their lives, was that 'their' story received this national recognition".

In the days following the airing of the The Brothers national print media went into

overdrive as extensive column inches were filled with reactions to the programme. Some TV critics said of the programme that it was 'mysterious and bittersweet', 'uncomfortably voyeuristic', others describing it as a 'remarkable little film' and a 'memorable portrait', and yet others intrigued at the programmes 'sur-real' and 'Podge and Rodge-like' characters.

Over €60,000 To Be Spent On Halting Site Management

BY KEVIN KIRKANE

Over €60,000 euro, made up of salaries and other administrative costs, will be spent on the management of the halting site at Shandon, Dungarvan this year, according to Dungarvan Town Council's Budget for 2007.

Independent Cllr. Michael O'Riordan said the council is constantly pumping money into the halting site, but the facility is constantly being damaged. He asked how the amount of money being spent can be justified.

However, Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty said most of the €62,435 goes on salaries including a contribution towards the salary of the tenant liaison officer, and towards various committees.

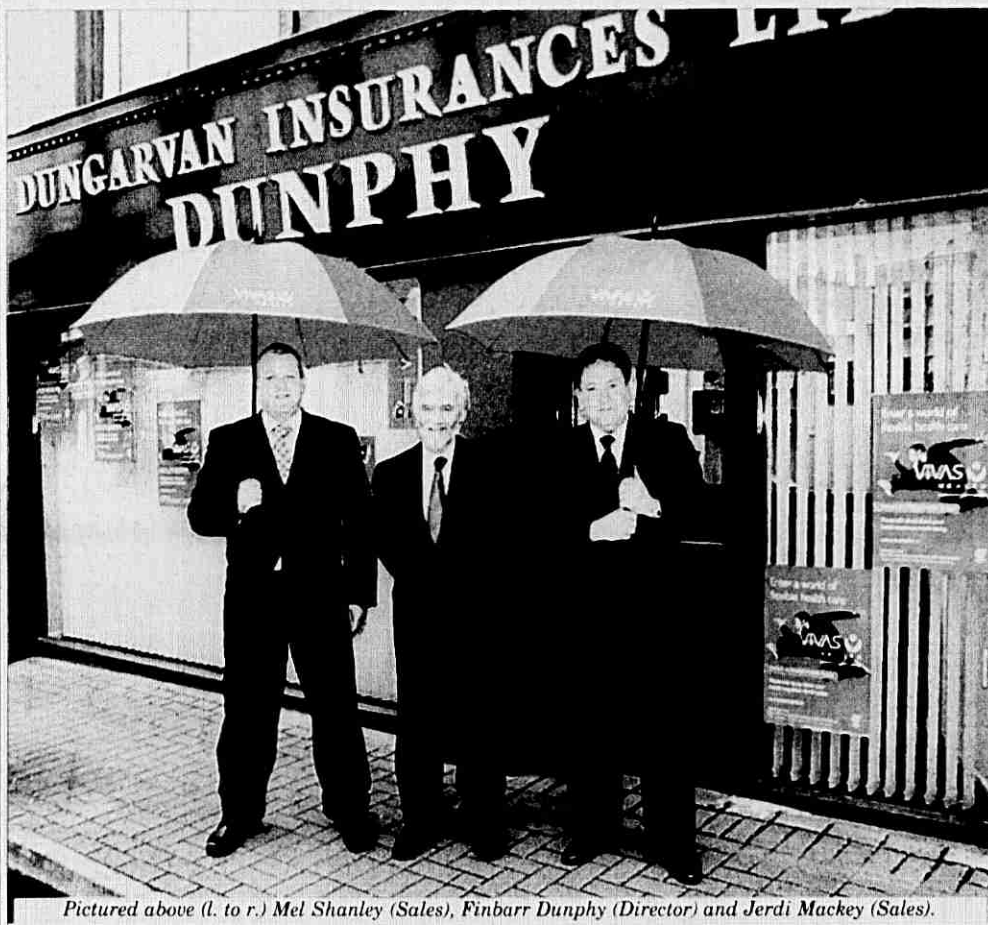
Another €10,000 is expected to be spent on providing short term accommodation for the homeless, although this problem will ease with the construction of the community facility on the former Presentation Convent site.



The Brothers, home after mass, 1991

Richard Fitzgerald

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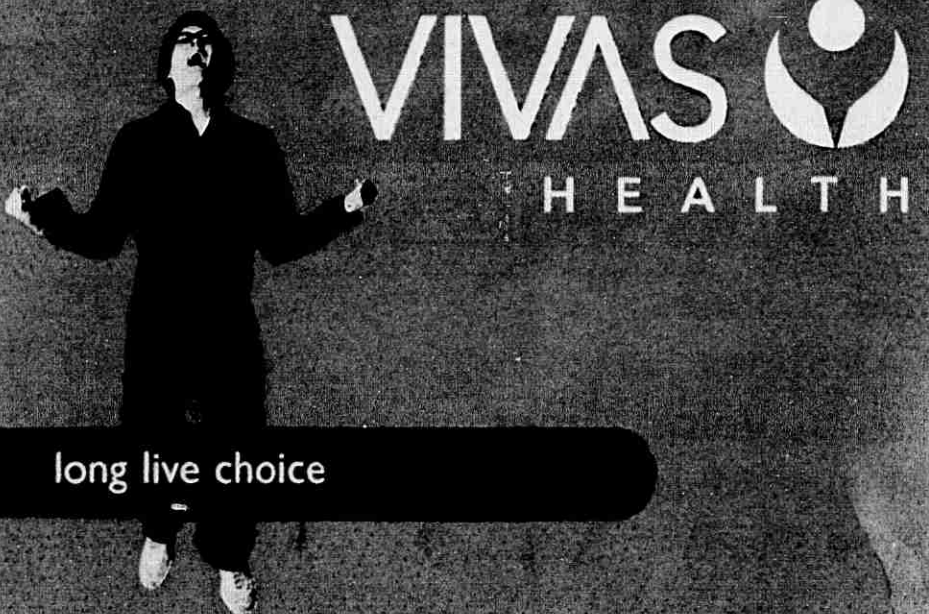
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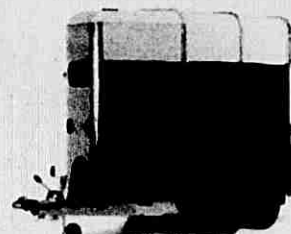
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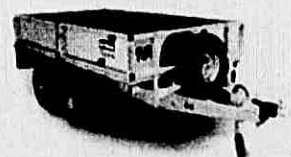
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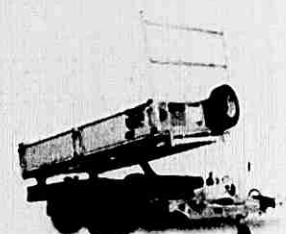


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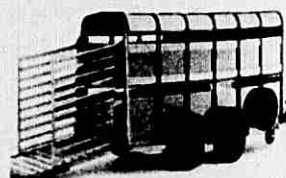
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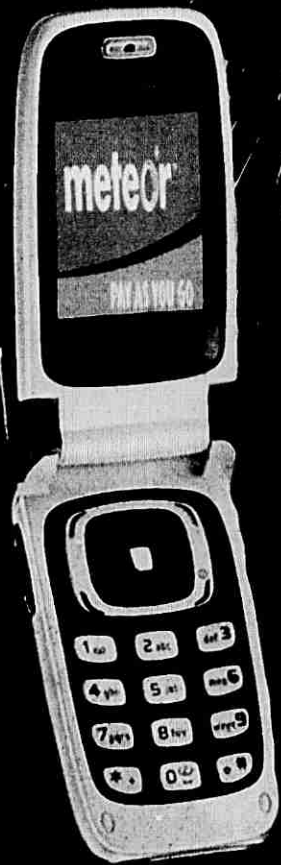


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We would also like to thank Mr. John O'Rourke, manager of the Sportsman's Bar, who sponsored lunch for the firemen on the day and also a special thank you to Kerry McLoughlin, Rita McCarthy and Kathleen Barron who

gave their time in counting the proceeds of the climb and to Very Rev. Fr. Kiely P.P. for all his help.

Front row (left to right): Very Rev. Fr. Arthur P.E. (Bun Scoil Gleann Sidhean), K. Barron (Cappoquin Day

Care Centre), F. Murray SO, S. McLoughlin FF, A. Devine (Bun Scoil Gleann Sidhean), N. Mason (Cappoquin Senior Citizens); **back row (left to right):** J. Coffey FF, S. Hogan DM, E. Coffey DM, J. Noonan, SSO, J. McGrath DM, N. O'Connor FF.



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Application forms are available from Dungarvan Town Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan.

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Joe O'Flaherty, Town Clerk.
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CINEMA REVIEW

By Barry Power

Pursuit of Happiness****

Will Smith provides the star wattage for this emotional story of one man's struggle against the hardships of life to engage in what Jefferson termed the "pursuit of happiness" in the American Declaration of Independence. Smith plays Chris Gardner, a San Franciscan down on his luck, with a young son who he is struggling to keep in day-care, a wife who has lost faith in him and a company that involves selling bone density scanners most hospitals have deemed unnecessary luxuries. One day Chris runs into a man working in a city centre stock brokerage and is astonished by how happy he seems, how happy all the people in the brokerage seem. Despite having no education in the field, Chris decides that he too wants the life of a stockbroker and applies to join an internship programme in the firm. Although some smooth talking, along with a nice trick with a Rubex Cube, there are two slight drawbacks. Only one of the twenty interns actually gets a job at the end of the six-month programme, a programme that offers no qualification for any other brokerage firms. And the entire internship is unpaid. So Chris must balance his studies with his scanner sales, along with trying to raise and provide for his child.

Will Smith has always been a more than capable actor but this role may be the watershed where he emerges as one of Hollywood's true heavy hitters. Dropping a lot of the overt physical acting from his previous roles, Smith plays it cool and manages to be touching and sincere. It helps that he has so exceptional talent backing him up, with Thandie Newton providing a troubling depiction of a wife who has just had to bear too much and Smith's own son Jayden playing the part of his on screen son Christopher. As much of the movie revolves around Chris' dedication to his son, the fact that Smith gets to interact with his own son brings obvious benefits. There is a natural warmth and strength of bond that is understandably rare between on screen leads.

Based on a true story, the eventual ending of Pursuit of Happiness is unavoidably obvious, yet there is no sense of over indulged sentimentality at any stage of the film. While it may not be your average date movie, this film will be reaping awards in the months ahead and is well worth a view.

Smokin' Aces***

From the makers of Notting Hill and Love actually comes this tale of... the mob! Gone are the loved up upper-middle class English and in their places come the downright dirty elements of criminality in Nevada and the law men who are trying to clear up their town. Buddy Israel () is an illusionist and five-time winner of Las Vegas Entertainer of the Year. He is also up to his neck in the local mafia syndicate, having been helped in by city kingpin(). However, has become weary of Buddy, who has attempted a coup within the mafia. So ... has ordered a hit on Buddy, \$1,000,000 in exchange for Buddy and his heart. Trying to collect on the contract are a pair of female assassins, And a trio of Neo-Nazi hell raisers, and a Spanish torture expert. Attempting to get to Buddy before the posse of hit men are a group of bail bondsmen, led by Ben Affleck and a pair of F.B.I. agents, Ray Liotta and Ryan Reynolds, who have done a deal with Buddy to turn stool pigeon in return for protection.

Smokin' Aces is a high-octane thriller centred on the race by the various parties to get to Buddy first at his hedonistic retreat in a hotel penthouse near Las Vegas. The entire film sets up a breathtaking sequence when all the players converge upon the hotel at once and mayhem breaks loose. Neither as stylised as Tarantino's mob movies or as epic as the Godfather trilogy, Smokin' Aces instead heads down the line of Lock, Stock and Two Smoking Barrels and Snatch. It has the same pulsating type of soundtrack, the same trickery of plot and a host of strong performances to push it through. What it lacks is any depth but the producers and director were never aiming for that, instead making a film that will leave you breathless from start to finish, with every major twist you could imagine along the way.

BONMAHON NOTES

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

To Maura Gallagher of Union Road who celebrated her 85th birthday on Sunday last in St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan. Also a special thanks to all the nurses and carers in St. Joseph's for the great care they give to the patients there. Also congratulations to Georgina Crowley who celebrated her 21st birthday over the weekend. Wishing her many many more birthdays.

SEA TRAGEDIES

The terrible loss of seven fishermen over the past week brings home to us all the dangers of working at sea. Local fishermen and the Bonmahon Sea and Cliffe Rescue volunteers have been carrying out extensive searches of the local coast line. The new Sea Safety Centre at Boatstrand is playing a big part, providing hot drinks, teas, soups for such volunteers. It is a terrible time for the fishermen's families and as our hands are tied with weather conditions, all we can now do is pray for them. Prayers were offered at all Masses in Kill and Saleen. Prayers were also said in Dunhill and Fenor. Let's hope the successful recovery of the fishermen's bodies will not take too long.

CALLING ALL BIKERS

To our third annual bike run from Kill to Youghal in aid of Autism. Gathering at Dunphy's Pub in Kill on Sunday, 28th January at 12 midday. Sponsor cards are available from organisers Neil Barry 086-8457631, Michael Davenport 086-3723097 and Ger Taylor 086-8552080.

St. Augustines College Notes



St. Augustine's College TY students pictured running the helpdesk for the WLR/Lions Club Christmas Hamper Appeal in December 2006. L to R - Megan Aukland, Thomas Cashin (Past Pupil), Aideen Mulcahy, Jonathan Sheehan, Kevin Duhig and Siobhan Murray.

Student Council Notes

On Thursday 11th January 2007 the Student Council met for its first meeting of the New Year. Leah Elsted, Chairperson of the Student Council opened the meeting.

The following topics were discussed:

- Continuous assessment
- 2nd year trip to Paris
- T.Y career guidance programme.

- The opening of the Quad, and music played in the Quad.
- A "breakfast Club"
- School Jacket.

The meeting was very productive. The council members will report on the meeting to their class group. A full report of the meeting is posted on the Student Council notice board at the head-er. If you have any topic to be included at the next meeting, please contact your class representative. The next meeting will take place on 23/01/07.

Park Hotel Sports Star of the year

Good luck to Peter Moloney (5th Year), past pupils Michael Walsh and Anthony Condon who have all been nominated for this prestigious award.

Visit to National Gallery of Ireland

Fifth and sixth year art students, accompanied by teachers P. Uas. Mac Craith and Mr. M. McGrath, visited the National Gallery of Ireland in Dublin on Thursday. After an excellent general tour of the Gallery the students were given a very informative insight into the work of Louis le Brocquy. Fifteen portrait heads by Ireland's most celebrated living artist are on display as part of the Gallery's contribution to the artist's ninetieth birthday celebrations. Painted between 1974 and 2003 the images are of universally known figures such as James Joyce, William Butler Yeats, Francis Bacon and Samuel Beckett.

WATERFORD COUNTY MUSEUM

Local History

And you thought that the housing situation was bad in our time...have a look at what it was like in 1886.

Excerpt taken from Desperate Haven by William Fraher, Willie Whelan, Bernadette Sheridan and Seosaimh O Loingsigh-

In 1886 Dr.Graves made a report on the Ringville area. In it he listed those who were keeping pigs in their houses. Graves was amused and concluded by observing that 'several of whom (pigs) in the course of my inspection, I found comfortably asleep, being integral members of the family household'.

Graves submitted a further report in September 1889 concerning the villages of Ballinagoul More and Beg, Knockenpower and Ring: ' the number of poor tenement houses in occupation in these villages is 77, of which 14 consist of but one apartment used in common in the kitchen and sleeping place, some of which are quite unfit for human habitation, and merely afford shelter to the inmates from wet and cold, being devoid of windows or chimneys, only a hole in the thatch to let out smoke'. Graves suggested that a metal tube be used as a chimney to allow smoke and stale air to escape. He described a group of about 30 houses at Lower Helvick and Ballyreilly as a worse class of cabins than those at Ballinagoul. All but two of this group were the property of Villiers Stuart.

Recent publications on local history

For anyone interested in the history of their locality there are plenty of new books out there. We will be reviewing one each week. This week we review

Cappoquin - A Window to the Past, by the Cappoquin Heritage Group.

The Cappoquin Civic Link Heritage Group was established in 2006 and have produced this wonderful pictorial tribute to Cappoquin and its people. This is a chance to see the Cappoquin that was, with all of its charm and meet the people who made it the town it is today.

Well laid out this book spans the history of the area from

early 1870's to present day. There have been many contributors to the book, including our Waterford County Museum Image Archivies. This book is one to keep as you'll probably never again have the chance to view so many, well researched, photos of the area in one place. Available in all good book shops.

Lecture on 17 January (Today)

'What has Waterford County Council ever done for Us?' Well if you think this sounds like an interesting title for a lecture, your right! This Wednesday, the 17 of January, Joanne Rothwell will give a talk on this very subject. Joanne is the Waterford County Archivist, who better to let us know what has been done over the years by the WCC. The lecture takes place in the Museum, St Augustine Street (Friary Street), at 8pm on Wednesday the 17th. All welcome. Subscriptions will be €5. An opportunity not to be missed.

We Need You!

Yes we need you.. well at least your old photos, letters, maps, paintings and sketches, memorabilia or anything of interest from the past that you may wish to have included in your museum. Photos etc can be copied for our archives and returned to you.

Membership

Just a reminder to our members- membership is now due for 2007. Anyone interested in joining can do so by coming into the museum during opening hours- for €10 you can become a member and join in all outings, meeting persons interested in the preservation of the history of your location.

Apologies

We must apologise to those in last weeks photo.. we omitted last names. Sorry! They were from left to right: Eddie Cantwell (Pres. Museum Society), Domnic Berridge (County Waterford Heritage Officer), Davey Foley (Clashmore Heritage Group), Mary Giblin (Treasurer Museum Society) and William Fraher.

Get Well Wishes

Get Well wishes are sent to Helen, a member of the museum staff, who is currently in Ardkeen Hospital- Get Well Soon...



Group of enthusiastic Music students at the Altan workshop



Donegal musicians Mairead Ni Mhaonaigh and Dermot Byrne of "ALTAN" with Ms. Kelley Gardiner, Music Teacher St. Augustine's College, following a wonderful workshop with around fifty music students on January 10th at the school.



Seachtain na hEolaíochta i Scoil Gharbháin — Ba mhaith linn ár mbuíochas a ghabhail le DNG Billy Gallagher, Ceantálaí, as ucht urraíocht a dhéanamh ar thuras go dtí Taispeántas Eolaíocht i WIT. Sa phictiúr tá an ceathrú rang, Sínead Ní Mhurchadha (Múinteoir), Billy Gallagher agus Siobhan Ághas (Príomhoide Sealadach). —(Photo by Mary Fennessy).

The Shaughraun Comes to Coolnasmear

Rehearsals are in full swing at the moment in Coolnasmear for KCK Drama group's play The Shaughraun, one of their biggest productions to date with a cast of 25 or more threading

the boards. Following on from last year's outstanding success with Bernard Farrell's, "All in Favour Said No' drama lovers in West Waterford are in for a real treat of comedy, tragedy and overall a great nights entertainment in this years play.

This years production is a huge and daunting task and the group are putting in many long hours of rehearsals in an effort to present this wonderful play. The play is again this year directed by James Lenane.

The Shaughraun written by Dion Boucicault and first performed in New York in 1875, is set in Suil-na-Beg, somewhere in Sligo, involves many strange and colourful characters, including an English officer, an Irish gentleman, a squireen, a Sligo lady, soldiers, peasants

and many more. The drama group would like to welcome especially our new members, Rosann Ryan, Enda Hogan, Stephanie Bennett, Paudie Fahy, Sarah Reilly, Eoin Dunford and Aine O'Sullivan who will join Pat Knightly, Marguerite Walsh, Stephan McCarthy, Ann Walsh, Ger Dunford, Ann O'Sullivan, Jim Dee, Jim O'Brien, Donna Coady, Kevin Walsh, Mary Fahy, Scott Simons, Michael Murrinan, Kathleen Ahearn, Eddie Bennett, Shane Collender, Maurice Walsh on stage.

Set construction is by Jim Dee and Maurice Walsh. Set design by Pippa Sweeney. Stage manager is Rosann Ryan and sound and lighting by Michael Kavanagh.

For a wonderful night's entertainment for both young and old come along to Coolnasmear hall from February 1st to February 4th nightly at 8.15 pm. Booking at 058-42515.

Waterford Macra Notes

CAPERS
Best of luck to Kilmacthomas club who are taking part in the Capers competition on Saturday night the 20th January in Stoneyford, Co. Kilkenny.

CLUB QUESTION TIME
Congrats to the Dungarvan team of John Flynn, Thomas Phelan, John Tobin and John Leahy who out-answered competition from Kilmacthomas and Cappoquin last Friday night in The Central Bar, Cappoquin. They are now through to the next round with the second place team of Liam Begley, Shane Cahill, Donal McGrath and James Meagher from Cappoquin club.

RACE NIGHT

Waterford Macra are having a race night in Minnies bar, Abbey-side on Friday, 23rd February. Horses are on sale for 20e. all are welcome to attend. Please contact James Power for further details.

GO-KARTING
An afternoon of go-karting in Watergrasshill has been organised for Sunday, 11th Feb. The cost of entry is 45e. Could anyone interested please have this money for the next Co. Executive.

OTHER NEWS
Also best wishes to John Leahy from Dungarvan who recently took part in the national welding competition in Cork. The next Co. Officers meeting is on Wednesday, 24th January.

KICK THE HABIT

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

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

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

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

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

If you are trying to quit in 2007 there are ways to help take the edge off your cravings but it is important to be committed. The psychological addiction to cigarettes can be very powerful and nothing will completely remove the need for will power.

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

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

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

Aine Marie Reilly is a qualified medical herbalist practising in Lismore. To make an appointment for a private consultation please telephone 058 53816 or 087 934 5910.



By Aine Marie Reilly BSc(hons), MNIMH, MCPP, MIIMH, DipCoun

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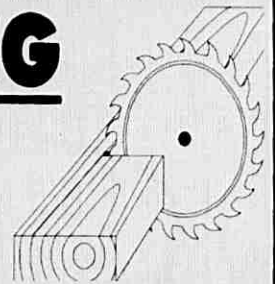
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JUNIOR PAGE

Fantastic Fish

When searching for food, the mudskipper - found around the coasts of Africa, Asia and Australia - will come out of the water, using its specially adapted fins as legs. It seems to like being out of the water - it will bask in the sun and will often climb trees to find a sunny spot.



Another fish that 'walks' is the tripod fish. Its two chest fins and its tail fin have evolved into long, stiff spines on which the fish walks along the sea-bed.

A Fish Can Give An Electric Shock

One member of the catfish family is capable of giving out an electric shock to ward off danger. This is the electric catfish which is found in the seas of Africa. Although it can give a powerful shock, it is a delicacy in the Middle East, where it is known as the raad, or thunder fish.

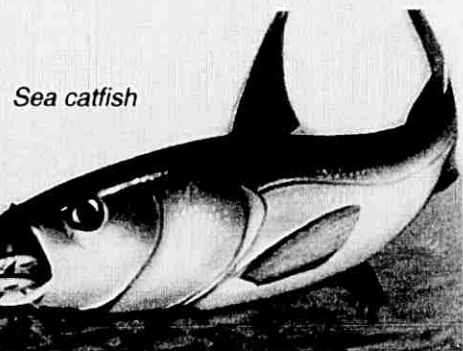
A Fish Can Kill A Person

Several species of fish can make electricity, using specially adapted muscles which create electric impulses instead of movement. Fish are the only creatures that can do this. Electric rays, of which there are about 30 species, can create enough power to disable a person temporarily. However, it is a freshwater creature that produces the most electricity of all. The electric eel found in the rivers of South America, can produce enough power to kill a person outright.

A Mouthful Of Fish

After laying some 50 to 100 eggs, the female Egyptian mouth brooder carries them around in her mouth for safety. Even after they have hatched, the young fish continue to use their mother's mouth to escape from danger. This goes on for only a few days, for once the young fish grow bigger, the mother is likely to eat them!

Another fish that uses its mouth in this way is the sea catfish, but in this case it is the male that looks after the eggs.



DID YOU KNOW?


- ★ The European eel travels over land when it makes its 6,000 km (3,700 mi) journey to the Sargasso Sea to spawn.
- ★ Lung fish can survive out of water for up to four years - by not doing very much!
- ★ The male angler fish weighs one thousand times less than the female, and lives off the female like a parasite!
- ★ Deep-sea life was first observed in 1934, when scientist William Beebe descended to 923m (3,028ft) in a machine called a 'bathysphere'.
- ★ An archer fish can judge the distance of its 'shots' because it is the only fish with eyes that point forwards!
- ★ Archer fish will line up to shoot at the same target - like contestants at a rifle range.

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Kathleen Troy, HeavenScent.ie's manager is excited at the prospect of Valentine's Day approaching. Kathleen comments "We have only just launched and I am pleasantly surprised at the amount of business we have generated already. I think in today's busy world, shopping is all about convenience and value. With our online service, our 10% OFF discount for Valentine's orders and out free delivery; we certainly pride ourselves on providing convenience and value".

If online shopping isn't for you, why not still avail of the great value and free delivery by calling out to Heaven Scent's shop located in Ballinroad, Dungarvan. One customer described the shop as "The kind of quaint shop where you could stay for hours and find many wonderful treasures". With a myriad of pretty accessories like glitter butterflies for the young girls and brides amongst us and also a fabulous range of Yankee scented candles, it's well worth the visit.

So, guys you have no excuse, get onto www.heavenscent.ie or call 058 43853 and get in her good books with very little effort! You will even save 10% off your first online order for the Valentine's period in the process, just type in the discount code newcustomer when purchasing your gift. Remember delivery is free so if you buy a bunch of flowers worth €50, you get full value in the bouquet.



HERITAGE WEEKLY

Verses on the Comeraghs by Abbot Maurus of Mount Melleray Abbey

There have been enquiries on the authorship of the poem (A Chomraigh Aoibhin O), quoted in Waterford County Council's calendar for 2007, which features pictures of the Comeragh Mountains.

The poem was written by Abbot Maurus O'Faolain who was born Richard Phelan in Killossanty in 1853. In his childhood he and his sister Mary were sent to Rathgormack to learn Irish under John Fleming, a noted Irish scholar and teacher. He entered the Cistercian Order at Mount Melleray Abbey in 1872, taking the religious name Maurus. He was ordained priest in 1878 and was abbot from 1908 until his death in 1931.

The Abbey's archive has a collection of about two hundred and fifty of his letters, verse sheets and other miscellanea. All are listed in the Catalogue of the Irish Manuscripts in the Library of Mount Melleray, edited by Pádraig O'Machan of Lismore, and published in 1991 by Dublin Institute of Advanced Studies and is available in libraries at Dungarvan and Lismore. The archive itself is open by appointment, while most of its contents are also available for reading on microfilm in the National Library of Ireland. The lists reflect Abbot Maurus's

wide interests in and love of the Irish language and of the folklore, antiquities and local history of County Waterford.

During his life he was one of the leading figures in the movement to revive the Irish language and was a major contributor to "Dineen's Irish Dictionary". He also wrote "An Leabhar Urnaithe", a book of Irish prayers.

Among the verse leaves, number 2 (listed on page 77 of the catalogue) is a note on the poem featured in the Calendar which reads: A Chomraigh aoibhinn ó / Mo bheannacht o'm chroide dod'thir 's dod sléibhtibh. 6stt., numbered, with some corrections and annotations. Published in Saothar suadha II (Baile Átha Cliath 1912) 15. It was also in the anthology of Irish verse "Fion na Filioceta" so familiar to secondary school students of Irish.

Abbot Maurus wrote the poem in the metre and rhythm of "Ban Cnoic Eirinn O" by Donncha Rua MacConmara. It is usually sung to the traditional air "Star of the County Down".

I am grateful to Marie O'Shea for much of the information in this article.

By Dominic Berridge
Heritage Officer
Waterford County Council

Dungarvan-Tipp. South MS Notes

2006 was a busy year for the branch. We welcomed several new members. Sadly we said goodbye to Kay Guest, Clonmel, a long time member. Ar dheis De go raibh si.

The mobile home at Clonea Strand continued to provide respite and enjoyment for many members. Some people from other branches were delighted to use any spare weeks.

The fundraising went on as usual from church gate collections to flag days and various other means of raising money such as chest waxes (ouch!) to cycles. One of the last fundraisers was the annual dance at Crotty's, Leamybrien, organised by Tony Coffey. We really appreciate Tony organising this dance for our branch every year. We are also grateful to the proprietors of Crotty's Inn and to the people who turn up every year for their help and support.

Our Christmas Party was held in the Park Hotel on Sunday, 10th December. We had a very good turnout. The Hotel put on a very good meal, as usual. Teddy Barry provided the music and the children were delighted with their gifts. All in all, it was a very enjoyable afternoon.

The last fundraiser of the year was a Vintage Tractor Run in Newcastle. This is the second year the Newcastle Vintage Club have held this in aid of our branch. Thank you very much lads and lasses.

We thank all the people who helped and supported us during 2006. We wish all our members

and supporters a Happy and Healthy 2007. Go mbeirimid beo ag an am seo aris.

Dungarvan CBS Notes Leo Kavanagh Wins Earl of Cork

Congratulations to Transition Year student Leo Kavanagh on winning the Earl of Cork Scholarship for the best performance by a student in the West Waterford/East Cork area in this year's Junior Certificate Examination. Leo's success follows on Derek Barry's success in winning last year's award.

Hurling News

This week Mount Sion will come to Dungarvan to play our school U15 hurling team. Dungarvan have already played two high scoring competitive matches against Cashel Community College and CBS Middleton in preparation for the Munster U15 Hurling Championship against CBS Nenagh in early February.

Mount Sion will also play an U14 match against CBS Dungarvan who will be playing against CBS Middleton and CBS Tipperary in Division 1 of the Rice Cup.

The West Waterford Harty Cup team have played two matches in recent weeks in preparation for the Harty Cup quarter final against Carrigaline Community School. West Waterford played CBS Kilkenny in early January and last Friday played Cork CIT at Dungarvan CBS grounds.

Family Of Waterford Soldier Pardoned By British Sought

By Kevin Kirrane

James Mullany was a Waterford-born driver with the 72nd battery of the Royal Field Artillery, fighting on the Western Front during World War I.

Based in the Somme region, bitter trench warfare surrounding him, he was involved in a fight with an army officer in September 1916 - which was tantamount to a death sentence.

He was put before a court martial and was found guilty of striking the officer and at day break, on Tuesday October 3, was executed by a firing squad.

He was one of twenty-six Irish born soldiers who would be executed during the Great War - including two others from James' battalion.

Some ninety years after his death, James was pardoned by the British Government after an intensive lobbying by the Shot at Dawn Campaign and family members.

Now the life and death of James Mullany is to be part of a book by Belfast-based journalist, Stephen Walker, which will be published this autumn.

Mr. Walker is keen to have a number of questions about the case answered including why he enrolled in the Royal Field Artillery, whether he had any previous army experience or whether he sent any correspondence to his family during the war?

He said he would love to hear from Mr. Mullany's relatives as it would really help tell this story.

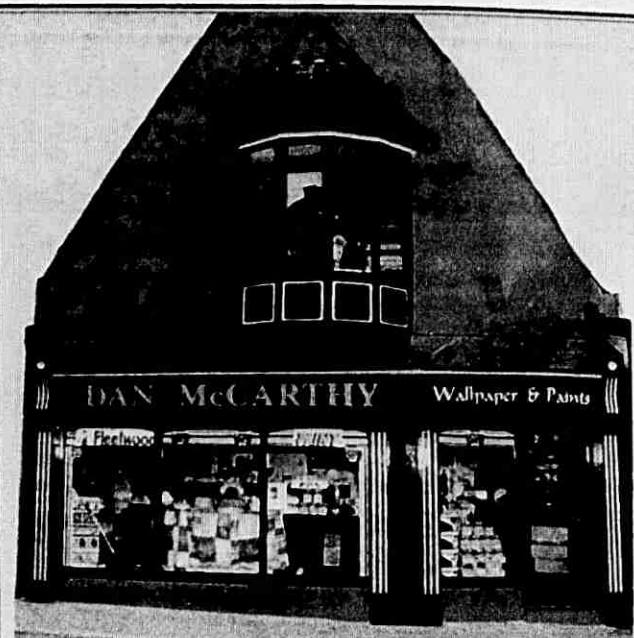
Mr. Walker can be contacted via e-mail at stepwalk@binter.net or mobile 00447968904615

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

I would like to thank the outdoor staff of Dungarvan Urban Council for the tremendous job they did in cleaning up Gallows Hill. The dirt and filth there was the worst I have ever seen and I would appeal to the people who throw their rubbish there to please stop, as it is rat infested and filthy.

Yours sincerely, Billy Kelly,
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Application forms and conditions of the scheme are available from Planning Section, Waterford County Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co Waterford or from www.waterfordcoco.ie Completed applications must be submitted by 31st of January 2007.

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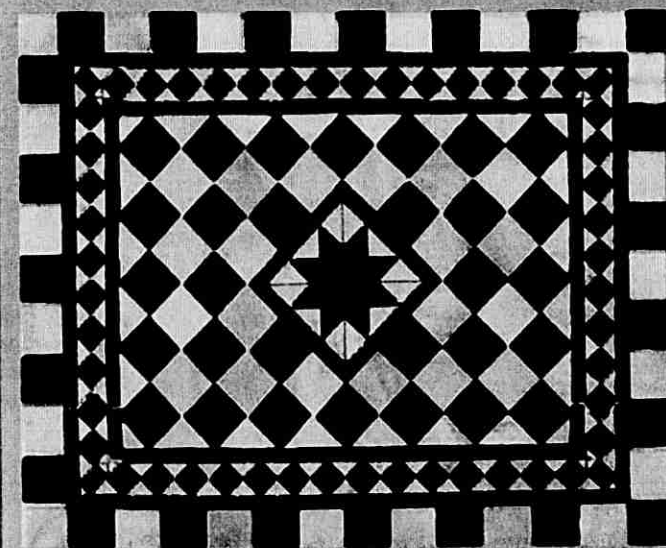
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Viewpoint

SENSE PREVAILS

It was good to see that common sense at last prevailed in Lismore, as the business of the town council went ahead this month. Lismore Town Council was stuck in a grave crux that could well have dragged on and on, resulting in yet more meetings being cancelled and a backlog of vital work building up.

Full credit for that decision must go to the Mayor of Lismore, Cllr. Helen O'Sullivan, Viewpoint feels. Better to move ahead than be stuck in the past, and thankfully a resolution was found that, while not completely satisfactory, was at least an end to this rather pointless affair.

As is well documented at this stage, the furore was somewhat innocuously created. A conversation between the Mayor and Town Clerk, Eric Flynn before the October meeting took on an extraordinary importance. According to Independent Cllr. John Campion and Fine Gael Cllr. Orla Russell, the Mayor asked whether the playground would be ready for the visit of An Taoiseach, Bertie Ahern - the implication being that the botched invitation for the Taoiseach's visit to open the Lismore playground came from this source. This was vehemently denied by both Cllr. O'Sullivan and Mr. Flynn.

That is where this issue should have rested. But Cllr. Campion and to a lesser extent, Cllr. Russell went a step further, accusing the Mayor and Mr. Flynn of telling untruths. By December, the stunt having backfired badly due to the inflammatory and utterly over the top language used and type of behaviour engaged in by Cllr. Campion, the Fianna Fail group put down a motion calling for an apology or withdrawal of his allegations.

As both sides dug their heels in, the cancellation of the meeting was inevitable. Due to Cllr. Campion's outright refusal to apologise, it was clear that for the sake of the town council's own reputation some loss of face would have to be endured.

As Viewpoint previously said, I have the utmost respect for the work of the council, and the undoubted benefits they have brought in leading Lismore to the position of strength as a tourism, educational and shopping hub for the West Waterford area. Losing another meeting of the council, and the important work that goes with it, would have been nothing short of catastrophic.

Therefore it took a brave decision from someone to have the issue dropped. That decision, we are reliably informed came directly from Mayor O'Sullivan who told her Fianna Fail colleagues that she wanted to get on with the business of the town, and leave the past where it belongs. It would have been altogether better and more becoming if Cllr. Campion apologised for the sake of the dignity of the office. But sadly he didn't have the courage to do so. It would have been easy then for the Mayor to dig her heels in and childishly demand an apology. Instead, in Viewpoint's opinion, she took the grown up option, and every credit is due to her for that.

SENATE RACE HOTTING UP

An interesting aside to the current reverberations sounding within the Fine Gael party at the moment is the Senate race and

particularly who will go forward on the various panels to represent the party.

One favourite is the Cappoquin councillor, Nora Flynn. Cllr. Flynn has strong ambitions in this direction, but curiously her support for General Election candidate Cllr. Paudie Coffey may indirectly affect her own chances.

Cllr. Flynn is hugely influential as Vice-Chairperson in the powerful council representative body - the General Council of County Councils which represents over 900 county councillors around the country. In what could be a boost to win the support of councillors - who have a vote for the Senate - she is bringing a conference of the GCCC to Dungarvan this year.

But surprisingly another candidate being talked up in the Fine Gael party in the event of a failed General Election bid is Cllr. Paudie Coffey. Should Coffey poll strongly in the General election, but fail to land a seat, the party might be willing to put his name forward for the Senate to boost the young gun's prospects and profile for a second seat in five years time. That puts Cllr. Flynn - a member of the decidedly anti-Deasy camp along with the six other councillors who signed the petition to put Coffey on the election ticket - in a fairly sticky wicket. No doubt she wants FG to win two seats in the next election but the likelihood is a single one. Does Nora then go out on the doorsteps with Paudie and possibly put her own Senate ambitions in jeopardy? We'll have to wait and see.

Two others who may have the Senate in sight are newcomer to the county council, Pat Nugent and Cllr. Tom Higgins. Cllr. Nugent put his name forward at the Fine Gael selection convention for the General Election - remarkably without even being a fully paid up member of the party - while Cllr. Higgins may feel he is due for some higher reward.

But a more likely beneficiary is Deasy's Lieutenant Cllr. Damien Geoghegan. An extremely impressive councillor, who has made a very good impact on the county council since he topped the poll in the Dungarvan area, Cllr. Geoghegan might just be persuaded to put his name forward in the Labour panel.

MEA CULPA

Viewpoint was in the dock at a recent meeting of Waterford County Council for saying councillors were wined and dined after the morning briefing session of the budget meeting and before the main business of the day got under way. Fianna Fail councillor Ciaran O Riain rightly pointed out that he was not one of them.

As we all know councillors are really poor beleaguered souls constantly bombarded by the bully press. Of course, those council paid junkets to New York are really high powered efforts to attract business to the county. Spiralling expenses are only a fraction of what councillors are really worth. While when the vast majority of councillors go to council paid dinners before finishing all the programmes in the budget?...well not even a solitary councillor tried to justify that one. Instead they decried the lack of wine. Maybe what Viewpoint should have said was that councillors "whinged and dined" - that would have been a more accurate depiction. Mea Culpa!

DUNGARVAN QUIZ TO HELP RAISE FUNDS TO PUT ROOF ON HOUSE IN CAPE TOWN

Last year (2006) 70 houses were built in just one week by Irish Volunteers in the township of Mfuleni in Cape Town in South Africa. A massive achievement, of which all concerned should be justifiably proud.

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teers will take up the challenge and go out to South Africa to help with the building it is not possible for everyone to go. But we can still help.

The cost of a roof for one of these houses is €1,500 and it is this amount that we will be aiming to raise funds at Merry-

Bar on Wednesday night next 17th January. On that night we will have a fun table quiz starting at 9 p.m. Teams of three or four at just €5 per person. It will be good fun and at the end of the night you will have helped to put a roof over someone's head. See you there

Paddy O'Brien's 13th Annual Get-together at Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan



It's nearly that time of year again when one of Ireland's biggest country music events comes to Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan (058) 41122. This will be Paddy O'Brien's 13th Annual Get Together and will be held over two weekends as follows:

Friday, 26th, Sat. 27th and Sunday, 28th Jan.
Friday, 2nd, Sat. 3rd and Sunday, 4th Feb.

While Paddy and his band will do a nightly show, he will also be joined by some of Ireland's other major names in Country Music. These artists will travel from various parts of Ireland and will perform with their bands as follows:



Friday, 26th Jan:
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Saturday, 27th Jan:
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Sunday, 28th Jan:
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Friday, 2nd Feb:
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Saturday, 3rd Feb:
JOHN McNICHOLL
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Sunday, 4th Feb:
MIKE DENVER
& his band

Admission to nightly shows €13.

There will also be a great singsong each night with one of Ireland's favourites, Pat Tobin.

To coincide with the weekends, Paddy will release a brand new 14 track album, entitled 'Reasons'. This recording contains a great mix of old standards as well as some original songs. A promotional single entitled "Gold Watch and Chain" was taken from this new album and distributed to all radio stations during September of last year. It received great reviews and chart success and this added to such songs as "Some Days Are Diamonds", "Mum and Dad's Waltz", "So Afraid Of Losing You Again", "For Baby For Bobby", "Miller's Cave", "Heartaches By The Number" to name but a few, is sure to make this album another major hit.

Paddy O'Brien has had great success during his long career. In recent years he has had two singles and two albums reach the top ten in the World Indie Charts based in the USA and is the only Irish artist ever to do so. This chart is compiled in Nashville and represents the top independent country singers in the world. It was a fabulous achievement to be amongst such names as Dolly Parton, Billy Ray Cyrus, Johnny Cash, Paul Overstreet, Clint Black, The Dixie Chicks and others.

Paddy is one of the busiest people in Irish Country Music and continues to entertain throughout the length and breadth of Ireland as well as England, Scotland and Wales. He has also performed on a number of occasions in Austria, Germany and Switzerland and this year will also see him travel to New York for three shows at the end of March.

With an incredible output of albums, this latest one being the twenty second to date, amongst which he has had many, many hits including two of the most popular songs ever recorded "Never Grow Old" and "Out to California".

He has appeared on every major TV show from RTE, BBC, HTV, TG4, UTV and his songs were also regularly featured on Sky TV channel CMT which was shown across Europe. With over one hundred awards and several Gold Discs to his credit, he continues to be one of the most requested artists on radio stations everywhere.

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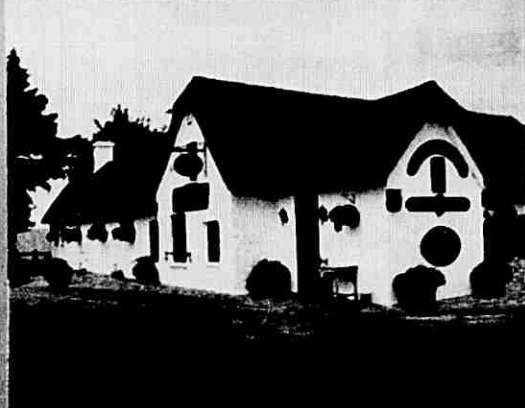
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There will also be a wine appreciation event with expert, David Hollywood, from 7.30pm, and all those taking part will have an opportunity to win a case of wine.

The celebrations will mark the end of what's been an incredible first year for Padraig and all at Daybreak.

IMPROVEMENTS

Just two years ago, Padraig was working as an accountant. While he had no retail experience, the FMCG sector interested and inspired him.

After looking at a number of premises, he and his father in law, Brian Dungan, discov-

ered a fully independent local shop for sale in Tallow and promptly stepped in with an offer which was accepted.

A number of structural changes followed during renovation work. And improvements to products and services, which have always been important to O'Neill's Daybreak, were continually made and added to throughout the year as they en-

deavoured to provide as full a service to their customers as possible.

Among these was the addition of a new Slush drinks unit and a new ice cream machine.

Ongoing improvements include the development of their cold and hot counters with the help and guidance of Cuisine De France and Carroll Cuisine.

It is part of the shops ethos to continue to be



conscious of changing needs and to always

listen to their customers and staff to see how best to improve the service they provide.

"Food to Go is now a very important part of our offering at O'Neill's Daybreak."

In the mornings, O'Neill's Daybreak offers delicious breakfast rolls filled with tasty bacon and sausages. And at lunch, a range of freshly made sandwiches, and made to order rolls and paninis are on offer.

FOOD TO GO

As a long established local store, Padraig's shop already had a strong grocery trade. The focus for them was to increase sales in Food to Go.

"With everybody becoming so time poor we are seeing more and more people in the mornings and lunchtimes looking for a convenient and nutritious food option," Padraig says.

And now Daybreak along with Carroll Cuisine are also developing their Real Food concept which offers people a delicious dinner for only €5.99 including vegetables and potato with the main course.



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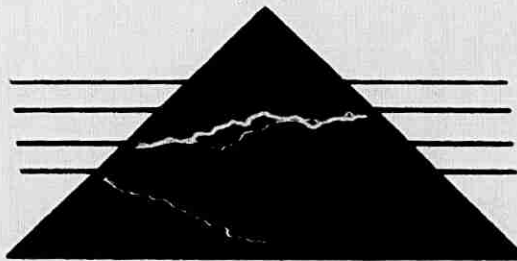
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POST LEAVING CERTIFICATE COURSES OPEN NIGHT AT COLAISTE CHATHAIL NAOFA

The highly informative and popular Open Night for students wishing to find out more about Post Leaving Certificate courses at Colaiste Chathail Naofa will take place in the college on Tuesday the 23rd January at 7.30 pm. The numbers attending these daytime courses continue to grow each year and the college has only this week opened its new extension to cater for this growth. The courses on offer next September will include; Administration, Business Studies, Accountancy Technician, Art, Craft and Design; Sports and Recreation Studies; Childcare Level 5 and 6, Community Care, Nursing Studies and Beauty Therapy.

These courses continue to attract a big number of students who have just completed their Leaving Certificate as well as a huge number who are mature students often in their 30's or 40's wishing to return and upskill with a view to acquiring a full time job. All the courses are either of a one or two year duration and lead to national certification which is readily accepted by employers.

POST LEAVING CERT GRADUATION NIGHT AT COLAISTE CHATHAIL NAOFA

The Graduation night for the successful Post Leaving Cert students of 2005/06 was held recently in the Park Hotel (see photos). A huge crowd of people gathered to pay tribute to the hard work of the students who looked resplendent in their graduation gowns. College Principal, Mr. Pat Buckley applauded the teaching staff who delivered courses in a professional, caring, friendly and most effective way. He saluted the graduates who worked so diligently during the past twelve months especially those

who had returned to education having been away from it for up to 15 years. Dungarvan's first citizen and Mayor, Counsellor Teresa Wright addressed the gathering and spoke in glowing terms and at length of the tremendous facilities now available in Colaiste Chathail Naofa for Post Leaving Certificate training. She stated that the easy access to the college and the courses which led to fulltime employment were an immense help to the community of West Waterford. She concluded by wishing the college well in the years ahead and also with its new extension. Mr. Brendan Griffin representing FETAC spoke of the currency and value of Post Leaving Certificate certification under the FETAC banner. He praised the college for offering a course to meet the needs of most people whether young or old and said he was delighted to be associated with such a successful venture.

Ms. Christine Mulcahy, Financial Controller with the Institute of Accountancy Technician of Ireland then spoke of the very high standards achieved by the students in their accountancy examinations greatly reflected she said by the fact that three students from Colaiste Chathail Naofa came in the top twenty in the country in their examinations. Concluding the list of speakers the Chairperson of the Board of Management Mr. Austin Flynn representing ITEC spoke in warm terms of the high standards achieved by the Beauty Therapy students this year. The college management and staff have derived great satisfaction and sense of achievement by the fact that most of these graduates are now in fulltime employment or accessing further education.

REMEMBER OPEN NIGHT TUESDAY 23RD JANUARY

In conclusion the college would like to remind people that the open night for incoming Post Leaving Cert students will take place on Tuesday, 23rd January at 7.30 pm. Course coordinators from each course will be available to answer your questions. We look forward to meeting you.



Pictured above are the Information Processing Graduates with Declan Doocey, Chairperson Co. Waterford V.E.C., Brendan Griffin, FETAC Representative, Joan Begley (tutor), Pat Buckley, Principal, Moira Dunford, Deputy Principal, Maureen O'Neill (tutor), John Martin, Co-Ordinator, Rosemary O'Driscoll (tutor).

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- ▲ A presentation on all the above courses will take place on the night
- ▲ All students and the general public are welcome to attend and view the excellent facilities in the new College.

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Pictured above are the Accountancy Technician Graduates with Declan Doocey, Chairperson Co. Waterford V.E.C., John Martin (tutor), Christine Mulcahy, Financial Controller IATI, Pat Buckley, Principal, Moira Dunford, Deputy Principal and tutor, Rosemary O'Driscoll (tutor).



Pictured above are the Business Administration Graduates with Declan Doocey, Chairperson Co. Waterford V.E.C., Brendan Griffin, FETAC Representative, Joan Begley, Co-ordinator, Pat Buckley, Principal, Moira Dunford, Deputy Principal, Maureen O'Neill (tutor), Rosemary O'Driscoll (tutor), John Martin, tutor.
(Photos by Pat Crowley Photography)

Colourful Start to New Year in Old House Arts Centre

The Old Market House Arts Centre, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford is currently hosting 'First Quarter' an exhibition by members of the Irish Patchwork Society. This travelling exhibition is a celebration of the society's achievements over the past quarter of a century. It consists of a selection of colourful quilts and wall hangings completed by the members of the society especially for this exhibition. The exhibition includes the work of Waterford members Joke Buursma and Pauline Beglin and the work of Kilkenny members Caroline Schofield and Helen Kavanagh. The exhibition features traditional and contemporary style patchwork and is a feast for the eyes.

This exhibition will continue until Saturday 10th February.

The Arts Centre is open Tuesday to Saturday from 11am - 5pm and school groups are reminded that they can book in advance by phoning 058/48944. Admission is free agus tá fáilte roimh gach aoinne.



Front row- Elaine Bowe (Arts Centre), Joke Buursma, Pauline Beglin; back row- Helen Kavanagh, Margaret Organ (Co. Waterford Arts Officer) and Caroline Schofield

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Tá stair fada ag baint leis an

Halla seo agus is iontach an áis dúinn é.

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PEIL

Tá peileadóirí na Meán scoile tar éis bliain iontach a bheith acu go dtí seo. Shroich na buachaillí faoi 18 Craobh an Chontae ach faraor n'fór sciobadar leo í. Bhuaigh Naomh Pól orthu tar éis am bhreise.

Boys under 18 narrowly beat-

en in County Final.

Tá na cailíní faoi 16 ag traenáil go dian faoi láthair. Tá siadsan freisin i gCraobh an Contae go luath. Ar an tsli bhuaigh siad ar Coláiste Cathail Naofa agus ar Abbey Community College. Go n-éirí leo sa Craobh.

Girls under 16 secure place in County Final.

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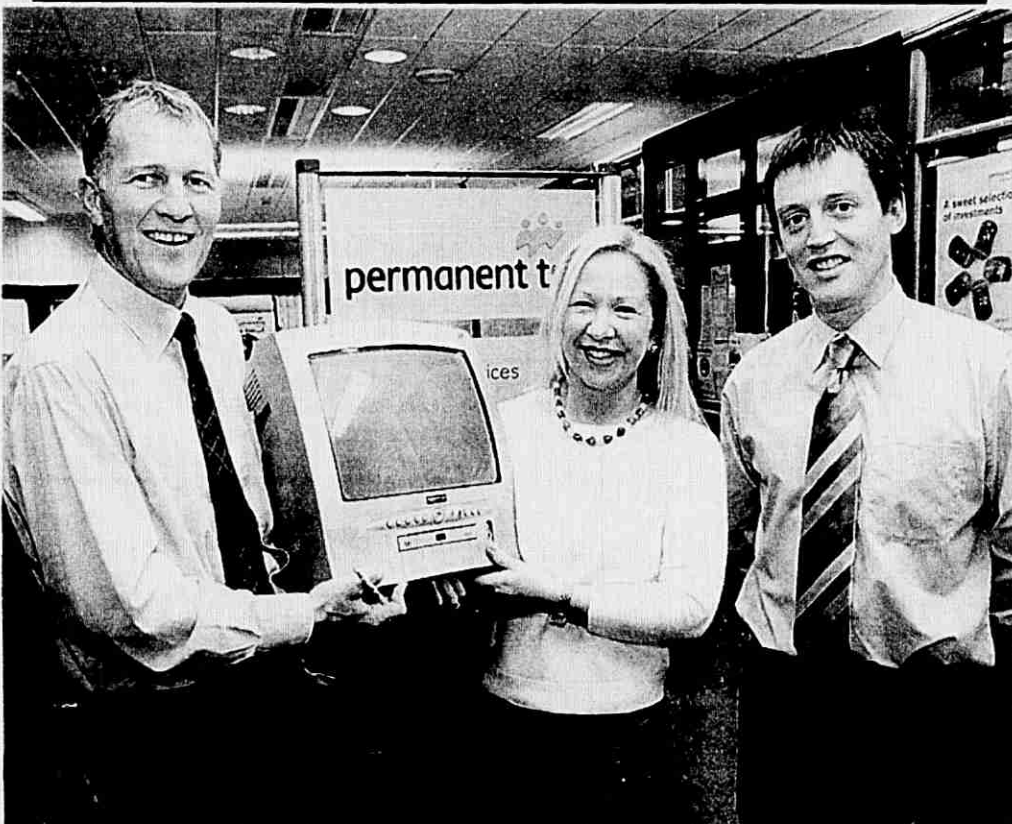


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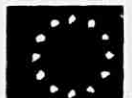
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IN MEMORIAM



BARRY — Eighth and Eighteenth Anniversaries — In loving memory of our dear mother and father, Martin Barry who died on January 26, 1999, and Catherine Barry, who died on January 22, 1989, late of Ballinacourty, Dungarvan. R.I.P. Masses offered.

The precious years won't come again,
When we were all together,
But the love and joy you gave to us,
Will stay with us forever.

(Loved and missed — your family at home and away.)

COLEMAN — Sixteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother (Tess) Teresa Coleman, late of 7 Parks Road, Lismore who died on January 18, 1991.

Have you ever lost a mother,
Who meant the world to you,
Have you ever felt the heartache,
Or ever felt the pain,
Or shed those bitter tears,
That drop like falling rain,
If you never had that feeling,
I pray you never do,
For when God took our mother,

It broke our hearts in two,
For those of you who have a mother,
Love her while you may,
For we wish with all our hearts,
That ours was here today.
(Forever loved by your loving family at home and in England.)



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

Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Sadly missed by Mary, Anne, Noel and grandchildren Amy and Hannah.)

CURRAN — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Patrick Curran, late of Lower Coolboa, Clashmore who died on January 18, 2004.

As down the road of memories,
We gently tread today,
Our loving thoughts are with you,
As life goes on its way,
Time may heal the heartaches,
Like the smile that hides the tears,
But happy memories keep you close,

Despite the passing years.
(Always remembered by your loving son Johnny and daughter-in-law Mary.)



CURRAN — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Patrick Curran, Lr. Coolboa, Clashmore, who died on January 18th, 2004. God bless you Patrick you were one of the best, Your name is often spoken, Our thoughts are with you still, You haven't been forgotten, You know you never will, A loving smile, a heart of gold, Those are the memories we will hold, Each Mass we hear, each prayer we say, Is offered up for you.
(Always lovingly remembered by your family.)



POWER — Sixth Anniversary — Treasured memories of my mother Kitty Power, 12 Fitzgerald's Tce., Dungarvan, who died on January 29th 2001.

We miss you from your fire-side chair,
Your loving smile and gentle air,
Your vacant place no one can fill,
We miss you mother and always will.
(Sadly missed by your son Joe, daughter-in-law Betty, grandchildren Gavin, Darren, Catherine, Joseph, great grandchild Jack and Ray.)



DOOCEY — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear wife, Eileen Doocey, late of 48, Allen Street, Cappoquin, who died on January 20, 2000. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass on Saturday, January 20th at 7.30 pm in St. Mary's Parish Church, Cappoquin.

It was a sudden parting,
Too bitter to forget,
Those who loved you dearly,
Are the ones who can't forget,
We often sit and think of you,
And think of how you died,
To think you could not say goodbye,
Before you closed your eyes,
Our family chain is broken,
Nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one,
The links shall join again.
(From your loving husband James and family.)

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

The tragic way you had to die,
Is always on my mind,
We wonder if you called our names,
We wonder if you cried,
It's hard to face tomorrow,
When someone we love is gone,
It's harder still to realise,
That love just goes on,
The loneliness and heart-aches,
Are so hard to bear,
All we have are memories,
Of how wonderful you were,
I am thinking of you today,
But that is nothing new,
For I thought about you yesterday,
And the day before that too,
I will think of you tomorrow,
As I live my whole life through,
For the day I fail to think of you,
Is the day God takes me too.
(Always remembered by your loving son Tony, daughter-in-law Maureen and grandson Mark, London.)

DOOCEY — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Eileen Doocey, late of Allen Street, Cappoquin, who died on January 20, 2000.

God called your name so gently,
But only you could hear,
No one heard the footsteps,
Of the angels drawing near,
You left this life so suddenly,
We could only wonder why,
For the saddest part of all,
We never said goodbye.
(Always remembered by your loving daughter Miriam, son-in-law Jim, grandchildren Fiona, Olivia and Brian.)

EGAN — Twenty Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Ally Egan, late of 75, Caseyville, Dungarvan who died on 17, January, 1985.

You always had a smile to share,
A laugh, a joke, a time to care,
A wonderful nature, warm and true,
These are the memories we have of you,
Our hearts still ache with sadness,
Secret tears flow,
Just how much we miss you,
No one will ever know.
(Always remembered by husband Deckie and family at home and away.)



FLYNN — In loving memory of my dear husband Michael Flynn, late of Lios Mor Ave. who died on the 21st January, 1999. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass at 10 am in St. Joseph's Hospital Chapel on Saturday, January 20th.

Silent thoughts of times together,
Hold memories that will last forever,
Each of us in our own way,
Have special thoughts of you today.
(Remembered always by his wife Monica, sons, daughters and all his grandchildren.)



FOLEY — Third and Tenth Anniversaries — In loving memory of my dear parents Maurice and Biddy Foley, late of 85 Congress Villas, Dungarvan R.I.P. who died on 7th February, 2004 and 25th Jan. 1997. Anniversary Mass on Wed. 24th January at 9.30 am in St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan.

No length of time can take away,
Our thoughts of you from day to day,
Time skips by and life goes on,
But from our hearts you are never gone,
Memories are a keepsake,
With which we never part,
God has you in his keeping,
I have you in my heart,
No matter how I spend my days,
Regardless of what I do,
Before I close my eyes at night,
I always think of you.
(Never forgotten, your loving daughter Theresa, son-in-law Kieran, granddaughters Sarah and Carol XX.)

FENNESSY — Twenty Ninth Anniversary — Cherished memories of a dear husband, grandad and great grandad, Daniel Fennessy, late of Ballysaggart, whose anniversary occurs at this time and for whom Mass will be offered.

No matter how life changes,
No matter what we do,
A special place within our hearts,
Is always kept for you.
(Always remembered by your loving wife Madge, son Donal, daughter Margaret and their families.)

GRIFFIN — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Sean, Cloghaun, Ballysaggart, whose anniversary occurs on January 21.

Treasured memories keep you near,
As time unfolds another year,
No need for words except to say,
Still missed and loved in every way.
(Always remembered by Helen and P.J.)



HENLEY — Fifteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth (Lil) Henley, late of 13, New Street, Tallow, who died on January 23, 1992. R.I.P. Masses offered.

No longer in our lives to share,
But in our hearts you are always there,
The way you were you will always be,
Very special in our memory.

(Always remembered by your loving son Don, daughter-in-law Theresa and grandchildren Dónal, Diarmaid, Barry, Catherine.)

HENLEY — Forty-fifth and Fifteenth Anniversaries — In loving memory of my dear parents Peter and Elizabeth Henley, New Street, Tallow.

A shadow walks beside us,
Forever by our side,
Always there to guide us,
Ever since you died,
No matter how our lives may change,
No matter what we do,
There is a place within our hearts,
That is forever kept for you.

(Always remembered by your loving son Pat, daughter-in-law Jo and grandchildren Kieran and Kevin.)



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

We hold you close within our hearts,
And there you shall remain,
To walk with us throughout our lives,
Until we meet again,
So rest in peace dear loved one,
And thanks for all you've done,
We pray that God has given you,
The crown you've truly won.
(Always remembered by his loving sons Charles and Richard, daughters Mary and Ann and their families.)

MOLONEY — Sixteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of William Moloney, late of Lismore and London whose anniversary occurs at this time. Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(From his sister-in-law Bridie, relatives and friends.)



MOORE — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of William Moore, late of Bawnfoun, Cappoquin, who died on January 19, 1999.

A silent thought, a secret tear,
Always wishing that you were here,
Life goes on, we know that's true,
But it's not the same since losing you.
(Sadly missed by your loving wife and family, your sister, relatives and friends.)

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IN MEMORIAM

MULCAHY — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of Michael Mulcahy, late of Ballinaha, Tallow whose anniversary occurs on January 17.

To your graveside I do wander,
I can picture your face so dear,
In silence I stand in sorrow,
For a husband I loved so dear,
The flowers I place upon it,
Will wither and decay,
But the love I buried with you,
Will never fade away,
When I am sad and lonely,
And everything goes wrong,
I seem to hear you whisper,
Cheer up and carry on,
I miss you sitting in your chair,
And your smiling face,
For there is no one in the world Mick,
Could ever take your place.
(Your loving wife Babs).



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

Will those who think of her today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by Ben, Karen and Cerys and Gerard, Marie and family).

WHELAN — Twentieth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dearest father Michael Whelan, late of 54 Cathal Brugha, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs on January 15, 1987. Mass offered.

Although you've left your favourite chair,
And your smiling face has gone,
Although we cannot hear your voice,
Your spirit still lives on,
How much you are missed around the house,
No one can ever tell,
But you seem to come back now and then,
To see if all is well,
Your photo stands with pride and place,
A gentle smile lights up your face,
You always seem to be so near,
Oh how we wish you were still here.
(Loved and missed so much Dada, your loving daughter June, Monnie and granddaughter Helen).



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

Some day I hope we'll meet again, Michael,
Where sorrow is unknown,
Some day I hope to hold your hand,
Before God's heavenly throne.
No more the secret tears of grief,
No more the longing sigh,
I will see again the face I loved,
So much in days gone by,
I smile behind my heartaches,
As you would want me to,
And when I shed a lonely tear,
No one sees but you.
I often pause in my daily work,
And by my side you'd be,
A million memories bring you back,
To stay a while with me.
But among my tears and heartaches,
There is one thing that makes me glad,
That you chose me to share with you,
The wonderful years we had,
(Sadly missed by your wife, Rita.).

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

We think of you always,
We talk about you still,
You haven't been forgotten,
You know you never will,
A laugh, a chat, a joke or two,
Is how we will always remember you.
(Always remembered by your sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law and grandchildren and great grandchildren).



TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our Dad James, late of Fernville, Lismore, who died on January 22nd, 2000. R.I.P.

Time changes many things,
But not the memories this day brings,
Your wish today would be no fuss,
but to be remembered by all of us.
(Lovingly remembered always by Mary, Bridie, Noreen, Patrick and Noel).



WADE — Fifth Anniversary — Cherished memories of a dear wife Marian, late of 9 Hillview Drive, Dungarvan, who died on January 18, 2002.

Masses offered.
Memories are something special,
That no one can steal,
Death is a heartache,
No one can heal,
Time slips by, life goes on,
But from our heart you are never gone.
(Never forgotten by her loving husband Edmond).

WADE — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Marion Wade, 9 Hillview Drive, Dungarvan who died on January 18, 2002. Masses offered.

A heart of gold, a life so true,
Loved and remembered by all she knew,
Always willing, helpful and kind,
What beautiful memories she left behind.
(Always remembered by Mam).

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

A smile for all, a heart of gold,
One of the best this world could hold,
Never selfish, always kind,
These are the memories you left behind.
(Always remembered by Kieran, Esther and family).

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

Never more than a thought away,
Loved and remembered every day,
Will those who think of Mar today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by Johnny, Eileen and family).

WADE — In loving memory of Marian, late of 9 Hill View Drive, Dungarvan whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Softly the leaves of memory fall,
Gently we gather and treasure them all.
(Always remembered — the Wade family at home and away).



WALSH — Seventeenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Margaret (Maggie) Walsh, late of Ballycullane, Dungarvan who died on 17th January 1990. Anniversary Mass on Sunday, January 21, at 9 am in the Friary Church.

It isn't what we write,
Or even what we say,
It's how we feel inside,
As we think of you today.
You always had a smile to share,
A laugh, a joke, a time to care,
No longer in our lives to share,
But in our hearts you are always there,
A wonderful person warm and true,
These are the memories we have of you.
(Always remembered by Billy, Ann, Killian, Ian and Emmet).

WHELAN — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of Ned, Old Parish and Nire Valley, whose anniversary occurs on January 21.

Never more than a thought away,
Loved and remembered every day.
(Mary, Luke and Aisling).

TALK IT OVER

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Acknowledgments

LATE PATRICK DOHERTY

Boherard, Kilossera, Dungarvan

The sister Mary and relatives of the late Patrick Doherty wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, floral tributes and who attended the funeral and burial, and also those who called personally. A special word of thanks to Canon O'Connor, Canon O'Mahoney, P.P., Dr. Higgins, Dr. Brady, Dungarvan; St. James' Hospital, Dublin and Waterford Regional Hospital; those who travelled long distances, altar servers, sacristan and gravediggers; Pat and Willie for being so helpful and all the kind neighbours and friends who helped in every way. Trusting this will be accepted by all. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

LATE THOMAS HURLEY

Ballinagoul, Ring

The wife Chris and family of the late Thomas Hurley wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, floral tributes and those who called personally; also those who attended the funeral and burial. A special word of thanks to Canon O'Mahoney, P.P., Canon O'Connor, Social Welfare Office, Coillte Office and Registration Office and St. Joseph's Hospital for their kindness, and all the kind neighbours and friends who helped in every way. Trusting this will be accepted by all. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all your intentions.

LATE TOMMY CANTWELL

6 Ballyrandle, Dungarvan

The Cantwell family wishes to convey their sincere gratitude to all those kind people who shared with, and mourned the loss of our father Tommy Cantwell of 6 Ballyrandle Dungarvan. We thank the many people who paid tribute to our father personally and by letter. It just confirmed the high opinion that we held him in, and it was warming to hear other people speak about him in such high regard. To Dr. Tom Higgins we offer our thanks for his attendance. A special thank you to the Matron and all the staff at St. Vincent's Hospital Dungarvan for the kind way that they treated our father and we are so grateful that he was allowed to pass away as he was in life, with dignity. A big thank you to all his kind neighbours, to all those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and floral tributes. We would also like to thank Rev. Fr Doherty who officiated at both services. We wish to extend our appreciation to Tom and James Drohan for a dignified funeral service, to Kathleen Murray, Jim Ryan, and the altar boys and girls at Ballinroad Church. To those who travelled long distances, particularly Ron and Kathleen Richardson (London) and their son Patrick who played the lament at the graveside. A big thank you to Tommy's two remaining amigos, Miceál O Faoláin, and Paddy 'the Hack' Healy who saw him off in the style he was accustomed to. We would also like to thank the various Clubs and organisations and all those who helped in any way.

Month's Mind Mass will be held at Ballinroad church on Sunday 28 January at 10am.

NOVENAS

A PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN

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

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. F.

ST. CLAIRE — You followed Christ in His life of poverty and prayer. Grant that confidently giving ourselves up to the providence of our Celestial Father, we serenely accept His Divine wish. Amen. Recite this prayer and 9 Hail Marys for 9 days with a lighted candle; on the 9th day let candle burn to end, ask for 3 things, one of them business and two impossible ones. Publish on the 9th day. Grateful thanks to St. Claire for favours received. — C. B.

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BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCES



ANSELL — Birthday Remembrance of a dear husband Peter Ansell, late of Byrneville whose birthday occurs on January 21.

Thank you Peter for those years we shared,
The love you gave and the way you cared,
You left a place no one can fill,
I miss you now and always will.
(Always remembered by your loving wife Margaret and family.)

O'SHEA — Birthday Remembrance of my dear father, Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone House, Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on January 15.

God saw you getting weary,
A cure was not to be,
He put His arms around you,
And whispered come to me.
So keep your arms around him, Lord,
And give him special care,
Make up for all he suffered,
And all that seemed unfair.
A thousand words won't bring you back,
We know because we've tried,
Neither will a million tears,
We know because we've cried.
Sometimes we think we're dreaming,
We cannot believe it is true,
That we can all go on living,
Now that we no longer have you.

(Always remembered and never forgotten — your loving son John, Cian, Pius and Colm.)

O'SHEA — Birthday Remembrance of my dear father Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone House, Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on January 15.

God chose to take my father,
He wanted one so fine,
Oh God above, please tell me,
Why it had to be mine.
To know him was to love him,
His kind and loving smile,
To have him as my father,
Made everything worthwhile.
No length of time will heal my grief,
My love for you is far too deep,
With broken heart I whisper low,
God bless you, Dad, I miss you so.

(Always remembered and never forgotten — your loving daughter Mag, Willie, Nicola and Liam.)



O'SHEA — Birthday Remembrance of my dear husband, Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone House, Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on January 15.

Eleven years have passed since we parted, Willie,
My heart still yearns for you,
I watched you battle to the end,
There was nothing I could do.
I stood around your bedside,
And watched you fade away,
I prayed and prayed to God above,
That he would let you stay.
Behind the gates of heaven,
There is someone special there,
A husband I loved so dearly,
A husband who will always care.
You gave me all you had to give,
Gifts both big and small,
But most of all you gave me love,
The biggest gift of all.
The tears in my eyes I can wipe away,
But the pain in my heart will always stay.
I lost my life's companion,
A life linked with my own,
And day by day I pray for you,
And I walk through life alone.
The house you left is lonely now,
And I am lonely too,
Those left behind are good and kind,
But none replaces you.
To me you were so special,
What more is there to say,
Except I wish with all my heart,
That you were here today.
(Always remembered and never forgotten — your loving wife Pearl.)

O'SHEA — Birthday Remembrance of my dear brother Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on January 15.

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.
(Lovingly remembered by your sister Sheila, brother-in-law Jimmy and family.)

O'SHEA — Birthday Remembrance of my dear father, Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone House, Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on January 15.

God came and stood beside your bed,
He took your hand and gently said,
You've suffered enough, more than you can stand,
You'll come with me to a better land.
You had a smile for everyone,
You had a heart of gold,
You left the sweetest memories,
The world could ever hold.
I was proud to be your daughter,
I thought the world of you,
To me you were someone special,
You know I always loved you.
If I could visit heaven,
On this my saddest day,
Maybe for a moment,
The pain would go away.
I would put my arms around you, Dad,
And say these words so true,
My life has been so empty,
Since the day I lost you.

(Always loved, remembered and never forgotten — your loving daughter Caroline, Eddie, Barry, Dean, Joshua and Jade.)

O'SHEA — Birthday Remembrance of my dear father, Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone House, Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on January 15.

Nothing can dim the face we love,
The memory of your smile,
The countless things you said and did,
To make our lives worthwhile.
Missed in the morning of every day,
Missed in the evening as night slips away,
Missed in a thousand and one little things,
Around every corner a memory clings,
Precious memories, tears unseen,
Wishing your absence was only a dream.
Precious things are very few,
That's why there was only one of you,
Precious memories are all I have,
Of a Dad I loved with all my heart.
Memories have such lovely ways,
Of bringing back our yesterdays,
As you were you will always be,
Very special in my memory.
Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say,
(Always loved, remembered and never forgotten — your loving daughter Michelle, Kiki, Robyn and Shay.)

O'SHEA — Birthday Remembrance of my dear father, Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone House, Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on January 15.

He was a father so very rare,
Content in his home and always there,
On earth he toiled, in heaven he rests,
God bless you Dad, you were one of the best.
The blow was hard, the shock severe,
To part with you we loved so dear,
Our loss is great, we'll not complain,
But trust in God to meet again.
We shared some laughter and some tears,
But best of all, Dad, we shared great years,
Your love was great, your heart was kind,
What beautiful memories you left behind.
So rest in peace, dear father,
And thanks for all you have done,
We pray that God has given you,
The crown you've truly won.
(Always remembered and never forgotten — your loving son Adrian, Tracy, Jessica Lee and A.J.)

O'SHEA — Birthday Remembrance of my dear father, Willie O'Shea, late of Wolfe Tone House, Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, whose birthday occurs on January 15.

He was a father so very rare,
When we needed him he was always there,
He shared our troubles, joys and tears,
Thank you Dad for those wonderful years.
Forgive us Lord if we still weep,
For a father we loved and could not keep,
Perhaps one day you will tell us why,
You broke our hearts and let us die.
If I could have just one wish,
Here's what I would say,
I'd ask to have my Dad back,
Just like the good old days.
I never ask for miracles,
But today one would do,
To have my front door open,
And to see my Dad walk through.

(Always remembered and never forgotten — your loving son Thomas, Jackie, Amy, Dawn, Tammy, Lauren, Lucy, Willie and Bronwyn.)

PLANNING NOTICES

Dungarvan Town Council — The proposed mixed use development will consist of the construction of 8 no. light industrial retail units with the provision of 215 new parking spaces, revision to site entrance, connection to public foul sewer and public water mains and all other ancillary siteworks at Spring/Curraheen Commons, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford on behalf of Darjohn Developments. This application is a revision of the 3 combined previous applications: PL-11/05, PL-15/05 and PL-16/05. The planning application may be inspected at the offices of Dungarvan Town Council, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal opening hours i.e. 9.00 a.m. to 4.30 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 euro. Signed: Peter Bolger B. Eng. (Civil).

Waterford Co. Council — We intend to apply to the above authority for Full Planning Permission to carry out an attic conversion with 2 additional bedrooms including the installation of dormer windows to the front and roof lights to the front, rear and side elevations of our dwelling at Glennasaggart, Cappoquin, 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 euro. Signed: Colin and Kate Organ.

Dungarvan Town Council — We intend to apply to the above authority for Full Planning Permission to construct an extension on 2 levels to the living quarters of our premises known as "The Local" at No. 10, Grattan Square, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. This property is listed as a protected structure in the Dungarvan Town Development Plan. 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 euro. Signed: Mr. and Mrs. D. Gough.

Waterford County Council — Permission is sought to deposit and level inorganic material comprising of soil and stones on site at Shanacloon, Ring, Co. Waterford and the construction of a temporary vehicular site entrance onto public road for the duration of site filling. 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 euro) within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the authority of the application. Signed: S. O'Sullivan.

Waterford County Council — We, Brendan and Gina Dunne intend to apply for permission to construct a single storey dwelling, family flat, proprietary wastewater treatment system and all associated site development works at Drumroe Lower, Cappoquin, Co. Waterford. The planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford during normal office hours i.e. 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. to 3.30 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 euro.

Waterford Co. Council — I, Martin McCloskey, intend to apply to Waterford Co. Council for permission consequent to construct a dormer style dwelling, garage, waste water treatment system, percolation area, bore-well, entrance and all associated site works at Lackendarra Lower, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. Outline planning permission granted under PD 06/1317. The Planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority and a submission or observation in relation to the application may be made to the authority in writing on payment of the prescribed fee of 20 euro within the period of five weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the Authority of the application.

Waterford County Council — We, Gertie Morrissey Walsh and Frank Walsh, intend to apply to Waterford Co. Council for planning permission to erect a bungalow, garage, waste water treatment system, percolation area and entrance at Leperstown, Dunmore East, 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 of 20 euro within the period of five weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the Authority of the application.

Waterford County Council — I, Sean Twomey, am applying to the above for Planning Permission for an amendment to my site boundary of PD 05/1767 at Ballinamona Upper, Old Parish, 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 euro.

Waterford County Council — I am applying to the above for Planning Permission for a Storey and a Half type Dwelling, Entrance, Treatment System, Percolation area and all ancillary works at Carrickahilla, Stradbally, 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 euro. Signed: Geraldine O'Keefe.

Waterford County Council — B. O'Callaghan Architectural Services, 024 20738, are applying to Waterford County Council on behalf of Caroline Barry for permission for (1) Construction of new detached dwelling house, waste water treatment unit and associated site works and (2) relocation of existing waste water treatment system serving existing dwelling replacing same with new waste water treatment unit and associated site works at Rincrow, Youghal, Co. Waterford. This Planning application may be inspected or purchased at the offices of the Planning Authority, Civic Offices, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford 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 euro) within the period of five weeks beginning on the date of receipt by the Authority of the application.

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CUT NITROGEN COSTS WITH SLURRY

We have been getting the value from the Phosphorus and Potassium in slurry always but many have not been getting the value of the nitrogen in slurry. The reason – all the nitrogen in slurry applied after early May is lost. But James Humphries of Teagasc has demonstrated the considerable savings that can be made by using more slurry in the early part of the year.

His suggestions are as follows:

Apply 2,500 – 3,000 gallons of slurry in late January early February to swards with lighter grass covers that will not be grazed until mid to late March. This will supply 23 units of nitrogen and can replace the bag nitrogen. You should allow six weeks between application and grazing.

For first cut silage, 90 – 100 units of nitrogen is recommended. If 3,000 gallons of slurry is spread in late March early April this will supply 25 units of nitrogen. Hence the fertiliser nitrogen can be cut back by a similar amount. As with grazing ground the slurry should be applied to reasonably bare swards. Again allow at least six weeks between spreading and first cut silage harvest date.

Thus up to two thirds of the slurry can be spread by early April – leading to substantial fertiliser nitrogen savings. And of course an added bonus is that the environment is benefiting also.

THE N & P CROSSWORD

Under the Nitrate Directive there is a limit on the amount of N&P every farmer (who is not in REPS) can use this year. And now is the time to find out exactly what quantities of N and P you may use.

To do the calculation you need the following information:

The average number of stock you intend having in 2007 i.e. average number of dairy or suckler cows, 0-1 year and 1-2 year old cattle etc.

The area of land you will be submitting on your single Payment Application this year.

The tonnes of meals you plan to feed in 2007.

Recent soil sample results.

Farmers in REPS can follow the fertiliser recommendations outlined in their REPS Plan.

SUCKLER COW CONDITION

The scourge of suckler herds is to have cows calving over a very long period – up to six months or more. And a heavy price is paid with late calvers having very light calves at weaning. A calf per cow per year. That was the slogan when suckling became a serious enterprise twenty five years ago. And if that target could be hit we would have much more compact calving in suckler herds. And lack of condition at calving is enemy number one if the calf per cow per year is not achieved. Every day that the calving interval exceeds 365 days you are losing.

Michael Diskin in work at Teagasc Grange showed that cows lacking condition at calving can take at least three weeks longer to come on heat. When that happens the calving interval is up to 385-390 days.

So it pays to select any cows lacking condition and feed extra silage, or if the silage is poor, feed 1-2 kgs of meal. The pay off is more compact calving, and a heavier animal at weaning.

DAIRY PROFIT MONITOR

January in the month of New Year resolutions. For dairy farmers one resolution should be to know what went well and where is there room for improvement in 2007. Two or three months into this year you should know the answer to questions such as – what is the profit per cow? What is the profit per litre of milk? – is it 10 cent, 12 cent, or 15 cent?

Without knowing the answer to these questions you are in a very bad position to comment on finances of dairy farming.

Get a Profit Monitor Input sheet from your local Teagasc office and devote a half day to filling it before you get really busy. Don't delay – make that phone call today.

New Entrant/Parent Milk Production Partnership Seminars.

All dairy farmers who are considering or planning to establish New Entrant/Parent Milk Production partnerships are invited to one of two Seminars being run by Teagasc on the 23rd and 30th January. In particular, these seminars are aimed at people who have not yet registered a partnership but have already applied to purchase quota from the 30% pool for priority Category Allocations in the first quota trade or are considering the purchase of quota in the second trade in the category of New Entrant Farming in Partnership.

Topics:

Details of Scheme
Application procedures and preparation of applications.
Partnership agreement
Guide to operating in partnership.
Installation Aid, REPS, Grants etc. for farmers farming in partnership.

Tuesday 23rd January.

Kilkenny. Teagasc, Kells Road, Kilkenny.

Tuesday 30th January

Fermoy, Co. Cork. Teagasc Conference Centre Moorepark, Fermoy, Co. Cork.

All seminars will commence at 11.00 a.m. (sharp) and finish at 1.30 p.m.



FARMING LEADER

IFA PRESIDENT ADDRESSES ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

IFA President Padraig Walshe has described 2006 as a year of extraordinary achievement for IFA. Speaking at the AGM of the Irish Farmers' Association in Dublin recently, Mr Walshe said the value of the new Partnership Agreement to Irish agriculture is a minimum €7bn over the next 7 years. That's an increase in funding for farm schemes of over 50%.

Mr Walshe said "I want to recognise the commitment shown by the Government in making up the shortfall arising from declining EU transfers. I also want to acknowledge the vital efforts of the Minister for Agriculture, Mary Coughlan, in securing the necessary funding to improve the key farm development schemes. I am fully convinced this represents a sound investment by the Government that will help develop and underpin a progressive Irish agriculture."

On inspections, the IFA President criticised senior management in the Department for the shambles they presided over and

the heavy-handed tactics used against farmers by a small minority of inspectors.

He said ultimately the Minister must take full political responsibility for one of the most unsavoury periods in the relationship between farmers and the Department.

Mr Walshe said "the first mistake by the Department was their attempt to circumvent IFA and unilaterally impose their will with a totally inadequate information campaign. They failed to provide the inspectors' checklist to farmers. No wonder there was such resistance by the Department, when at the end of the inspections, we eventually extracted all 66 pages of the Department's handiwork, including 1,450 different sections, requiring inspectors' signatures at 28 different places."

The IFA President said he was prepared to put last Autumn behind him, but he had a clear message for the Minister: a new inspection regime must be in place and agreed before applica-

tions for the 2007 Single Payment are sent to farmers.

"Otherwise, I promise you every Government election candidate will have to explain on the doorstep why farmers are being subjected to 66 pages of bureaucracy. County Executives will head up this campaign in each constituency," he added.

Mr Walshe said while Minister Coughlan introduced good legislation on country-of-origin labelling, there is a total lack of commitment on its implementation by State agencies in restaurants, hotels and pubs. The Department of Agriculture dumped the regulations on the Food Safety Authority, which has virtually disowned any responsibility for their implementation.

He said "this pass-the-buck, cop-out cannot be tolerated. I have a simple solution. There are hundreds of inspectors chasing farmers, that the Minister would better employ implementing the labelling requirements. I will be asking the Minister for a commitment on this today and for the ex-

tension of country-of-origin labelling requirement to lamb, pork and bacon, and chicken."

Mr Walshe said the issues of climate change and energy security have now come to the fore worldwide in a way that has major implications for agriculture.

"As politicians worldwide strive for greater energy security, it is evident that biofuel crops will increasingly compete directly with food crops for available land. The issues of climate change and energy security have now come to the fore worldwide in a way that has major implications for agriculture," he said.

Mr Walshe said the 20-year cycle of falling farm product prices and zero price increases is over.

"In the past decade, general price inflation in Ireland totalled 40%. In the same period, food prices in supermarkets increased by almost 30%. While the cost of goods and services, and food prices were rising rapidly, since 1995 the price received by farmers for their produce has actually fallen by 2%. With labour, energy and other input costs rising, purchasers of agricultural products must realise that our prices must go up to reflect our increasing costs," he added.

The IFA President said he firmly believed that for the half of 1% of GDP that European citizens and taxpayers contribute to the Common Agricultural Policy, they receive an excellent return.

He said "we must spread this message in Ireland and throughout the European Union. The benefits for European society include food security, food safety and traceability, renewable energy, and protection of the natural environment. Farming and the related agri-food and agri-services industries are the mainstay of much of the European rural economy.

While there will be changes to the system, farmers must be confident and determined that direct payments will continue after 2013."



At the Waterford IFA Annual General Meeting in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan (left to right): Joseph Kelly, IFA Regional Development Officer, Michael Keane, County Chairman, Derek Deane, Deputy President IFA and Mary Flynn, County Secretary. —(Photo: Rory Wyley).

Waste Farm Plastic 06/07

Now is the time to prepare for recycling your waste farm plastic.

Reduction of water and soil contamination in plastic will reduce costs. Cost free solution to storage is, tie 4 pallets together to form a box.

The cost to have this collected is €50 per pallet box. Also available in early '07 recycling system for other farm plastics i.e., clean spray, oil and detergent drums, fertiliser bags, net and twine, etc. for our diesel manufacturing facility in Portlaoise.

For more details contact I.F.F. P.G. Ltd at 1890 300444 or your local agent D. & R. Doocoy 058/53020

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Regeneration & Clearfelling Plans 2007

Coillte have drawn up plans for areas within the following properties:

Tower-Hill	Coolroe	Mocollop Glen
Gortacade	Monameean	Inchinleama
Brownwood	Toor-South	Knockadullaun
Glenhouse	Blackhill	Mocollop Glen
Gardenmorris	Kilgobnet	Barrismountain
Bohadoo	Old Parish	Knockaniska West
Ballintlea	Moyng	Kilcalf
Furraleigh	Knocknasheega	Carnglass
Garrynagree	Glenshelane	Coolbeggan
Scordaun	Lismore	Killeenagh

All interested parties who wish to express their views in relation to the plans can view same by contacting:

Marie Roche in the Regional Office, Cork
021 4964366

Cappoquin Notes

AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN GAA CLUB NOTES

Annual General Meeting

Our AGM is fixed for this coming Saturday the 20th January in the CYMS hall Cappoquin at 8:20pm.

All members and players and intending members are requested to attend as this is the time and place to air your views.

Best Wishes

Best wishes for a speedy recovery to the John O'Connor, Carrigeen, Mary Foley, Mellera Road, Andy O'Keefe, Barrack Street and Paddy Mason Shanbally who were all hospitalized recently. We hope to see you all out and about again soon.

Sympathy

Sincere sympathy to the Bonner family on the sad passing of Teddy Bonner last weekend.

CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE JUVENILE GAA CLUB AGM

Cappoquin/Affane held its Annual General Meeting on Friday night last, 12th January in the Cappoquin Community Hall and a very large crowd was in attendance. Outgoing Chairman Noel Looby opened the meeting and welcomed everyone. Noel has been chairman for the last three years and has given tremendous service to the club. Outgoing Treasurer Denise Meaney who was just simply the best treasurer any club could have for the last year gave a detailed financial report for the year 2006. Noel and Denise will be sorely missed, but our new officers are also very capable people and there is no doubt that they will also do good work.

Martina Murphy our outgoing secretary, and it is also good to see Martina doing the job in 2007, gave a comprehensive report on everything that happened on the juvenile GAA scene in 2007 and this is her review of 2006.

CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE JUVENILE GAA CLUB REVIEW 2006

Christmas has come and gone and a new year on the sporting front dawns in 2007. So before the games commence I think our club can take a brief look back on an exciting and successful 2006.

Our under 21 hurlers exceeded all expectations on winning the western title. They beat the raging hot pots Dungarvan in the first round. Clashmore were next to be overcome in the semi-final and in the final the lads had a convincing win over the highly fancied Tallow-Shamrocks combination in Ardmore. The county final of this competition will take place next month in Dungarvan.

Affane U-21

Footballers went down to Ballyduff by the narrowest margin in the first round in Lismore.

Cappoquin minor hurlers defeated An Gaeltacht, Ballyduff, St. Oliver's and Abbeyside before defeating Dungarvan in the Western Final in a thriller to capture the title for the first time since 1978. In the County Final the lads went down to a very strong Ballygunner team

but it was a game that Cappoquin never laid down in and with a little luck could have won.

In Minor football Cois Brid and Dungarvan knocked the lads out in the group stage.

In U-16 hurling in the county divisional championship, Cappoquin defeated Cois Bhrí, Brickeys, Clashmore and Dunhill and lost to Clonea in the group stages, in a super semi-final Cappoquin lost out to the eventual county champions Dunhill.

In the Western U-16 hurling championship Cappoquin lost to Lismore in their first game but went on then to defeat Abbeyside, Naomh Brid/St. Pat's and the Brickeys before going down to Dungarvan in an entertaining division 1 semi final.

In the Western U-16 football championship Affane defeated Stradbally but lost out to Dungarvan and Ballinacourty.

U-14 hurlers defeated Abbeyside in the semi-final to reach the western division 1 only to be defeated by Lismore. In the County division 1 hurling championship the lads put in some tremendous performances against Mt. Sion, Abbeyside, De La Salle, Lismore, Ballygunner and Tramore and were unlucky not to make the knock-out stages.

Affane U-14 footballers defeated Brickeys, Stradbally and Cois Brid in the group stages of the championship and lost to St. Oliver's. In the semi final Cois Bhrí came out on top second time round against the lads.

U-13 hurlers seemed to be always playing this year, in the championship they lost out by a point to eventual county champions Brickey Rangers in the semi final. But this was only the start of the year for the lads. In the Glen Rovers tournament the lads won the plate final defeating Cobh, Mallow, Newtownshandrum and Youghal in the final. They also won the Brickey Rangers tournament. They were also invited to an intercounty tournament in Mullinahone against teams from Clare, Galway, Limerick, Cork, Tipperary and Wexford and the lads played great. In our own U-12 final the lads reached the final only to be defeated by Fermoy in a good game.

Affane U-12 footballers reached the division two final defeating the Nire and the Brickeys on the way before losing out to Ballinacourty in the final.

U-11 hurlers played in the town/country league having some very tight entertaining games with Ballyduff who they defeated and Clashmore and An Gaeltacht who they lost to by two points.

From U-10 to U-8 there was a numerous amount of games and tournaments, too many to even mention. The U-10's had a great win in their own Paddy McCarthy Cup final against Clashmore, Cappoquin U-8 hurlers were again successful at the annual Roanmore tournament, they also defeated Mt. Sion, in the plate final of their own tournament. Affane U-8 footballers were dominant in the six team tournament with Brickey's, Kilrossanty, St. Oliver's, Ballinacourty and Clashmore. U-9 hurlers played a cracking final in Ballyduff with Lismore.

A big thank you to all the selectors, managers and the ladies who help out with the teams and to all the parents. Well done also to all the players from the club who represented the county last year. Minor hurling; Paul Murray, Mark Landers and Shane Fives. U-16 hurling; Shane O'Rourke. U-15 hurling Carrigaline tournament; Finan Murray and Colm Looby. U-14 Hurling Tony Forristal Tournament; Darragh Fives, Sonny Walsh Tournament, David Cahalane.

The election of officers for 2007 is as follows - Chairman; John O'Connor. Vice Chairman; Fintan Murray. Secretary; Martina Murphy. Treasurer; Geraldine Murray. PRO; Michael Murray. Delegates to Western and County Board Meetings; Seamus McCarthy, James Mason, Noel Looby. Committee; Pa Curran, Brian Murray, Colm Looby, Eamonn O'Shea, Noel Landers, Shane Fraher, Finan Murray, Denise Meaney, Rita McCarthy, John McCarthy, James Crotty.

AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB

New Years Party Results 1st Mary Fives and Claire Meaney. 2nd Eileen Tinnelly and Rita Hegarty. 3rd joint Brid Bergin and Betty Kelleher. Brid Culloo and Pat Murphy.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Margaret and Billy Bray and family on the passing of her father Michael Drislane, Ballyduff. Sympathy is extended to Maggie Bonner and family, Barrack St. on the passing of her husband Ted Bonner.

SPEEDY RECOVERY

To the large number of people in the locality who are currently hospitalised or recovering at home. I would like to wish them all a speedy recovery.

CAPPOQUIN F.C. NOTES

Premier Division

Cappoquin A 1 Accrington 0

Playing with the game with 10 men for 80 minutes, Cappoquin dug in and grafted out a very hard and well earned three points against a very competitive visiting side. If anyone thought this was going to be an easy ride five minutes into the game it was obvious Accrington were here to fight for every ball and try to take the points home for their fight at the other end of the table.

We had Keith Landers sent off after 10 minutes after an innocuous looking tackle with their winger. The rest of the half was very messy with no real shots on either keeper. We lost centre forward Seamus Landers after 15 minutes with a hamstring strain and was replaced by Mossie Collins. Our first shot came in the 42nd minute when C.P. had a shot from outside the box tipped over. Half time 0-0.

The second half continued in the same vein as the first half but at least we seemed to pile on a bit more pressure this half and looked threatening on occasions. To the credit of Accrington, they always looked extremely dangerous on the break and one felt they could catch us at anytime. They broke through in the 70th minute but Cullinane spread himself brilliantly and saved very well.

Hogan came on in the 75th minute and he gave us a different physical option up front. We almost conceded a goal in the 80th minute when a corner from Accrington was flicked on a near post but was cleared off the line by C.P. when a certain goal was on.

We got the all important winner in the 85th minute when some good work down the right involving Looby and Lacey which saw the latter put in a lovely cross for the intruding David Lenane to head powerfully home which gave the visiting keeper no chance, another vital saving goal from Billy.

We held out for the three point which keeps us up with the headers in this ultra competitive league this year.

Remember, training in Lismore on Thursday at 8pm. Team: Ciaran Cullinane, Ma Lacey, Keith Landers, Eddie Walsh, David Lenane (Capt), Dave Kett, Pat Sullivan, Conor Prendergast, John Twomey, Pat Morrissey, Seamus Landers.

Res: Mossie Collins, Alan Hogan, Tim Looby (all used), Tom Mansfield, John Buckley, Garry Morrissey.

CAPPOQUIN SCHOOLBOYS /GIRLS SOCCER CLUB

U-12 League

Pinewood 1 Cappoquin 4

Sham Mc Carthy's charges put in a touring performance against a fancied Pinewood rangers side in this league fixture. What a pity we were understrenght in our opening two games of this competition as we have a team good enough to put it up to the best of them. The cup is still to come and we should give it a good go. The scorers were David O'Brien 2 and Michael Troy 2. Well done to all the parents that drove to the game on a miserable afternoon. Next up an Ghaeltacht next Sat afternoon. Well done and keep it up lads!

U-14 League

We were short 5 for this game but to show the strength in depth of our squad we needed only two from the u-12 squad and they played magnificent coming away with a comprehensive 7-2 win. With 3 games remaining, Brideview are setting the pace but we have games in hand. Victory in all three will win the title for us so this is no time to slip up. Next week we play An Ghaeltacht away in a very tricky fixture. Scorers were Darragh Fives 2 (again), Evan McGrath 2, Cailin O'Gorman, Dean Whelan.

6-10 Year olds

After a long lay off over christmas we are back this Thursday with a friendly with Pinewood rangers in U-8 and U-10. All children to be at Lismore at 5.45

Girls

Great strides are being made on the girls side of thing under the guidance of Joan Cahillane.

6-12 year olds

On Friday evenings our girls play in the Soccer Sisters programme on the Astro -Turf pitch in Lismore. This starts next Friday and new players are especially welcome.

The full 10 week programme costs €25 which pays for the venue, balls, bibs, cones, etc and each child will receive a T-shirt. To registrar come along on the night at 5.30.

U-16

Another new initiative is the u-16 9 aside in Lismore Astro. We had a good number of girls at this and more going next week. All are welcome, come along to the Blackwater Community School at 11.45 next Sunday

F.A.I. Summer Soccer School

We are delighted to again host the official F.A.I. Soccer camp this summer. It will take place on the first week of July. Last year it was a great success with over 60 boys and Girls enjoying a sun soaked week of soccer at our club ground. The feedback from the kids was extremely positive and we look forward to another great week this year. Coordinator this season will be Joan Cahillane so you can take it as certain that everything will be well organised from our side.

Bag Pack

It is all hands on deck next weekend as we man the check outs at Dunnes Stores in Dungarvan for bag packing duty. Not alone do all children have to work we also need parents to supervise. We expect all children to work and one from every family to supervise. We will contact you next week here is the rota.

Friday 5.30pm- 10pm U-14 Team. Sat 9am-1pm U-12 & U-16 Sat 1pm-6pm girls u-12 & u-16 Boys U-16.

Calender

Thursday 5.45 pm U-8 & U-10 V Pinewood rangers in BCS Lismore. Friday U-18 (Youths) V Valley in BCS. Sat U-12 away to An Ghaeltacht 3pm. Sat U-14 away to An Ghaeltacht 1.30 pm. U-16 Home to Pinewood rangers 11 am (in Affane).

CAPPOQUIN CONCERNED RESIDENTS COMMITTEE

Cappoquin Concerned Residents Committee held their first meeting on Saturday 13th January, following the public gathering on December 9th, regarding the proposed development of the site of the old Boys National School at the Mellary Road.

The committee officers and members as follows, Chairman - Michael Coffey Upper Shanbally, Vice Chairman - Paudie Fennessy, 1 O Donoghue Tce, Shanbally. Secretary - Aine Ni Fhiannusa, 1 Ardan O Donnchu, Seanbaile, Asst Sec. Kathleen Mullally 24 Danes Field, Shanbally. Treasurer - Tom Browne, 11 Danesfield. Committee - Simon Hogan, 332 Shanbally, John Mc Grath, 23 Danesfield, Gerry Moore Upper Shanbally. We wish to inform the local residents that members of the Committee will be calling over the coming weeks to discuss the proposal and to seek the support of the householders in opposing the current plan under a number of headings which include the lack of adequate sewerage treatment facilities, increased traffic flows and the current parking difficulties to name a few. We hope to gain the support of the residents of other parts of our town, so if you feel that you would like to add your voice to our campaign please contact one of the Committee members above. We will be delighted to add your signature to our list.

We will continue to lobby our local elected Representatives to add their considerable influence to our cause. We are encouraged by their responses to date and look forward to working with them. We will publish progress reports on the local notes as they arise. Ar scáth a cheile a mhaireann na daoine!

Cappoquin Notes

CAPPOQUIN SNOOKER AND BILLIARDS CLUB

Market House League Ladder

Plenty of action again last week in the Market House League Ladder with a total of twenty more games played. First up on Monday night was Martin Reddy who challenged Eddie Hickey and after a very scrappy game Reddy had enough to win. Michael Casey played David Cahill (who is playing very well at the moment) and after an extremely well contested tie, young Cahill emerged victorious by six points. Michael Casey then challenged Martin Reddy and it was Casey who took the spoils. Eddie Hickey then challenged David Cahill and this was a game Eddie never got into as Cahill potted for fun to win convincingly. Eamon Costin then challenged Martin Reddy and after a poor contest, Costin had enough in the end to claim victory. Reddy then challenged Costin but the outcome was the same, another victory for Eamon.

On Tuesday night there was six games played. Mike Doherty challenged Liam McLaughlin and Dots played very well to win on a score of 63-39. Then Eamon O'Shea challenged Eddie Hickey and this was a very close encounter. Hickey missed a very easy yellow and O'Shea held on to win by just one point. Ray Curran challenged Michael Roche and after a very low scoring contest, Roche won by two points. Liam McLaughlin then played Mike Doherty (who had beaten him earlier) and on this occasion it was Lisa who emerged with the win on a score of 62059. Rhiney Walsh then challenged David Cahill and this was another cracking contest with Cahill winning 56-42. Ray Curran had another crack at Mike Roche but to no avail as Roche inflicted a second defeat on Curran.

Then on Wednesday night we had four games. First up Michael Doherty challenged number one David Mason and after a fine contest, Mason claimed the win by 69-59 to show that he is not going to surrender top spot without a fight. John Noonan then challenged Mike Doherty and with both players potting very well, it was close going into the colours. However, Doherty pulled away to record the victory. Shane Coughlan challenged the sponsor Jack McGrath and this was a very well contested encounter with Jack claiming victory by 47-36. Shane Coughlan then played club No. 1 Robbie Allen and what a difference a frame can make. This time Shane inflicted defeat on Robbie by 46-?

Only one game on Thursday night, Brendan Walsh played Mike Doherty and after a great game Dots won by 66-41. Three games took place on Friday night. First Liam Whelan challenged Liam McLaughlin

and another close game ensued. However, in the end Liam Whelan had enough on the board to claim the win. Brian Whelan challenged Mike Roche and another cracking game was witnessed as Roche edged past Brian by a single point.

In the last game last week Liam Whelan played Liam McLaughlin. This time Liam McLaughlin had the better of things and won by 28 points.

Mason Managers And Financial Services

Doubles Tournament

Closing date for this tournament is Friday next, January 19th. If your name is not on the entry list you cannot compete in this tournament we are hoping that this will be a very good tournament and it would be nice to see as many members as possible participate.

Membership

Club membership is flying in at the moment. We are getting new members every week and it is great to see snooker being played by so many every week. If anyone is interested in playing or joining just call in any night and whoever is on duty will accommodate you.

So after another exciting weeks snooker there are many changes to the league table.

The full table is:

1.	David Mason
2.	Michael Doherty
3.	Liam McLaughlin
4.	Liam Whelan
5.	Brendan Walsh
6.	Conor O'Leary
7.	David Cahill
8.	John Noonan
9.	Robert Walsh
10.	Michael Roche
11.	Ray Curran
12.	Tony Hickey
13.	Brian Whelan
14.	Darragh Wilkinson
15.	Michael Casey
16.	Eamon Costin
17.	Martin Reddy
18.	Eamon O'Shea
19.	Eddie Hickey
20.	Shane Coughlan
21.	Robert Allen
22.	John Walsh
23.	John Quann
24.	Alan Barry
25.	Martin McCarthy
26.	Bobby Walton
27.	John McGrath
28.	Anthony O'Rourke
29.	Eric Heaphy
30.	Stephen O'Keefe
31.	Warren Lonergan
32.	Michael O'Farrell

CAPPOQUIN COMMUNITY CENTRE

Spring into 2007 with day and evening courses at Cappoquin Educational Centre

Update on most recent available courses:

Digital Photography, starting Monday, 29th January, given by Tipperary Institute, Photoshop Level 1.

Dyna Toning & Aerobics, starting Wednesday, 17th January 7:30pm. Contact Helena on 086-8586118.

Guitar Lessons For Beginners, Monday nights, 6:30pm. Contact Bernie Coffey on 086-3557201.

Art for Beginners - Tuesday, 7:30pm

Yoga Thursday 1st February at 7pm - 8:30pm

Set dancing, Wednesday nights, 7:00pm.

Computers for Beginners

SAGE Computerised Accounts.

Computers Level 3 & 4, Wednesday and Thursday nights.

Computer Literacy, Tuesday afternoons.

Irish Music Lessons, Tuesday's 7:30pm Concertina and Tin Whistle, contact 058-52746.

Practical Psychology - WIT

Childcare Level 4 - VEC

ECDL, starting in February.

Believe in Spring and join these classes at Cappoquin Community Centre.

Booking and enquiries on 058-52746

Childcare Facility

Creche places are filling up fast, think ahead and book your place to avoid disappointment. Recruitment at present for additional childcare assistance. For further details contact Cappoquin Community Development Company office at 058-52746.

CAPPOQUIN CIVIC LINK

English Classes

English classes have recommenced and will take place every Wednesday at Cappoquin Library from 7.30-9.00p.m. All are welcome and there is no tuition fee as all our tutors have been trained by Dungarvan Adult Literacy.

Kurz angličtiny znova začíná a bude sa konat každú stredu o 19.30 v knizi ci. Vsetci sú vítaní, neplatia žiadny poplatok, vsetci nasi dobrovolníci boli vyskolení pod zástitou Dungarvanskej školy pre dospelých.

WEST WATERFORD DARTS

Last Weeks Results

A League - Lindsays 6 Swallow Inn 2; Red House 5 Morrissey's 3; Moloney's A v Riordan's A; Tigh an Cheoil A a bye 5 points.

B League - Tigh an Cheoil B3 2 Tigh an Cheoil B2 6; John Paul's 7 Moloney's B 1; Riordan's B 4 Kiely's Cross 4; Old Mill 4 Deckies 4.

Next Weeks Games

A League - Moloney's A v Tigh an Cheoil; Lindsays v Red House; Swallow Inn a bye.

B League - Moloney's B v Deckies; Tigh an Cheoil B2 v John Paul's; Kiely's Cross v Tigh an Cheoil B3; Old Mill v Riordan's B.

Paddy Corcoran of Lindsay's has a check out of 141 and Joe Keogh of the Old Mill has a check out of 145. There is a meeting next Thursday, 18th January in Morrissey's Bar, Cappoquin at 8:30pm sharp.

Two members from each club must attend. Riordan's B fined E10 for late result.

A League

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts
Moloney's A	8	8	0	0	41
Lindsays	8	5	1	2	37
Riordan's	8	4	3	1	35
Red House	8	4	2	2	34
Morrissey's	8	3	5	0	32
Swallow Inn	8	3	4	1	31
Tigh an Cheoil	8	2	6	0	20

B League

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts
Deckies	8	5	1	2	43
John Paul's	8	5	1	1	41
Old Mill	8	4	1	3	40
Riordan's B	8	3	1	4	33
Kiely's Cross	8	3	3	4	33
Tigh an Cheoil (B2)	8	1	3	2	32
Tigh an Cheoil (B3)	8	0	6	2	19
Moloney's	8	0	7	1	15

CAPPOQUIN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LTD LOTTO RESULTS

Jackpot of €2,500 won by Mr. Denis Dunne, Cork. Well done Denis. A word of thanks to Waterford County Council for giving of their time so generously in erecting the Christmas tree and lights. Well done Paddy and guys.

Lotto for 15th January. Jackpot €1,000. No winner. Numbers 1-3-17-25. Next lotto jackpot is €1,100. Consolation prizes were Roisin Meehan, Carol McCarthy, Mary O'Rourke, Danny O'Brien, Eoin Russell, Eleanor Casey.

Next draw takes place on Monday, 22nd January. All proceeds go towards the Community Centre.

Modeligo News

Condolences

We note with great sadness the death recently of Moya Bn. Uí Domhnaill, Rinn Uí gCuanach, and we tender our sympathies to her sons, daughters, their families and all her relations and many friends.

Baintreach ba i Moya, bhi si posta ar feadh na blianta le Fear Mor Colaiste na Rinne, agus ar ndoigh, fear mor Mha Dheilige freisin, Michael O Domhnaill (nach maireann). Moya's late husband Michael was extremely proud of his Modeligo roots, being a member of the O'Donnell family (Boherwillin). His knowledge of the social history of Modeligo and surrounding areas was unsurpassed.

Ba mhór an tsamhail a bhaineadh se as a thurasanna go dtí a bhaile fearainne duchais, agus Moya ina theannta go minic. Leaba i mease na Naomh go raibh aici.

Birthday Wishes

Heartiest congratulations to Kevin Burke, who celebrated his 21st birthday in great style along with his family and friends at the Central, Cappoquin, on Saturday night last. Kevin is son of Haulie and Sandra Burke, Moneygorm.

Modeligo F.C.

Our season resumed after a number of weather postponements, however, it was a severely depleted Modeligo team that took the field against a lively Valley Rangers XI. 4-0 down at half time tells its own story, however some half time reorganising paid off somewhat, and we got two good second half goals from Walter O'Grady and Adam Bending, to whom, incidentally, we extend a hearty welcome home from Australia.

Naomh Brid

We wish the Modeligo selectors, Shane, Vince, Nicky, John, Johnny and Donal the various underage teams best of luck for the coming year. For 2007, our hurlers will be assisting St. Patrick's, vice versa for the footballers.

Crannchur Aitiul

Numbers drawn for 13th January - 9-20-24. Ni raibh aon buaiteoir, mar sin E1,100 i gceol an leipreachain don deireadh seachtaine seo chugainn. 4 x E25 winners: Bab Cunningham, Clashmore; Hickey Family, Woodhouse; Tom Phelan, Pike and Siobhan Troy, Modeligo.

Ballysaggart Notes

CARDS RESULTS

11th Jan. Joe Power and John Kennefick. Pat Kirby and Tom Nugent. Sean and Mray Kelly. Mary Whelan and Dan O'Brien. Stephen Cunningham and Tom Cahill. Lucky tables; Mary and Sean Kelly. Bridie O'Brien and Pa Geoghegan. Tom Cahill and Stephen Cunningham. Tickets; Stephen Cunningham, Tess Hale, Pat Ryan, Tom Cahill.

GAA

Lotto Results

Numbers drawn 9th Jan. 15-16-17-20. No jackpot winner. 15 euro winners as follows; John Devine, Coole; Tom and Anne Nugent, Breda Carey. Jackpot Tues. 16th 3,750 euro. Results next week.

AGM

We held our AGM on Friday night last 12th. It was good to see such a good attendance on the night. One of the main topics of conversation was the cost of running even a small club like ours and the Chairman thanked all the people who buy lotto tickets every week and also Deise Draw tickets and all the people who give us sponsorship whenever they are asked.

The election of officers went as follows; Hon Life President; Pad J. Fennessy, President; Fr. Kevin Mulcahy P.P. Vice Presidents; Willie Roche, Pat Veale, Tom Walsh, Dave Fennessy, Eddie Veale, Jim O'Brien. Chairman; John Devine. Vice Chairman MI. Clancy. Secretary; Breda Clancy. Asst. Sec. Anthony Glavin. Treasurer; Pat Bennett. Asst. Treasurer; Adrian Meagher. Membership Officer; Matty Meagher. First Aid Tina Meagher and Marie Nugent. Delegates to Board meetings Chairman, Eddie Veale, Fergal Meagher, Anthony Glavin, PRO Breda Clancy. Deise Draw Co-ordinator; Paul Veale and Seamus Kearney. Trainer; Pat Veale.

Field committee; John Devine, Dave Fennessy, MI. Clancy, Sean Roche, Pat Ryan, Sean Bennett.

Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to the family of Joe O'Farrell, who passed away recently. May he rest in peace.

Lismore Notes



LISMORE SOCCER CLUB NOTES

Encouraging start to 2007 continues

On Sunday last Lismore played host to Dungarvan United in the 3rd round of the Munster Junior Cup with Lismore hoping to emulate last years achievements in the same competition when they became the first team from the WVEC league to reach the last eight of this prestigious competition. In order to stay in this competition Lismore would have to get past a Dungarvan team riding high in the Waterford league and also containing two ex-Lismore stalwarts in Pat Quinn and Alan Landers.

Lismore dominated the early exchanges with Paul Quinn and Michael Walsh allowing Dungarvan's midfielders no time or space to play in and with Colin Houlihan and Terence Walsh covering endless ground on either wing, Lismore were providing the early goal threat. Just as it appeared that Dungarvan were beginning to find their feet, Lismore struck for the all important opener. A superb in-swinging corner from Colin Houlihan was met and bulleted to the net by David Howard, all in all a well deserved lead for Lismore.

Dungarvan appeared to be awoken by this shock and proceeded to attack the Lismore goal relentlessly for the next ten minutes but the back four were giving up very few chances and anything that got past them was dealt with easily by Thomas Landers in goal. However with so much pace in the team Lismore were always going to be a threat on the break and so it proved when

Kevin O'Donoghue laid on a superb pass to Edward Pollard who attempted to round the Dungarvan keeper only to be hacked down in full flight. After consulting with his line-man the referee awarded a penalty to Lismore. Up stepped Paul Quinn to lash the ball to the net, giving the Dungarvan keeper no chance.

Dungarvan again stepped up the pressure for the remainder of the first half but were unable to find a way through a resolute Lismore defence, leaving the half-time score at 2-0 to Lismore.

The second half began as the first had ended, with Dungarvan doing most of the attacking. After ten minutes of intense pressure in which Tommy Landers made a number of vital stops, the Lismore rearguard was finally breached, leaving the score at 2-1 to Lismore. Dungarvan were really piling on the pressure at this stage looking for an equaliser and again Lismore had Tommy to thank for preserving the lead. With twenty minutes left the Lismore management team of John Landers and Mattie Coleman decided it was time to bring on some fresh legs and Sean Growler, Daly and Kevin Langan were introduced, shortly followed by Dan Shanahan. At this stage Dungarvan were camped in Lismore's half but again Lismore showed how dangerous they are on the break and but for superb saves by the Dungarvan keeper, would have extended their lead through first Kevin Langan and then Edward Pollard. After what seemed like an eternity and some

nervous defending by Lismore the final whistle finally went, leaving the final score at Lismore 2 Dungarvan United 1. Lismore squad: Thomas Landers, Aidan Roche, Sean Ormonde, David Howard, Jason Tobin, Colin Houlihan, Michael Walsh, Paul Quinn, Terence Walsh, Edward Pollard, Kevin O'Donoghue, Sean Daly, Kevin Langan, Dan Shanahan, Keith Hornibrook, Jamie Dalton.

An excellent team performance with each and every player doing their utmost to secure one of the best results in the clubs history.

A superb result for the club, particularly in light of their league position, and the team can now look forward to an away fixture versus either Maymount or Everton of Cork in the last sixteen of the tournament, to be played on the weekend of the 28th of January.

At this point the club would like to thank the GAA for the use of the dressing rooms for the game, the referee and his linesmen for their superb handling of the game, Michael Looby for that bit of extra training during the week and Willie Roche and The Classroom Bar for the after match refreshments.

The club is planning to hire a bus to travel to this game so any supporters who would be interested in travelling should contact Craig Tobin on 087 9744272 before next weekend to book their spot.

Astro-turf continues as normal this Tuesday night at nine, and Lismore entertain Inch (A) in the first round of the Tyre Centre Cup this Sunday, see WVEC notes for details of

LISMORE UNDERAGE SOCCER NOTES

U12 Lismore 2 v An Gaeltacht 1

On Saturday afternoon last we played our first game of 2007 when we played the Ring outfit in this league fixture. This was a highly entertaining game with both sides playing some good football. On a difficult surface, we took the lead 20 minutes in from the penalty spot after Cian Mangan was brought down following a terrific run. Kieran Bennett finished well from the spot kick. The away side pushed hard for the remainder of the half but we held firm. After some strong words at half time from management, we came out with a lot better attitude for the second half and had our opponents in real difficulty and it came as no surprise that we defended our lead on 45 minutes when Stephen Bennett poked home from close range. At this stage we made a number of substitutions and luckily got away with our decision as our opponents scored late on and pressurised us for the last 5 minutes. However, we did hold out for a deserved win.

Team: R. Landers, B. Ryan,

K. Bennet, M. Delaney, J. Flynn, A. Balding, C. Mangan, J. Shanahan, N. Pratt, S. Bennett, D. Meagher.

Subs: C. Coughlan, E. McGrath, R. Coleman, D. Prendergast, S. Bennett.

This Saturday our U12 and U14 teams play Ballybridge in the league. U12 game is a 1:30pm kick off. Players in the soccer pitch at 1pm and our U14's play at 2:45pm. Players asked to be at the field at

2:15pm.

Kevin Pratt and Peter Whelan have started training for 8 to 10 year olds every Saturday evening from 6pm to 7pm at the Astro Turf. The fee per player is €3 and these sessions should be very enjoyable and educational as both Kevin and Peter have both recently done their Level 1 F.A.I. Coaching courses. Fair play to both lads for giving their time generously!

LISMORE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE FINE GAEL

The A.G.M. of the above will take place on Tuesday, 23rd January at Ballyrafter House Hotel at 8:30pm. All new members welcome.

LISMORE POINT TO POINT COMMITTEE

The A.G.M. of the above will be held in Ballyrafter House Hotel on Wednesday, 24th January at 8:30pm. All new members welcome.

LISMORE BRIDGE CLUB

1st: Margaret O'Leary and Maura Callanan; 2nd: Kay Barry

"THE CRIPPLE OF INISHMAAN" RETURNS TO THE LISMORE COURTHOUSE THEATRE

Lismore Dramatic Society returns to the stage due to popular demand with Martin McDonagh's classic "The Cripple Of Innishmaan" this weekend, the 19th to the 21st January. The November production played to packed houses and received great reviews.

The Society's first production in Lismore's new Courthouse Theatre, was an outstanding success and rehearsals are now underway for this months reprise. So if you want a good nights entertainment in January, then this show should not be missed.

Set on a remote island off the West coast of Ireland in 1934, the Cripple of Innishmaan is a strange comic tale in the great tradition of Irish storytelling.

Excitement hits the island of Innishmore and the sleepy village of Innishmaan when the local gossip, Johnypateenmike announces that a Hollywood film crew is coming to film a movie on a nearby island. No one wants to go more than the orphaned Cripple Billy. After a life of teasing from his neighbours like the tempestuous Slippy Helen and her brother Bartley, Cripple Billy longs to escape the island and his life

with his well meaning but crazy foster aunts. When he set sail for the film set to chase his dreams, he finds the answers to questions he never could have found in Innishmaan, but finds that those same answers lead him home.

Cast: Kate (Una Walshe), Eileen (Julie Landers), Johnypateenmike (James Lenane), Billy (Gavin Hallahan), Bartley (Damien Pollard), Helen (Jan O'Sullivan), Babbybobby (Kevin Roche), Doctor (James Hyde), Mammy (Joan Bolger).

McDonagh's The Beauty Queen of Leenane was the play for which Anna Manahan won the Tony Award a few years ago.

The new courthouse theatre space boasts a new stage area with a raised raked seated auditorium, a new heating system and also a lift to the first floor area to facilitate patrons. The play is directed by James Lenane and a great nights entertainment is assured, so come along and enjoy a great night out!

The play runs from Friday, 19th to Sunday, 21st January and tickets can be obtained by booking at Cahill's, Lismore on 058 53992.

C.L.G. LIOS MOR

Intermediate Players Meetings

There will be a players meeting for all our Intermediate hurlers in the Community Centre at 8.00 p.m. on Saturday 27th January. We would ask that all those involved please attend.

Membership

Please note that all membership is now due and should be paid to Tom Hannon as soon as possible.

Lismore GAA Victory Social

We are holding our victory social in Ballyrafter House Hotel on 9th February 2007. Tickets will be available from this Friday from the officers of the club and from John O'Gorman.

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to Club President Paddy Moore on the death of his nephew John Morrissey, Dungarvan.

Club Lotto

The winning numbers in Monday night's lotto were 8, 11 and 15. There was no winner of the €2450 jackpot. Next week's jackpot will be €2600. The €15 winners were as follows: Donal Landers, Towns Park, Mary Bransfield, East Main Street, Julie McGrath, Ashley Court and Martina McCarthy c/o Mary Dalton.

C.L.G. na nOg Lios Mor/Baile na Saggart Committee Meeting

The juvenile club held their first committee meeting of the year last Wednesday night. Many different issues relating to the year ahead were discussed. Selectors of the different grades are now collecting membership from all teams. Please note that players are NOT eligible to participate unless membership is paid up.

LISMORE MOCHUDA LOTTO DRAW

Date: January 9th, 2007
Super Jackpot € 5250.00.
CTVX. No winner. Bonus Jackpot €150.00. CEOX. No winner. Consolation prizes of €15.00 each: John Power, Deerpark rd., Lismore; Deirdre Stuart, East Main Street, Lismore; Nicola O'Shea, c/o McCarthy's Insurance, Lismore; Seamus Hurley, c/o Roche's Hardware, Lismore.

Next Draw January 16th, 2007. Eamonns Place, Super Jackpot € 5400.00.

LISMORE CONCERT A GREAT SUCCESS

Lismore Choir's three Christmas Concerts in Lismore Castle were thoroughly enjoyed by all our patrons, judging by reports. We had a full house each night, all tickets being sold out before the event. The festive aroma of mulled wine and mince pies permeated the air and filled all present with a warm Christmas spirit.

The choir surprised the audience by processing in from the back of the hall singing the first carol 'Of the Fathers Heart Begotten'. Later the sound of the shepherds calling to each other across the valley was heard in 'Le Baylere'. Our guests this year, the multi talented Gallagher Sisters went down a treat. Karina on violin and Aiveen on viola were really a revelation. They performed individually and together as a duet. Such virtuosity in performers so young is truly remarkable. We wish them every success in their future studies. At the final concert we presented our chosen charity, the local branch of the Central Remedial Clinic, with a sizeable cheque from the proceeds of the raffle to help them in their marvellous work for those in need of their services.

This Spring Term the choir is very happy to have the great privilege of joining up with the East Cork Choral Society under their director Colin Nicholls to sing Handel's 'Judas Maccabaeus', an oratorio for soprano, alto, tenor, bass, full choir and orchestra. This performance will take place in the Cathedral of St. Mary and St. Anne in Cork City on Saturday, March 24th at 8 p.m.

In April the choir is eagerly awaiting their forthcoming trip to Barcelona where having sought out the unique buildings engineered by the great Gaudi and having strolled down the Ramblas soaking in the Spanish ambience, they are going out to visit the famous monastery of Monserrat where they will give a recital for the monks. With all this on our plate it is 'all systems go'. Rehearsals continue on Wednesdays in St. Patrick's Hall, Tallow at 7.45p.m. Any interested males will be very welcome.

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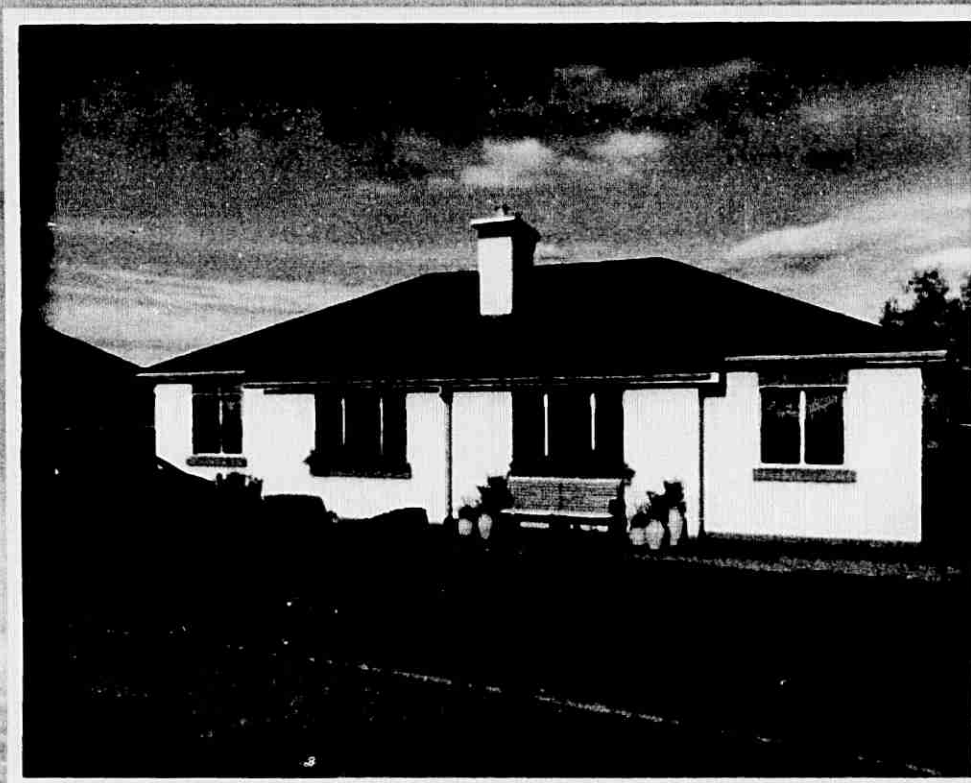
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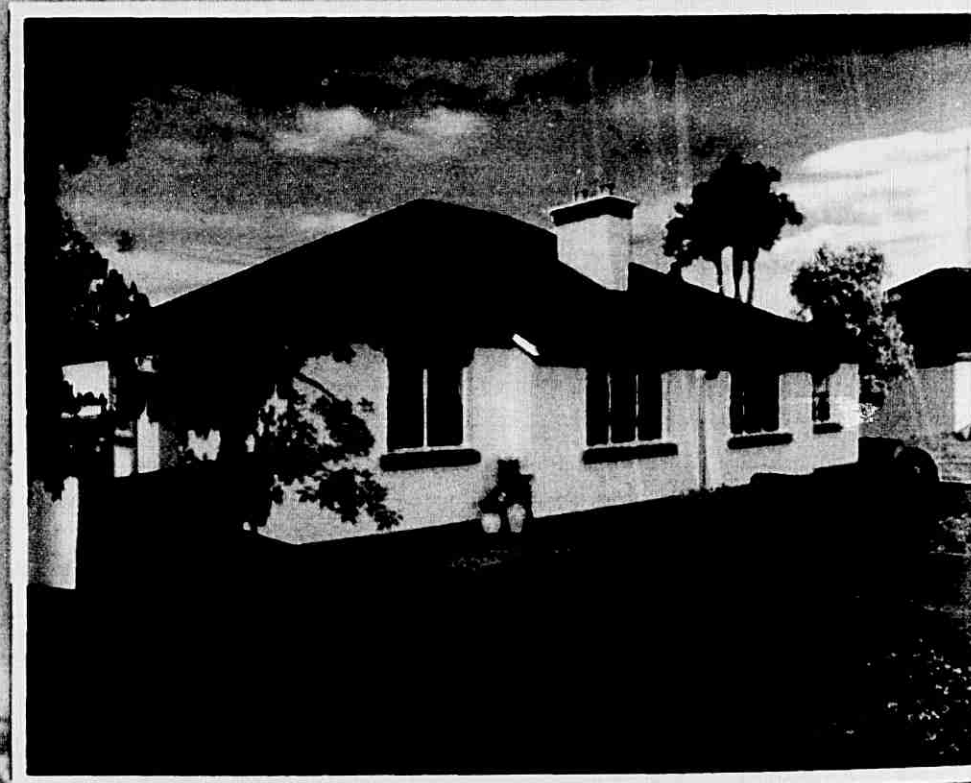
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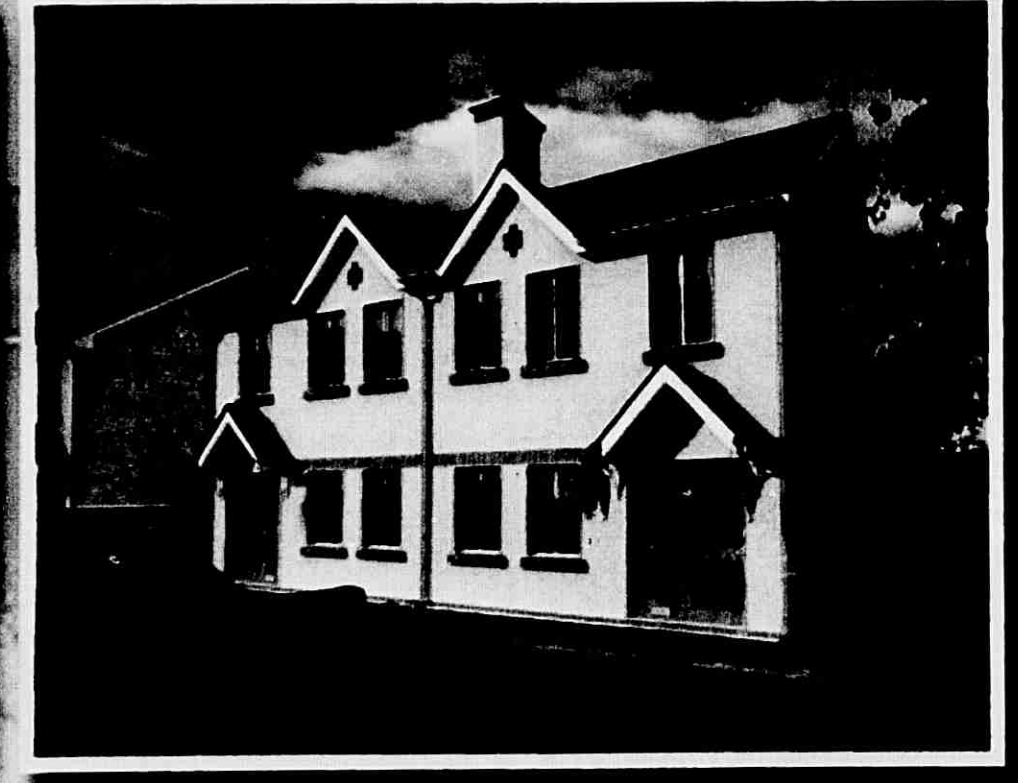
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Tallow Notes

C.L.G. TULACH AN IARAINN - SPONSORED BY TALLOW AREA CREDIT UNION Chairman Calls For Renewed Effort On and Off The Field in 2007

A.G.M.

It was a little bit of history in the making as the first AGM at our new club rooms got underway last Thursday night. At the outset of the meeting, club patron Rev Fr O Farrell P.P. blessed the ground and the new club rooms. He paid tribute to all who played their part in bringing the new development about and wished the club every success in the year ahead.

Financial reports delivered by club treasurer Mairead Sheehan, Deise Draw Coordinator Loretta Kearney and Lotto secretary Tim Sheehan showed the club to be in a solid financial position, a remarkable achievement given the level of development activity in the past year. It was clear to the large attendance that financial affairs were prudently managed and the results were there for all to see. What was evident also from the accounts was the remarkable generosity of supporters who contributed to the Development fund as well as subscribing to the Lotto and Deise Draw.

In a wide ranging address that covered all aspects of club activity, chairman John McDonnell extolled the efforts of the many who had worked assiduously for the good of the club. Members were given a detailed update on development progress. The chairman expressed his satisfaction with the condition of our new pitch stating that a dry summer had helped and the presence of worm activity in the soil was a positive sign.

Work on the car park area, lining, fencing, cobble lock etc was going to plan and should be completed by mid February the meeting was informed. Public lighting would be extended as far as our club rooms before year end and this will also considerably enhance the whole area.

An Cathaoirleach further stated that: "the finances of the club are in a healthy state and we are well positioned to apply for funding to complete the next phase of development." This would include: pitch perimeter fencing, dugouts, surface sanding, lighting and ball alleys. He thanked our sponsors and all who contributed in any way to the work of the development.

The fruits of our off field efforts were clear to be seen but the same could not be said for our on field activity the Chairman stated, Team performances were disappointing. There was a lengthy discussion on team affairs with many contributions from the floor. There was a general feeling that we should be achieving more. Tallow teams now have state of the art facilities and the support from the club can not be faulted. We will have to see where this one goes. It goes without saying that a big improvement will be hoped for from all teams.

John McDonnell commented on the importance of the coaching initiative currently underway stating that it was not an end in itself and it was "back to ourselves to continue with it. We need a medium and long term plan for coaching." (Details of the coaching courses are given elsewhere in notes)

In conclusion the chairman thanked his fellow officers, selectors and committee members, calling on all to "put their shoulder to the wheel" for the good of Tallow GAA in 2007.

The election of officers was expedited in record time as all outgoing officers were returned unopposed. (Secretary Lindsay Murphy was unable to attend for reasons that will become obvious when you read the rest of notes.)

Our thanks to Mick Kearney for the excellent hot food and refreshments provided after the meeting.

Team Selectors Senior Hurling

Last year's management team of Colin Cunningham, Pat Bennet and Trevor Sheehan were returned for the coming year and will appoint their own backroom team.

Junior Hurling

Tom Kearney, J.P. Grey, Brendan Hartigan, Liam Mulcahy

Junior Football

Nobody queuing up for this one but after some debate it was decided to enter a team in the championship. Selectors to be announced at first committee meeting.

U21 Hurling

James Beecher has given great service here and is taking a well earned break. The chairman assured him he would find another job for him. Selectors to be announced.

U21 Football

(with Shamrocks) No appointment yet - to be announced.

Hurling Coaching

Our Hurling Coaching Sessions will resume within the next few weeks. Attendance at the two sessions before Christmas was excellent and there are a further three in the series. Even if you have missed the first two it's not too late to come on board.

Wednesday 24th January @ 7.30 p.m. with Donal McCarthy.

Wednesday 31st January @ 7.30 pm with Joey Carton.

Thursday 8th February @ 7.00 pm with Paudie Butler.

These coaching instructors are recognised as some of the best in the country. Paudie Butler, who was appointed National Hurling Coach last August, will conduct the last session on February 8th. He will take one of the Cois Bhride underage teams for an hours coaching and following the session he will address all present.

The sessions will get underway

promptly at the times outlined so do your best to be on time. All with an interest in furthering the game of hurling in these parishes are welcome.

Mike Prendergast Appointed Honorary Vice President

In recognition of his immense contribution to Gaelic Games at home and abroad Mike Prendergast was appointed Honorary Vice President of Tallow GAA club at our Annual General Meeting last Thursday night. The proposal by Chairman John McDonnell was unanimously and enthusiastically endorsed by the large attendance at the first ever AGM held in the club rooms at Paire Eamonn De Paor.

At a time of high immigration in the '50's Mike, at the tender age of 18 and having achieved an honours Leaving Cert at Mt. Mellary, left these shores along with so many others for greener pastures in the US. As a player and administrator he has been, along with other dedicated ex pats, one of the mainstays of our games and Irish identity in New York.

Despite his many years abroad he has never forgotten his roots and his beloved Tallow. Many of us in the crowded clubrooms on Thursday night have reason to be grateful to the "Tinker" and his wife Mary for their hospitality and friendship over the years. He continues to be a great friend to Tallow and Waterford hurling and a generous contributor to club funds.

Christmas Tree

Our thanks to Tom Goulding, who took down the tree and to Liam Barry who provided the machine to shred the tree for recycling.

We would like to apologise to anyone who may have been inconvenienced by the positioning of the tree this year. The Christmas tree is put up in the space reserved for Disabled parking because there is an existing concrete sleeve in

the ground in this spot to hold the tree. Normally the adjacent parking space is temporarily designated for Disabled parking over the Christmas period but motorists may not have been aware of this. We will try to ensure it does not happen next time.

Jordan Fund - Table Quiz

The quiz hosted by Tallow GAA takes place on Friday night in Lizzy Langtons. Your support is kindly requested.

Comhghairdeas

Congratulations to club legend Pat and secretary Lindsay on the birth of a baby boy. Aidan Murphy. Can't you just see his name on a team sheet.

Triple Joy

Our congratulations to our former senior goalkeeper Martin Murphy and his wife Geraldine on the birth of triplets. Busy times ahead folks.

Tallow GAA Lotto - supported by Kearney's Restaurant

8/1/07. Numbers Drawn: 3, 11, 14, 15. No jackpot winner.

Consolation prizes to: Eddie Curley, Phil Russell, Kitty McDonnell, Noel Sheehan. Promoter: Fiona.

Duirt Siad

"Aidan born 11.30 this morning.. mum and son doing great..father's head wrecked"

Murphy's txt message from the ward on Monday - obviously under pressure.

"We have worm activity in the new field"

Some members got alarmed when the chairman announced this at AGM but it was only nature taking its course.

"You're only an apprentice lifer" A "real" lifer points out my lowly status in the GAA pecking order at club AGM. I've a long way to sink yet.

"Our first call in Mannheim will be to the John Deere Factory."

Finn plans our itinerary for the senior trip to Germany on Patrick's week-end. You can take the man from the land.

BRIDEVIEW DRAMA

Well, it's all over! Seven performances; hundreds of kids, adults, helpers and parents; a huge set; great music and many many hours of hard work paid off wonderfully with Brideview Drama's pantomime, Aladdin. It was great to see so many of the community rally around to help with preparing and then running the performances night after night. A great fun time was had by all, especially Liz O'Hara who led everyone in the show's final Freddy Mercury singalong every night. We must also thank everyone who was part of the audiences. The feedback was excellent and we loved hearing the laughter during each show. We're glad you came and hope you really enjoyed yourself. The kids involved in the show (from the tiny tots and National Schools students, through to the teenagers and big-kid adult performers) had a ball putting on the show. Everyone's exhausted, but very pleased with what was accomplished. It was wonderful to see so many new faces on stage. No doubt we'll drag them all back on in a future production!

Jack Aherne, overall producer of the play, paid tribute to everyone who helped, both on stage and back stage). He also singled out Hilary Reynolds for her work with preparing the singers and doing the music every night. It's hard to see, but enormous amounts of work went into preparing the run of performances. Hilary and Jack and David Murphy (assistant director) spent many nights working to get it all set up, as did Des Fitzsimons and his stage crew, who created, painted and readied the set, props and stage areas (they not only built a stage extension, but several extra dressing rooms for the kids). Also, we can't forget to congratulate all involved in resurrecting and redecorating Tallow Community Centre. It was warm, comfortable, well-lit and a very cheerful place to be. Thanks to Sean Tobin and all the community groups involved for getting the hall ready in time; plus all the sponsors who helped with costs and raffle-prizes.

We've run out of the DVD of the show, but more will be made, so if you've ordered don't worry - you'll get one. Brideview Drama's next show will be the drama, 'Memory of Water' by Shelagh Stephenson, in February. Produced by George Peet, it's a funny story about three grown-up sisters coming together to sort through their mother's effects, after she's passed on. Don't worry, there's lots of comedy with the sisters playing off each other and discussing what their mother meant to each one of them, plus where their love-lives are going (good and bad!). Starring local actors Mary Curley, Audrey Sheahan and Vanessa Hyde, it also sees us welcoming new players to the club. Brian Hogan and Yvonne Needham from Yougal and Castletyons respectively. Memory of Water is the play we're taking on tour as part of the All-Ireland Full-Length Play festivals, so we're certainly keeping ourselves busy these days!

BLACKWATER LADIES CLUB NOTES

Welcome to 2007!

At the start of the year, we look forward to a further year of interesting events and catching up on news at our meeting.

Our last meeting, in December, was a most enjoyable one. Instead of having Kay Murray to give us a demonstration of Christmas Flower arrangements, Kay brought along her friend, Geraldine O'Leary and with their guidance we all created our own arrangement for the festive season. This worked really well as the candles,

evergreen leaves and twigs were combined with flowers, ribbons and gold touches, to create the ideal shape and size of arrangement for each individual home. It also inspires us to experiment with our new skills. It won't be long before we will be decorating our rooms with spring and summer flowers. We thank Kay and Geraldine for their patience and encouragement. We thoroughly enjoyed ourselves and went home very happy with our efforts.

We thank Lor Sweeney too, who brought along a selection of her bangles, necklaces and earrings to the meeting. They provided us with plenty of choice in colour and design and made a welcome addition to the evening's entertainment.

Now to our next meeting

January heralds our AGM and we promise to make it short and sweet. If you can attend, we would appreciate your opinions and feedback. The programme for the last Thursday in January, 25th is as follows:

8:00pm AGM Blackwater Ladies Club. 8:30pm Insurance: Getting it right.

The speaker is Tony O'Brien from Killeenagh who has kindly agreed to share his expertise with us on a subject which we have to deal with each year, car insurance, health insurance, home and contents insurance, should we write out another cheque to the same suppliers or take a different approach? Getting it right is important for our peace of mind and also for our pocket. Let Tony advise you and blow out some of the myths around this subject.

We look forward to seeing you at the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore on the 25th.



This Tallow hurling team dates from the 1920's and is the oldest we have come across in our research to date. We would like to hear from anyone out there who has Tallow photos of this vintage or older.

Recipes



COOKERY CORNER

Authentic, spicy and never a dhal moment

THIS traditional Singhi dish will spice up any meal.

Ingredients:

- Serves 4
- 200g yellow lentils
- 50g fresh ginger
- 6 tomatoes
- 2 stalks curry leaves
- 1/4 x 5ml sp turmeric
- 4 x 15ml sp ghee or butter
- 1 x 15ml sp garam masala

Homemade garam masala

If you're not using mango chutney, squeeze 1 x 15ml sp lemon juice over the garam masala when added to the dhal.

- 1/2 x 5ml sp cumin seeds
- 1/2 x 5ml sp coriander seeds
- 1/2 x 5ml sp black peppercorns
- 1/2 x 5ml sp ground turmeric
- 1/2 x 5ml sp dried mango powder (optional)

Grind the whole spices together, then mix with the ground spices. Sieve, then grind the residue and sieve again. Discard any residue remaining. Keep in an airtight jar for 6-8 weeks only.

Method:

Wash the lentils and, if necessary, soak (according to instructions on the packaging).

Give the ginger a whizz in the blender, then put the lentils, ginger, tomatoes, curry leaves, turmeric and a pinch of salt into a pan with enough water to cover.

Bring to the boil, then turn down the heat and simmer for 20 minutes or until the lentils are soft.

Remove from the heat, cool, remove curry leaves and purée until smooth.

Reserve until required.

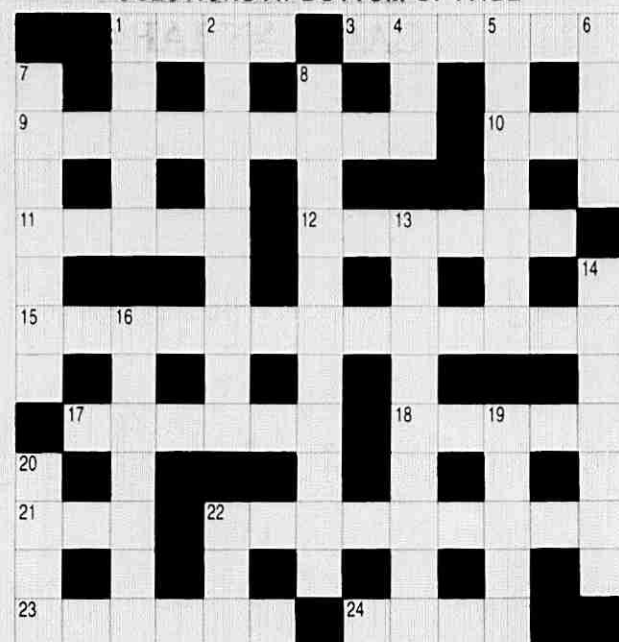
Just before serving, reheat the lentil purée gently until it starts to bub-

ble. In a separate pan, heat the ghee or butter. Sprinkle the garam masala on the dhal but do not stir. Pour the hot ghee or butter over the top and cover. Stir before serving.



Leader Crossword

SOLUTIONS AT BOTTOM OF PAGE



ACROSS

- 1 One who is made the object of a joke (4)
- 3 William Randolph —, American newspaper publisher on whom Citizen Kane was based (6)
- 9 Without stopping for prior consideration (2,3,4)
- 10 Type of short straight haircut for women (3)
- 11 Hungarian composer and outstanding virtuoso pianist (5)
- 12 Completely lacking dignity (6)
- 15 Medieval lyric miscellany forming the basis of a cantata by Carl Orff (7,6)
- 17 City, in modern Turkey, where St Paul was born (6)
- 18 Surname of Australian artist Sidney or a group of sisters (5)
- 21 Exclamation of scorn or surprised enquiry (3)
- 22 Plant with round leaves (9)
- 23 An Eastern temple in the form of a tapering tower (6)
- 24 The advantage over close rivals (4)

DOWN

- 1 Norman —, proprietor of a slightly suspicious motel (5)
- 2 Anagram of CHATTERIS (9)
- 4 A supernatural being in European folklore (3)
- 5 Romantic novel by Daphne Du Maurier (7)
- 6 Keep _ on means monitor the activities of (4)
- 7 A short prayer for a particular day (7)
- 8 The sovereign's formal acquiescence to a new law (5,6)
- 13 Travelled, particularly some distance (9)
- 14 Surname of a profoundly bigoted docker (7)
- 16 A swinishly selfish driver (4,3)
- 19 Of talk, indiscreet (5)
- 20 Type of dessert consisting of a light fluffy mass (4)
- 22 A group of marine creatures such as seals or whales (3)

Bake your own cheese whirls

THESE cheesy whirl rolls are simple and yet effective as pre-appetiser bitesize snacks for your party guests or hassle-free hamper delights on a picnic.

- Ingredients:**
Makes 12
145g packet pizza base mix
75g mature Cheddar cheese, finely grated
2 x 15ml sp fresh snipped chives

Method:
Stir 130ml water into the pizza base mix. Cover the dough and leave for about 20 minutes until the ball has doubled in size. Knead the dough and then use a rolling pin to roll the dough into a thin 20x40cm rectangle. Sprinkle the grated Cheddar

cheese and the chopped chives over the rectangle to within about 2cm of the edges.

Roll up the rectangle along the longer edge into one long roll and then cut into 12 small rolls.

Arrange the individual rolls in a buttered 16cm square tin.

Cover the tin with oiled clingfilm and leave the rolls to rise for around 30 minutes.

In this time, preheat the oven to 220°C/450°F/gas mark 7.

After the rolls have risen, bake them for 20 minutes or until the rolls are golden brown.

Serve your cheese whirl rolls while they are still warm.

Salad of pepper and artichoke

COLOURFUL and tasty – this pepper and artichoke salad is an excellent light lunch dish.

- Ingredients:**
Serves 10 with other dishes

- 4 red peppers
- 2 yellow peppers
- 290g jar artichoke hearts, in oil, drained and sliced, oil reserved
- 1 x 15ml sp fresh lemon juice
- 1 x 5ml sp wholegrain mustard
- Salt and pepper
- Crisp lettuce leaves, such as cos or Webbs, to serve.

Method:
Preheat the grill to high. Quarter the peppers and remove the seeds and stems.

Place, skin-side up, on a grill pan and grill for five to seven minutes until black-

ened all over, then remove them from the heat.

Transfer to a plastic bag for 10 minutes to cool.

Pour the pepper juices into a bowl. Skin the peppers. Cut the flesh into strips and mix with the artichokes in a separate bowl. Add the lemon juice and mustard to the pepper juices, then gradually whisk in about five table-spoons of oil from the artichokes.

Season, toss with the salad and serve on a bed of lettuce leaves.

TIP: This salad recipe can be made up to two days ahead, but ensure it is covered and stored in the refrigerator.

Transport in a rigid container (pack the lettuce separately).

Health Tips from "Remedies"

Momordica Fruit And Cinnamon

The best way to keep your blood sugar at a healthy level is through a well managed and balanced diet, along with plenty of exercise. Taken on a regular basis Momordica tablets may help to promote the regulation of a healthy sugar metabolism. Momordica contains a polypeptide which is similar to insulin with regards to its composition of amino acids. In addition the tablets contain cinnamon, chromium, zinc and selenium, which are all vital to help the body lower sugar levels in the blood and urine. Momordica tablets are suitable for those people with high blood sugar levels, such as those who are suffering from diabetes or those who at risk of developing the disease. Environmental tip for 2007: To keep your footwear sparkly clean, why not use banana peel rather than chemical shoe polish. Rub the inside of the banana peel over your shoes, then wipe and buff with a cloth.

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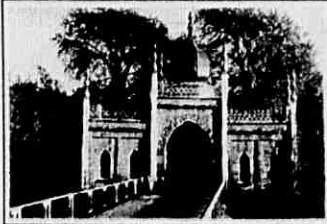
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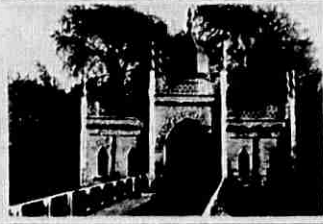
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ACROSS: 1 Butt, 3 Hearst, 9 On the hoof, 10 Bob, 11 Liszt, 12 Abject, 15 Carmina Burana, 17 Tarsus, 18 Nolan, 21 Huh, 22 Pennywort, 23 Pagoda, 24 Edge.

DOWN: 1 Bates, 2 Theatrics, 4 Elf, 5 Rebecca, 6 Tabs, 7 Collect, 8 Royal assent, 13 Journeyed, 14 Garnett, 16 Road hog, 19 Loose, 20 Whip, 22 Pod.



West Waterford Notes



Picture shows local young men enjoying the Christmas Day Swim in Ardmore in aid of the RNLI.

Aid Cancer Treatment

CHURCH GATE COLLECTIONS

Clashmore branch of Aid Cancer Treatment will hold church gate collections at Youghal, Ballymacoda and Gortroe Church on this Sat. and Sun 20th and 21st of January, and the following weekend collections will be taken up at Killeigh and Inch Churches. Our West Waterford Collections take place on the first weekend of February. Further details later

Happy Birthday Catherine

A very happy birthday to Catherine O'Keeffe, daughter of Margaret and Mossie O'Keeffe, Summerhill, Kinsalebeg on the occasion of her 21st which she celebrated with family and friends in Clashmore last weekend. A Business student at WIT, Catherine is a very popular member of the part-time staff at Conan's Quick Pick Store in Kinsalebeg. Congratulations and best wishes to you Catherine from all your family and friends

Prayer Group

Our parish prayer group also continue to meet each Tuesday night from 7.30 to 8.30pm in the sacristy at Clashmore Church. New members are always welcome and there is no obligation to come every week so feel free to come along and join us.

Clashmore Kinsalebeg Juvenile GAA Notes

MEDAL PRESENTATION NIGHT

All roads lead to Piltown Hall on Saturday night, 27th of January for the annual presentation of medals and trophies to our Juvenile players. The presentation will start at 8.00pm and the presentations will be made by none other than our West Waterford GAA All-Star Eoin Murphy. Eoin has promised to bring along his All-Star award, so it will be a night not to be missed. This will be followed by a social evening in the Old Mill for all the adults involved with the Juvenile Club.

AGM

The AGM of the Juvenile Club will be held early in February and more details will be available shortly

GET WELL WISHES

Best wishes are extended to Eamonn Beresford, Treasurer of the Juvenile Club who is out of action and in hospital at present. Hope to see you out and about again shortly Eamonn.

Clashmore A.C.T. THANKS TO KINSALEBEG N.S.

Clashmore Aid Cancer Treatment wishes to thank the teachers and pupils of Kinsalebeg National School for their very generous donation of €300.42. This was the proceeds of their very successful Christmas Carol Service. This money will go to the cancer unit at Cork University Hospital.

Exposition In Clashmore This week

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament continues on alternative weeks in Clashmore on Thursday and in Piltown on Monday. Tomorrow Thursday January 18th Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place in Clashmore following 10am Mass until 5.30pm, everyone is welcome to drop in throughout the day for a little time of prayer and reflection.

Piltown Ambush Commemoration Committee

Attention all members of the Piltown Ambush Commemoration Committee, you are all requested to attend a very important meeting which takes place at Beresford's The Rising Sun, Clashmore on this Friday night January 19th at 9.00pm. Please make a special effort to attend.

Get Well Wishes Bob

Get well wishes from your former Tinnock neighbours to Bob [James] Burke, Ballyheeneey, Clashmore presently nursing a hand injury - the good hand!

CRY On 104 FM

Our popular local radio station Community Radio Youghal is on the move, to get your daily tippie of all your favourite programmes you must now tune in to 104 FM. Now you will get CRY with a clearer crisper sound especially in areas where previously it was difficult to get a reception. This is welcome news for the huge amount of West Waterford residents who looking forward to tuning to the Deise programme with popular local presenters Mary Sheehan and Eddie Moloney and keep up dated with all the weekly rural reports from various presenters. So exciting times ahead for CRY - be sure to tune in!

Clashmore 45 Drive

Our top prize winners this week were Mickey Ryan and Liam Curran, Tony Keane and Gabriel Hynes both of whom won eight games and shared the prizes jointly. Third prize was also shared jointly between Jim McGrath and Paddy Kelleher, Nell and Paddy Foley, they both won seven games. Best of the last five game prizes was divided between Peggy Russell and Paddy Lynch Mary Dower and Jack Douris. Our last game winners were Roger Hynes and Aine Curran, Michael and Mairead Fahey.

Cards continue every Monday night in Clashmore starting at 9.00pm sharp

Clashmore Kinsalebeg GAA Club

LOTTO DRAW

Our most recent Clashmore/Kinsalebeg GAA Club lotto draw took place last Monday night in Clashmore, the numbers drawn were 6, 8, 15, 28. We had no match four ticket so next week we will have a jackpot of €2050. If you want to win this fantastic prize be sure to get your numbers in for our next draw which takes place at The Rising Sun Clashmore next Monday night.

Congratulations to last Monday nights winners of consolation prizes of €20 each: Tommy Keogh, Kinsalebeg, Liam Budds, Summerhill, Tony Hickey, Cross, George Foran, Ballinamult, Ellen Kelly, Monatrea. Well done to all our winners and thanks to everyone for their continued support.

OUT AND ABOUT

Great to see Bill Fleming home from hospital, out and about and fully recovered from his recent illness. Continued good wishes to you Bill from all your family neighbours and friends.

Waterford Leader Partnership

CENTRAL HEATING & INSULATION SCHEME

Waterford Leader Partnership are looking for people from the Clashmore /Kinsalebeg / Aglish area who:

Own their own/family home

Are in receipt of Fuel Allowance

If you are one of the above you may be eligible for

Central Heating [oil fired] if they have none or

Installation or maybe both

To apply just fill in your name, address and telephone number on the special form which is available in Clashmore from David and Bridie Foley and return it to the address shown on the end of the form. A Company called EAGA [English Company] will then contact the applicant, the company will then send out a staff member to access the applicants needs. Please note the company representative will have identification with them and if the householder is eligible the work will be completed by the end of May free of charge.

Lines From Piltown School

DECEMBER NON STOP DRAW

The following are the results of our final monthly draw for 2006 and these are our December winners:

1st Prize: Patrick Ryan. Promoter: Connor Ryan

2nd Prize: Chris O'Brien. Promoter: Michael O'Brien

3rd Prize: Caroline Moriarty. Promoter: Nicole Moriarty

4th Prize: Carol Morrissey. Promoter: Christine Collins

The winners of our December Special Draw were - Clodagh Whelan, Connor Fitzgearld, James Murray, Rebecca Curran, Sarah Roche, Robbie Deady. Congratulations to all our winners and thanks to everyone for there continued support. A very happy New Year to you all.

Home From Hospital

Great to hear Paula Froude, Curraghdarra is now home from hospital and well on the way to recovery following surgery. Our continued good wishes for a speedy recovery to you Paula.

ARDMORE G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

WEEKLY LOTTO

The jackpot now stands at €5,500 so if you're not in you cannot win.

Draw Results 8th Jan. 2007 of €20 Each J. Ward, Sean Hennessy, Linda and Ayesha Troy, Vealer and Marie Mahoney.

GYMNASIUM

A professional Instructor is on hand for the next two Monday Nights to assist and set individual programs for new and existing members. This is a great opportunity for patrons wishing to use the facilities on hand. For further information dial the clubhouse at 024-94850

MEMBERSHIP RATES 2007:

Family (Parents +Children Under 17)	€50
Juvenile	€10
Age 17to 21	€20
Age 21 & Over (Player)	€50
Non Playing Member	€50
Old Age Pensioners	€30

PITCH CLOSURE

Our pitch is now officially closed for the winter months.

JUVENILE MEETING

A very important meeting will be held on Tuesday 23rd January at 8.00pm. All committee members are asked to attend as major decisions have to be taken.

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

Insist on politeness. Courtesy and calmness will take you further and allow for positive communication. Being dutiful proves tedious but the best option. At home, a clearing of the air and a statement of intention would make matters simpler. Be up front and avoid later confusion. On Saturday, something bizarre strikes you.

☎ 1550-920-257

TAURUS April 21 to May 21

Don't take casual comments too much to heart or you could find yourself offended. It is time to put a plan to the test. Remember too, if something doesn't work first time, be prepared to try, try again. You may suffer from insomnia or simply need more sleep. Make this a romantic Saturday by making an effort!

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GEMINI May 22 to June 21

Stop bottling things up and get ready to talk things through. Someone is insisting on only seeing things from their perspective. Forget the routine and instead, concentrate on taking it easy, especially in good company. Expect a measure of good fortune. Over the weekend, get in touch with what you really want.

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CANCER Jun 22 to July 22

Professionally, you are quite the hero and leading the field. Personally, be prepared to protect your territory. Splashing out will give you a much needed boost but could land you in financial hot water. Essentially, don't spend what you don't have. Over the weekend, if you want to keep your sanity, practice patience.

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LEO July 23 to Aug 22

Everything is ticking over nicely today, so you can afford to take a well-earned rest. Others will have to respect an important decision, even if they don't fully agree with it. As ever, you have taken everyone into account, although this might not be immediately appreciated. At home, someone feels they cannot compete.

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VIRGO Aug 23 to Sept 22

Spilling the beans too soon could prove to have disastrous consequences. Be thankful for small mercies and major miracles. This is a day when the facts speak for themselves. Avoid thinking of yourself as being too old or too young for any course of action. Paperwork and official situations need your attention.

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LIBRA Sep 23 to Oct 23

Someone does something really sweet for you and makes you smile. It is good to have a friend. In work or business, you feel that you have taken one step forward and two steps back. Keep trying. Congratulate someone today on a fine performance. Romance is well starred. In love, set the trend and show some initiative.

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SCORPIO Oct 24 to Nov 21

As the weekend progresses, enjoy a sense of peace as anxiety fades. Look forward to the future. Money matters are bound to improve during this prosperous period. Another routine day? Not on your life. Enjoy a sense of excitement brought about by a new opportunity. Life is what you make it and you are certainly making good.

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SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 to Dec 23

No matter how tough the going, don't pull out of the race. Regardless of misgivings, you remain a strong contender. Split second timing is your key to success. Don't allow yourself to be overly influenced by your nearest and dearest. Be assertive and decisive. This is an excellent time to start a new project.

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CAPRICORN Dec 24 to Jan 20

The weekend provides you with much food for thought. Someone is prepared to provide you with inside information but it is important to stay out of circumstances that do not concern you. A loved one is prepared to argue your case and to take your side. Having an ally makes all the difference. Telephone for further insights.

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AQUARIUS Jan 21 to Feb 19

Someone has a clever way of delivering unwarranted criticism with a smile. Grit your teeth and you will have no difficulty coming out on top. Give something a second shot. Variables will work in your favour. Stop playing so hard to get or a par amour will give up! If you suspect someone of a crime, know that you need to have proof.

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PISCES Feb 20 to March 20

It is time to keep the faith and to remain confident in your plans. As cliché as it sounds, things can only get better! Your moment of glory will come. It is just a matter of time. In love, feel that feeling and you can heal that feeling. Admit to your emotions. You are more resilient than you think. You will do well.

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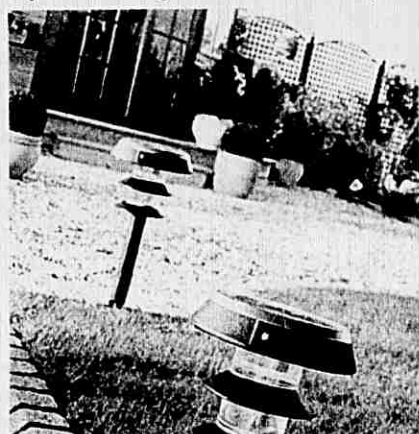
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Dungarvan Leader - this Week in the Garden

Electrify your garden design

THE long, dark nights don't have to stop you enjoying your garden. It is time to lighten up. The right lighting can turn an ordinary garden into a splendid work of art. You don't have to pack away all the Christmas lights in the New Year. Instead use them to give your garden a new lease of life during the darkest months. Tiny LED lights in trees, for example, can lead the eye outdoors, visually expanding the garden and the room indoors. Outdoor lighting in most gardens is purely functional. A halogen floodlight attached to sensors may deter potential burglars, but the effect of a bright light from a single point can flatten and deaden a garden at night as well as annoy neighbours. Lit more imaginatively, subtle garden lighting from several different points can enhance a garden in the winter. Light a few choice shrubs, maybe the shed and one or two other favourite features and the eye will be drawn away from those areas you'd rather forget about like fences, compost heaps and the bit you meant to weed last week. But it is important not to overdo it. Choose five or six areas or subjects to highlight, and use them to create a picture with light and shade. To light up shrubs, try using a small uplighter in front of the plant. Choose a plant with interesting winter bark, such as a white-barked willow or red corbus, or one with berries like the viburnum. This technique will also work with tall spiky plants

such as yuccas, contorted hazel or willow and pampas grass. There are practical reasons for choosing steps and path edges as features to light up, but position them correctly for maximum effect. Using footlights to cast a low-level pool of light will bring out the texture of the paving or decking and highlight the changes in surface and other potential hazards at the same time. Use this technique to pick out some of your more decorative features such as cobbles and small rock gardens. If you are going to install the lights yourself, always use low voltage lights. Many large DIY stores now stock a variety of low voltage dimmable and matching systems that allow you to install and customise garden lighting. You can also get solar powered lights that do away with the need for cables, making the job very simple.



Lighting up time: Use small footlights to highlight decorative features (right), and make your drive safer with Pagoda solar sensor lights (left).



THIS WEEK IN THE GARDEN

Return Christmas plants to the greenhouse
All plants that were brought into the house to provide decoration over the Christmas holiday should be returned to the greenhouse as soon as possible. They cannot withstand the dry, ever-changing temperature and environment of the average modern, centrally-heated living room. To help them, put a few drops of milk in some water and sponge the plants down before returning them to the outside. They should be kept in a relatively warm atmosphere and be sprayed daily with water. Flowering plants should be given as much light as possible and given only as much water as they need.

Sow early tomatoes
If you want a crop in June, sow tomatoes now. This does mean your plants could be over a metre high by May. Sow in well-drained seed boxes and germinate in a temperature of 16-18°C. Tomatoes will not grow if allowed to get cold so keep them warm and do not over water them.

Sow exhibition sweet peas
If the peas were not sown in a frame in September they can be sown in pots now. A warm greenhouse will be needed for germination but it need be no hotter than 1°C. Sow about five seeds in each 8cm pot.

Complete fruit tree pruning
Fruit tree pruning should have been done in November or December but if it has to be, it can be done in January. The sooner the better. Leave pears and apples till last and tackle the softer fruits first.

Ventilate fruit trees and vines in greenhouses
All fruit trees and vines in greenhouses need to be given as much ventilation as possible. Leave doors and ventilators open and leave the heating off. Only close doors and windows when there is a hard frost.

Nótaí na Gaeltachta

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Ranganna Seite

Bíonn ranganna seite le Helen Crotty gach Aoine ag 8 i.n. in Halla Colmáin, An Sean Phobal. Set dancing with Helen Crotty every Friday night at 8pm in Halla Colmáin, An Sean Phobal. Fáilte roimh cách. All are welcome.

Córas teasa i dtithe / Central Heating Systems

Tá Waterford Leader Partnership ag cur scéim ar fáil a thugann deis do dhaoine córas teasa a insealbhú i dtithe nach bhfuil córas ann cheanna féin. Beidh cáilitheacht na scéime ag braith ar ioncam an iarratasóra. Waterford Leader Partnership is providing a scheme consisting of the installation of gas or oil-fired central heating systems in homes that have no central heating, and several insulation measures, depending on the existing conditions in the property. Eligibility for the scheme is means tested. Is féidir breis eolais a fháil ó / Further information from: Michael Power, Waterford Leader Program, Dunhill Business Park, Dunhill, Co. Waterford teleafóin - 051 396006 nó ó Lorcán Ó Muirí ag na sonraí thíos luaite.

An Ghaeltacht Aontaithe

Thaistil an fhoireann faoi 12 go Áth Mheadhán ar an Satharn chun an Lios Mór a imirt sa tsraith agus tar éis ard pheil a imirt chailleadar 2-1. Ba é Lucas Ó Cuirín a d'aimsigh an cúl. Thug an foireann sinsear aghaidh ar Valley Rangers as baile i gConna agus bhaineadar amach comhscór 2-2. Fuair Pa Lynch agus Tadhg de Paor na cúl. Cinntíonn an comhscór go mbeimid sa tríú háit sa tsraith, 4 pointe taobh thiar den gCeapach Choimín. Tá 10 cluiche fágtha agus gheobhadh mórán tarlú roimh deireadh na bliana. Comhghairdeachas le Seán Ó Drocháin, Cnocán a' Phaoraigh. Beidh Comhlacht Forbartha na nDéise i geomhpháirtíocht le hOige na Gaeltachta ag cur cúlra traenála dhá lá ar fáil i gColáiste na Rinne, An Rinn ar

mhaith leis an gclub comhbhrón a dhéanamh le hiar-imreoir Micheál Ó Domhnaill agus a mhuintir ar bhás a máthair Moya Bn Uí Dhomhnaill. Ar dheis Dé go raibh sí.

Our u 12 team travelled to Af-fane last Saturday to take on Lismore in the league and after playing some great football ended up losing by 2 goals to 1. Lucas Ó Cuirín got our goal. Our premier team travelled to Conna to take on the home side Valley Rangers and came away with a 2-2 draw. Pa Lynch and Timmy Power got our goals. This draw keeps us in third position in the league, 4 points behind leaders Cappoquin but with 10 games to go alot can still happen. Well done to Seán Drohan Knockenpower, PJ Curran Ballinacourty and Damien Power Dungarvan who won prizes in the super draw recently. The club would like to extend sincere sympathy to our former player Micheal Ó Domhnaill and family on his recent sad bereavement.

Scéim Fhorbartha na nEalaíon 2007

Cuirfear fáilte roimh iarratais ó dhaoine aonair agus ó ghrúpaí ar suim leo tionscadail nó seirbhísí ealaíona a fhorbairt/a sholáthar trí mheán na Gaeilge faoi Scéim Forbartha na nEalaíon 2007. Chomh maith le sin tá an Scéim Sparánachtaí d'Ealaíontóirí 2007 dírithe ar thacaíocht a chur ar fáil d'Ealaíontóirí i bhforbairt a geuid saothar. Is féidir breis eolais a fháil faoi na scéimeanna seo trí ghlaoch a chur ar Lorcán Ó Muirí ar na huimhreacha thíos luaite nó ghlaoch a chur ar Eibhlín de Paor, Áisitheoir Ealaíon, Ealaín na Gaeltachta ar (066) 9150100 / (026) 45366 nó trí ríomhphost a sheoladh go e.depaor@udaras.ie

Ar nDualgas Cúram / Our Duty to Care

Beidh an chéad cheardlann eile le Mary Tobin ar siúl ar an Luan 22 Eanáir in Oifig an Údarás sa Sean Phobal. The next workshop with Mary

an Aoine 19 Eanáir 6 - 9 PM agus ar an Satharn 20 Eanáir ó 10 AM - 4 PM dar teideal "Ar ndualgas cúram" nó "Our duty to care". Díreoidh an cúrsa ar na rialacha, cúramaí, dualgais agus ceartaithe a bhaineann le cúram agus aire a thabhairt do pháistí agus déagóirí. Tá an cúrsa dírithe orthu siúd a bhíonn fostaithe nó bainteach le naíonraí, clubanna óige, clubanna spóirt agus seirbhísí tar éis scoile. Is féidir áit a chur in áirithint trí ghlaoch a chur ar Lorcán Ó Muirí ag na sonraí thíos luaite. Moltar do dhaoine áit a chur in áirithint chomh luath agus is féidir mar go mbeidh líon na n-áiteanna teoranta

Comhlacht Forbartha na nDéise in partnership with Oige na Gaeltachta is providing a two day course in Coláiste na Rinne, An Rinn ón Friday 19th of January from 6 pm - 9 pm and Saturday 20 January from 10 am - 4 pm titled "Ar ndualgas cúram" or "Our duty to care". The course will focus on the rules, responsibilities, obligations agus rights that are connected to caring for and being responsible for children and teenagers. The course will be suitable for those that are employed or are connected with a naíonra, after school service, youth club or sports club. A place can be reserved by contacting Lorcán Ó Muirí on the numbers below. Places are limited and early booking is advised.

Cúrsa Bia / Food Preparation Beidh an cúrsa ullmhú bia ag tosú arís ar an Déardaoin 18 Eanáir ó 5 PM go 8 PM i gColáiste Chathail Naofa i nDún Garbhán. The Food Preparation course will restart on Thursday 18th of January from 5 PM to 8 PM in Coláiste Chathail Naofa, Dungarvan.

Beidh an chéad cheardlann eile le Mary Tobin ar siúl ar an Luan 22 Eanáir in Oifig an Údarás sa Sean Phobal. The next workshop with Mary

Tobin will take place on Monday 22nd of January at 7.30 PM in the Údarás na Gaeltachta offices in An Sean Phobal.

Uaireanta Oifige

Bíonn an tÁisitheoir ar fáil ag Halla Pobail na Rinne gach Luan ó 2 PM go 5 PM agus ag oifig an Údarás sa Sean Phobal gach Céadaoin ó 2 PM go 5 PM. The community facilitator is at Halla Pobail na Rinne each Monday from 2 PM to 5 PM and the Údarás office in An Sean Phobal each Wednesday from 2 PM to 5 PM.

Eolas Teagmhála

Má tá aon eolas nó fógra go dteastaíonn uait foilsiú is féidir é a seoladh ar ríomh phost go mfgdeise@eircom.net, nó cur ghlaoch 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. If you would like information published contact Lorcán on the numbers above.

140,000 Hits on 'Work In Waterford' Website

By Kevin Kirrane

A national and local radio advertising campaign resulted in 140,000 hits on the new 'Work In Waterford' website, a recent meeting of Waterford County Council heard.

One hundred and fifty people are now registered, stating their ambition to work in the county when an opportunity arises, and giving investors a well educated graduate level work force to choose from.

Mayor of County Waterford, Cllr. Mary Green praised the campaign, and said with people returning home for Christmas, the ads were perfectly timed.

STRADBALLY NOTES

CHURCH UNITY

A week of prayer for church unity takes place from 18th to 25th January when the church celebrates the conversion of St. Paul. His conversion after he had been an enemy of the church underlines the power of God. St. Paul became one of the great defenders of the church and an outstanding preacher. An Ecumenical Service of prayer and singing will take place in Holy Cross Church, Stradbally on Sunday evening 21st January at 7 pm. An appeal to the congregations from St. James Church of Ireland led by Rev. Isobel Jackson and from Holy Cross Church, Stradbally led by Fr. Michael Enright to make the effort to attend. In previous years the attendance has not been great and even though it is certainly not all about numbers the fact remains that one should be more aware of the need to pray and sing together. All are welcome to attend not just from Stradbally but also Faha, Ballylaneen and further afield.

FIRST COMMUNION

The boys and girls preparing for their first Holy Communion in May will take another step in their way next Saturday evening during the vigil Mass in Holy Cross Church, Stradbally at 7.30 pm. The boys and girls will take part in the Mass prepared by their teachers with help and encouragement also from their parents and extended families.

CONFIRMATION

The date for Confirmation is Monday, 12th Feb. when Bishop William Lee will visit St. Anne's Church, Ballylaneen to administer the Sacrament to the boys and girls from 5th and 6th classes in the local primary schools. A rehearsal will take place in Ballylaneen on Wednesday evening, 7th February at 7 pm. It is important that all the boys and girls be present along with their sponsors. Obviously if a sponsor lives far away then a substitute for the rehearsal is enough.

MASSES

A Months Mind Mass for John Drohan, late of Moonavaud will take place in Holy Cross Church, Stradbally on Friday, 19th January at 7.30 pm. There will be Mass in St. Anne's Church, Ballylaneen on Tuesday, 23rd January at 7.30 pm for Anthony Power, late of Carrigcastle who died recently in Scotland.

PARISH DRAW

It is that time of year again when an appeal is made to the promoters of the parish draw to canvass their clients for the

draw. This is the one and only fundraiser for parish funds. It has been well supported over the years thanks to the great work done by the promoters and one would have to be Houdini to escape! However with so many new families moved into the parish it is important to contact everyone, so extra promoters would be more than welcome.

WHIST

A Whist Draw will take place in the GAA centre on Friday next, 19th January at 8 pm. All are welcome.

St James' National School

On Thursday 7th December 2006, St James' National School invited the parents, families, friends, members from the Board of Management, Arts Officer Margaret Organ and Co Waterford Mayor, Mary Green to join with the children, artist Cora Cummins and teachers Anne Heneberry and Orla O Mahoney to celebrate the launch of their ceramic artwork. The exhibition had some nautical touches in it - which was very fitting for the school. For 10 weeks, the children worked hard under the guidance of ceramic artist Cora Cummins to create and produce such wonderful pieces of art. Cora works with Waterford County Council as resident artist and it is through Waterford Co Council's Artist in Schools Scheme - Co-ordinated by their Arts Officer - Margaret Organ - that this project was made possible.

Some of the artwork is on permanent display at the school. A huge success for everyone involved!

St James' National School Christmas Concert 2006

On Wednesday 21st December 2006, all roads led to St Laurence's Hall where the children from St James' put on a fantastic show. All in attendance were highly entertained and delighted with the children's performance. The junior class concert was called 'The Sleepy Shepherd' and the senior class concert was called 'Roald Dahl's Revolting Rhymes'.

For some of the children, this was the first time performing in a show and it was the first time that their Christmas Concert was performed on a proper stage. None of this would have been possible without the hard work and effort that was put in by their drama teacher Jan Sullivan, teachers Anne Heneberry and Orla O Mahoney and last but not least all the enthusiastic, talented children.

LISMORE FILM SOCIETY SEASON

This Wednesday night, January 17, is the first film in the new Lismore Film Society's first season of 6 films. Showing at 8PM Lismore Heritage Centre, 'Wah-Wah' (by Richard E Grant, of 'Withnail and I' fame) stars Gabriel Byrne and Julie Christie. It's a hilarious film about Grant growing up in deepest Africa (Swaziland) in the 1960s and 1970s.

Himself raised in Swaziland during the last gasp of the British Empire, Grant relates the story of Ralph Compton, whose family's disintegration mirrors the end of British rule. After witnessing his mother's adultery with his father's best friend, Ralph has to survive not only boarding school, but his beloved father's remarriage to Ruby, a fast-talking American airline stewardess, and his gradual descent into alcoholism. Yet the film is never maudlin; rather, it's life-affirming, funny and wise: brilliantly acted by its ensemble cast (Gabriel Byrne, Emily Watson, Miranda Richardson, Julie Walters) and stunningly visualised (shot on location in South East Africa).

Tickets cost €9 each. If you're a member, remember than you can bring up to 4 guests! A season ticket is €48 and you can buy one on the night if you'd like. For more details on the club, please call Ita Whelan on 058 53740.

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New PC Owners Guide

These articles will hopefully answer your everyday questions about the internet and computers in general, so email me sean@bluett.ie with any questions you may have.

Congratulations to all who got a new pc or laptop from Santa Claus. Here are a few tips and tricks to help you make the most of your new toy.

PROTECTION

It is essential that you have up to date anti-virus and anti-spyware. I recommend the packages provided by Norton or Kaperksky. These are both available in a trail version from their respective web sites - (<http://www.norton.com/>) and (<http://www.kaspersky.com/>). If you are connecting to the internet you need these types of software. If you do have a virus problem contact Bluett I.T. Solutions by phone or email.

FUN

Google provide a free software pack at <http://pack.google.com>. Simply visit the website and follow the diections. This pack of software included some cool toys like Google Earth, 3D Earth browser with satalite maps of the entire planet, and best of all it's free!



Another excellent web site is <http://www.download.com>. This provides free software and trial versions of games and tools that no pc owner can do without.

You will need an email address and I recommend the free service by yahoo. (<http://www.yahoo.com>) Simply sign up for free and you're away.

MUSIC

Depending on the the type of mp3 player you have, the choice of web sites to download music can be endless. If you decide to install P2P file sharing and download music for free, then beware. Many of the files you do save to your machine will be riddles with viruses. As safer way of acquiring music for free is by visiting the artist's web site - most provide two or three songs for free download.

LEARNING

Some excellent learning web sites are - <http://www.wikipedia.org/> - the world's largest on line encyclopedia
- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/learning/> - the bcc's learning portal
- <http://about.com/> - information prtal on just about everything

PROBLEMS

If you are having problems with your new pc, remember you're not alone. Try and google the specific issue your are having. For example, you're monitor of flickering - go to www.google.com and enter *monitor flickering* then click *Search*. If this doesn't point you in the right direction the you may need some outside help, try calling Sean on 087 758 0867

NEW LOCAL WEB SITES

Checkout these new local web sites.....
Dungarvan Shopping Centre - www.dungarvansc.ie
Dungarvan Leader - www.dungarvanleader.com

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If you have any questions relating to this article or another I.T. matter you can email info@bluett.ie, visit my web site www.bluett.ie or call 087 758 0867.



Abbeyside Scout Notes

4th Waterford Unit
St. Joseph's

CUB PACK AND SCOUT GROUP NOTES

Cub Pack Meeting

The first Cub meeting of the New Year was started as Sean led the Cub Pack in the saying of the Cub Scout Prayer. As Gearoid did 'Roll Call' Brendan took registration from the Cubs and Sandy gave Uniform Caps to those looking for them. Kieran and David organised their game while the Cubs warmed up doing a few quick relays. Michael sorted out Uniform Badges.

David and Kieran keeping the two teams lined the Cubs up on either side of the Scout Hall and each member of the teams given a number from one to nine and two goals set up either end of the Hall. A number is called and each Cub with that number must try and score a goal using the football placed in the middle of the Hall. The team with highest score win.

Gearoid then did the first part of Cyclist Challenge Badge, the Cubs began by drawing a bicycle and naming as many parts as they could. Gearoid then using his bicycle went through the different parts from the simple parts, like the wheel, handle bars, forks, frame, to the bottom bracket and stem.

With the meeting coming to a close the Cubs were reminded about Registration Fee of €38-00 was due next week.

The following Uniform Parts are available from the Leaders during the meetings, Uniform Caps €15-00, Group Neckerchief and Woggle €7-00, Group Patch, County Patch, Glen Patch €7-00.

The meeting ended with the Cub Scout Prayer being said by Conor. The Cub pack 'fell out' and went home. Next weeks meeting is full uniform.

Scout Group Meeting

As the Scout Group gathered and form up in Patrols ready for the start of the meeting. The Scouts said the Scout Prayer and went to their Patrol Corners. David, Kieran and Michael did uniform inspections while Gearoid and Eamonn did 'Roll Call', Sandy and Brendan took Registration Fees and Uniform money. Patrick and Marco were gathering their thoughts about the games they planned for the meeting.

Number Football was then organised by S.P.L.'s Marco and Patrick lining the Scout Group up and numbering them off in to two teams, putting one team on either side of the Scout Den and trying to score a goal in the other teams goal when your number is called the highest score wins. Using the same teams a game of heads and harp was played. Both teams line up facing each other. One team is called 'Heads' and the other 'Harp' if their team name is called the must make their way to their safe area at either end of the Scout Den before being tagged by a member of the other team, winner here is last Scout standing. The teams name to be called is decided on the flick of a coin by one of the S.P.L.'s.



With time almost up the Patrols formed up and notices were covered. The Scouts were reminded that Annual Registration was due, that deposit's were being taken for Annual Camp, anyone needing a Group Baseball Cap they are back in stock as well as neckerchiefs and woggles. Next weeks Scout meeting will run until half past nine and each Patrol is the have the following items, an empty biscuit/sweet tin, torch, box of matches, two sausages this will be an outdoor based meeting starting and finishing at the Scout Den and is full uniform.

The meeting was finished with the saying by all of the Scout Prayer.

Notices

Annual Registration

The annual census and registration is now due. This years fees are €38-00 per member and must be paid by Saturday 30th January.

Annual Camp 2007

Deposits are now being taken for those Scouts going on Annual Camp to Arklow. The dates for Annual Camp are from Sunday 22nd July 2007 to Sunday 29th July 2007. Money can be paid off the final total each week if any Scout wants to.

Uniform Parts

The Group Cap is now back in stock €15-00. Any Cub or Scout who does not have a neckerchief and woggle they are also available along with the Group Patch, County Patch and Glen Patch which should be on every ones Uniform.

Scout Meeting

Scouts are reminded that this weeks Scout meeting will run from eight o'clock to half past nine. Check with your Patrol Leader if you have any questions.

Sympathy

The members of the 4th Waterford would like to express their most heartfelt sympathy to the Morrissey family on their bereavement. —(Scribe).

Abbeyside Reference Archive

The Making & Breaking of a Mining Community The Copper Coast, Co. Waterford 1825-1875

It's a number of years ago since a lady came in to the Archive one Sunday evening and asked had we anything on Bunmahon. I had to answer in the negative but now that has all changed thanks to Des Cowman. Des is the author of a new book with the above title. It's a mine of information (excuse the pun) on what happened at Bonmahon for 50 or 60 years back in the mid 1800's.

The book is a beautiful piece of work running to 190 pages. It is published by the Mining Heritage Trust of Ireland 2006 and is a great addition to our knowledge of local history.

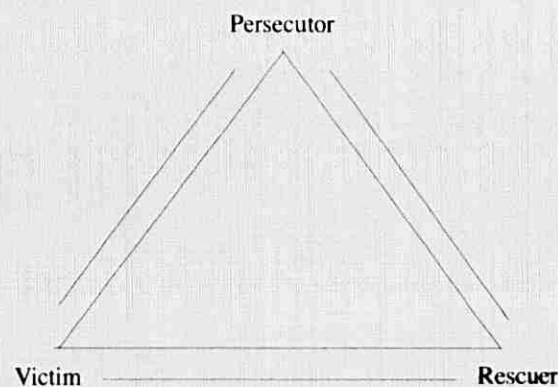
LIFE & FAMILY COACHING

Bullying Part Two

In one study of students, over 88 percent said they had witnessed bullying in their schools. People who witness bullying can feel guilty or helpless for not standing up to a bully on behalf of a classmate or friend, or for not reporting the incident to someone who could help. They may experience even greater guilt if they are drawn into bullying by pressure from their peers. Some people deal with these feelings of guilt by blaming the victim and deciding that he or she deserved the abuse. Friends sometimes also feel compelled to end a friendship or avoid being seen with the bullied person to avoid losing status or being targeted themselves.

Bullying can lead people to feel tense, anxious, and afraid. It can affect their concentration in school or work, and can lead them to avoid school or work altogether. If bullying continues for some time, it can begin to affect a person's self-esteem and feelings of self-worth. It also can increase their social isolation, leading them to become withdrawn and depressed, anxious and insecure. In extreme cases, bullying can be devastating, with long-term consequences. Some feel compelled to take drastic measures, such as carrying weapons for protection or seeking violent revenge. Others, in desperation, even consider suicide. Researchers have found that years later, long after the bullying has stopped, adults who were bullied when they were younger have higher levels of depression and poorer self-esteem than other adults.

The Trap of the Drama Triangle



This is a representation of bullying or abuse, but why are there three people? Surely bullying takes only two. Bullying often starts as a battle between two people but one person over time begins to lose. Let me give you an example, let us suppose there is woman called Mary she is married to Tom who abuses her, so Mary is the victim and Tom is the persecutor. Mary gets to a point where after many months she can take no more so she rings the Gardaí who dutifully arrive and after listening to Mary's story the Garda begin to 'give out' to Tom. What does Mary do?

She says to the Garda 'Don't you talk to my husband like that!!' The Garda are now the persecutor, Mary is now the rescuer and Tom the victim. This is the nature of bullying. It is a game where everyone plays their role and the object is power.

The answer is to stop 'playing the game' to stop being a victim. To do this you need to get help for yourself not help to defeat the bully. Find a way to improve your own self-confidence, join clubs make contact with others, hobbies outside your own family, sports, hill-walking, chess clubs, drama whatever works for you but get out and do it. Increase your own self-esteem so you can realise that you do not need or want approval from others for living your own life, you can be whatever way you want regardless of what others think.

What you can do for you

1. If necessary, take steps to rebuild your self-confidence. Bullying can affect your self-confidence and belief in yourself. Finding activities you enjoy and are good at can help to restore your self-esteem. Take time to explore new interests, or clubs and develop new talents and skills. Bullying can also leave you feeling rejected, isolated, and alone. It is important to try to make new friendships with people who share your interests. Consider participating in extra-curricular activities or joining a group outside of school, such as an after-school program, church youth group, or sports team.

2. Refuse to join in if you see someone being bullied. It can be hard to resist if a bully tries to get you to taunt or torment someone, and you may fear the bully will turn on you if you do not participate, but try to stand firm.

3. Attempt to defuse bullying situations when you see them starting up. For example, try to draw attention away from the targeted person, or take the bully aside and ask him/her to "cool it." However do not place yourself at risk.

4. If you can do so without risk to your own safety, someone to come help immediately.

5. Speak up and/or offer support to others when you witness bullying. For example, help them up if they have been 'slagged', tripped or knocked down. If you feel you cannot do this at the time, privately support those being hurt with words of kindness or condolence later.

6. Encourage the bullied person to talk with someone they trust. Offer to go with the person if it would help. Tell someone yourself if the person is unwilling to report the bullying. If necessary for your safety, do this anonymously.

To talk to Michael Fitzgerald call 058 24579 or 087 6387424. Counsellor and Life & Parent Coach MBACP.MBPS, MANI.



Ard Scoil na nDeise

OPEN NIGHT

On Thursday, January 25th, at 7.30, we cordially invite all prospective first year students and their parents to come and visit our wonderful school. Following a welcome by our Principal, Mrs. Dorothy Hughes, the girls and their parents will have an opportunity to meet the teachers and view the facilities of the school.

It goes without saying that our school enjoys the advantages of an all-girl school with superb academic results. This year, the national average for students achieving over 500 points in their Leaving Certificate exams was 8.1%; in the Ard Scoil, the average was 20.8%! But of course, the Ard Scoil represents much more than high academic achievement. The school ethos aims to provide all our students with a happy and safe environment in which to grow, mature, learn, make friends and reach their potential in academic and non academic fields.

To ensure this, an excellent Pastoral Care system is in place; Class tutors, Year Heads our Guidance counsellor all help to lead our staff in providing this environment. Very important in this area is the work of the Cairde group. These senior students give their time to lead our new first years in their first steps in secondary school education. In September, the Cairde girls are at the school very early to greet the newcomers and make sure their transition to secondary school is made easy. They guide them in the school and each First year will have a Cairde Mammy to turn to, if needed. Throughout the year, these super girls give their free time to run lunchtime clubs for the first years—drama, art, dance and computers are usually very popular.

On hand also is our Learning Support team to make sure the girls can cope with all the new subjects Supervised Study is available after school; coming up to exam time, extra late study and Saturday study maybe provided.

All academic subjects are catered for: the Science Dept. has three laboratories; there are three kitchens for Home Economics plus two dress design rooms; the Language Dept. makes full use of the Language Lab, and all subject teachers avail of the superb Computer Room and Library. The Music Room and the two Assembly Halls are kept busy with our wonderful musicians and singers. With their two teachers, traditional groups, orchestra and choirs regularly entertain us. Many an Art gallery would be proud of the exciting works of art on display throughout the school, not just in the Art Studio. The two halls are also used for sporting, dramatic and public speaking events of course. Our team of qualified P.E. teachers, plus staff volunteers, give the students the opportunity to try a wide variety of sports—football, camogie, swimming, hockey, tennis, badminton, athletics, to mention a few. School teams have also represented us in equestrian events. Many students have achieved high honours in sport, but we feel it's important that all students have the chance to enjoy sport and perhaps find one they'll take up as a hobby in adulthood.

Drama is catered for with Panto, Musicals and Plays; all first year students take Speech and Drama and can show off their many talents at regular concerts. Our debaters and public speakers have achieved awards and this is a skill which is nurtured with Communication classes in T.Y.

The Transition Year programme is a very busy one; the students get a taste of senior academic subjects and learn to multitask, take responsibility for projects and have two weeks work experience. The list of activities on their programme is far too long to list here but suffice it to say, most are sorry when the year

ends—even if they're exhausted!!

Leaving cert. students have the choice of taking L.C.V.P. as a subject and many find this a rewarding experience—as well as a chance to acquire some points!

Our Religion teachers are delighted to have the help and guidance of our two very popular Chaplains, Fr. Flor O'Callaghan and Fr. Paul Waldron, who work together to guide us spiritually. The Prayer Room is a haven of peace and tranquillity and a welcome retreat at times from the busy school schedule.

You will see that our aim is to ensure a genuine education for our students, where they are encouraged to achieve not only their academic best, but to grow and mature

in a safe environment and are given every opportunity to enjoy many extra-curricular experiences.

We look forward to meeting parents and students on Thursday, January 25th.

FOOTBALL NEWS

Ardscail Senior footballers won through to the Final of the Waterford/Tipperary section of the Munster Schools Football Championship when they defeated Templemore on a scoreline of 1-9 to 4 points. The match was played in very good conditions in Cashel on Wednesday last. Templemore opened the scoring with a point but shortly after Amy Shea replied with the only goal of the match. Templemore added another two

points before Bronagh O'Donovan scored the first of two points to leave half time score 1-2 to 4 points in favour of the Ardscail.

The Ardscail piled on the pressure in the second half and despite plenty of possession the scores were slow to come. Amy O'Shea added another point as did Bronagh O'Donovan. Kelly Dwane scored two fine points and there was also a long range point from Shona Curran. Deirdre Fahey came on for Bronagh O'Donovan and scored two points to add to the winning margin. Solid defence from all six backs ensured Templemore remained scoreless in the second half. Ardscail will meet Loreto Clonmel in the Final on Wednesday next. This should be an interesting encounter as they will also meet in the Junior Final a week later.

Ardscail panel: Colleen Power, Emer SCanlan, Aoife Dunford, Gillian McGrath, Roisin Fahey, Niamh McGrath, Elma Nugent, Shona Curran, Kelly Dwane, Aoife Nagle, Olivia Hennebry, Amy O'Shea, Aine Breathnach, Bronagh O'Donovan, Deirdre Nugent, Nancy Ryan, Deirdre Fahey, Elaine Flavin.

T.Y. PUBLIC SPEAKERS WIN IN CLONMEL.

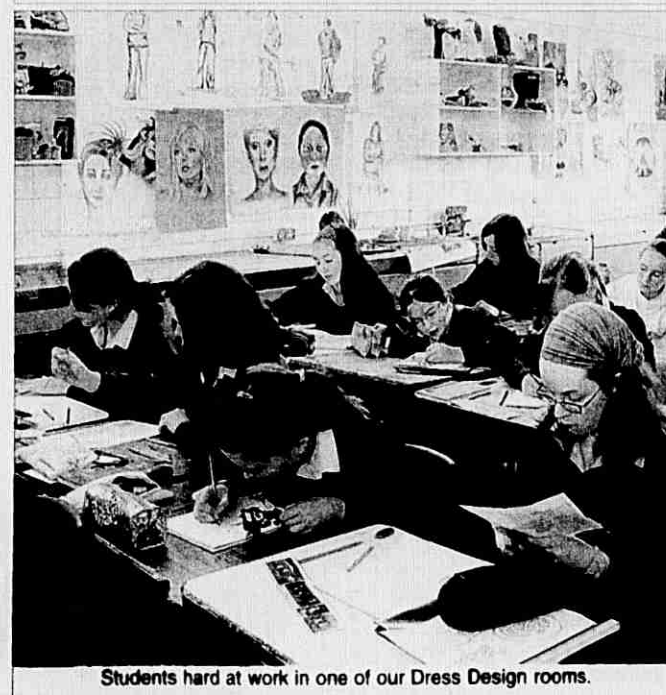
Just before Christmas, our T.Y. team of Ellen Coyne, Ciara Dwyer and Katherine Walsh travelled to Clonmel to compete against four other schools in the public speaking competition organised by the National Forum on Europe. The topic they chose was "Emigration in Europe. Ireland of the Welcomes?" Despite strong competition, the girls won this section of the competition and go on to represent Kathy Sinnott's constituency against schools from the two other Munster European Parliament constituencies in the Munster Final. This will take place in Cork on Friday, January 26th. Well done girls and good luck for the next round.



Students in one of our three kitchens during a Home Economics Class.



Photo shows students conducting an experiment in one of our Laboratories.



Students hard at work in one of our Dress Design rooms.



Photograph shows community drugs worker Paul Mullins, and community representative on the Waterford Local Drugs Task Force Mary Power with Minister with responsibility for the National Drugs Strategy Noel Ahearn at his recent visit to Waterford.

County Waterford Community Based Drugs Initiative

A Drugs Awareness Night for Parents will take place on Thursday 1st February from 8pm to 9.30pm at the Blackwater School Lismore. All are invited to come along and learn about,

- The Drugs Culture
- Signs & Symptoms of drug use.
- How to talk to your young person about the drugs issue.
- Where to go for help.
- Drugs & The Law

Remember Parents — "It's not what you know about drugs which will get you into trouble, but what you don't know". Please do not leave it until you have a crisis, make the effort and avail of this programme. No Charge. Refreshments Served.

Mheánscoil San Nioclás Young Scientist Success

Bhuaigh beirt dhalta ó Mheánscoil San Nioclás an chéad duais sa Rannóg Teicneolaíochta (Idirmheánach) ag Comórtas an Eolai Óig i mbliana. D'oibrigh Fiachna MacMurchú agus Séaghan Breathnach go dúthachtach le linn na bliana ag cuir an scairdinneall le chéile.

Teideal an Tionsaimh - "ScairdInneall a dhearadh agus fiosrúcháin a dhéanamh ar fhoinsí bith-bhreoslai Ailtéarnacha"

Two Junior Cert students from Meánscoil San Nioclás have won first place in the intermediate category of the Technology section in the BT Young Scientist and Technology Exhibition. Fiachna Mac Murchú and Shane Breathnach have worked tirelessly to



produce a bio-fuel jet engine Jet Engine and investigate the use of Biofuels as an alternative energy source".
Project Title: "To design a bio-fuel jet engine"

Brideview United A.F.C. Notes

WATERFORD AND GALWAY MEET IN TALLOW

The official turning on of Brideview Utd's new lights will take place in Tallow on Friday night, February 9th and what a night it promises to be, a terrific night.

The club are very happy to present two Eircom League clubs. Our own Waterford Utd and visitors from the West new Premier side, Galway Utd.

A host of who's who in football will be in Tallow on the night as well as some of our politicians with perhaps a Minister as well.

We are not forgetting our own players either and a few different functions will be telling you what will be taking place on the night. At the moment the Galway Utd fans are saying where the hell is Tallow. The club are sorting that out and we will be delighted to welcome both sets of fans for what is a real historic occasion. So watch the space in the coming weeks.

TICKETS FOR CROKE PARK

Tickets are flying by remember to order them now and do not leave it too late. Ring Liam Fraser now.

TALLOW TO LIGHT UP

Brideview Utd's grounds will be lit up officially on Friday, February 9th. It promises to be a big night for the Tallow club as Eircom League clubs Waterford Utd take on Galway Utd on the night.

Many well known soccer faces will be seen in Tallow on the night. We understand the club are hoping to have a very exciting programme in store.

INTERNATIONAL TICKETS

People looking for tickets for Croke Park need to get in touch with any committee member straight away. Tickets have to be purchased in pairs. Fans, you have been notified. Do not leave it too late.

BRIDEVIEW NEWS

Brideview picked up two wins and a draw from their three fixtures over the weekend and the lotto reached the €3600 mark. During the week we also had the floodlights connected and what a sight it is to look down from the sweep to see Brideview Park lit up. This Friday at 6.30pm we entertain Ardmore under lights and all are welcome. This is a great way to pass a couple of hours so we encourage everyone both young and old to come along and support your local soccer team.

LOTTO

Numbers Drawn - 5 8 10 12

This weeks jackpot was not won and the match three winners were as follows Abbie Aherne, Valerie Aherne, Mary Feeney and Mary Kenneally. Next weeks draw will take place in Clancys Bar 10 pm and the jackpot will be €3,600.

WWEC DRAW

This draw took place last Monday week and we had one local winner Ian O'Brien who won a premiership trip to the value of €1,000.

INCH O BRIDEVIEW UTD A 4

Brideview finally turned on the style last Sunday in Sexton Park with a 4-0 thrashing of Inch Utd on what was a sticky pitch. The Brideview side of Farmer, A Kearney, Pratt, Martin O'Neill, JP Grey, M Curley, Hampton, W Curley, W Henley and P O'Brien started well and were soon of the mark when Paul O'Brien lobbed the Inch keeper after 15mins.

Brideview kept up the pressure with shots from Michael Curley and Graham O'Neill and on 42 mins. Paul O'Brien netted his second after good work from William Curley who had an outstanding game in midfield. The tireless James Hampton forced a finger tip save from the home keeper and moments later a goalmouth scramble saw William Henley cool'ly back heel into the net amongst a crowd of players. Finally on 88 min. more good work from William Curley produced dividends as Paul O'Brien received a cross from him to rattle the net for his second hatrick of the season.

A very good result and who knows where we could have been in the league if we played like this all season.

BRIDEVIEW UTD B 4 CASTLEBRIDGE CELTIC 1

Having played this side earlier in the season and being beaten 7-1 you would think that we would be on the end of a similar defeat but thinking back to that game we were leading 1-0 with minutes to go to half time and were well in it until the bizarre goings on in the second half. This Sunday however the B team took their improved performances from recent weeks and overturned that result into a 4-1 victory which was their first of the season in the league. They can now go forward and use this strengthen their position for the remainder of the season.

The team of Smith, Cronin, Good, Power, Kingston, Henley, Donnelly, Casey, Ryan, Clohessey and Gilnan took to the field and from the kickoff took control of the game with the added benefit of the breeze. Within 10 min United were on the scoresheet when a long ball from Good found Henley on the wing and he crossed for Clohessey to net with an overhead kick. Minutes later it was two when a rare header from Thomas Ryan found its way to the back of the net.

Half time and United were coasting and when the defence were called upon they were resolute and all the while the strikers were bombarding the Celtic defence. On the hour mark Gilnan was brought down and United were awarded a penalty and Clohessey made no mistake when called upon. Shortly afterwards he was put through by Ryan and scored his hatrick and Brideview were up 4-0. Late on Celtic received a penalty and they pulled a goal back but United held firm to record their first victory of the season Well done lads.

SCHOOLBOYS

The Under 14 side slipped up last Saturday going behind twice but claiming a draw in the final minutes. Alan O Riordan found the net again with a penalty and Ray Barry scored directly from a corner. They only have one league game remaining and have to rely on Cappoquin slipping up and therefore it is out of their hands. Team Stevie Barry, Eoin Walsh, Aaron Pratt, James Fitzgerald, Kieran Fraser, Joe Leahy, Liam O'Gorman, Calun Dunlea, Eoin Roche, Ray Barry, Alan O'Riordan. Res used — Sean Barry, Robert O'Sullivan

FIXTURES

Schoolboys - Check the ECWW notes elsewhere in this paper thank you.

Friday 19th (Under Lights) 6.30pm Brideview Utd A v Ardmore

Sunday 21st Brideview Utd B v Valley Rangers B 2pm.

Waterford County Badminton Notes

DOUBLES LEAGUES

The Mens and Ladies leagues were completed before Christmas. Eleven competitions were run and the results were as follows.

MENS LEAGUE

Section A - Dunmore — Dunmore claimed the Mens Section A title finishing in style with a victory over Lismore. This team was made up of I. Hatton, A. Feicks, J. Byrne and J. Dunne (Captain).

Section B - Melleray — Melleray won a very competitive league. The players were D. Kiely, K. Cahill, J. Denn and M. McGrath (Captain).

Section C - Lismore — Lismore dominated this section from the beginning and finished clear winners. The team was J. Tobin, P. Casey (Captain), C. Tobin and G. Alcorn.

Section D - Kilmacthomas.
Section E - Touraneena — Touraneena came out top in this competition. The team was as follows: R. Dunford, S. Dalton, G. Dunford, E.Reddy, J. Power.

LADIES LEAGUE

Section B - Ballymacarbray — Only three teams contested this competition. The final was between Lismore and Ballymacarbray with victory going to Ballymac. The team was F. Walsh, M.Wall, T. Heffernan, A. O'Donnell and U. Ryan.

Section C - Tourin — Tourin finished ahead of Lismore. Dunmore and Touraneena to win the Section C title. Sheena Wilkinson captained the side and her team mates were J. Fleming, F. Meaney and P. Bolger.

Section D - Dunmore — Following the withdrawal of Lismore only two teams remained in this competition with Dunmore too strong for Tourin. The Dunmore team was as follows: Angela Gilmartin (Captain), Suzanne

Brady, Siobhan Furlong and Carol Chapman.

Section E - Ballymacarbray — Ballymac overcame stiff competition to win Section E. The team was R. O'Sullivan (Captain), M. Kelly, R. Hallinan, C. Condon, E. Boyle and M. O'Connor.

Section F - Ballyduff Upper — The Section F champions were D. Hickey, C. Hannon, M. Cashen and B. Nugent.

COUNTY MIXED CHAMPIONSHIPS

The County Mixed Championships will take place on Sunday 4th February in Ballinameela starting at 12 a.m. sharp. Some competitions may take place in Lismore if there are sufficient entries. The entry fee is €12 per person.

Entries to trudi@waterfordbadminton.org. All entries must be received by January 30th. It is very important that all clubs support this competition to ensure a high number of entries.

CLASS 3

The Munster Class Three competition was held in Ballinameela on Sunday 14th January. Four counties took part. Kerry won the competition with Tipperary in second place.

The Waterford panel was as follows:

Ladies - Tanya Morrissey, Nicola Morrissey and Nora O'Sullivan (Lismore), Triona Dobbin and Mary Walsh (Waterford) and Trudy Kennedy (Ballymacarbray).

Men - Timmy Kehoe, John O'Riordan and Terence McSweeney (Waterford) John Pratt, Colin Coleman and Kieran Cahill (Lismore) and David Kiely (Melleray).

CLASS 4

Training for the class four team will be held in Lismore Community Centre from 7.00 to 9.00 p.m. on Sunday 21st.

TOURIN G.A.A. AND NEIGHBOURHOOD NOTES

REMINDER

Tourin Hurling and Ballinwillin Football clubs AGM will be held this Sunday, 21st January at 2.30 pm. Please note that the meeting will take place at Ballinwillin Community Centre.

JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP 2007

This year there will be a junior hurling championship proper. This will give clubs with only junior teams involved in this championship an incentive and a fair chance at capturing both the Western and County Finals in 2007.

BADMINTON

All Cup competitions are taking place presently and Tourin lost to Ballymacarbray at home in the first leg on Monday night - hopefully the return leg will bear better results. Social Badminton as usual at Blackwater Community School Hall on Tuesday nights - All Welcome.

INJURED

Peter Kingston is currently recovering from a knee injury - hope you are feeling better

Peter.

THE MAESTRO

Mick O'Dwyer and his Wicklow charges have notched up a second win in the O'Byrne Cup over the weekend by beating Wexford. This is a bright start for the Garden County and could be one of the dark horses in the 2007 Championship. Unfortunately for his fellow Kerry man - Paudi O'Shea, the Banner men did not get off to winning ways for their new manager.

Sliabh gCua/ St. Mary's GAA Club

POKER CLASSIC

Our annual Poker Classic takes place in Dunford's Bar on next Friday night week, January 26th at 9 pm. Usual participants, please note.

Ballyduff Upper GAA Notes

CLUB LOTTO

The numbers drawn in last week's lotto draw in Tobin's Bar on Tuesday January 9th were 2-7-20. There were two winners of the jackpot, Jim O'Neill and Shauna Kelleher who receive €625 each. The €30 winners were Jim O'Brien, Tereasa Higgins, and Jimmy O'Gorman. This week's jackpot was €500 and the draw took place in Lindsay's Bar on Tuesday January 16th. The results of this draw will appear in next week's notes. You can get results and club news by visiting our website at www.ballyduffgaa.eu

MUNSTER SENIOR HURLING LEAGUE

We will play Bride Rovers (Cork) or Kilmoyley (Kerry) in the Munster senior hurling league final on Saturday January 27th. The venue for this game is to be decided.

SELECTORS AND DELEGATES 2007

The following selectors and delegates for 2007 were elected at a committee meeting on Tuesday January 9th in St Michael's Hall.

Senior hurling: Maurice Geary, Mossie Casey, and Paudi Prendergast.

Junior football: Seamus Condon, Pat Murphy, Noel Hayes, and Kevin Martin.

U-21 Football: Kevin Martin, Seamus Condon, and John Jackson.

Delegates to Divisional and County Boards: Eugene Flynn and Tommy Byrne.

Delegates to Sports Hall Management Committee: Maurice Geary, John Jackson, and Liam Power.

CLUB GEAR

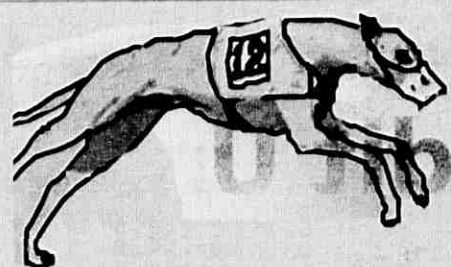
Club gear including Rugby shirts, Polo shirts, Jackets and Tracksuits are now available at Theresa Noonan's shop and also from John Jackson.

COMMITTEE MEETING

The next committee meeting will be held in St. Michael's Hall on Tuesday January 23rd at 8.00pm.

VOTES OF SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Eilish Flynn, Glencairn on the death of her aunt last week and to Geraldine Canning, Waterpark on the death of her mother recently.



GREYHOUND NEWS

BY MARK PHILLIPS

FRIDAY JANUARY 12TH

Thirddtimeastar Left It Late

The feature event on last Friday nights card was the final of the Willie Robinson PVC A4 decider and after an exciting contest the Johns Park Syndicate (made up of a number of local junior soccer players) owned Thirddtimeastar 4/1 timed his run to perfection to score in 29.18. Dibbers Forte took the shortest route home but steering a wide course Thirddtimeastar (Droopys Scholes-Annfield Lady) disputed the lead and in a driving finish Thirddtimeastar came out on top by a neck.

The opening four bender produced a three way photo finish with the fast starting Toker Baby (Jamellas Pet-Kimberleys Pet) 2/1 owned by P Lynch prevailing by a short head from Dugout Lady with Ballygerald Boss the same distance away in third. Time 30.10.

In a two bend dash the S.K.T. Syndicate owned Tinrah Jo (Teds Jo-Doctor Tinrah) 2/1 made a swift exit from trap three to gallop on for a clear cut four and a half lengths success over Bettys Abby in a decent 16.40.

The third contest was confined to first timers and after being installed the 6/4 favourite the Dry Your Eyes Mate Syndicate owned and Davy Morris trained Ushers Bob (Droopys Kewell-Dash For Home) made no mistake from trap four carving out a neat pillar to post 29.67 success. Quickly into his stride Ushers Bob was chased throughout by Tigo Rag but sticking to the task in hand Ushers Bob kept on in fine style to beat Tigo Rag by three and a half lengths.

Having been slow to break from trap one the previous week the Cian O'Regan owned Jos McDoaks (Droopys Agassi-Bad Girl) 2/1 made amends in the final of a 12 dog unraced stake bounding clear from trap two to run out an impressive 29.11 winner. Firing himself clear from traps Jos McDoaks quickly opened up a handy early lead over Birchtree Jack and Sparta Mia and in a one sided decider Jos McDoaks was never in any subsequent danger cruising to a six lengths success over a running on Whittlesey Decoy.

The M Flynn and J Corrigan owned Marwood Review (Brookside Bear-Hi Babe) 2/1 displayed plenty of early pace for trainer Paul Morrissey to capture the fifth contest in 29.43. Shooting into a handy back stretch lead over the 5/4 favourite Ima Cooper Mist Marwood Review had to be at her strongest in the closing stages to deny a fast finishing Ima Cooper Mist by a short head.

Displaying improved form the J Kelly owned Lambstown Grey (Droopys Vieri-Pinewood Linda) ran his best ever race to take the sixth contest in a career fastest 29.35. Taking a flyer from trap three Lambstown Grey led throughout from Molly Bawn Black and keeping up a strong gallop in the lead Lambstown Grey went on to account for Molly Bawn Black by four and a half lengths.

Favourite backers were correct in their calculations in the first semi final of the Paulo Coelho / Hallas Rocket A6 event with the Aidan Roche owned Kingsmill Magic (Honcho Classic-Hazel Bank Queen) the red hot 4/5 favourite doing the business in 29.24. Going clear from trap two Kingsmill Magic had this contest in the bag a long way from home dashing clear early on from Aclamon Queen before accounting for a staying on Striker Supreme by seven lengths.

In the second qualifier the D Evans owned Woody Rockland (Droopys Woods-Rocklands Sally) 5/2 made full use of his early pace to make every stride a winning one in 29.37. Packing to much early dash for the opposition Woody Rockland forged clear of Ballyneale Kim and staying on better than in previous races Woody Rockland crossed the winning line with five

lengths to spare over Ballyneale Kim.

The previously unraced Bettys Legend (Teds Jo-Davids Image) owned by Tom Walsh worked hard for a deserving 29.54 debut success in race ten. Opting for a middle to outside route Bettys Legend 3/1 enjoyed a good buckle up front with the rails running Clonmiles Leah but staying on the stronger Bettys Legend came through to win out by a length and a half.

The Club Coco Syndicate owned and Declan Byrne trained Varra Homer (Droopys Woods-Varra Sal) the even money favourite sent the punters home happy with a runaway victory in a best of night 28.96.

Relishing his rails draw in race eleven Varra Homer drove in to make the all important first bend before sprinting clear down the back to run out a clear cut seven and a half lengths winner over Greenview Virgo.

TRAP DRAW-FRIDAY JANUARY 19TH

Paulo Coelho/Hallas Rocket A6 Final

- 1 Woody Rockland
- 2 Murlens Tulip
- 3 Striker Supreme
- 4 Kingsmill Magic
- 5 Aclamon Queen
- 6 Ballyneale Kim

Selection — Kingsmill Magic

Dangers — Murlens Tulip, Woody Rockland

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13TH

Roche Brothers Capture Major Finals

The Roche brothers Aidan and George from Barntown in County Wexford plundered two of the three finals sponsored by Stan Bergin in Kilcohan Park last Saturday night. Aidan sent out the Dry Gin Syndicate owned Kingsmill Jo (Premier County-Its Awesome) the red hot 4/6 favourite to a runaway 28.69 success in the final of the Bergin Monumental Works A3 Dolls event. Holding her position on the rails as Local Touch and Whitegate Sense pushed the winner early on Kingsmill Jo eased her way to the front halfway down the back stretch before motoring on for a clear-cut five and a half lengths defeat of Whitegate Sense.

The George Roche owned Show Million (Hotshow Ben-Bet-fivemillion) 4/6 was the warm favourite in the final of the Bergin Monumental Works A3 Guys decider and this tough sort had to work hard for his fully deserved 28.98 success. Taken on for the lead early on by Draw Your Weapon Show Million motored into an narrow back stretch lead on the outside and staying on strongly Show Million stretched clear up the home stretch to beat a running on Kilaspy Jo by three lengths.

In the opening event the M Fitzpatrick owned and John Power trained Right Of Way (Top Honcho-Spring Classic) 3/1 bounded into a third bend lead on the fence from the close running pair of Treanaree Gwen and Goldmine Blaze before defeating the latter by two and a half lengths in 29.50.

Despite bumping with the early paced Hewillyeah at the first bend in race two the M Walsh owned and Catherine Redmond trained Kereight Gold (Bionic Prospect-Peters Dog) 2/1 recovered well enough to race on for a handy 29.54 victory. Kilgraney Joy came out of the pack to give chase but Kereight Gold was full value for his two and a half lengths victory.

The following two races were semi finals of the Ace Compaction A4 Stake.

The first semi final is easily described as the W Leacy owned Paris Pop (Roanoke-Ballinaboola Gold) 4/1 displayed sound early pace to lead all the way in 29.21. With the 1/1 favourite Slug City left stranded in trap four Paris Pop wasted no time in leaving trap three and while a wide running Agassis King went second on the back stretch Paris Pop ran out an easy five and a half lengths winner.

A slow starting Conker All (Larkhill Jo-Pinewood Linda) 5/2 came from behind to take the second qualifier for UK owner N Fraser and Wexford trainer Eamon Moore in 29.63. Minglers Flash started well from trap two but moved to the outside on the run up. Minglers Flash still led down the back stretch but driving up the inside of the leader at the third bend Conker All was soon at the head of affairs running on to beat Vieri Shadow by two lengths.

In a 550 yard contest the M.T. Pockets Syndicate from Mooncoin owned Blue Pockets (Droopys Vieri-Murlens Madrid) 2/1 came from behind to win out in 30.55. Breaking smartly from trap four Blue Pockets relinquished her early lead to Hookorbycrooke but regaining the lead on the rails around the final two bends Blue Pockets went on to beat Hookorbycrooke by two lengths.

The B Waters owned and Nick Turner trained Roskei (Brett Lee-Beardys Angie) 2/1 came from behind to take the final of the Bergin Monumental Works A2 decider. Black Million left trap one smartly but Roskei was soon in the leaders slipstream.

Sprinting into a second bend lead Roskei made the best of his way home from that point on and while Black Million refused to throw in the towel Roskei went on to win out by two lengths in 29.09.

Mulberry Stoves kindly sponsored two semi finals of an A3 event. In the first semi final the G Renilson owned and Peter Cronin trained Jetharts Here (Droopys Vieri-Jackies Lady) the evens favourite made no mistake producing a positive front running performance to score in a fast 28.80. Going clear from the break Jetharts Here was never going to loose this contest coming home eight lengths clear of Ima Cooper Cool.

The outcome to the second qualifier was a lot tighter. The A Hoban owned Stage Mikey (Hondo Black-Alias Stage) the 4/6 favourite made sound use of his early pace to make the all-important first bend. Track newcomer Coolykereen Job pushed Stage Mikey all the way from that point onwards but a determined Stage Mikey held out by half a length in 29.14.

In the final race of the night the Michael O'Connor owned Whitefort Dali (Droopys Kewell-Whitefort Sal) 3/1 showed good early speed en route to a fluent 28.98 success. Out in front from an early stage Whitefort Dali cut an early dash over a slow starting but early paced Swift Milly and making the long break for home Whitefort Dali went on to account for Tinlough Striker by three and a half lengths.

TRAP DRAWS-SATURDAY JANUARY 20TH

Ace Compaction A4 Final

- 1 Paris Pop
- 2 Like A Champion
- 3 Slug City
- 4 Conker All
- 5 Vieri Shadow
- 6 Agassis King (W)

Selection — Paris Pop

Dangers — Slug City, Conker All

Mulberry Stoves A3 Final

- 1 Whitefort Dili
- 2 Jetharts Here
- 3 Ima Cooper Cool
- 4 Glenreen
- 5 Stage Mikey
- 6 Coolykereen Job (W)

Selection — Jetharts Here

Dangers — Coolykereen Job, Stage Mikey



Deise Archery Club Notes

ROVING MARK 2006-07

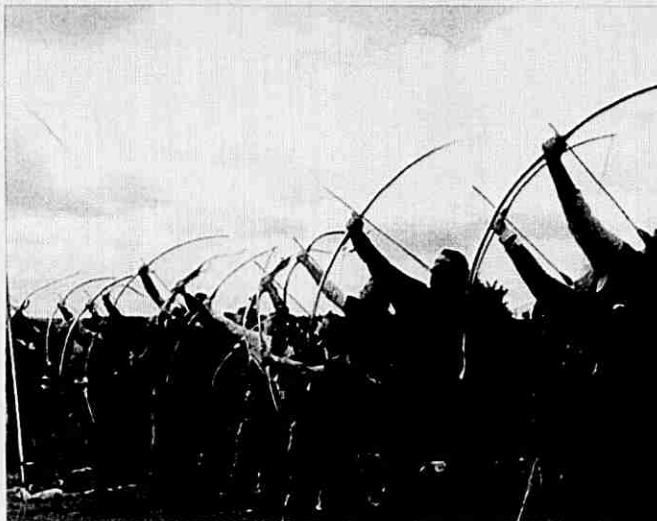
First of all I would like to wish all our members and readers of our column a Happy New Year. On Sunday last we started the year with the 4th leg of our Roving Mark Competition, and before I continue once again we thank the Chavasse family for the use of their land. There can be no excuses for bad shots as the morning was absolutely perfect and the high scoring on the day reflected this.

The presence of the perpetual trophy may also have inspired some members to shoot above average. A good crowd had gathered early with some peo-

ple sticking to their New Years Resolution to get out of the scratcher on a Sunday morning, but there is always one. In this case the current leader of the competition, Carl Geoghean who made a Hollywoodesque late entry at the marks. It didn't put anyone off however and no charge of gamesmanship will be taken against him seeing as he is the chairman and all. At this point we would also like to welcome two newcomers to the club Pat and Ella Dillane for whom it was their first Roving Mark shoot and both seemed to enjoy the experience.

Going into this shoot, Carl was at the top of the leader board and with only two of the top five shooting a perfect opportunity to consolidate his position presented itself. At the half way mark in the shoot it was reining champion Vinny O'Donnell who was setting the pace with Ben Brittan, Ken Frazer and Robert Greaney all keeping pace and Carl Geoghean just two points off this group.

The producing of a hip flask by Kevin Power seemed to inspire him and his score on the second half of the course saw him move up the field to join the leading group. Now before you ask, yes the flask has been sent to a lab for analysis and a urine sample was taken. Results of these test to be announced before the next leg. So following 20 marks a tired group of archers gathered to hear the results. Congratulations go to Ben Brittan who piped both Carl and Kevin by



GROUP OF ARCHERS AT ROVING MARK SHOOT

one point for a popular victory.

Leg 4 results

Ben Brittan	43
Carl Geoghean	42
Kevin Power	42
Robert Greaney	35
Vincent O'Donnell	34
Ken Fraser	28
Ann Walsh	20
Pat Dillane	18
Bob Greaney	6
Ella Dillane	7

The Overall leaderboard following this round now looks like this:

ROVING MARK 2006-07

Carl Geoghean	116
Kevin Power	86
Vinny O'Donnell	78
Stephen Dunford	68
Robert Greaney	63
Michael Power	60
Bob Greaney	54
Ben Dunford	53
Ken Fraser	51
Ben Brittan	47

The next leg of the Roving Mark will take place in two week's time same time same place

STORM DAMAGE

Over the Christmas period a number of trees fell in Chavasse's this means that some re-setting of our 3D course will have to be carried out. It is planned to carry out this next Sunday if you are available please attend the course at the regular time. Many hand make light work and all that.

COACHING

Archery Coaching has begun again and sessions are now taking place on a regular basis. So if you had been thinking of taking up a sport as part of your New Years Resolution why not give Archery a try. Our coaching sessions cater for all ages, for more information you can contact Kevin 058 68184.



THE DEISE ROVING MARK TROPHY

Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club Notes

2007 OFF TO A GREAT START

It was encouraging to see a large number of cyclists taking to the road last weekend. A large group headed up to Lismore and Ballyduff on both days of the week-end in windy and wet weather on Saturday and a sunny spring like morning on Sunday. Taking part were Mark Power (Ballinroad), Benny Flynn, Keith Walsh, Pádraig de Búrca, Pat O'Driscoll, Eddie Moore, Richie Power, Davy Tobin, Justin Coonan, Liam Rossiter, Mark Power (Abbyside), Siobhan O'Mahoney, Michael Curran, Michael Moloney, Frank Browne, Frank O'Rourke, Colin Organ, Dane Power, Frances Barry and Eddie Hickey. Welcome to Mark Windross who added to a strong group on Sunday.

2007 CALENDAR ANNOUNCED

A full schedule of events for 2007 has now been finalised. This caters for all standards of cyclists : beginners, leisure and competitive. Last Monday's Committee meeting saw some fine tuning and further planning.

Special mention should be made of next years "Munster Challenge" which will be a charity event held over 2 1/2 days. The aim is to cycle through all 6 counties of Munster between Friday lunchtime and Sunday afternoon- no mean feat when the distances are added. More details to follow in coming weeks.

24 Feb	Canaries Trip (Saturday to Saturday)
11 Apr	Individual Predict-your-Time Competition, 4 Wednesdays, finishing 2nd May
09 May	O'Mahony Cycles & Nursery Summer Series, 8 Wednesdays, finishing 4th July
13 May	Kelly Pharmacy Road Race (Sunday) 12 pm
26-27 May	Munster Challenge
06 June	Club Championship Graded 5k Time Trial
10 June	Wicklow 200 (Sunday)
07 July	Ring of Kerry Cycle (Saturday) * to be confirmed
22 July	Club Day (Sunday)
08 Aug	Ger Wyley Sports Team Predict-your-Time Competition, 4 Wednesdays, finishing 29th August
15-16 Sept	End-of-Season Trip...destination to be finalised (Saturday / Sunday)
05 Oct	Club Annual General Meeting (Friday)

BEGINNERS GROUP FOR 2007

Get fit for 2007 and take up cycling! The successful initiative of last year has returned for 2007. To encourage more participation in cycling The Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club has set up a roster of club members to accompany anyone wishing to start cycling. All you need is a bike and some enthusiasm. A Committee member will travel with anyone interested for any distance and at a slow pace to introduce them to the pleasure of cycling. Spins will set out from The Square on Sundays at 10am, but will be separate from the usual group. Come along, enjoy the sport and stick with your New Years Resolution to work off that Christmas Turkey and Pudding.

Next weeks group, Sunday 21st January, will be led by Michael Curran, so come along with bike, helmet and some food and water.

ALL IRELAND TIME TRIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

This year Dungarvan Credit Union Cycling Club is delighted to be hosting the National Time Trial Championships in the summer. This will be an opportunity to see the cream of Irish cyclists competing on our doorstep. More details will follow.

WILDLIFE

If anyone in the group spots any unusual or strange wildlife while on a spin don't be afraid to point it out to the rest of the group. On Sunday two eagle-eyed members spotted a "Lama", which is a rare sight in Ballylemon!

CLUB WEBSITE

Don't forget the club web site for results, photos and results archive: www.dungarvancyclingclub.org. Thanks to Frank for his ongoing efforts.

World Champions To Play In Dungarvan

Two former World Snooker Champions will come face to face in the best of nine frames on Wednesday Jan 24th, when Ireland's Ken Doherty plays Ronnie "the rocket" O'Sullivan. Lawlors Hotel in Dungarvan is the venue for this much awaited challenge match. It will be O'Sullivan's first exhibition game since he walked out of the UK championship.

Doherty is ranked no 2 in the world at present, which is the Irishman's highest ranking, his opponent is currently ranked no 3. Therefore in the space of twelve months, Dungarvan will have hosted the top three snooker players in the world. World no 1, Steven Hendry was a popular visitor when he played in the town last year.

Ronnie O'Sullivan has won 33 major titles, including the Embassy World Championship on two occasions. In 2001, he beat John Higgins in the final, three years later, Graham Dott was his opponent when he regained the title. He has also won both the Irish Masters and UK championship on three occasions. Since he turned professional in 1992, the 31 year old has won close to €5 million in prize money. To date he has recorded six maximum breaks of 147 in competitive play.

Local Snooker promoter, Michael Bumster was referee for one of his 147 breaks. This won't be Doherty's first visit to Dungarvan, having played an exhibition match before a sell out crowd in 2002. The former World Champion from Dublin remains the only man to double up, he previously won the World Amateur title in 1989. Tickets for the event are on sale in Lawlors Hotel, Dungarvan and are priced at €20. VIP ticket are also available at a cost of €50, which entitles the holder to attend and meet the players at a pre match reception at 6.45pm, plus VIP seats for the night.



West Waterford Golf & Country Club



Prizewinners in the hamper competition at West Waterford Golf Club which raised €1,300 towards the Lions Club Christmas Hamper Appeal. Included are Michael O'Dwyer, Captain and Joanne Barron, Lady Captain with Paddy Kennedy, Events Co-ordinator Dungarvan Lions Club. —(Sean Byrne Photography).

Competition Results

Wednesday 10th January to Sunday 14th January 16-hole Stableford – Continuation of 1st Round of the Winter League, kindly sponsored by Comeragh Oil.

1st: Mark Coughlan (10) - 40pts. 2nd: Chris O'Shea (17) - 40pts. 3rd: John Fitzgerald (10) - 39pts. Gross: Jimmy Murphy (7) - 33pts. 4th: Liam Reilly (21) - 38pts. 5th: Mick Connolly (19) - 38pts. 6th: Donal O'Brien (14) - 38pts. 7th: Tom Butler (12) - 38pts.

Winter League top 12 teams at the end of the first round:

Cappoquin - 191. Clashmore - 183. Dungarvan - 180. Killeagh - 179. Sliabh-Gua - 177. The Spring - 177. The Brickies - 177. Glenbeg - 177. Youghal - 176. Cappagh - 176. Old Boro - 173. Ardmore - 171.

Winter League 2006 Kindly sponsored by Comeragh Oil

Members are requested to avoid playing in Fourballs at weekends for the duration of the Winter League.

As a means to heighten awareness of the problem of pitch / plug marks and in order to attempt to alleviate this scourge on greens, it has been decided to allocate responsibility for each of the 18 greens for the year 2007 to a Winter League Team's members. Unraked bunkers are also an ever present problem and each and every member of each and every team is urged to co-operate with this request, regarding pitch / plug marks and bunkers, the list is as follows:

1st green – Dungarvan & Geraldines: 2nd green – Brickies: 3rd green – Carriglea: 4th green – Killeagh & Ring: 5th green – Cappagh: 6th green – Abbeyside: 7th green – Carrigtohill: 8th green – Kilrossanty: 9th green – Old Boro & Kilossara: 10th green – Sliabh gCua: 11th green – Affane & Spring: 12th green – Ardmore: 13th green – Glenbeg & Glenmore: 14th green – Grange: 15th green – Youghal: 16th green – Clashmore: 17th green – Old Parish: 18th green

Cappoquin

It has to be stressed that responsibility for repairing the pitch/plug marks and raking bunkers is not only for the duration of the Winter League but also for the 2007 golfing year.

Junior results

Results from Christmas Competition.

1st: Gary Hurley (11) - 40pts. 2nd: Conor Walsh (18) - 39pts. Gross: Philip Spratt - 32pts. 3rd: David Byrne (10) - 39pts.

Fixtures

Wednesday 17th January to Sunday 21st January 16 Hole Stableford – 2nd Round of the Winter League, kindly sponsored by Comeragh Oil

A full list of our fixtures and other information is available on our website:

Subscriptions

Subscriptions for the 2007 season are now due, we would like to thank those who have already paid for their prompt response, and request all members who haven't paid to please submit the appropriate amount to the office, by post or in person at their earliest convenience.

Dungarvan Seniors Pairs Classic

This competition which was a huge success last year will again be staged at the 3 local courses Dungarvan, Gold Coast and West Waterford on Tuesday 10th, Wednesday 11th and Thursday 12th April 2007. The competition format is as follows: 2 person rumble, 2 person scramble and Fourball Betterball. The competition fees are as follows: 2 nights B&B, 3 rounds of golf and entry is €142pps, for visitors not availing of accommodation the fee is €67 pp, while members of any of the three host Clubs may enter for €62pp. Last years event was fully subscribed and hopefully the same will apply for this year's event. Entry forms for this year's renewal are available at the 3 participating Golf Clubs.

Dungarvan Golf Triangle

Golf tourism as we all know is now a big business in Ireland and the Dungarvan area is ideally placed to garner its share of

this ever-expanding market. A major selling point of our three courses, Dungarvan Golf Club, Gold Coast Golf Club and ourselves West Waterford Golf Club is that we are all within 5 minutes drive of Dungarvan town center. The "Dungarvan Golf Triangle" effectively, allows you to purchase a ticket that enables you to play each of the three courses, Monday to Friday for the combined price of €80, and in this era of high green fee rates, this represents good value. 'The Dungarvan Golf Triangle' is being advertised through all the usual mediums and is on sale in each of the three golf clubs. Tickets are valid up to 31st December 2007.

Dungarvan Golf International

Following feedback from previous competitors and extensive discussions between the 3 local golf clubs, the Classic will undergo some changes in date and formats to provide fresh impetus to the event. The 2007 Classic is taking place on the 12th, 13th and 14th June 2007, for information on the event please contact the Tournament Co-ordinator Marie Curran on 058-42870 or 087-2347918.

Golf Lessons

T.W Murphy E.G.T.F is available for golf lessons. Timmy can be contacted by ringing 086-3521070 for an appointment.

WEST WATERFORD LADIES GOLF NOTES Fixtures

13 hole ongoing starting 8th January

January ongoing 9-hole competition 2 cards to count. Extended to the 28th January Daily Mail Qualifier foursomes 8th Jan- 21st Jan. (max handicap allowed 30

Step down allowed). Re-entry with different partner allowed.

Committee Meeting Jan 24th 7:30 pm Lawlors Hotel Club Contact details:

Telephone: 058 43216

Fax: 058 44343

E-mail: info@westwaterford-golf.com Website: www.westwaterford-golf.com

GoldCoast Golf Club Notes

Results:

CPC Open 9th – 13th Jan: 18 Hole Stableford

Jim Whelan (18) 38 pts.

Sat/Sun 14th Jan: 18 Hole Stableford.

1st: Nicholas Fitzgerald (21) 46 pts. 2nd: Conor Clancy (10) 43 pts. Gross: David Troy (3) 37 pts 3rd: Tom Landers (9) 42 pts.

10 Hole No 4: T. Prendergast

10 Hole No. 5: Paul Kehoe

10 Hole No. 6: N.Fitzgerald.

Fixtures

Mon to Fri 19th Jan: CPC Open 18 Hole Stableford.

Thursday/Friday 19th Jan: Round 6 Mansfield EBS Winter League.

Saturday/Sunday 21st Jan: Round 6 Mansfield EBS Winter League.

10 Hole all week.

Membership Fees

First half of the membership fees are now overdue and should be paid as soon as possible.

Annual Mass for Deceased Members

This will take place at the GoldCoast on Friday 26th Jan at 8 p.m.

South East League

Anyone interested in playing in the South East League should fill in their name on the sheet provided in the kiosk. Players eligible to play must qualify for either Bruen or Purcell this year. For Bruen a player must not have been below 6 handicap during 2006 and for Purcell a player must not have been below

12 during 2006. Players interested in playing Jimmy Bruen or Pierce Purcell this year could benefit a lot from taking part in the South East League.

Reality

The Reality Golf Challenge is also back this weekend and as usual each group will lose one player after the weekend. To remind you of who is left, the following are the four groups:

Group A: Jim Moroney, Paul Kehoe, Micheal White, Tom Reynolds and John Hallinan.

Group B: Colin McArthur, Roy Ware, Tony Condon, Kieran Cullinan and Jimmy O'Dwyer.

Group C: Maurice Fennell, Martin Murray, Tony Sheehan, Brendan O'Brien, John Enright.

Group D: Declan Kiely, Tom White, Tom Considine, Thomas Larkin and John Walsh

Sherry Fitzgerald Reynolds Dungarvan Seniors Pairs Classic

This competition, which was a huge success last year, will run over the three courses, Dungarvan Golf Club, West Waterford Golf Club and the GoldCoast Golf Club on Tuesday 10th, Wednesday 11th and Thursday 12th April 2007. The competition will consist of a 2 person rumble, a 2 person scramble and Fourball betterball. The cost is as follows: 2 nights B & B, 3 rounds of golf and entry €142 p.p.s. For visitors not staying the cost is: 3 round of gold and entry: €67 per person. For members of the three clubs the

cost is €62 per person. Last year the event was full and hopefully the same will happen again this year. Already entries are very good and we hope that this continue. Entry forms are available at all three courses.

Golfers Insurance

This can be purchased any time from now to the middle of March when we will be renewing our policy for 2007.

Email

Information is sent to many club members every week by email. Any member wishing to avail of this service should send an email to goldcoastgolf@cablesurf.com and we will add you to the list.

LADIES NOTES

Fixtures

10 Hole ongoing bottle competition. Ger Enright Eurospar Winter League:

Round 7 will commence on Monday 15th January and can be played anytime up to Sunday 21st January.

For the remainder of the winter league there will be a first and second prize each round for beginners and there will be an overall beginners prize at the completion of the league.

Coastal Alliance: Next Round at GoldCoast Golf Club on Thursday 18th January.

Annual Mass for Deceased Members

This will take place at the GoldCoast on Friday 26th Jan at 8 p.m.



Patsy Walsh, Captain and Phidelma Horsom, Lady Captain. Gold Coast Golf Club presenting a cheque for €2,000 to John Coade, Dungarvan Lions Club towards the Christmas Hamper Appeal. —(Sean Byrne Photography).



Ger Kelly and John Hallahan winners in the C & E Interiors sponsored competition at the Gold Coast Golf Club. Included are Patsy Walsh, Club Captain and Billy Power, Representing the Sponsor. —(Sean Byrne Photography).

Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

RESULTS MAHON BRIDGE ELECTRICAL WINTER LEAGUE AFTER ROUND 6

Group A	Place	Total	Rd. 6
Burgery	1st	34	7
Park Lane	2nd	27	5
Fews	3rd	21	3
East Cork		15	2
Group B			
Master McGrath	1st	33	0
Kilmurray	2nd	30	7
Deise	3rd	23	5
Ballinacourty		14	3
Comeragh		4	0
Group C			
Fr Twomey's	1st	36	3
Kereen	2nd	25	7
Silversprings	3rd	21	5
Strandside		11	3
Group D			
Abbeyside	1st	33	5
Ballinroad	2nd	28	7
Kilmeadon	3rd	24	3
Stradbally		13	0

DUNGARVAN MEN'S RESULTS JAN 07

11th & 12th Mahon Bridge Electrical 16h Open Singles & Winter League — 1st Donal O'Callaghan (7) (East Cork) 35; 2nd John Moloney (9) 34 CSSNQ.

Sat 13th Mahon Bridge Electrical 16h Singles Winter League — 1st Tony Fitzgerald (14) 38 - 1 37; 2nd J.P.Hayes (12) 31 - 1 36 pts; Gross Dermot Walsh (2) 34; 3rd Ned Connors (21) 36 - 1 35.

Sun 14th Mahon Bridge Electrical 16h Singles Winter League — 1st Fergal O'Dowd (22) 43 - 1 42 pts; 2nd Mossie Walsh (9) 39 pts Gross John Reynolds (Scr) 31; 3rd Cillian O'Neill (14) 37; 4th Ray Moloney (15) 37 Pts.

DUNGARVAN MENS FIXTURES JAN 07

Thurs & Fri 18th & 19th 16h Open Singles & Mahon Bridge Electrical Winter League Playoffs Sat 20th Sun 21st 16h Singles & Mahon Bridge Electrical Winter League Playoffs.

DUNGARVAN LADIES RESULTS

Tues 9th Jan 11h S'Ford — 1st Kathleen Phelan (19) 25 pts; 2nd Bertha O'Connor (21) 23 pts; 3rd Tish Baumann (9) 22 pts.

Sat 13th Jan 16h S'Ford — 1st Kathleen Phelan (19) 14pts -1.

LADIES FIXTURES

Ladies winter league was cancelled on Sat/ Sun 14th & 14th Jan. It will now be played on SAT / Sun 20th & 21st Jan.

LADIES HOME ALLIANCE

Tuesday 23rd Jan & Sat 27th Jan.

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Results for Wednesday 10th Jan 07 : Winners Kathleen Phelan (19) Mgt O'Donnell (15) Johnny Hogan (17) Sean Power (13) 27 2/3. 2nd Anna Harney (32) Phil O'Brien (28) Jackie Fahey (20) MI Fitzgerald (18) 29 5/6 3rd Peg Hennerbry (21) Gary Morrissey (24) Pat McGovern (21) Tom Phelan (17) 30 1/12. Next competition: Wednesday 17th January 07. Draw for partners at 1.30

PROGRESSIVE 45

Winners Tom Curran & Pat Harty Runners Up Tom Coffey & Cyril Power Last 5 Percy Hallahan & Tom Osbourne Lucky Table Pat Curran & Patsy Donnelly. Progressive 45 every Thursday night at 8.30. All are welcome.

CHARITY NIGHT

This Thursday night holds a progressive 45 in the clubhouse in aid of Garranbane Centenary Fund at 8.30 p.m. All are more than welcome including non members.

POKER CLASSIC

The Poker Classic held last Friday was a success. Thank you to all those who supported the event.

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB MINI LOTTO

Week ending 14.01.07 Winning Numbers: 9, 10, 23, 24 Jackpot Winner (No Winner) €15 winners: Ann O'Donovan Modeligo, Sean Norris c/o N.Norris, David Reynolds Skeacrine, P. J. Kindregan, Abbeyside, Kitty Lyons, c/o Marian Roche

Next week's jackpot €3,450.00 Next Draw Sunday 21st January 2007. Thank you for your support.

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Lismore Golf Notes

LISMORE GOLF CLUB RESULTS

Monday 8th - Sunday 14th Jan 1st Round of Dermot O'Leary Sponsored Spring — 1st Pa Morrissey (10) 33 Pts; 2nd Martin O'Driscoll (16) 31 Pts L3; 3rd Michael Fitzgerald (10) 31 Pts.

Section A — Michael Fitzgerald 10 Pts, Chris Whelan 8 Pts, Brian Shanahan 6 Pts.

Section B — Richie Ormonde 10 Pts, Barry Rumley 8 Pts, Colm Burke 6 Pts.

LISMORE GOLF CLUB FIXTURES

Monday 15th - Sunday 21st Jan 2nd Round of Dermot O'Leary Sponsored Spring League - 12 Hole Stableford.

We some how got the 1st Round of our Dermot O'Leary Agri Spring League completed in a week where the weather was anything but spring like with wet and very windy conditions the order of the day.

In section A the early pacesetters are Michael Fitzgeralds team with Michael (10) setting a fine example posting 31 points which also earned himself 3rd place in the 12 hole competition in 2nd position in section A at the moment is Chris Whelans team with his main man being Martin O'Driscoll (16) with 31 points which also earned himself the runners up spot in the competition. Third in section A are Brian Shanahans' troops with the in form Stephen Hales taking the plaudits with his 29 points.

So to section B where the front runners are Richie Ormonde's flyers with Dave McGrath (13) showing the way with a nice 30 points in 2nd spot are Barry Rumley's Rum Ones with his friend Gary Dunlop (13) posting 30 points towards the cause. Competition Secretary Colm Burke's Cavalry lie in 3rd spot so all in all we have had an excellent start to our Spring League with what is the biggest ever field in the event.

Team Captain Pa Morrissey (10) couldn't have set a better example to his team carding a tremendous 33 points they didn't respond as he would have liked but he had the consolation of being the 12 hole competition winner.

Lismore Ladies Golf Club

Results — Sun 7th to 14th Jan 9 Hole S/F ongoing — 1st Brid Henry (17) - 19 pts B.3; 2nd Nora O'Sullivan (18) - 19 pts

Fixtures — Sun 14th to 21st Jan 9 Hole S/F ongoing.

Spring League starting the 4th Feb put names in club house before Wed 24th Jan 2007.



Goller of the year 2006 — Photo shows (l. to r.) Brid Henry (runner-up), Nora O'Leary (Lady Captain), Joan Cahillane (winner).



Ladies Club Singles Championship 2006 — Photo shows (l. to r.) Gerty Murphy (runner up), Nora O'Leary (Lady Captain), Katherine Moynihan (winner).

CUNNIGAR PITCH & PUTT CLUB NOTES

COMMITTEE MEETING

Our first Committee Meeting of the Year went very well under the direction of our New Chairman Mr. Francis McCarthy. It looks to be a very good year with lots to do on the agenda. All members are asked to volunteer in helping keep the grounds up to scratch, we will be organizing days over the coming months and hope to see everyone give a helping hand.

TRAINING

Training will be a major event this year, we have two excellent coaches who are willing to commit their time to Club Members who wish

to avail of same. Evenings will be scheduled for training this year again, for the latter part of last year these training evenings were well attended and enjoyed by all.

LOTTO

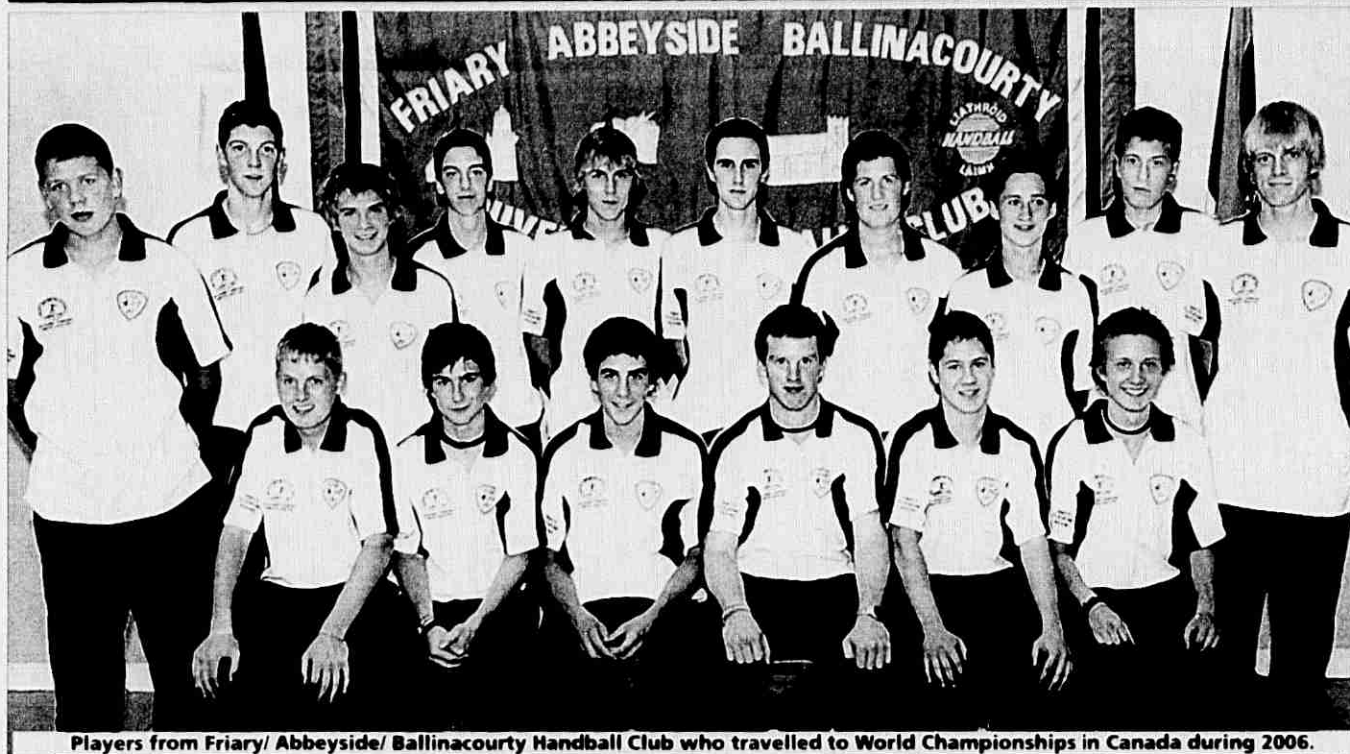
Winner of Snowball last Saturday 13th was Wyn Colligan.

MEMBERSHIP (All are Welcome to join) Commencing January 2007

Family (comprising of two adults and two children under sixteen) €140.00; Adults €70.00; Juveniles €40.00; O.A.P's (over 60's) 45.00.

Membership fees to be paid to Treasurer or any Committee Member.

A REVIEW OF WATERFORD HANDBALL FOR 2006



Players from Friary/ Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty Handball Club who travelled to World Championships in Canada during 2006.

2006 - A Canadian Experience Manifesting in National Glory

During 2006, many will recall articles in this paper about the success of our handballers in various competitions from the local to the world stage. However, it is only when one looks at the picture as a whole that one can appreciate the fantastic achievements of another year for handball in the Deisce.

And what a year it has been for young David Walsh. Early in the school year he made first impact, competing in the 40x20 Intermediate Colleges event with partner John Walsh. The lads played excellent handball to finish as runners up in the All-Ireland final. Not a bad start for the youngsters, a Munster medal won and a silver All-Ireland to boot. Over the summer it was handball throughout culminating in a trip to Canada for the World championships.

The Friary/ Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty Club saw 20 players joining a total of more than 500 Irish players travelling to Edmonton for the Worlds. A great experience was enjoyed by all, fantastic handball was seen and played, and Canada surrendered her delights to this group of youngsters. David Walsh (the name features a lot!) provided the highlight of the event for the Friary/ Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty Club when he reached the Men's C final. This is the first time in the history of Waterford Handball that a Waterford player played in a World Final. Congratulations to David. Unfortunately a very tiring run up to the final proved too much at the end and David had to settle for the silver medal - another silver but the stage more impressive. Congratulations also to John Power who reached the final of the Age 15 and Under Consolation tournament. No mean achievement for this young player with a fantastic future.

So David had two silvers and no gold. Into the second school term of the year and it was time to use the experiences of playing (and beating) world class players in Canada on the Irish stage. This time playing with David Power, the lads competed in the Colleges 60x30 Dou-

bles competition culminating with the final in Croke Park in November. The two Davids had taken the All-Ireland as Intermediates in 2005 and wanted to show that they could retain their title at the older grade. After winning the Munster in style, it was time to take the ultimate prize and no problem to these two - St. Kierans fought hard but to no avail - at last an All-Ireland for David Walsh in 2006 and a first time for St. Augustine's to beat St. Kieran's. Fantastic results and a well deserved Player of the Year Award was presented to David from the Friary/ Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty Club for 2006.

But there was so much more to 2006 for Waterford Handball than David Walsh's achievements. The other college teams did brilliantly - Conor Moloney and Tom Hanrahan won Munster and took silver in the All-Ireland for the 60x30 Colleges Intermediate competition and a Colleges 40x20 Munster medal was won by David Hickey and Jason Healy in the Senior grade.

As the Friary/ Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty Club with St. Augustine's College players is so juvenile focused, the strength of our juveniles has always been pointed out in these year end accounts. This has not and will not change.

To prove this, a three some of doubles Munster medals were brought back to the county during 2006. Colm Kindregan and Barry McCullagh captured the U13 40x20 Doubles, Pierce Galvin and John Power took the U15 40x20 Doubles and Tom Hanrahan and Jim DiFusco won the U17 40x20 Doubles. Three different age groups and three Munsters in the bag.

And another great story is the juvenile team inter-county competition. This format is enjoyed by all players as the total scores from three doubles games are added up to select an overall winner. All our teams played very well but the spotlight rests on the 16-17 Team. In 2005, this team was beaten in the All-Ireland final and did not want to experience a re-occurrence. The team consisted of

Conor Moloney, Tom, Hanrahan, Anthony Butler, Arthur McDonagh, Eoin McCullagh and Marco Hanrahan. After a great competition it came down to an All-Ireland final between Kilkenny and Waterford and what a match was played for the full house in Clonmel. After the lead had changed hands throughout the three games of doubles, Waterford finally emerged victors on a score of 45 aces to Kilkenny's 39. A fantastic format, a fantastic final, and a fantastic title for the Friary/ Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty Club and County Waterford.

So the juveniles continue to fly a strong flag. Many Munsters, a couple of All-Irelands and a World Championship Runner-Up Medal

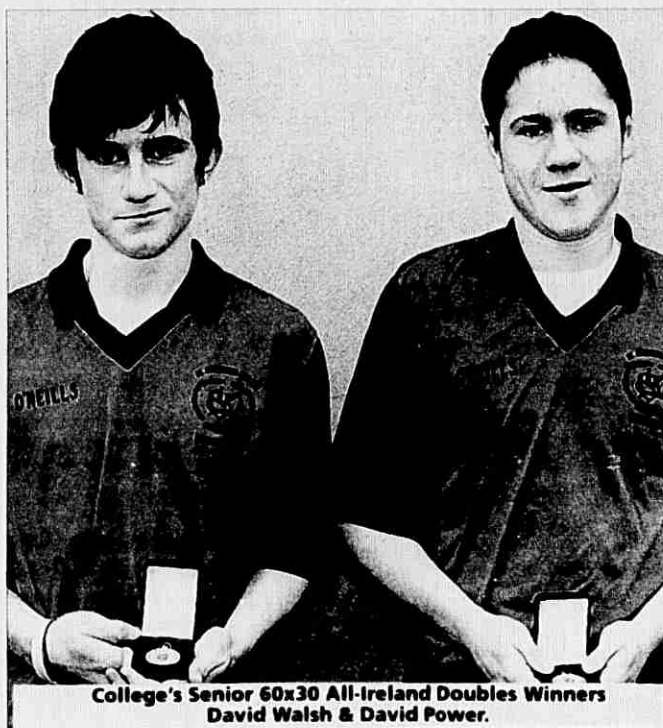
But we must not forget the masters who show the way. In the Diamond Masters competition in 2006, Br. Spring and Mossie Bulter won the Munster competition in the A grade. It's not surprising that the juveniles are brilliant with inspiration like this.

So finally, this author would like to thank all the players who inspire our juveniles but it's not just players who make Waterford handball and the Fri-

ary/ Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty Club the successes that they are. Many thanks are due to all the parents who help out, the coaches (Br. Spring for your dedication always, Pat Moore and teachers, primary and secondary, and all who help out in the alleys and on trips), the fundraisers (bag packing, pub collectors, ticket sellers and church gate collectors) all our sponsors and the local newspapers for their excellent coverage throughout the year. You know who you are and on behalf of the club I thank you for your efforts.

Thanks also to the organisers of the annual fundraising Golf Classic for the Friary/ Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty Club - Colm Bannon, Tom O'Grady and Ray McAndrew.

This year's Classic will be held in West Waterford Golf Club on 8th and 9th June 2007. Please enter a team and support this good cause and help add to the great successes achieved to date. And if you can't play, remember that we will be fundraising throughout the year and support us when you can. Let's continue to support and nurture our juvenile game and create more stories like David Walsh in 2006.



College's Senior 60x30 All-Ireland Doubles Winners David Walsh & David Power.

Dungarvan Ladies Hockey Club High-Five For Dungarvan

Division 4

Dungarvan 5 Church of Ireland 0

Dungarvan started this game without the goalie Lucinda Scrubbs who got a nasty injury in her warm up before the match. This resulted in a shuffle of the team where Martina Landers had to try and fill this tough position. The game was fast and furious with Dungarvan having attack after attack at the C of I goal which paid off quickly in the first goal being scored by swift play between Sharon Duggan, Gillian Dalton and Ann Brennan. This was a great performance with great interplay from back to mid and forward. Each player beaten their counter part with fitness and skill. After a series of short corner Dungarvan went 2-0 up going into the break.

After half time C of I came out attacking resulting in two short corners with which Dungarvan's defence of Louise Conroy, Martina Landers, Thea O'Riordan, Nollaig Sheehan and Sinead Hehir dealt with it with ease. This was the only time C of I got into Dungarvan's half and Dungarvan were on top for the rest of the match. Lindsey Keane showed great skill with her solo runs from midfield breezing passed the defenders and scoring two goals in total. Roisin Briggs came on the left wing for Mide Duff and within a few minutes made her presence felt and nicely positioned, hammered home a beautiful pass from Gillian. Dungarvan should be happy with this result and are still keeping their unbeaten run. Thanks to Nollaig Sheehan for umpiring.

Dungarvan Unlucky To Lose

DIVISION 6

Dungarvan 0 Limerick 2

Saturday last Dungarvan played at home to league toppers Limerick. Unbeaten this season Dungarvan knew they had a lot to do. Within the first five minutes, Limerick were attacking the Dungarvan goal which paid off with an unbeatable shot into the corner which woke Dungarvan up. From this on Dungarvan stepped up their game and attacked the Limerick defence. With the best team work, effort and support from each player, Dungarvan were unlucky not to equalise before half time.

With shot after shot at the Limerick keeper by Thea O'Riordan, Anna Ballot, Lorraine Walsh and Bridget Kiely, they could not beat her. Only for the skill of the keeper, Dungarvan would have easily won as now they are dominating in all areas of the field. Emma Dunne, Mide Duff and Nollaig Sheehan breaking all Limericks advances and creating new attacks for Dungarvan. With ten minutes left, Limerick starting attacking again and this time Martina Landers in goal made a great save but after trapping the ball in her kickers gave Limerick a penalty kick which they converted for their second goal.

This score line doesn't do justice to the team who has improved so much as the season goes on in skill, fitness and confidence. Well done girls on a far display of hockey.

Thanks to Maria, Louise, Martina, Thea and Mide who played in both teams and thanks to Louise Neylin for umpiring.

GERALDINES GAA NOTES

LOTTO

12th Jan 2007: - Winning numbers 5, 15 and 28. No winner. €20 winners: - Paddy Corkery, Martin Reddy, Shane Motherway, Elaine Fraher and Pat Downing.

Next weeks Jackpot is €4,250 and the draw is in Elephants.

SYMPATHY

Sincere Sympathy is extended to the Cotter family, Dromore on the death of Mary last week after a long illness. May she rest in peace.

DUNGARVAN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB



Dungarvan Shopping Centre sponsors a set of Jerseys for Dungarvan Rugby Clubs U-14 Team — Pictured are the players with Tim Foley, Manager Dungarvan Shopping Centre presenting the jerseys to the captain, Garvan Dee. Also included are Trevor Doherty, Club Chairman, Eddie Kiely, Chairman Juvenile Club and Ruairi McMahon, Coach. (Sean Byrne Photography)

SENIOR TEAM MATCH REPORT Dungarvan 14 Presentation 20

Playing at home to Presentation on Sunday, Dungarvan missed a chance to edge away from the team immediately below them in the table, instead ending up level with them after losing out in a close match which produced plenty of exciting moments if not the desired result. Squandered chances and lax defending allowed much hard work to go to waste and Dungarvan slipped to a one score defeat in a match that was always there for the taking.

Despite having gone down by ten points after conceding two early tries, it was the home team who led at the break by 14-10 after getting things in gear towards the middle of the half. From a scrum at halfway, Barry dummed an inside pass to Tom before dancing around the covering winger. After drawing the fullback Barry popped to Brownie, who had made excellent ground to appear on his shoulder at just the right time. With no need of the two men supporting him, Brownie touched down, with Peter adding the conversion to bring us within three points. Not long after, Eddie pressured their scrum half into a mistake from the base of a scrum inside their 22, gathered the ball and made for the line. Dragged down just short, Eddie recycled the ball and Dungarvan patiently worked back and forth across the Presentation line, looking for chinks in the armour. Eventually, Richard Mahony, tiring of the pretty stuff, decided on route one and powered his way around the side of a ruck and over the line. The conversion gave us a four-point lead going into the break that had seemed highly unlikely after the opening ten minutes. The first try was conceded after two silly penalties had given the opposition possession deep in our territory. After pummelling our line time and again, Presentation sucked in the cover before going wide, where

poor tackling and shoddy defence left their full back stroll in. To follow up, Presentation turned down the chance of a kick at goals, instead running the ball inside our 22. After only one phase they switched the point of attack to the blind-side, fooling our cover to cross the whitewash.

Memories of that grim opening were relived at the beginning of the second half. A misunderstanding in defence allowed a loose kick to dribble into touch five yards from our line. After losing the resultant lineout on our own throw, the line didn't react fast enough to a clever switch play from the Pres centres, allowing their 13 to stroll over the line practically untouched. After this try, Pres never looked like breaching our line again, but the damage was done. Despite numerous chances and utterly outplaying their back line, we failed to convert our dominance into any scores. We would repeatedly slice through their line only to see a lack of patience resulting in forward passes out of tackles or poor hands resulting in dropped balls with the line at our mercy. A penalty miss from Peter, which shaved the upright, was compounded by a smart drop goal from Presentation, which left us needing a converted try to win. The pressure told and the time ran down before we could get the deserved score which would have allowed us to leave the field triumphant.

All in all, this loss bore the hallmark of a team that hasn't won in a while. When the chances were there, we grasped at them too hard and they slipped through our fingers, rather than executing with the patience that brought us the second try. The promise was there, with a better structure to our game than ever before and we now have a host of quality players, such as Tom Cashin, who won a well deserved man of the match for a powerful physical display on the wing. One win will see us hit our stride and hopefully that win will

come against Kinsale next week.

Team — Christy, Kelvin, Richard Mahony, Ollie, Richard Laffan, Padraig, Dermot, Sean Fitzpatrick, Eddie, Barry, Tom, Michael, Warren, David, Peter, Sean Walshe, John, Colin, Simon, Paul, Steve.

MINI RUGBY NEWS New Sponsors for U-14s

The U-14s team gathered in Dungarvan Shopping Centre on Saturday morning January 6th to take possession of a new set of Club jerseys generously sponsored by Dungarvan Shopping Centre. Mr Tim Foley, Manager Dungarvan Shopping Centre presented Garvan Dee, Captain of the U-14s Squad, with a set of 25 jerseys which will be proudly worn the team in the coming seasons. DRFC would like to thank Dungarvan Shopping Centre for their support. Thus armed with new jerseys and a new association with Dungarvan Shopping Centre the U-14s looked forward to a bright start to 2007 (and we were not to be disappointed!)

UNDER 14S

Dungarvan v Clanwilliam — East Munster U14s league.

The deferred U-14s fixture with Clanwilliam of Tipperary Town was played in a wet and muddy Ballyrandle on Sunday January 7th. Clanwilliam are one of the oldest clubs in Munster and always offer a stiff challenge.

Dungarvan won the toss and elected to play with the wind. Clanwilliam started best and quickly notched up a penalty when the home side went off-side in the ruck. However the Dungarvan pack began to motor and pinned the visitors on their own line for several minutes. The pressure was rewarded with a powerful pack surge which saw Captain Garvan Dee ground the ball over the line. Cormac Condon converted. Minutes later the lead was extended when Cormac scythed through the Clanwilliam defence and touched down under the posts. Dungar-

van continued to apply the pressure and with literally the last move of the first half Cillian Kiely tapped a free kick and ran in for try number three.

In the second half the conditions worsened and Clanwilliam came back with a period of pressure. This was rewarded with a try in the corner despite the best efforts of Brendan Mc Carthy in pushing the larger Clanwilliam player in to touch just as he grounded. Dungarvan reacted by pushing the visitors back into their own half and kept them there for the remainder of the match. The pack held on to the ball and wave after wave of pick and drive ensued. Jack Mc Grath and Michael O'Donnell were superb in the back row and Michael was rewarded when half of the home team drove him over the line for the concluding score. Final score Dungarvan 22 - Clanwilliam 8.

Overall this was the best display year to date by this improving side. Technically the team and players are rapidly developing but also a great team spirit is building up. Back and forwards are playing as units and the ever increasing number of new players is adding potential all of the time. We now have about 35 players in the squad and our overall player size and age profile is steadily improving.

Dungarvan men of the match, as we decided on their merit as a unit, were the back row of Jack McGrath, Michael O'Donnell and Cillian Kiely who all GOLDEN EGG AWARDS.

Squad on the day — Tadhg Tobin, Darragh Tobin, Garvan Dee, Sonny Morrissey, Eoghan Regan, Dillon O'Connor, Darragh McMahon, Martin Houlihan, Jack Mc Grath, Michael O'Donnell, Cillian Kiely, Steven Donovan, John Murphy, Cormac Condon, Steven O'Connor, Shane O'Brien, Ronan Proctor, John Geoghan, Lawrence Houlihan, Sean Donovan, Colm Fives, Brendan Mc Carthy, Aaron Hall, and Liam Beresford.

Training for all squad mem-

bers on Saturday morning at 1030 and Wednesday evening at 7.00pm under lights at Ballyrandle. All squad members are asked to attend at least one or other of the Saturday/Wednesday training sessions. Next match away Carrick On Suir 14 December. Transport leaving clubhouse at 0915 sharp for a 1030 Kick-off. Plan to be back in Clubhouse for televised Munster - Bourgoin Heineken Cup match at 1245.

MINI-RUGBY TRAINING

Mini rugby Training has recommenced on Saturday mornings at the club at 10.30. All new comers are welcome.

SCHOOLS RUGBY

Second inter schools game of the season Friday Dec 22nd CBS St Augustine's 45-19

With the festive season beginning in earnest for both teams with schools finishing on a half day and with the CBS anxious to overturn a narrow 7-0 defeat in November, Ballyrandle was greeted with Santa hats and anticipation in what promised to be festive fun for all concerned!

Under the astute leadership of Padraig Kennedy, the Christian Brothers pulled off a major transfer coup on deadline day with the crucial signings of Joey Doherty and Mike Daly, both returning to their home grown roots. However, with the pre match warm up seeing both sides focussing thoroughly on the task ahead, 5th year coach David O'Riordan had every right to be confident in his younger counterparts at St Augustine's.

The game started brightly and it was obvious that both sides were content on playing open rugby. The conditions suited the CBS with Liam Sheehan giving his backs excellent service and that crucial extra half a second to open up the Friary back line. Despite some spirited tackling from the impressive Mike Devine and Kevin 'bites yer ankles' Burke, there was to be no stopping Dave 'the bull' McCarthy as he charged over for his first try which was

closely followed by an immense 70 yard effort showing him to have the athletic prowess of 4 wilder beasts and a cheetah with only the Scottish referee able to catch up!

However, the Friary came back into the game with some good forward based momentum. Liam Burke using his Maori sidestep to perfection and David Walsh and Alan Landy providing good support. However, the power of Pa Cuddihy and the haircut of Mike G caught the CBS unawares, allowing G to glide through some weak tackles to score just before the half time whistle and to leave the game delicately poised for the Christmas crowd.

After words of wisdom from David 'Rambo' O'Riordan and Padraig 'watch out Eddie O'Sullivan' Kennedy, the second half began as a tigerish affair with Mark Fitz taking the game to the opposition for the CBS. Despite dogged defence McCarthy again broke through to score after some genius from Doherty at fly half. The game itself was sealed when Houlihan bamboozled the defenders again with his sidestep and, erm, bravery and set the ball in motion to Doherty. The defenders were unable to grad hold of the slippery gazelle ahead of them and after feeding Mike 'the bison' Daly, McCarthy used his 12 metre stride pattern to good effect and killed the game off. Even when the Friary fought back, they found Eamon Flynn in devastating form and just couldn't get back into the game.

Special mention must go to the supporters from the CBS and St Augustine's, Trevor Doherty for refreshments and the referee and two coaches. In a splendid after match speech, man of the match David McCarthy spoke of his pride in his team and is definitely a talent for the future as St Augustine's man of the match Pa Cuddihy explained in his usual boisterous way by saying 'yeah, he's good'. See you in 2007!!

HORSE RACING SNIPPETS

BY MARK PHILLIPS

DETROIT CITY PLANS

The plan for Detroit City is to run in the Agfa UK Hurdle before heading to Cheltenham for the Champion Hurdle. Should the Philip Hobbs trained Detroit City capture the Smurfit Kappa Champion Hurdle then he will earn connections a bonus of £200,000 having previously captured the Boylesport International Hurdle before Xmas.

GOLD CUP ENTRIES

There are 40 entries for this year's Gold Cup. They are headed by the current 11/8 favourite Kauto Star. Surprisingly Beef Or Salmon is among the fourteen entries from Ireland.

TATTERSALLS SPONSORSHIP

Tattersalls Ireland is to sponsor the Grade A Dan Moore Memorial Chase at the Fairyhouse Easter festival meeting. The race worth 70,000 Euro is pencilled in for Tuesday April 10th.

SIR ROBERT OGDEN

70 year old Sir Robert Ogden is without doubt one of the most successful owners in the UK and at a recent Cheltenham race presentation after Exotic Dancer posted back to back victories Sir Robert had a radiant lady by his side and we can reveal that she is 30 year old Cleide De Silva from Brazil. Sir Robert's previous girlfriend was yet another Brazilian beauty by the name of Monica Sander Camillo. Now Sir Robert has a top class filly named Sandor Camilla who is winter favourite for the English 1000 Guineas. Should Sandor Camilla prove successful at Newmarket will Cleide De Silva step up to collect the winner's prize?

THIS WEEK'S FIXTURES

Wednesday — Lingfield, Newbury and Newcastle

Thursday — Thurles 1.15pm, Wolverhampton, Ludlow and Taunton

Friday — Chepstow, Musselburgh, and Wolverhampton

Saturday — Naas 1.15pm

Sunday — Cork 1.45pm, Fairyhouse 1pm.

BLACK JACK KETCHUM

The lightly raced Black Jack Ketchum will have just one more run before heading to Cheltenham to contest the Ladbroke World Hurdle. He is pencilled in to contest the Byrne Brothers Cleeve Hurdle at Cheltenham on January 27th. There exists the strong possibility he could meet Inglis Drever in that January contest.

BREEDERS CUP MEETING EXTENDED

This year's Breeders Cup meeting will be a two-day affair at Monmouth Park on Friday and Saturday October 26th and 27th. There will be eleven races over the two days with three new \$1 million races added to the first day programme.

BAD BREAK FOR RICHARD

Former top class flat rider Richard Quinn broke his leg last week when schooling horses for top jump trainer Nicky Henderson.

BREATHING FIRE KILLED

Trainer Jessica Harrington lost a useful sort at Leopardstown last Sunday when her

Breathing Fire broke his neck in a first hurdle fall in the featured Pierse Hurdle.

CLAIM REDUCED

Jockey Eddie Power had his claim reduced to five pounds after partnering Convincing to victory for trainer John Murphy at Punchestown last Saturday.

ROUGH DIAMOND

RTE's new racing drama Rough Diamond starts on Friday January 26th at 7pm. Its described as a six-part TV drama about the world of horse racing.

CHAMPION CHASE SPONSORSHIP

Seasons Holidays were unveiled last week as the first ever sponsors of the Queen Mother Champion Chase at the National Hunt festival in March.

HALLO DANDY

Hallo Dandy the winner of the 1984 English Grand National was put to sleep last week at the ripe old age of 33.

TRAMORE RIDER INJURED

Tramore rider Gary Hutchinson was in the wars at Leopardstown and after a heavy fall left the course with a suspected fractured collarbone.

LISTED HURDLE AT CLONMEL

Clonmel stage a 40,000 Euro listed hurdle contest on Thursday February 8th. This event is sponsored by Peugeot.

JUSTIFIED UPDATE

Trainer Eamon Sheehy reports justified in great form having recovered from a neck injury sustained last November.

THIS SPRING WAS ON QUE

The Pierse Hurdle saw young County Kerry born rider Philip Enright record his biggest ever win at Leopardstown last Sunday guiding the 16/1 outsider Spring The Que to a well-deserved victory. The winner is trained near Kinsale by Robert Tyner who is no stranger to big race success at the Foxrock venue.

On the same card Timmy Murphy brought the Pat Hughes trained Point Barrow with a well timed challenge to get the better of A New Story in the Leopardstown Chase. This a sound weight carrying performance by the winner and he will now be aimed at the Aintree Grant National in April.

RACING DEMON FINE

Trainer Henrietta Knight reports Racing Demon to be in good shape despite the fact that the gelding took a heavy fall over hurdles at Kempton Park last Saturday.

POINT-TO-POINT FIXTURES

SUNDAY JANUARY 21ST

Scarteen Foxhounds, Killeacle, County Tipperary 12.30pm

Killeagh Harriers, Knockane, Killeagh, County Cork, 12.30pm

Park Hotel Sports Secret Revealed This Saturday

The 20th January is by law the inauguration day of a new President of the United States, but this happens also to be a red letter day in the Déise, when the name of the sixteenth Park Hotel Supreme Sports Star will be inscribed in the Roll of Honour as the chosen one of the Blue Riband of Waterford's collective sports.



That most enduring of sporting institutions in County Waterford and the longestraining Sports Awards in the County or City will, for the sixteenth time, take place this coming Saturday night when the cream of Waterford sports performers, together with their families, supporters and sporting enthusiasts in general, will gather in The Park Hotel to celebrate all that is good in Waterford sport.

Guest presenter will be RTE's Des Cahill making a welcome return to the Park Awards. He has an encyclopaedic knowledge of sport, not only of this country but also on the worldwide stage and has covered many of the major international sporting occasions. His daily half-hour on RTE's Drivetime programme commands a big following including those less committed to sport who pause to listen when they might otherwise seek a different channel.

As he says himself, he has interviewed the best in the world from Michel Platini to Nick Faldo and Ronnie Delaney to Arnold Palmer. He has unblinkingly faced the most controversial including Ger Loughnane, John Delaney, Brian Kerr and Eamon Dunphy and has not lost sight of the less publicised, but equally skilful surfers, womens rugby players and Irish sumo wrestlers. Des can handle them all capably and extract answers where others might meet silence. Speaking earlier this week, he said he is eagerly looking forward to a return to the Park Hotel which he greatly enjoyed and which impressed him immensely on his previous visits. And what an array of talent will be on show, as good as any of the previous assemblies and indicative of just how strong sport is in this county across a multitude of disciplines.

This Sports Awards Scheme is as fresh as the day Pierce Flynn, genial proprietor of the Park Hotel, himself an avid sports fan, dreamed up the idea in the autumn of 2001 and what a roll of honour he has proudly displayed in the corridor of his newly refurbished and extended Park Hotel.

Hollywood's Kodak Theatre might have its Oscars walk of fame, but anyone who walks down the lengthy corridor of the Park Hotel can see a multitude of talent and an array of sports in the 192 monthly photographs, all of whom have graced the glittering January occasion over the last sixteen years. From Seán Kelly, the natural and inevitable choice in the inaugural year to a young but very mature golfer, Seamus Power honoured during 2005,

each has garnered the ultimate accolade against stiff opposition in a decision which Solomon might have found difficult.

Looking at the list of monthly winners from 2006, one could only be struck by the young age of some of the twelve. There is adequate precedent for this as Waterford seems to have a continuous flow of rising young stars in a variety of sports, who will keep the Déise flag flying at home and abroad for many years to come.

Soccer gets two bites at the cherry with the inimitable John O'Shea from Man United and his Premiership partner Stephen Hunt who managed to get the Man of the Match Award for his Reading club against Charlton in a great run of appearances.

Hurling takes two more slots occupied by 'Dan the Man' Shanahan sporting another GAA All-Star along with Michael 'Brick' Walsh, an equally well known, liked and respected name in hurling and football households. Peter Moloney and Anthony Condon are equally well known in Show-Jumping circles, the former getting his nod courtesy of a great showing in the Nations Cup and also as top young rider at the RDS. Anthony distinguished himself in high-grade company in Birmingham when he finished runner-up in the World Foxhunter Championships.

Old hands at the Park Hotel, Jockeys David Casey and Tom Queally make a welcome return, David capturing the January place with nine winners and Tom crossing the line in first place eleven times in June.

Ciara Grant in Ladies Soccer brings a new dimension to the Awards and Mairead Deevy in Athletics in September renewed interest in a well represented sport over the years. Maurice O'Gorman gets a Gaelic Football nomination courtesy of his Munster Club Semi-Final performance while the youthful Ciarán Power, who might almost be regarded as a grand old man of the Park Awards, so often has his cycling prowess brought him there, qualified in May courtesy of two stage wins and the King of the Mountains Title in the FBD Rás Tour of Ireland.

It promises to be a gala, sparkling evening, night and morning and if the public do not know at this stage that it is THE social event in sport in Waterford, then they have been space travelling for sixteen years.

Dancing afterwards will be to another bunch of Waterford stars, this time the musical variety as represented by Brass & Co who will play their own distinctive brand of music to keep the party going and the dance floor full until the wee small hours.

CUMANN CAMÓGAÍOCHTA NA RINNE

Comhghairdeachas — Comhghairdeachas ó chroí le Libby McGinn Murphy agus a fear céile John, gur rugadh mac dóibh le déanaí. Táimid ag súil go mbeidh Libby thar n-ais ag imirt linn go luath.

Réalt Inár Measc — Comhghairdeachas chomh maith le Mary O'Donnell, sár imroir peile agus camógaíochta a sháraigh gradam "All Star" Peil na mBan 2006 TG4. Is cinnte go mbeidh alán trácht ar an gcaillín seo sa toidcheaf.

Lá Oscailte — Mar is eol daoibh is ag dul i dreise atá an cumann camógaíochta ach bíonn fáilte i gcónaí roimh imreoirí nua. Beidh baill de gcumann ag tabhairt cuairt ar mheáscóileanna sa cheanntar go luath. Tabharfar cuireadh d'aoine gur mhaith leo imirt teacht chuig Lá Oscailte i Halla an Phobail sa Rinn, ar an 17/2/07. Bígí ag faire na nótaí seo. Beidh eolas breise le fáil sna seachtainí atá romhainn.

Open Day — Most of you will probably be aware of the fact that Cumann Camógaíochta na Rinne is going from strength to strength. However, new members and players are always welcome. In the coming weeks, secondary schools in your area will receive a visit by present players. Girls who are interested in becoming members will be invited to an Open Day in Halla an Phobail, An Rinn on Saturday, 17/02/07. Watch these notes for further information. Ní nearg go cur le chéile.

Cruinniú Baili An Chumainn — Tionólfar cruinniú ar an 27/1/07 i Halla an Phobail ag 7:30pm. Is cruinniú é seo do imreoirí an chlub agus ba mhór linn slua mór a bheith lathair ar an oíche.

Players Meeting — A players meeting will be held in Halla an Phobail, An Rinn on Saturday, 27/1/07 at 7:30pm. All players are asked to attend. We look forward to another successful year!

Heineken Cup On Tour At Dungarvan R.F.C.

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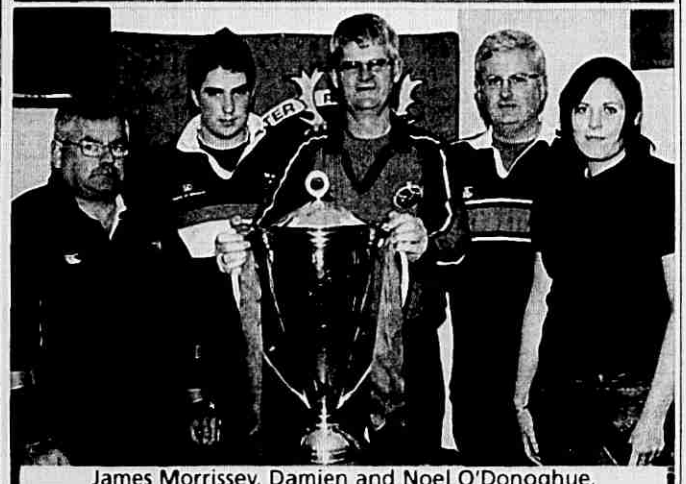
Brian, Pat and Adam Keane



Jonathan Shaw and Ger Wyley



Alex and Sue Browne



James Morrissey, Damien and Noel O'Donoghue, James and Niamh O'Donoghue



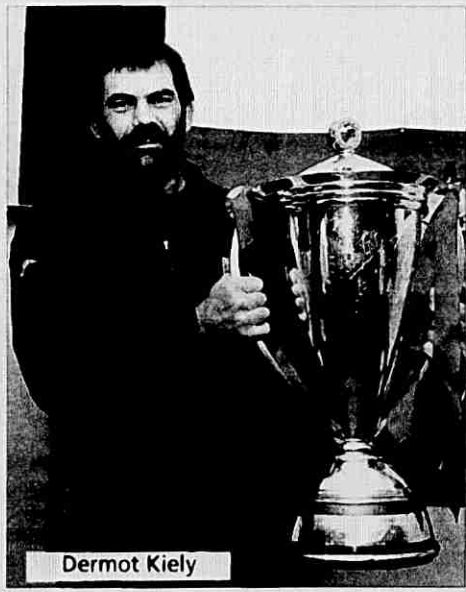
Front (l. to r.) Trevor Doherty, Chairman D.R.F.C., Declan Kidney, Munster Coach, Mick O'Driscoll, Dan McGrath, Anthony Horgan and Eamonn Spratt, President D.R.F.C. At back Johnny Lynch and Kieran O'Connor.



Declan Kidney and young Munster fans



Colin and Callum Bulfin



Dermot Kiely



Declan Kidney, Stephanie O'Connor, Johnny Lynch, Dan McGrath and Kieran O'Connor



Kate Veale



Anthony Daly



Una Power and Declan Kidney



Ray and James Harty

Modeligo GAA Club

CLUB COMMITTEE

At our recent AGM, the club's committee underwent a few changes, so to speak. Firstly the majority of the outgoing committee were installed for another term, but were joined by four newly elected members, namely J. P. Ryan, Brian McCarthy, Tom Kiely and Jessie Power. Our election of club officers also saw Fr. Gerald O'Connor nominated along with Fr. Kiely as a Vice-President of the club.

However, probably the most significant of the changes on the night was the changing of the guard in our secretarial position which saw John Fitzgerald, Mogeha, step down after ten years in the role. John's dedicated commitment to the duties involved was simply outstanding. Having expressed his wish to step aside last year, we had a job to coax him into staying for one final term and despite the fact that it was the final twelve months in his role, John continued on in the same efficiency as always. His diligence, commitment and efficiency was a fantastic asset to us on the committee and throughout the club. To our great relief, John agreed to accept a committee position for 2007, having been proposed almost instantly when he stepped down as secretary. Everyone present agreed that the dedication and experience he brings to our club should not be lost and thankfully, he gladly accepted our request to remain on.

This of course meant a new man had the onerous task of taking John's former position, and this has fallen to J. P. Ryan, who will no doubt bring his own style and ideas to the task in hand. Indeed, all in the club wish J. P. the very best in this new role, as did the outgoing secretary at our AGM and so, with the core of our club now in place, here's hoping for a successful season ahead!

PAINTBALL TRIP

On Friday, December 29th we had a fantastic day out when a group from the club settled some old scores and created some new ones with each other over the Elite Paintball course up on the Blackhill, Modeligo, before travelling for a meal and then back to Deckie's to end the night. A mighty day was had by all, even if some went home feeling a bit battered after the day. Our thanks to the staff of Elite Paintball for making the day most enjoyable and Willie Bumster for the days transport.

DEPARTURES AND ARRIVALS

The sporting year 2007 will see changes on the field of play for us also as we say farewell to some and welcome others back amongst our ranks. Firstly, we welcome home Adam Bending, who arrived back from his stay in Australia over the Christmas season. Hopefully, it's not just a flying visit, and will see you back in the green and white when training starts Adam!

But sadly, two of last year's panel have gone to pastures new, namely Fr. Ned Hassett who was with us for two seasons while stationed in the parish of Modeligo and Affane. In his first year, though we weren't too successful. Ned made his mark and firmly established himself as a valued

member of the squad by contributing a goal in each of our five hurling championship games. In September of last year, the Diocese called for Ned to move to Portlaw, yet he continued with us in our preparation for a shot at the Western hurling title, which proved unsuccessful and was Ned's last game with the club. Fr. Ned made a lot of friends in an all too short stay in Modeligo. We hope he'll return and we wish him all the very best with his new parish and his new club.

Also on the move is one of the most dedicated players our club has ever had, Paudie Denn. Paudie's Modeligo career would have started around 1994 when he would have been aged 14 or 15 and he established himself pretty quickly as a great asset to the club. Since then, Paudie has matured into a highly talented hurler and footballer and wore our jersey with great pride, never giving an inch, especially when he lined out in the half-back line on the football team. But it was at right wing-forward he had possibly his finest hour as a member of our county title winning team in junior football against St. Molleran's in 1996.

Sadly for us, work commitments have finally taken their toll, as Paudie has spent the last few years based in Cork in the nursing profession. It's a hard enough job to get motivated to go training sometimes, but he never could be accused of this, making the trip to Modeligo whenever possible, often following being on shift in the hospital that same day. And many of us who have played alongside Paudie in the past few years have him to thank for patching us up or stopping a bleed, as he always was first on hand following a serious knock during a game. One such incident occurred last June during a hurling challenge against Newcastle. Having missed a few training sessions, due to work, Paudie came on as a sub in the second half. Only on the field for five minutes, a clash of heads occurred which resulted in a Newcastle player receiving a head wound, and straight away, Paudie came over, and left the game to take care of the injury. The game resumed without him, and as he said himself, he drove down from Cork for five minutes of a match, but true to form, he didn't mind one bit!

Our loss is definitely another club's gain, and the club as a whole will definitely be weakened by the loss of these men. Commitment and dedication are just two qualities both of these men have in abundance and they will without doubt carry on in the same manner in their new clubs. From all associated with Modeligo GAA Club, we say best wishes lads and thanks for being a wearer of the Green and White.

CONGRATULATIONS

Belated best wishes go to two couples who announced their engagements over the Christmas season. Congratulations to Colette Ryan, Vicarstown, Modeligo and James Manahan, Tourin and also to club hurler and footballer, Jessie Power, Graigiemore, Modeligo and Patricia Walsh, Aglish, all of whom took the first step to-

wards wedded life. Congratulations from all in Modeligo GAA to you all.

DRAW FOR WEEKEND AWAY

The committee are currently organising details of a fundraising draw for a weekend hotel break. It is hoped that tickets will be available later this week, with the draw to take place in mid-February. More details next week.

PLAYERS MEETING

A meeting of all our players, both hurling and football, has been called for Friday night, February 23rd in Modeligo Community Centre. All players will be notified, but watch in these notes for details in the coming weeks.

COMMITTEE MEETING

Our next committee meeting is on Friday, Feb. 9th at 9 pm in Modeligo Community Centre.

Shamrock's GAA Club Notes

AGM

Our AGM took place on Friday night, Jan. 5th at the Shamrock's Inn. Knockanore and was well attended. Prior to the meeting Mass was celebrated by Very Rev. Fr. Keogh P.P. at Kilwatermoy Church for living and deceased members. At the meeting the balance sheet was presented by John Baldwin, Hon. Treas. and it showed the club to be sound financially and tributes were paid to John. The secretary's report was presented by Grainne Flynn. Assistant Secretary in the absence of Ann O'Keeffe who was ill and was also well received. Outgoing Chairman James Tobin addressed the meeting after which election of officers took place and resulted in the following; Hon President; Very Rev. Fr. Keogh P.P. Hon Vice Presidents; Michael Tobin, Frank Corcoran, Bidy Morrison, Jim Nicholson, Tom Roche, Billy O'Keeffe, John O'Callaghan, Dick Foley, Sean Leahy, Jim Murphy, Billy Griffin, Edmond Murphy, Terry Morrisson, Batty McGrath, Chairman; James Tobin MCC, Vice Chairman Liam Aherne, Secretary; Ann O'Keeffe. Asst. Secretary; Grainne Flynn. Treasurer; John Baldwin. Membership Officer; Dan Casey. PRO/Registrar; Declan Aherne. First Aid Liam Casey. Insurance Officer; Ollie Farrell. Committee; Niamh Murphy, Flor Harnedy, Michael O'Neill, Frank Roche, Kitty O'Callaghan, Mary Tobin, John Murphy, Michael Leahy, Eamonn Lonergan, Joe Geary, Joe O'Neill, Kevin Crawford, Liam Aherne, Noel Tobin, Gerard McGrath, Liam Dalton, Kevin Moloney, Kieran Aherne, Ollie O'Farrell, Martin O'Keeffe, Jim Nicholson, Michael Geary, Larry McGrath, Rose Casey, Edmond Murphy, Tom O'Donovan, William Moloney, Frank Corcoran, John O'Callaghan, Joe Aherne. Selectors for 2007; hurling; Michael Leahy, Tom O'Donovan, Noel Tobin, Flor Harnedy. Football; Liam Dalton, Dan Casey, Noel Tobin, John O'Callaghan.

CLUB LOTTO

On Monday night, January 8th at the Shamrock's Inn, Knockanore the numbers drawn were 2-4-7-15. There was no jackpot winner. 20 euro consolation prizewinners were Michael Tobin, Middleton; John McCarthy, c/o Mary Tobin; Margaret Geary, Moorehill; Michael Collins, Half Way; Mary Rose Neville, Kilcockan.

On last Saturday night the numbers drawn were 4-7-18-19 and the jackpot of 6875 euro was not won. Consolation prizes of 20 euro were won by Michael Greenslade, Killenagh, Colm O'Keeffe, Kilwinny; Billy Griffin, Propogue; Martin Byrne, Scart; Marion Curran, Galway.

On next Saturday night the jackpot will be 7,000 euro and tickets at 1.50 euro each can be had from the usual promoters.

FOURMILEWATER/ NIRE G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

UNDER 8 AND U10

The U8's and U10's got together after the Christmas break for a great nights training. The training was divided into a half an hour of hurling and half an hour of football. There were around thirty children there and we can only hope that the number increases. We would also like to thank all the parents and coaches who generously give up their time to be there. Training continues every Tuesday night.

CARDS

The winners of the cards which were held on Friday night last, with 10 games are as follows: 1st: Oliver O'Hara and James Gough; 2nd: Catherine Whelan and Helen Ryan.

The winners of the lucky table were as follows: Mary Walsh, Maurice Condon, Joan Tobin and Kathleen Corbett. The cards continue every Friday night.

HURLING LOTTO

The numbers were 8-14-19. There was no overall winner. The winners of the E30 were John Kiely, Ballingullean; Thomas Guiry, Knocktralane; Tony, Thomas and John, Doocey's; Roisin McCarthy, Nire Road. Next weeks prize money will be E1,200. Also congrats to Mary Ryan who won E3,000 in the Nire lotto on 7th January. Mary is a great supporter of both clubs and seldom misses a game. Congrats Mary.

ON MINOR PANEL

Well done to the following players who have started training with the Waterford Minor football panel: Craig Guiry, Graham Guiry, James McGrath, Thomas Walsh and John Paul Fitzgerald. All five players have showed up well in training. Mickey Joe Ryan is the manager for this year. Also congrats to Richard Fenton, Paul Horkin and Shane Lawlor who are on the hurling panel.

W.I.T. TEAM

Liam Lawlor and Maurice O'Gorman were on the W.I.T. team who lost to U.C.C. in Fraher Field in the McGrath Cup quarter final on Sunday last.

A.G.M.

The Nire Football club will hold its A.G.M. in the Nire Hall on Friday night next. Mass will be celebrated in the Nire Church at 8pm and the A.G.M. will take place immediately afterwards.

CLG na RINNE

TORTHÁI LOTTO

Dé Luain 08/01/2007: Bhí pota óir de €1,300 ann agus bhí se ar siúl i dtigh Uí Mhaonaigh. Ní raibh aon bhuaiteoir ann. Na huimhreacha a tarraingíodh ná 1, 4, 10, 13.

Bhuaigh na daoine seo a leanas €20: Rebecca Young f/ch Spar; Con f/ch Sean Ó Cuirrin; Richard Haynes f/ch Tigh an Cheoil; Eoin O Murchadha f/ch Noel; Sean Mac Craith f/ch Tigh and Cheoil

DÉ LUAIN 15/01/2007

Bhí pota óir de €1,450 ann agus bhí se ar siúl i dTigh an Cheoil. Ní raibh aon bhuaiteoir ann. Ba iad 4, 14, 20, 22 na huimhreacha a tarraingíodh. Beidh an chéad Lotto eile ar siúl Dé Luain, 22/01/2007 i Tigh Mhuirthe agus beidh pota óir 1,600 ar fáil.

Bhuaigh na daoine seo a leanas €20 an duine: Caoimhe Ni Chuirrin f/ch Shane; Alison Condon f/ch Angela; Paddy & Eleanor f/ch Paddy; Michael O'Cuirrin f/ch Clíodhna; Carmel McDermott f/ch Angela

CÚRSA TRAENÁLA

Tá an club ag eagrú cúrsa oiliúna (Foundation Training Course). Beidh an cúrsa ar siúl ar an Déardaoin 25 Eanáir, 1 Feabhra agus 8 Feabhra ó 7 go 9.30 PM in Halla Pobail na Rinne. Má tá suim agat é a dhéanamh, teir i dteagmháil le Paddy Ó Catháin ar 087 - 7454612. Fáilte roimh imreoirí, iar-imreoirí nó éinne eile.

COMHBHRÓN

Ba mhaith leis an gclub comhbhrón a dhéanamh le muintir Uí Mhurchadha ar bhás Angie Ní Mhurchadha le déanaí. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a hanam



CUMANN NA mBUNSCOL ANNUAL AWARDS. Picture shows from left Bridget O'Donoghue, marketing manager, Gaelic Telecom and Breda Cleary from Cumann na mBunscol, Waterford who was 2nd place winner in the best football promotion at the Cuman na mBunscol annual awards 2006 sponsored by Gaelic Telecom. —(Photo: Maxwells)

Brickey Rangers GAA Club Notes

AGM

Our Annual General Meeting was held in the club pavilion Bushy Park on Saturday night last, 13th January. The Chairman of the club opened the meeting with a minutes silence for the deceased members of the club who passed away in 2006.

The Minutes of the 2006 AGM were read by Secretary Kay O'Connell. Brian Hilliard gave the Chairman's address. He said that 2006 had been one of the best years for the club ever with three county titles, Intermediate Football, U-21 Football and Minor Hurling and 2 county titles in Scor in the set and figure dancing and a county title in ladies football, and also county titles at juvenile level. We are back in senior ranks. It's been 20 years since we played senior football. Brian also mentioned that it was surprising how our club didn't get club of the year? He said that it was down to the work done at underage level over the past twenty years that we are now playing senior football and intermediate hurling.

He thanked everyone who looked after the grounds during the year and wished Noel Cotter, Club groundman a speedy recovery from a recent illness.

He spoke about the school coaches in Glenbeg and Carriglea National Schools who coach the children in hurling and football. He also men-

tioned in his address the grants we received in 2006 for work on the clubhouse which were the highest in the county. He thanked his fellow officers and a dedicated committee for all their hard work throughout the year.

Next came the Secretary's report, Kay O'Connell spoke about the success of the club in 2006. She said we had played 47 competitive matches in 2006 between league and championship. She spoke about the success at underage level and our success in scor competitions. She said we played our first championship match on St. Patrick's Day last year and our last one on Christmas Eve when we won the County Intermediate Football title.

She thanked all who participated in the weekly lotto also the pubs where the weekly draws are held. She also thanked the promoters, co-ordinator and members who purchase Deise Draw tickets. She thanked everyone who made our annual family day a success and also those who made our annual fundraisers, the Golf Classic and Christmas raffle a success. She thanked those who helped out in getting the grants for work that needed to be done in the coming year, to the catering staff and the delegates to the county board. Kay told us that our annual victory social will be held on March 10th at the Park Hotel.

The Treasurer Conor Blackwell gave us a detailed account of Income and Expenditure in the club in 2006. Angela Whelan juvenile Secretary gave us an account of underage activities. She said it was a successful year at underage level with lots of matches and tournaments. With wins at U-8, U-11, U-12 levels. She said that the presentation night on January 12th was a success, she also wished the adult club success at senior level. She said there was a lot of work throughout the year and she thanked everyone involved.

Jacinta Gee gave a report on Scor and spoke about the success of our participation in the Scor competition with over 60 children from our club involved. She spoke about the Munster title won in Fleadh Ceoil in 2006 and also the two county titles in Scor na nOg. Helen Nugent gave a report on the ladies football. She thanked everyone involved. Treas. H. Cummins gave reports on tennis and basketball in the club.

In any other business the club officers spoke about how in 2007 we were planning to enter in camogie competition.

Brian Hilliard spoke about future developments in the club in 2007.

Election of Officers; Patrons Fr. Griffen, Fr. M. J. Ryan. President; Pat Foley. Vice Presidents; Patsy Donnelly, Richard Whelan, John Joe Sheehan. Trustees; Patsy Donnelly, Pat Curran, Stephen Curran. Hon. Life President; Mairead McGrath. Chairman; Brian Hilliard. Vice Chairman; Anthony Murphy. Secretary; Kay O'Connell. Ass. Secretary;

Mark Nugent. Treasurer; Denis Herlihy. Ass. Treasurer; Brian Hilliard. PRO; Nollaig Halpin. Membership officers; Treas Cummins, Brian Hilliard, Jim McGrath. Deise draw Coordinator; Kay Barry. Registrar; Jim McGrath. Executive committee; (all above officers), also Conor Blackwell, Una Cotter, Jacinta Gee, Joe Keane, Michael Keohan, Tommy Lynch, John McCarthy, Pat Nugent, Eddie O'Grady, Angela Whelan, Breege Whelan, Andrew Murphy, Christine McCarthy, William Whelan.

Managers for adult teams; Senior Football; Jim McGrath. Intermediate Hurling; Pat Nugent. Junior Football; Shane McGrath. Junior Hurling; Pat Nugent. U-21 Football; Conor Fitzgerald. U-21 Hurling; Darren Cooney. Minor Hurling; Tommy Lynch.

That concluded business at the 2007 AGM.

BRICKEY MINI LOTTO

The lotto draw was held in Bridie Dee's Bar on Thursday, 11th January. Numbers drawn were 14-20-30. There was no jackpot winner; 25 euro winners; Orla Forde, Nigel Whelan, P. J. Queally, Martin Whelan. This weeks draw will take place in the Tudor House Bar and the jackpot will be 2,450 euro. Tickets only 2 euro each available from any promoter.

SYMPATHY

The club wishes to extend sympathy to Bill and the Cotter family, Dromore on the death of Mary Cotter which occurred recently. May she rest in peace.

CLUB MERCHANDISE

Anyone interested in purchasing windsheeters, rain jackets, jersey in club colours and crests can contact Jim McGrath on 086-8039013 or 058-43363.

DVD'S

DVD's are available of the county final v Kill. For details please contact Pat Nugent on 087-2759991 before Sunday 21st January.

COMMITTEE MEETING

Committee meeting will be held on Friday, 19th January at 7.30 pm at the Club Pavilion, Bushy Park. All committee are asked to attend.

BRICKEY JUVENILE

AGM — Our juvenile AGM will be held this Wednesday night, 17th January at 8.30 pm in Bushy Park. It would be nice to see as many parents as possible in attendance and anyone else that wishes to come along is welcome to do so.

Presentation Night — We held our medal Presentation Night last Friday in Bushy Park. Waterford hurler Michael Walsh presented the medals to our winning teams of 2006 and a very enjoyable night was had by all. We would like to thank Michael for all he did on the night. Anyone interested in purchasing a team photo of last Friday night can do so by contacting Kay Barry on 058-43253.

Indoor Hurling — Training continues every Wednesday for U-8's from 5.45 to 6.45 pm and on Friday nights for 8-10 year olds from 7 to 8 pm in the Sports Centre.

Waterford Ladies Football

FUNDAMENTAL COURSE

The clubs that took part in the fundamental course which was held recently were Ardmore, Comeragh Rangers, Abbeyside, Old Parish, St. Pat's and Dungarvan. Twenty three attended the course. The fundamental course aims to achieve ladies football tutors. Another one will be run in a few weeks and any club wishing to take part in the course please contact George Young on 087-4158417 for further details and bookings. Other courses taking place is Code of Ethics for County Officers and Coaches. Dates will be given soon.

CONGRATULATIONS

To our new senior manager Michael Guiry. Michael has taken over senior ladies and has a hard act to follow of his pre-decessor Michael Ryan. The girls are delighted with his style of training and many old and new have returned to the fold. Any clubs who still didn't send in girls please do so as soon as possible.

NEXT COUNTY BOARD MEETING

Will take place on the 22nd January at 8.30 pm in Lawlor's Hotel. All clubs are requested to send in their delegates.

TRAINING

Training for under 12's and under 14's has started on Saturday mornings at 10.45 am. Manager N. Kirwan can be contacted on 087-9705617. Once again clubs are asked to send in players for training. Peter Jordan has commenced with minor training. This is running side by side with senior and junior training and is on in the Friary at 9.45 am Saturday mornings and on the all weather pitch Kilrush at 9 pm on Thursday nights. There is now a great buzz in our new county panels and let's all make an effort to support our new Chairman Tom Cronin.

A minutes silence was held for Mr. Sunny Sullivan of Portlaw and Dr. Eddie McGrath at our executive meeting on the 8th January.

DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

Will take place this Friday night, 19th January at 7.30 pm sharp in Lawlor's Hotel. All clubs should inform county players of this event. It is imperative that we have a good turnout for this course.

ARDMORE & GRANGE LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB

MINOR TEAM

The Under 16 panel and those players involved with the Minors will begin training on Monday, 12th February at 7:30pm at the GAA grounds. All players please contact Michael Cronin (Under 16 manager) and Billy Revins (Under 18 manager) before this date if for any reason unable to attend. It is under discussion at the moment but the league and championship for these two age groups may be starting sooner than originally thought.

UNDER 12'S

Training will resume on Monday, 29th of January at 7:15pm to 8:30pm in Ardmore Hall.

ABBEYSIDE BALLINACOURTY G.A.A. CLUB

MANAGEMENT TEAM

After a meeting at the club committee on Thursday night last the following selection committees were ratified;

Senior Hurling — Bernard Gorman (manager), Padjoe Lannigan, Jim Mahoney, Michael Collins.

Junior Hurling — Tony Mansfield (manager), Neil Moore, Michael Mansfield.

Under 21 Hurling — Bernard Gorman (manager), selectors will be announced in the next few weeks.

Senior Football — Packie Hurney (manager), Tom Whelan, Neil Moore.

Junior Football — Packie Hurney (manager), Tom Whelan, Neil Moore and Matty Kiely.

Under 21 Football — Packie Hurney (manager), selectors will be announced in the next few weeks.

The following juvenile team managers were also appointed recently;

Minor: Frank Sweeney; **Under 16:** Eddie O'Halloran; **Under 14:** Michael Collins. Selectors for these teams, plus the U12, U10 and U8 will be ratified at the next meeting of the juvenile committee.

MEMBERSHIP

We would ask you all to get your membership fee paid as quickly as possible to Jonathan O'Donovan or any committee member. Ordinary member E15, Husband and wife E20, Player E35, Player and wife E40, student E15.

MASS

Our annual Mass for deceased members takes place on Sunday, March 11th at 9:30pm in Abbeyside Church.

CLUB COMMITTEE MEETING

The next meeting of the club committee takes place on January 25th in the Parish Office at 8pm.

SYMPATHY

On behalf of all in the club we would like to extend our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of the late Alan Reginald Doidge. The passing of Regg as he was affectionately known as, saddened all in our club, as Regg had become one of our most loyal and faithful supporters since he came to reside in Friars Walk several years ago. Regg quickly be-

came an avid supporter of Gaelic games and of our club teams in particular, and whether it was a humble juvenile game or a major adult championship game that the club was involved in, Regg was always present to lend his support and he quickly became a great favourite within the club.

The club fittingly provided a guard of honour at his funeral and once again we extend our sympathies to Regg's family and many friends.

We would also like to extend our sympathy to Christy Phelan and all the Phelan family on the untimely death of Christy's grandniece Molly Ann Biederman in England over the Christmas period.

Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh a hanam uasal.

C.L.G An tSean Phobail COMHGAIRDEACHAS

Congratulations to the Wade family on the arrival of two new family members. Geraldine Wade-Power and Maud Curran gave birth to the boys over the Christmas period. Comhgairdeachas.

SHOCK'S LOTTO 14/01/07
This week's numbers: 5, 17, 18, 26. There was no jackpot winner. Winners of €15 — 1) Tommy Cahill; 2) Eilish Power; 3) Peg Curran; 4) Michael Keane; 5) Joe Harney. Next week's jackpot: €2,410.00

STRADBALLY G.A.A. NOTES

Social — Our annual Social goes ahead in the Park Hotel on Saturday, February 17th. Tickets will be on sale next week.

Dancing Classes — Adult dancing classes continue in the Social Centre every Wednesday at 9pm. All are welcome.

Weekend Away — The weekend away in Prague goes ahead on Friday, January 26th. Everyone travelling must have a valid passport.

Adult A.G.M. — Our Club held its adult A.G.M. on Monday night last. Full details next week.

Dungarvan G.A.A. Club Notes

JUVENILE CLUB A.G.M.

The Juvenile Club will hold its Annual General Meeting for 2006 this Friday night at 7.30 p.m. in the Clubhouse. All are welcome.

ADULTS PLAYERS MEETING/ REGISTRATION NIGHT

The Adult Club has arranged a meeting for all its players for Saturday 27th January at 7.00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. The Schedule for training will be outlined and players will hopefully be introduced to team managers/selectors.

The other purpose of this meeting is for registration of players for the playing year 2007. Every player has to register no later than this date and the cost for membership is as follows; Adult Player - €30; Under 16 player - €15; Non Playing Member - €10.

COUNTY DEVELOPMENT SQUADS

A number of our players are involved with county squads over the winter, at minor and U.17 level and we wish them all the best for the coming year.

G.A.A. NOTES

COUNTING THE COST?

A nationwide survey embracing all 32 counties which was carried out over recent weeks shows that the cost of training teams last year amounted to a massive 18,143,967 euro in 2005 or an increase of one and a half million on the previous season. The figures were obviously extracted from the Convention accounts of all counties.

MUNSTER FIGURES

Strange to relate the cost of training teams in Waterford shows that our costs are way below the other five. But this is to an extent misleading as our costs were not complete and did not show the cost of the holiday in New York. At the same time it must be reported that if all our costs were included they would have been seen to be reasonable if we are to take the costs to other counties as a guide.

Cork €1,005,566. (this figure includes €251,000 paid into the Players Fund); €775,875; Tipperary €628,632, Limerick. €608,341. Clare, €810,000 and Waterford €427,218.

The total cost for Munster is shown as €4,657,628 euro.

Surprisingly in the 12 counties of Leinster where a total of €6,001,540 was spent on county teams, All-Ireland champions, Kilkenny were among the lowest spenders at just €432,433 Euro, but this to an extent was accounted for by the exceptionally low cost of football preparation.

Presentation of Games Regulations

As was announced at a Press Conference in Croke Park on Monday of this week, following representations made by representatives of the county team managers countrywide, changes have been made to accommodate more officials on the sideline.

At the December meeting of the Central Council it was decided that team managers would be allowed in the dug out (sideline) but the selectors would have to sit in the stand, etc.

At a specially convened meeting of managers in Mullingar, strong opposition to this decision was voiced and a meeting of all managers with Croke Park officials was called for.

Following lengthy discussions with representatives of the team managers in advance of the proposed meeting it was agreed by Croke Park, subject to approval by Central Council to allow county selectors on the sideline.

Those now allowed on the sideline will be the Team Manager, County Selectors (this may vary from 2 to 4). There shall be a runner who will be one of the selectors and he will be responsible for communicating team management decisions to players during the course of the game. He may only enter the field of play during a stoppage and must exit from the pitch at the nearest point.

The manager may move along the sideline between the two 45m. lines.

The county board must in all cases supply distinctive bibs to the Team Manager, Runner as well as the Team Doctor and Team Physio.

The full management group will now include, Team Manager, Selectors, Hurley Carriers, Water Bottle Carriers and a Liaison Officer (who will obviously be the county secretary). So including team substitutes there may be as many as 26 personnel from each competing county in the dugout/sideline.

At intercounty level from now on a new style team sheet will be used and when being completed by the county secretary before handing to the referee it will contain the names of the county representatives in the sideline/dugout.

REFEREES BANQUET

At the special function in Croke Park on Saturday night last President Nicky Brennan spoke about the improved refereeing standards due in no small measure to the training/coaching and the policy of bringing on new young men for the service. Nicky Brennan promised that no expense will be spared in introducing whatever technology that may be available to help referees who have to make 'on the spot' decisions and do not have the use of 'play back television' to help them on the field of play. He appealed to patrons to be more tolerant and understanding in dealing with referees.

Waterford's Michael Wadding, was one of the referees to be honoured. Also present from Waterford were Referee Co-ordinator, Jim Landers, who has been welcomed back into action following his term in hospital and Referee Assessor Eddie Cunningham. Both had also attended afternoon meetings in Croke Park.

BY "COMMENTATOR"



St. Augustines College who beat CBS Dungarvan in the Post Primaries schools Under 15 "A" Football Final at Fraher Field. —(Sean Byrne Photography).

SENIOR HURLING TOURNAMENT

Waterford Play Limerick IT in Crystal Cup at Fraher Field

This will be the first official outing for the county hurling panel in the new season and it will be regarded as something of a test before we embark on the more serious challenges facing us in the league which commences in three weeks time.

Limerick IT surprisingly defeated the Limerick county team in Kilmallock on Sunday last and they will come here full of confidence seeking another county team's scalp on Sunday. The team representing them in Kilmallock on Sunday last did include a few of the regular Limerick team as universities have first claim on players in these tournaments.

It also included county players from outside the county and one who made a huge impression when scoring a personal total of 1-5 was Galway's Joe Canning and also Clare's Bernard Gaffney, who shot the winners second goal to help defeat the holders of the Crystal Cup.

WATERFORD PANEL

We had been told that it would be announced by last weekend, but this did not happen and we were informed instead that the management will continue to add players until they are happy about having the best selection available.

For the game at Fraher field on Sunday the line out will not include a number of the regulars who are out for a variety of reasons and this will see players on the fringe, on trial and we will be interested in seeing who these players are.

Among those not available are Paul Flynn and Dave Bennett. Both are recovering from hospital treatment. De La Salle's John Mullane will not be available as he is claimed by WIT who have first claim on him since he is a student there at the present time.

The remainder of the regulars will include Waterford's three all stars, Eoin Murphy, Tony Browne and Dan Shanahan, as well as goalkeeper Clinton

Hennessey, Tom Feeney James Murray Denis Coffey, Declan Prendergast, Brian Phelan, Ken McGrath, Eoin Kelly, Seamus Pendergast, Eoin McGrath, Jack Kennedy, etc., and it will be interesting to see how they all fare after the winter break and the New York holiday. There is the chance that some of these named may not be in the first fifteen as the management may see and use this as a chance to try out some new

blood before the commencement of the National League. Here we may be facing a bigger challenge than we expect and I would not feel over confident about winning this, our first match of the new season.

The game is likely to attract a fair big crowd to the venue and it will be great to have the team back in action again. Those attending should note that the starting time is 2 p.m.

FOOTBALL CHALLENGE

Waterford Footballers Defeat Carlow at Bonmahon

This challenge was organised to provide both counties with the chance to have a full scale rehearsal before playing in the first round of the Allianz National League on Sunday February 4th.

Both the counties were without their university players but otherwise were at near enough full strength.

Waterford selectors were very pleased with the side's performance which showed a big improvement on their display against U.C.C. on the previous week.

Carlow would be rated a grade above Waterford judging by their record in the league and Leinster championship. The feeling now is that if the best footballers in the county throw their weight behind the

management by making themselves available and if clubs give their support also, Water-

ford can be expected to make an impression in the league this year.

Easy McGrath Cup Win for UCC

Senior Football - U.C.C. 5-9 W.I.T. 0-7

This was a quarter final of the McGrath Cup which was played at Fraher field on Sunday afternoon.

The interest in the game was reflected in the very poor attendance which numbered less than 100 patrons.

As the final score suggests the game was something of an uneven contest and was 'killed' off after goals in the 20th and 22nd minutes for the Cork team.

With an 11 points advantage at halftime, the winners were no longer under serious threat.

W.I.T. did show improvement in the second half but with their attack being well contained by the strong U.C.C. defence there was never much hope of catching up. The above winners defeated Waterford senior footballers by 2 points in extra time in the same tournament on the previous Sunday.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

WESTERN BOARD MEETING

It is the affiliations meeting and the first of the new year. Way back in the past this was known as the Fair Day meeting and as far as I can recall it was the late Jamie Moloney, the then chairman, who named it so. The reason being its comparison with the trading which went on during the old fair days on the streets of towns around the country. The transfer-market where players were enticed away from clubs and asked to sign on the dotted line in return for favours of a certain kind. This 'wheeling and dealing' was done at the start of the meeting which usually got under way very much later than the scheduled starting time.

Now the transfer market has become more civilised and with the introduction of the system being introduced this year the whole process is more smooth moving and no bargaining is done.

The meeting on tomorrow night in Lawlors Hotel will deal only with affiliations and regradings, etc. As the divisional disciplinary committee is now redundant, this body will no longer be elected. A date for the next meeting at which the championship draws will take place, will be announced at the meeting.

NEW RULE BOOKS

The new editions of the Official Guide will be available clubs within the next week or so. With so many changes in the disciplinary rules taking place, it is important that all units are equipped with a copy.

On tomorrow, Thursday night, when clubs attend the Western Board meeting to submit their affiliations they will be asked to pay an additional 20 euro in exchange for the new official guides.



Dungarvan CBS who were beaten by St. Augustines College in the Post Primaries Schools Under 15 A Football Final at Fraher Field. —(Sean Byrne Photography).

TRANSFERS

The special Transfer Committee met on Monday night of this week to process all the submitted transfer applications and these will now be submitted to County Board on Monday January 29 for approval.

While no information has eked out about personalities, it was widely rumoured in the last week that a number of players were transferring from weaker clubs to a couple of strong clubs in east Waterford and there appears to have been substance in the rumour that All-Star hurler Eoin Kelly was transferring from Mount Sion to Passage intermediate club in hurling.

THE BIG DEBATE

This is what county board delegates are expecting on Monday night next when they assemble for the special session of the Board to discuss the format for the 2007 senior championships.

There seems to be a mood for change from the present format and according to a published article in a county paper the Management Committee of the County Board are going to recommend a system of two sections of six teams and played on a league basis with the top team in each section going to the semi final and 2nd and 3rd going to the quarter finals.

This would involve an overall programme of 35 games in each code.

I know of two other systems that will be proposed and one of these recommend that the championships be run in three groups of 4 and this proposal also has merit.

I have been told also that a number of clubs will go for the present system. Whatever is eventually decided it is reasonably certain that both senior hurling and football will be run on the same system.

ANNUAL AWARDS NIGHT

The County Communications Committee have announced that Saturday night, March 10th is the date for the presentation of the 2006 annual awards.

Consultation with the winners and their availability was a factor in deciding on the night for the event. This is why the week night is changed from Friday to Saturday.

TOURNAMENTS

I have no wish to intrude on the splendid weekly presentation of the County Board na nOg P.R.O. but he won't mind me doing so here to emphasise again the stern warning issued by Board na nOg chairman Eddie O'Shea to all clubs concerning the playing of unapproved tournaments.

He told his committee last week that not alone are they illegal but they are not covered by insurance if permission to run them is not applied for and approved. He said that the club notes in the county papers tell of such unlicensed tournaments being run all over the county.

NELLIE GALVIN R.I.P.

Nellie Galvin (nee Power) was closely associated with Gaelic games since her childhood and in her early years in Dungarvan she was an accomplished camogie player. Her early association with the games brought her into contact with the late Billy Galvin, whom she later married.

Billy who hurled with Clonea was one of the leading lights on the successful 1948 senior hurling team which brought us our first senior title. Also Nellie was mother of well known John Galvin who hurled with Portlaw, Waterford and Munster and won himself an All Star. Also she was sister of well known county and Kilrossanty footballer Jimineen Power. She was deeply involved with the Portlaw club for a long number of years and was, as expected given a traditional G.A.A. farewell.

May she rest in peace.



Chairperson Western Primary schools board, Ann Marie O'Gorman presents the Div. C Cup to An Rinn's captain, Rachel Sideachi. —(Sean Byrne Photography).



Knockanore, beaten by An Rinn in the Div. C Final of the Western Primary Schools Girls football competition. —(Sean Byrne Photography).

GAELIC GAMES COACHING CORNER

Schools Coaching

Primary Schools coaching has started again with a change from Gaelic Football to Hurling Coaching. Schools have the timetable for visits and are asked to be ready for visits on the given days. Children are asked to bring in hurleys and helmets on the dates.

PP Blitz 2nd Yr Hurling

The next Eastern Post Primary Blitz will take place on Friday 19th January. It is a 2nd year blitz in Hurling. Fixtures have been sent to schools and they are asked to be at venues at 10.30am for 11am start

Summer Camps

Clubs have been sent notice on VHI Cul Camps 07. All forms with dates for camps and coordinators names must be returned to Eoin Breathnach by Thursday 18th Jan to ensure clubs receive their preferred dates.

Level 1 Coaching Course

A Level 1 course in East Waterford will start on Mon 29th January. All clubs are asked to have numbers in by Fri January 19th so venues and dates can be confirmed. Please contact any of the GPO's of Coach Ed Tutors asap.

Indoor Leagues

The indoor leagues will start in mid February in each division. GPO's will be contacting clubs in the coming week to get number of teams in each age group and with dates. Clubs are asked to have teams entered by Fri January 26th.

County Scor Na nOg Finals



Brickeys B Set Dancers winners in the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



Photos by Sean Byrne Photography

Naomh Brid Ballad Group of Marie Shine, Gina Gleeson, Emma Gleeson and Clodagh Murphy, winners at the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



St. Pats Set Dancers who competed in the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



Brickeys C Set Dancers who competed in the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



Stradbally Figure Dancers who competed in the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



Modeligo Set Dancers who competed in the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



Meileray Set Dancers who competed in the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



Nicole and Ross Lonergan, Naomh Brid, winners of the Instrumental Music at the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



Stradbally team of Nicola Fennell, Gillian Aherne and Eileen O'Brien, winners in the Table Quiz at the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



Modeligo Figure Dancers who competed in the Scor Na nOg County Finals in Modeligo Community Centre.



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Stradbally Soccer Notes

LOTTO JACKPOT WON

The latest draw took place in the Cove Bar and the numbers called were 4-7-11-15 and we had a winner of the jackpot of 5,800 euro, Sheila Wall of Graigue, Stradbally. Congrats to Sheila. 25 euro went to Maryanne Connors, Helen Carey, Michael Buck and Mark Kett who sold the winning jackpot winner. The most common numbers that ticket buyers pick are 3, 7, 11 or 4, 7, 11 with a higher fourth number and this generated a lot of near misses on the night which led to the likelihood that the jackpot might be shared but when all tickets were checked, Sheila was our sole winner. Back to 1000 euro jackpot at our next draw in a fortnight in the Bally Inn, please support. It's so important for our community to complete the development and enough funds will certainly achieve that.

ANOTHER DRAW

After a break of over eight weeks due to weather and match postponements, we finally got back in action on Sunday morning last when we played away to De La Salle of Waterford and after a very hard fought game, we came away with a point which on the balance of play was a fair result but we needed all three points to keep our promotion run on course. On a very heavy pitch we found it hard to get any passing movements together and conditions suited the more physical home team. We went a goal down after fifteen minutes when we should have cleared but the ball fell kindly to the centre forward who shot home from close range. We went in at half time 2-1 up with Franny Carroll turning just outside the area and sent a perfect shot to the bottom corner with the entire home defence caught flat footed. Paddy Kiely scored his first of the season when Stuart Fee headd down a cross and Paddy shot first time to the net. We should have added to our score as we squandered another two clear cut chances. Centre half Alan Darcy had to go off midway through the half as did Shane Lannon at half time with injuries. Ten minutes into the half we failed to clear the corner and gave away another easy goal. In fairness, had a few of our players brought their shooting boots with them we could have added a few more scores and in the end had to call on our keeper Tommy McGrath to keep our two good goal attempts by the home team. So we started the new year as we finished the old one with a draw. Our intentions this season is to get into the first division but in order to do that we must finish in the top three. The question is this, do we want to go up or is it only talk because attitude both on and off the field will have to change. Wednesday night is training night, be there!

UNDERAGE

Our under 11 B team and under 13 teams were in action on Saturday and both teams were beaten. Our under 13's had league leaders Johnville as visitors and did well in the first half. An easy goal was given away. The second half saw a gale force wind rising and we could hardly get out of our own half and finally went down 4-0. Andy in defence had a very good game. With only two more matches to play this league will be over soon but we intend to go indoors for a few weeks and also have a tournament lined up with a few other teams. The under 11's played away to Carrick and went down 4-2 with our scores coming from Stephen Keane. This team will be all underage next season so they have time on their side.

FIELD WORK

A timber railing is being erected above and around the pitch over the next fortnight and the advertising billboards which have been purchased by many businesses will be displayed. The first batch of signs will be up within the fortnight. We thank all who have backed us in this venture and signs are still available.

CHRISTMAS DAY SWIM

Many thanks to all who contributed in any way to making the Christmas Day Swim a success in aid of Waterford Hospice. All sponsorship money to be in by Tuesday, the 23rd of this month at the very latest. A presentation night for all funds raised by the Bally Inn Waterford Hospice Christmas Appeal is being held in the Bally Inn on Friday, 26th January.

NEW SIGNINGS

If you still wish to sign up for the club, you are welcome to do so. Both senior teams have twelve matches or so each to play so there are still plenty of games for all. Why not check it out and contact any club member. Membership is 80 euro or 40 euro for students and apprentices. This is mainly made up of insurance which covers players if out of work after four weeks.

FIXTURES — Saturday, 20th Jan under 16 home v Kilmac-thomas at 2.30 pm.

ON
THE
BALL



Ballinroad Soccer Notes

PILTOWN 1 BALLINROAD 1

This was a good result considering this team had no game in over 8 weeks.

PAUL WHYTE

Paul Whyte played in Ireland's three games in the under 15 tournament in Dubai last week. This was a wonderful achievement and we wish him well for the future.

FIXTURE CHAOS

The weather has played havoc over recent weeks with no games being played. Hopefully there will be an improvement in the coming weeks.

SYMPATHY

The club wishes to sympathise with the family of Tommy Cantwell who died recently. Tommy always took a keen interest in the club. While his son Raymond was the first Chairman of the club in 1971. May he rest in peace.

BALLINROAD AFC PITCH DEVELOPMENT LOTTO DRAW

Results of draw held on 14th January. Numbers drawn 6-10-15-24. No jackpot winner. New jackpot 4,000 euro. Winners of 20 euro each Moll Shields, Pat Morrissey, Frankie Ryan. Sellers prize Mary Ann McCarthy. Next draw will be held in Maguire's Pub, Ballinroad on Sunday, 28th January. We thank you for your support.

DUNGARVAN UTD. A.F.C. NOTES

JUNIOR RESULTS Munster Cup 2nd round Lismore 2 Dungarvan 1 JUNIOR ROUND UP

In our only game last weekend our premier side travelled to Lismore for a tough Munster Cup tie, and that is how it proved with the Lismore side coming out on top in dreadful conditions for playing good football. It has to be said that the Blues never really got going from the start and the homeside adapted better to the playing conditions.

Although the Blues dominating most of the game suffered a setback when the homeside scored with a fine header from a corner. The Blues regrouped but found the Lismore keeper in fine form saving all that was thrown at him. Lismore increased their lead before the break with a controversial penalty when the Referee adjudged the Dungarvan keeper to have taken down the striker inside the box when it looked just outside despite the protests.

The Blues started the second half brightly and Mark Ferncombe pulled a goal back after 50 mins. The Blues were now camped in the Lismore half and on another day they could have had four or five goals but try as they might they could not get the all important equaliser through some poor finishing and the excellent home keeper in top form. Lismore battled away to preserve their lead and with their hard work and commitment went on to win the game as a result and we would like to wish them well in the next round of the competition.

SINCERE THANKS

A sincere thanks to the Lismore Soccer Club and the Classroom Pub for the sandwiches after the game on Sunday and best wishes to the Lismore team who progress to the next round from all at Dungarvan United.

A.I. Youth Cup Winners



Former Dungarvan United premier player, Joe Duggan, proprietor of 'The Welcome Inn' is pictured donating a First Aid Kit to David Walsh for the Soccer Academy.

SCHOOLBOY RESULTS

No fixtures last weekend.
JUNIOR FIXTURES
Sunday 21st January
Premier league _ 11am.
Dungarvan v Villa/W. Crystal
Youth B league: 2.15pm
Dungarvan v St. Saviours
SCHOOLBOY FIXTURES
Saturday 20th January
U-12 v Southend (home) — 10.30am
U-14 v Carrick (away) — 11.45am

CLUB GEAR

Orders for gear will only be taken with money up front. Contact Colin for details.

TRAINING

Premier /1A: Monday 8-9 p.m., Tuesday 6-7 p.m., Thursday 7- 8.30 p.m.

Youths: Friday @ 7pm.

SPEEDY RECOVERY

The club would like to wish Premier player Colin Walsh a speedy recovery after fractur-

NOTICEBOARD

All fixtures for schoolboy and Junior teams are now displayed on the notice board in the entrance to the hallway of the dressing rooms.

VANDALISM

Some of our new signs that were put up around the pitch before Christmas were knocked off last week by sheer vandalism. Anyone with information on these mindless individuals contact the Club or Garda.

LOTTO RESULTS

Numbers drawn were 14, 26, 29. No winner. €25 voucher winners were Aoife Manahan, Ring; Paddy O'Sullivan. Next draw will take place at Bridie Dee's on Jan. 22nd for a jackpot of €2,600.

Tickets €2 each or 3 for €5 at The Enterprise, Bridie Dee's, John Keane's, The Gows, Tudor House or any committee member.

MANCHESTER UNITED SUPPORTERS CLUB

WATERFORD BRANCH

MEETING

There will be a general meeting on this Friday night at 8:15pm. It will be preceded by a committee meeting at 7:30pm sharp. A full attendance is requested at both meetings.

SUCCESSFUL MEETING

As part of the Villa trip last weekend, the Chairman Pat Grant Snr and secretary Kevin Moore held a fruitful meeting in Old Trafford with Colin Carter (Ticketing and membership branch Co-ordinator). The results of this meeting will be made known to the members of this Fridays meeting. So be there to find out.

VILLA TRIP

This was a great weekend as the Reds recorded another victory in what was a very one sided match. We were treated to first goal of the season Ji-Sung Pank and his first for the Club from Michael Carrick and the now familiar name on the scoresheet Cristiano Ronaldo.

On Saturday night after the game, President John O'Shea called in to meet us and was generous with his time and signed for all in the hotel including some delighted kids from Coleraine and a few locals who were over the moon to meet a first team player. He said he was delighted to be associated with the branch and was always happy to meet 'The Lads' for a while.

TALES FROM THE WILLOW

1. Who forgot to phone home?
2. Who couldn't ring anyone?
3. Who got the cavity search?
4. One member thought he was Rainman but who is he?

5. Who on the trip played against John O'Shea in goal and lost 3 or 4 nil?

6. Who nearly missed the match?
Answers available on request on Friday night.

TICKETS FOR GAMES

As previously advised the deadlines for games is seven weeks prior to each match so if interested check you calendar and contact the secretary a.s.ap. as they will be distributed on a first come, first served basis.

THE BIG ONE

Man Utd v Arsenal will be and is always "The Big One" when it comes to the Premiership title. This Sunday promises to be no different as the two form sides of the premiership collide. All members are invited to Keane's for what will be a great game. Kick off 4pm Sunday Live on Sky Sports.

ONE UNITED MEMBERSHIP

We are collecting E10 a month so as to ensure we can renew in block all memberships. We hope members avail of the opportunity as next season the Old Trafford stance on membership is that allocations for branches will be determined by the number of One United members in each branch.

All members must renew through their branch secretary for traceability purposes (and avoid packs not being received). For further information be at the meeting Friday night next or contact the Secretary on 086 3925677.

BEST OF LUCK

All in the branch would like to wish Branch President John O'Shea all the best when he is in running for Supreme Sportstar in the Park Hotel on Sunday night next.

DUNGARVAN SHOPPING CENTRE AND ST. AUGUSTINE'S COLLEGE TRANSITION YEAR SOCCER TOURNAMENT

Abbeyside N.S. Wins Primary Schools Soccer Tournament

Dungarvan Shopping Centre and two of its retail units, Sports Savers and Heart Beat City recently joined forces with the 4th year transition class in St. Augustines College in Abbeyside in sponsoring a unique sports venture which was carried out for the first time here in the Dungarvan/Abbeyside area.

The 4 pupils from St. Augustines College, Mark O'Connor, Damien Dee, Owen O'Donnell and Owen Lavelle set out to organize a soccer five a side tournament between all the local primary schools consisting of boys and girls aged between 9 to 12 years.

Over 200 school children took part in the Sport savers/Heartbeat City sponsored tournament. Teams from Abbeyside, Scoil

Garbhan, Dungarvan and Ballinroad Garrabane School all completed against each other over 5 nights in the gym in St Augustine's college with Abbeyside National School led by Kevin Dee and Jason Nagle claiming the overall honours with Scoil Garbhan finishing a close second led by Andrew O'Connor and Joseph Allen.

The sponsors on the night were Ciara Murphy Heartbeat City, Paul Green Sports savers and Tim Foley Dungarvan Shopping Centre were delighted to be associated with the event and commended the transition year class from St. Augustines for having the business initiative to run such an event in the professional manner in which they did so.

Plans are being discussed to make this an annual event such

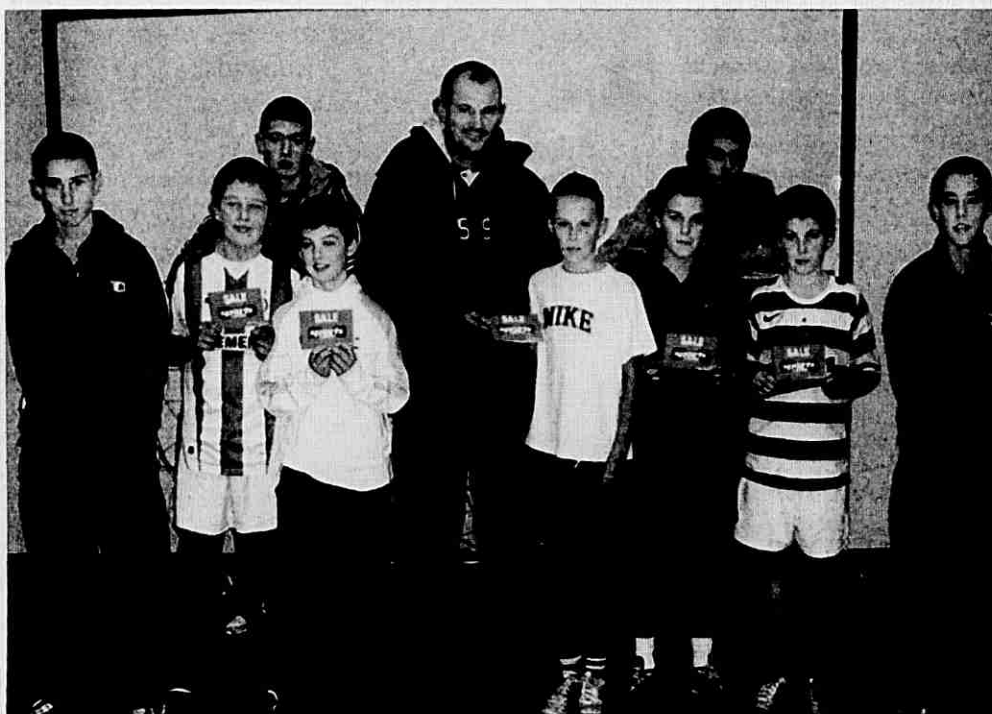
was the interest

Sport savers manager Paul Green presented prizes to the Abbeyside Team, Kevin Dee, Peter Ansell, Jason Nagle Aaron Flynn and Mark Beecher.

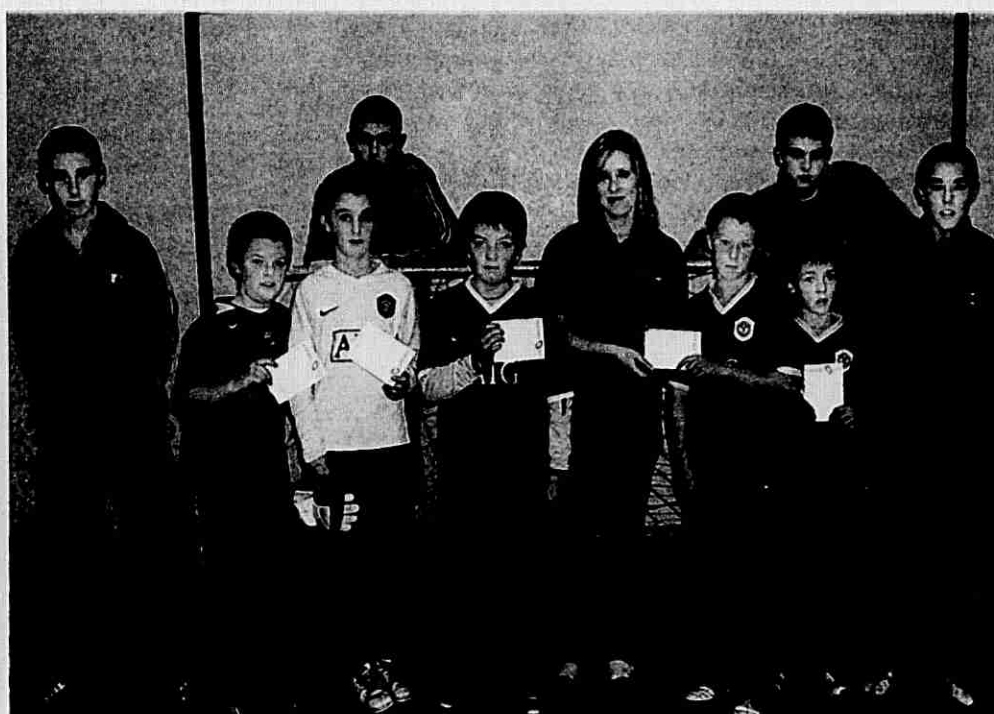
Heart beat City manager Ciara Murphy presented prizes to the Scoil Garban Team, Andrew O'Connor, Joseph Allen, Tadhg McCoomit, Kevin Daly and Gabriel Lacey

Dungarvan Shopping Centre presented prizes to the overall winners Abbeyside National School, Kevin Dee, Jason Nagle, Peter Ansell, Aaron Flynn and Mark Beecher

Included in the pictures are tournament organizers Mark O'Connor, Owen Lavelle, Owen O'Donnell and Damien Dee - St Augustines College.



Paul Green, Manager SportSavers, presenting Abbeyside National School with their prizes. Also included are the tournament organisers.



Ciara Murphy, Manager Heartbeat City, presenting the Scoil Garbhan team with their prizes. Also included are the tournament organisers.

Kilmacthomas FC Notes

ALPHA-LOTTO RESULTS

Last weeks letters were F.H.S.Q. No Jackpot winner. - Next weeks Jackpot is €1,800. Weekly winners of €30 - 1) Bill Bowdren, 11 Riveview Est., Kilmac; 2) Biddy Cleary, 20 Riverview Est., Kilmac; 3) Senan & Clodagh Casey, Well Road, Kilmac; 4) Kevin Walsh Snr. Scrahan, Kilmac; 5) Pa Mulhearn, Hillview Est., Kilmac

Our thanks to Kiersey's Bar, Next weeks draw takes place in Lynny's Bar, Main Street, Kilmac

POKER NITE

The Waterford United Supporters Club held a Texas Hold'em poker nite in Lynny's last thursday night, which brought out the gamblers. Paudie Pender didn't last long and was the first man "out", however the village had two players make it to the final three. Eric Cleary showed no fear for his youthful age to finish third and veteran Liam Keating used all his experience to finish second.

A great night was had by all and hopefully it won't be too long before we have another night.

MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP

Park Rangers 0

Kilmac 4

The bad weather finally abated last weekend to allow this match to go ahead and The Village side keep their cup run alive with a great win over Park Rangers, winning 4-0

Jondi O'Byrne, Michael Downey and a brace from Tony Kirwan were the goal scorers and sets up a trip to Limerick for the next round.

SCHOOLBOY RESULTS

Under-13

Southend 2 - 1 Kilmac

A top of the table clash saw the home side come out the victors of this match, but the Visitors had them very worried. The Kilmac side were leading 1-0 going into the final 10 minutes, but they finally succumbed to the Southend pressure and were unlucky not to come away with something from this game.

Under-15

Kilmac 5 - 0 Johnville

This team continued their pre-christmas form to remain top of the table with a decisive victory over Johnville. Coach's Martin Walsh and Michael Dee are doing a fantastic job with this team and their hard work

and training shows in the results, reaching the half way stage with an impressive 7 wins and 1 draw, 28 goals for and only 6 goals against, from 8 matches.

They cannot afford any complacency though, as they're are some tricky away fixtures awaiting them in the 2nd half of the league.

The team is based on a solid back 4 drawn from a pool of players including Kealon Kiersey, Alan Quinn, Martin Scurry, Martin Power and Paul Keating, with the ultra consistent Paddy Kiersey behind them in goal.

The ever present Maurice Power, Ciaran Hearne, Johnathon Joy and Sean Sullivan make up the mid-field, along with players Eoin Walsh, Stephen Lynn, and Sean Sutton who can also switch from mid-field to play up front. Any Combination of these players has never failed to give 100% and have popped up to score vital goals as well.

The front men consist of Cavan Dee, Sean Power and Niall Walsh, and along with the 3 mid-fielders, it makes a formidable squad to pick from.

The coach's made a tactical

change to the line up for this match, pairing Eoin Walsh and Sean Sutton up front for the first time and what a lethal change it turned out to be.

A hat-trick for Eoin and a brace for Sean saw the home side run out easy winners. The speed and ability of these two players put the Johnville defence on the back foot from the start and kept them under pressure for the entire match, never allowing them to settle.

This team is full of confidence, from Paddy in goal, right through to the forwards and even the change in line up done nothing to change this. If they continue to play like this and with the proper dedication to training, then silverware won't be far away at the end of the season

SCHOOLBOY FIXTURES

Saturday 20th Jan

U-14 - Kilmac V Villa

"A", kick-off 11.45am

U-16 - Stradbally V Kilmac, kick-off 2.30pm

JUNIOR FIXTURES

Premier - Friday Night 19th Jan, Ferrybank V Kilmac, kick-off 7.00pm

Youths - Sunday 21st Jan, Tramore "B" V Kilmac, kick-off 2.15pm

Abbeyside A.F.C. Notes

UNDER-11

Kilmacow 0 Abbeyside 2

Our first game after a long break due to the bad weather we travelled to Kilmacow where we secured another 3 points. With all the boys in high spirits for this game even the rain all through the match didn't dampen their spirits.

We started strong from the whistle but couldn't finish a run on goal. Kilmacow fought hard but our 4 strong back line had them covered. Half time we were all square. After a few words of encouragement we again started the better of the two. We seemed to get caught in the centre so we changed the play and pushed on, with 15 mins. to go and a few player changes we stepped up a gear and Duggan found space to stick one in the net. Now with one in the bag we wanted more and with only 5 to go Cummins went on a run from the back and scored what was a dream goal to give us the 2-0 scoreline.

Team; L. Cummins, D. Cummins, D. Hogan, T. Clifford, A. Fitzgerald, T. McGrath, M. Morrissey, L. Mulhearn, J. Cockwell, T. Reddy, T. Duggan. Subs; J. Rockett, P. J. O'Donnell, D. Power, L. Power.

Thanks to all the parents who drove as without their support we couldn't get to these away games.

FIXTURES

Saturday, 20th Jan. De La Salle v Abbeyside U-16. Saturday 27th Jan. Park Rangers v Abbeyside U-11.

LOTTO

Another reminder that our club lotto will be up and running in the near future.

Ardmore A.F.C. Notes



PREMIER DIVISION RESULT ARDMORE 1 ARAGLEN 1

After what can only be described as an under-par performance on last Sunday morning in Dysert Park we were unlucky not to come away with all three points after having two valid penalty appeals turned down by the referee.

After a scoreless first-half it only took two minutes of the second half for Araglen to break the deadlock with a headed goal from a corner kick.

It was in the 72nd minute when a shot from Clinton Hennessey was deflected off the cross-bar and into the back of the net to make it all square at 1-1 and this is how it finished.

PREMIER DIVISION FIXTURES

FRIDAY 19 - 1 - 2007

Brideview United v. Ardmore at 6-30 p.m. Leaving the cross at 5-15 p.m.

SATURDAY 20 - 1 - 2007

Cappoquin (A) v. Ardmore at 7-00 p.m. Leaving the cross at 5-45 p.m.

SCHOOLBOYS

Our U-14 team played away to Brideview Utd. but did not have it all their own way in their match as they left in a goal late-on to finish up a 2-2 draw with the home team.

U-8 & U-10 SOCCER

Our u-8 & u-10 boys and girls are back in action this Friday night when the astro-turf soccer returns after the Christmas break. This Friday night we play Valley Rangers in the Blackwater Community School at 7-00 p.m. All boys and girls are asked to be in Lismore at 6-40 p.m. Don't forget €2 per child to pay for facilities on the night.

LEAGUE SUPERDRAW

Congratulations to Timmy and Rose Lehane on winning a prize of a digital camera in the December draw. We must also congratulate one of our players, Paul Freyne who scooped 2nd prize in the January draw which won him a family holiday to Portugal to the value of €2,000, well done Paul. We also had a second winner in the January draw, Brian Power from Middleton won the €500 Voucher for Toss Bryan Electrical Expert, Fermoy. Brian has relations here in Ardmore and has been buying tickets for the draw every year since the draw started. Well done to our prize winners and the best of luck in the next draw to everyone who purchased a ticket from us for this years draws. The next draw will be held on Monday February 5th at the League Delegate Meeting.

West Waterford East Cork Schoolboy Soccer

Fixtures for Saturday 20th of Jan

U-12: Pinewood v Ardmore 1.30pm P. Marks
 U-14: Pinewood v Ardmore 2.45pm P. Marks
 U-12: An Gaeltacht v Cappoquin 1.30pm D. Whelan
 U-14: An Gaeltacht v Cappoquin 2.45pm D. Whelan
 U-12: Lismore v Ballybridge 1.30pm S. Forde
 U-14: Lismore v Ballybridge 2.45pm S. Forde
 U-12: Brideview v Valley 1pm D. O'Sullivan
 U-16: Brideview v Valley 2.30pm D. O'Sullivan
 U-16: Cappoquin v Pinewood 11am E. Cusack (Please note Kick off time)

WEST WATERFORD EAST CORK SCHOOLBOY LEAGUE TABLES AS AT 15TH OF JANUARY

U-12 League	P	W	D	L	PTS
Ardmore	7	7	0	0	21
Lismore	5	4	0	1	12
Castlebridge	5	2	1	2	7
Pinewood	3	2	0	1	6
An Gaeltacht	5	2	0	3	6
Cappoquin	4	2	0	2	6
Valley	4	1	1	2	4
Brideview	4	0	0	4	0
Ballybridge	5	0	0	5	0

U-14 League	P	W	D	L	PTS
Brideview	7	5	2	0	17
Cappoquin	5	4	1	0	13
Ballybridge	5	2	2	1	8
Ardmore	6	2	2	2	8
An Gaeltacht	5	2	1	2	7
Valley	5	1	1	3	4
Lismore	4	1	1	2	4
Pinewood	3	0	0	3	0
Mogeely	4	0	0	4	0

U-16 League	P	W	D	L	PTS
Cappoquin	5	2	2	1	8
An Gaeltacht	3	2	1	0	7
Clashmore	5	2	1	2	7
Valley	4	2	0	2	6
Pinewood	4	2	0	2	6
Brideview	5	0	2	3	2

W.W.E.C. League Table

(WEEKENDING 14/1/07)

MARI MINA PREMIER DIVISION

	PL	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
Cappoquin (A)	12	8	3	1	29	13	27
Mogeely F.C.	12	8	1	3	30	19	25
An Gaeltacht	12	6	5	1	35	18	23
Valley Rgs. (A)	11	7	2	2	25	16	23
Araglen Celtic	12	6	4	2	28	15	22
Ardmore	11	6	1	4	34	17	19
Inch United (A)	12	5	1	6	14	22	16
Brideview (A)	12	4	2	6	21	20	14
Gortroe F.C.	13	4	2	7	19	31	14
Accrington Celtic	14	3	1	10	16	43	10
Lismore A.F.C.	11	2	1	8	20	25	7
Kilworth Celtic	14	2	1	11	12	44	7

SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS DIVISION ONE

Blackwater F.C.	13	9	2	2	36	14	29
Pinewood Rgs.	14	8	1	5	39	23	25
Valley Rgs. (B)	11	8	0	3	28	21	24
Glenview United	13	7	1	5	34	20	22
Castlebridge Cel.	13	7	1	5	38	36	22
Clashmore Rbls.	10	7	0	3	25	15	21
Cappoquin (B)	13	4	2	7	24	31	14
Modeligo F.C.	13	4	0	9	23	41	12
Inch United	12	3	1	8	17	30	10
Brideview (B)	12	1	0	11	15	48	3



West Waterford East Cork / F.A.I. Technical News



F.A.I. EMERGING TALENT PROGRAMME

91 Squad — Training continues this Sunday in Affane at 11 am sharp.

Training Sunday 2.30 in Affane and Every Tuesday at 6.30 in the Blackwater Community School.

93 Squad — Training for this squad is also on Sunday in Affane at 2.30

A number of games will be arranged in the near future as we need to assess the progress of all panel members and a few new players also. The Kennedy Cup Squad will need to be finalised in a couple of weeks, so to give themselves every chance of selection players must not miss training. Non attendance at training for no reasonable reason will automatically exclude players from the squad.

94 Squad — These boys returned to training on Sunday last and we had a great turnout. From next week we change to Thursday night at 6.30 in Blackwater Community School.

YOUTHS SUPER SEVENS

The new seven aside astro-turf league, is proving a huge hit and continues this Friday night in Lismore.

Results — Brideview 1 Inch 2
 Kilworth 0 Pinewood 6

Fixtures — Fri., Jan. 19 — 9pm Cappoquin v Valley

Each Team must pay €50 per game to cover referees and venue hire

It looks like we have at least one new team interested in entering. If any other new team are interested you need to contact the RDO immediately. 087/0508623

LEAGUE TABLE

	Pld	Pts
Brideview	2	3
Cappoquin	1	3
Pinewood	1	3
Inch	1	3
Kilworth	3	0
Valley	0	0

SUMMER SOCCER CAMPS

The soccer camps have a new sponsor so will no longer be known as the Pepsi camps, rather the FAI Summer Soccer Camps. National Irish Bank are the new sponsors and we look forward to working with them over the next number of years. We have our dates and venues decided and are as follows

Cappoquin FC	2-6 July
Ballybridge Utd	9-13 July
Brideview Utd	16-20 July
Ardmore FC	23-27 July

SOCCER SISTERS (6-12 YR OLDS)

Our Soccer Sisters programme commences next Week in two different venues. This is a programme where girls from 6-12 get introduced to soccer in a fun filled atmosphere.

Girls from Cappoquin and Lismore are in the Blackwater Community school on Friday Jan at 6 and girls from Tallow and Surrounding areas go to Brideview park on Monday at 6.

The cost is €25 for 10 weeks and this pays for hire of the astro-turf and all coaches expenses. Each girl will receive a T-shirt and receive coaching from only FAI qualified coaches.

At a time when for health reasons we need our girls to get out to play more sports this is a great chance to cultivate a love of physical activity amongst the young girls. We guarantee top quality coaching and supervision.

How do you apply? — All you need do is arrive at your preferred venue 15 mins before starting time and register with the coaches.

12-16 Year old Girls — On Sunday last we held a very successful blitz for girls between the ages of 12 and 16 in the Blackwater Community School .37 girls registered to play and we played a 9-aside blitz for 2 hours.

Next Sunday we hold another one and all newcomers are welcome. If you are even vaguely interested come along at 11.30 on Sunday and register with us and pay 3 for the Astro turf hire. We will sort out a team for you, and we guarantee a good time!

This blitz will be followed in the next few weeks by a league.

The top girls will be selected for a Winter Training Programme and will get the chance to represent the League in the South East inter-county Cup. Coaches for this programme will be Adrian Yellop and Angie Walsh

We have plenty plans for girls in this age group, and exciting times lie ahead. Join the Revolution now! Come along next Sunday at 11.30.

BOYS 8 & 10'S

Its all systems go for the astro turf fun football as we get back on Fri Jan 19 with a series of games in Blackwater Community School.

Thur Jan 18 6pm Pinewood v Cappoquin
 Fri Jan 19 7pm Ardmore v Valley
 8pm Lismore v Castlebridge Celtic

COACHING COURSES

Next Kick Start 1 — Book now!

The next KS1 course will be on in Lismore on Fri Feb 16 and Sat 17. This is the first step on the coaching ladder and to date we have 60 coaches qualified to this level.

Any parent or coach interested in helping out with boys or girls would benefit hugely from the course. No soccer experience or knowledge is needed at this level indeed many coaches have no experience just an interest in coaching their kids. In my opinion their is no greater satisfaction to be got in sport than helping your own child become better and watching them play. More people should try coaching their children. You will find that you may enjoy it more than the kids. The most common reason for not helping is the pressures on our time in modern life. Take stock!

What better release from the pressures of modern life could you get than getting out in the air and spending quality time with your kids.Surely you can put 2 hours a week away for that.

To help you along we have designed a superb coaching course for the beginner. This will give you the tools to do the job Bookings are being taken at the moment for the Feb course.

Contact Michael Looby 087/0508623.



W.W.E.C.

West Waterford/East Cork Junior League



Lismore Win Big Munster Derby Against Old Boro

Without any doubt the big result from last weekend was Lismore's victory in the Lucozade Sport Munster Junior Cup over neighbours Dungarvan from the Waterford Premier League. This win will see Lismore in Cork in the next round which is the first of the open rounds, or the last 32 teams in Munster. This is a fantastic achievement for them and the league. In the league Cappoquin continue to set the pace after their hard fought win at Accrington. The teams behind them could only draw with Mogeely the only ones to win and are now in 2nd place. In the 1st Division Blackwater win again, while Pinewood, Castlebridge and Glen View lose ground.

LISMORE 2 DUNGARVAN 1

Lismore came out on top in this Lucozade Sport Munster Junior Cup 3rd round when they defeated neighbours Dungarvan by 2 gls to 1 goal at a bitterly cold Castle Farm Ground on Sunday afternoon last. This was a game that had caught the imagination of the public more than many games last season, especially as the visitors had two ex Lismore players in their line out, Alan Landers and Pat Quinn.

Played on a surface which was bumpy after the very bad weather of the previous few days and the grass on the long side, Lismore belied their league position, as they attacked Dungarvan from the kick off. It was obvious from the opening few minutes that Lismore wanted to win this game and they set about unsettling Dungarvan with crisp tackles that did not allow the visitors gain any advantage from midfield where Paul Quinn was the master. On 10 mins, Pollard was put through but Landers in the visitors' goal saved at the expense of a corner. From the resultant corner kick Howard found the net with a powerful header giving the keeper no chance. Dungarvan had a few chances in the next 10 mins, with John Power shooting wide and Landers in the Lismore goal saving smartly from Crotty. At the other end the Dungarvan Landers was called on to make a double save from Donoghue and Terence Walsh. Ross Power and Ferncombe had chances to equalise but their efforts went over the bar.

On 37 mins, another midfield pass saw Pollard elude the Dungarvan defence only to be brought down in the area for a penalty, which Paul Quinn duly despatched to the corner of the net for a deserved 2 goal lead.

From this to the break Dungarvan had plenty of possession but were gaining no ground as the Lismore defence held firm forming an impregnable last line of defence.

A firm half time talk by Dungarvan manager Anselm Hayes seemed to have worked as the visitors looked more threatening in the opening minutes after half time and it was no surprise when Mark Ferncombe scored after just 4 mins. play. One minute later Landers denied Pat Quinn an equaliser with a won-

derful save. For the next 15 mins, Dungarvan really piled on the pressure with the Lismore defence under constant threat with Landers busy in goal and the Lismore midfielders not able to stem the supply of ball. This led in turn to what we can only call a master move by the Lismore mentors with the switch of Howard to midfield to partner Quinn and for the final 20 mins, both Howard and Quinn gave man of the match displays and both showed their vast experience of playing at this level and this in no small way helped the younger players around them, and Daly going to centre half to consolidate the centre of defence with Ormonde, thus releasing Roche to attack on the right flank where he is at his best.

Four minutes of extra time saw Lismore finish as they started and Langan had a wonderful opportunity of putting the game out of reach but shot at the keeper and when Eric McCarthy blew full time Lismore had just seen Dungarvan concede a corner kick.

There was plenty of excitement from the Lismore players, mentors and supporters at the final whistle as this was a game Lismore wanted to win and they showed this determination from the very start. At times they rode their luck, but this is after all cup football, and they took their chances which at the end of the day was the difference.

All the team played as a unit with the defence, in the early stages a bit jittery on the flanks, but Roche was outstanding in the 2nd half, and Daly and Ormonde commanding figures and Terence Walsh when moved back to left back snuffed out the danger. As we already wrote the midfield of Howard and Paul Quinn, especially in the final 20 mins, were top class and their covering and tackles kept the visitors from maintaining the strangle hold they held for the opening 25 mins of the 2nd half. Up front Pollard, Donoghue and Walsh all tried their best and came back to defend when they had to. Over all a wonderful team performance, and while we may sound bias in our report, we must say Lismore were on many occasions lured into simple basic mistakes giving away possession all too easily and

conceding silly fouls in dangerous parts of the field.

Dungarvan will bemoan their 1st half display. They had chances, did not take them and played into Lismore's hands

by passing the ball around midfield and not getting their crosses in from the wide. They did not expose the weaknesses in the Lismore make up in the early part of the opening 45 mins and were unable to counter act the midfield of the visitors in the final quarter of the game. No doubt the Dungarvan management will agree, on the day Lismore were the hungrier side and over the 90 mins deserved their win.

Congratulations to both sides for a very entertaining and

above all a sporting cup tie, and a game well handled by referee Eric McCarthy and his assistants Tony Horgan and Tom Griffin, and we wish Lismore the best in the next round as they enter the final 32 teams in Munster.

Lismore — T. Landers, A. Roche, C. Tobin, D. Howard, T. Walsh, S. Ormonde, P. Quinn, M. Walsh, C. Houlihan, K. O'Donoghue, E. Pollard. Reserves — J. Dalton, K. Hornibrook, K. Langan, D. Shanahan, S. Daly.

Dungarvan — A. Landers, R. Power, A. Landers, O. Morrissey, J. Power, M. Crotty, K. Walsh, T. Butler, P. Quinn, M. Ferncombe, T. Fitzgerald. Reserves J. Keohane, C. Ross, K. Lyons.

Referee E McCarthy, assistants A Horgan and T Griffin.

Finally, congrats to Eddie and his assistants for having the ground in as good a condition as was possible considering the bad weather of the past week.

NEXT SUNDAY IS CUP SUNDAY



West Waterford East Cork League Draw for the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup — Philip Flynn, Proprietor Dungarvan Tyre Centre (sponsor) making the draw with Michael O'Neill, Chairman Paddy Pollard, PRO, Liam Fraser, Vice Chairman and Paddy Tobin, Registrar WWEC League. (Photo: Sean Byrne Photography)

BRIDE VIEW PARK LIGHTING UP

This Friday night will see the first league game under lights in Tallow when Bride View host Ardmore at 6.30pm.

This will be a wonderful occasion for the Bride View Club who had this night planned for a few seasons, but worked on their two pitches and all weather pitch first. This is the culmination of many years of hard work by the committee and is another step forward by a very progressive club, who now join Cappoquin as the two clubs in our league with lights and shows how far this league and both clubs have progressed in the years. We know there are other clubs with similar plans and we look forward to them joining Cappoquin and Bride View for night games.

We hear the official switch on will take place in early February in Tallow when Waterford Utd play Galway Utd in a challenge game. We will give more information on this when all is organised.

FASHION SHOW

This week we can make the official announcement of the 3rd annual Fashion Show organised by the WWEC at Lismore Castle (by kind permission) on Thursday 29th and Friday 30th March next. This year the organisations to benefit will be the Alzheimer's Unit at St Joseph's Hospital Dungarvan and the Multiple Sclerosis Society of Ireland. The Fashion Shows over both nights will once again be sponsored by Sherry Fitzgerald Reynolds, Dungarvan and Lismore and Blackwater Homes. Tickets for both nights will be going on sale in early February. We spoke to both Liam Fraser and Paddy Pollard over the weekend and they were delighted that plans are now well advanced for both nights. Liam told us that the clothes on both nights will be from Hickey's Fermoy, Chez de Paor Tallow, Arcade Midleton, Mary FM Lismore, Mode Dungarvan and Knitwear Conna. The model agency will be the same as last year with the Prima Agency Waterford Models.

Paddy Pollard said he is delighted with the two charities to benefit and he went on to thank both the main sponsors Sherry Fitzgerald Reynolds and Blackwater Homes for their very generous sponsorship, as Paddy said without their help both nights would be very difficult.

Liam and Paddy concluded by telling us they will keep us informed in the next few weeks on all aspects of the shows as they both made their ways off to see their beloved Bride View and Lismore in action on Sunday afternoon.



Cappoquin Continue Winning In Premier

CAPPOQUIN 1 ACCRINGTON 0
 Cappoquin continue to pick up the points and extend their unbeaten league with this win at home last Sunday over Accrington. It was a hard fought victory, more especially as they played for most of the game with 10 players having a player sent off early in the opening half. The first half ended scoreless, and as the game went into the closing 15 mins it appeared Accrington were going to come away with a draw. However Cappoquin want to stay at the top and they got the all important score when Dave Lenene found the net for the win and three points.

Cappoquin will be glad to have this game behind them as for much of the 90 mins they struggled and did not show the form of late that is keeping them at the top.

MOGEELY 4 KILWORTH 1
 The home side got back to winning ways with this comprehensive victory against Kilworth. They led at the break by 2 goals to nil thanks to goals from Chris Mottelibi and John O'Donovan. In the 2nd half O'Donovan and Jake O'Shea scored while Heskin had a consolation score for the visitors. This win sees Mogeely in 2nd spot in the table and Kilworth rooted to the bottom and in serious relegation trouble.

ARDMORE 1 ARAGLEN 1
 The home side and reigning champions had to come from behind for a share of the points and the two points dropped might have serious repercussions at the end of the season as they attempt to retain their title.

After a scoreless 1st half Tom Kenneally scored after 10 mins. play to give the leaders a deserved lead. They held this to the final 15 mins when Clinton Hennessy found the net for the equaliser and try as they might they could not get the goal that would give them the three home points. This was a good result for Araglen who have now taken 4 of 6 points from Ardmore this season and keeps them in the top half of the table.

INCH 0 BRIDE VIEW 4
 This was a comprehensive win for the visitors who led at the break by 2 goals to nil courtesy of Paul O'Brien. In the 2nd half O'Brien went on to complete his hat-trick with William Henley also getting on the scoreline.

Inch found this a difficult tie and were not strong enough for a Tallow side who appeared to have regained their old form that will guarantee to see them climb up the table away from the relegation zone.

BLACKWATER IN POLE POSITION FOR PROMOTION

VALLEY RGS 2 AN GHAELTACHT 2
 A great game of football here between two of the leading sides in the league. The game got off to the best possible start when Valley were awarded a penalty in the opening minute. However Billy Sheehan saved the spot kick and for all the play in the half neither side could find the net. All this changed in the 2nd half when Billy Carr scored twice for the home side, the first a penalty and Pa Lynch and Timmy Power scored for the visitors for a share of the points which on the day neither side deserved to lose.

PINEWOOD 0 CLASHMORE 3
 Not a good result for the home side who needed the points to stay with the leaders if they want to achieve promotion. This league game was a rehearsal for the cup tie at the same venue next Sunday. Clashmore will be delighted with this win as they have not played since Stephen's Day. The visitors led at the break

thanks to a goal each from Michael Cliffe and Declan Allen. In the 2nd half Cliffe scored again to put the game out of reach of the Ballymac side and ensure the points for Clashmore as they now attempt to make up ground on the leaders, as they have at least 3 games less played than the leaders.

GLEN VIEW 0 BLACKWATER 1
 This was an important game for the visitors as they needed the points to keep setting the pace, while Glen View could not afford to lose ground. The only goal of the game came after 25 mins of the opening half when Camen Radley scored with a header. In the 2nd half the chances were few and far between as both defences were on top.

In the end the visitors got the all important points while Glen View lose ground.
MODELIGO 2 VALLEY RGS 5
 A great win for the visitors who were on top from the start and the game as a contest was

over after 20 mins when they led by 4 gls to nil. They scored a fifth before the break. The Valley scorers were Diarmud Hogan with a hat-trick and Donal Caplice with 2 gls. In the 2nd half Modeligo scored twice, through an Alan Bendersing penalty and a Shane Reddy goal.

Overall a well deserved win for Valley against a disappointing and much understrength Modeligo.

BRIDE VIEW 4 CASTLEBRIDGE 1
 All the season we have been writing of how Bride View are playing nice attacking football, but not getting the results and were pointless from their league campaign so far.

Last Sunday they really silenced many with this emphatic win against an understrength Castlebridge who have been climbing up the table gradually in the past few weeks.

Mossie Clohessy had a hat-trick and Tomas Ryan were the Bride View scorers while Brian Fitzgerald scored for a very disappointing Castlebridge.

RESULTS

- LUCOZADE SPORT MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP 3RD RD**
 Lismore 2 Dungarvan 1
- MARI MINA PHARMACEY PREMIER DIVISION**
 Ardmore 1 Araglen 1
 Cappoquin 1 Accrington 0
 Inch 0 Bride View 4
 Mogeely 4 Kilworth 1
 Valley Rgs 2 An Ghaeltacht 2
- SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS 1ST DIVISION**
 Pinewood 0 Clashmore 3
 Glen View 0 Blackwater 1
 Modeligo 2 Valley Rgs 5
 Bride View 4 Castlebridge 1

FIXTURES

- FRIDAY 19TH JANUARY**
- MARI MINA PREMIER DIVISION**
 Bride View v Ardmore 6.30pm A Horgan
- SATURDAY 20TH JANUARY**
 Cappoquin v Ardmore 7pm T Griffin
- SUNDAY 21ST JANUARY**
- DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP 1ST ROUND**
 Pinewood v Clashmore 2pm P Browne
 Accrington Celtic v Araglen 11.00 T Griffin
 Valley Rgs A v Inch B 11.00 A Horgan
 Lismore v Inch A 11.00 P Marks
 Castlebridge v An Ghaeltacht 2pm R Barrett
 Glen View v Kilworth 11.00 D O Sullivan
- MARI MINA PREMIER DIVISION**
 Mogeely v Gortroe 11.00 E Cusack
- SHERRY FITZGERALD REYNOLDS 1ST DIV**
 Bride View B v Valley Rgs B 11.00 S Forde.

SUPER DRAW

The 2nd draw in the Super Draw took place on Monday 8th January at the Red House Bar Lismore. A full list of winners appear elsewhere in our notes. The next draw will be on Monday 5th February at the Bride View Soccer Complex at 10.15 pm. All are welcome.

W.W.E.C. PREVIEWS

LISMORE V INCH A
 Known for so many years as the cup experts, Lismore have not won this cup since 2001, although they were defeated by Ardmore the following year in the final. They are riding high at present after their cup success last Sunday in Munster, but have not been performing with the same degree in the league. Inch, after winning the Bolger Plate, have not continued that winning strait and need a win to restore some confidence. They already defeated their hosts in the league some weeks back, but Lismore with a few wins are regaining their confidence and should be favourites on Sunday to advance to play Cappoquin in the next round.

CASTLEBRIDGE V AN GHAELTACHT
 Our match of the day. This has the makings of the cup tie of the round. Castlebridge went down very badly last Sunday in Tallow after a wonderful run of victories, while the visitors are having one of their best seasons yet in the premier. If An Ghaeltacht are at full strength then it will be very difficult for the Castlelyons side, as the visitors play a wonderful brand of attacking football. Much will depend on the team the visitors bring and we have to make them favourites. Needless to say Paul and Gene will be delighted to contact me on Sunday evening telling me how wrong I was with my forecast if their side win. An Ghaeltacht to win.

GLEN VIEW V KILWORTH
 The most difficult cup tie of the day to forecast, as we have two sides with little between them. Kilworth from the premier, are bottom of the table and look relegation material at present, while Glen View up to a few games back, appeared to be strong

PINEWOOD V CLASHMORE
 Both sides met last Sunday in the league in a cup rehearsal with the visitors winning easily at the end by 3 goals to nil, a result which is a setback for promotion. Clashmore on the other hand will approach this game with caution and no little confidence after the win last Sunday. Cup football is totally different to league football and all depends on the day and we feel that Pinewood will feel this could be their only hope of silverware this season, and we think that Pinewood may, and we stress may, reverse last week's result. Clashmore will definitely not agree with us, and we are looking forward to a cracker of a cup tie.

ACCINGTON V ARAGLEN
 The visitors are flying high at present, having one of their best seasons yet and fighting for the top spot in the premier, 5 points behind, while Accrington are in relegation trouble, finding it difficult to move out of the bottom three. They need to win for any hope of success this season, but on form Araglen have to be favourites and their results to date have seen them winning home and away. Araglen to win.

VALLEY RGS A V INCH B
 As cup surprises go, this would be a real cup shock if Valley are to lose at home to the Inch 2nd string on Sunday and we cannot see this happening. Valley to win.

BRIDE VIEW V ARDMORE
 What an honour for the league champions as they become the first visiting league club to play under the lights in Tallow, when they play on Friday night against a resurgent Bride View. This should be a fantastic occasion for the home side who have been waiting so long for this night for the switch on. Both sides need to win and for Ardmore it will be the first of two consecutive nights under lights, playing Cappoquin the following night, and pending the results from both nights will see if they can retain their title. With so much at stake for both sides, a draw may be the result.

CAPPOQUIN V ARDMORE
 The champions are really putting their title on the line this weekend as they travel to Cappoquin to play the current leaders. Much will depend on the game in Tallow the previous night for the Ardmore challenge. A positive result from that game for the seaiders will really have them on a

high and Cappoquin will have to be at full strength to sustain the challenge. Ardmore will not want to lose either game but both are going to be difficult. If Cappoquin win they must be very strong candidates to lift the championship trophy at the end of the season. They know a slip up will let Mogeely back in, so we go for Cappoquin to win.

MOGEELY V GORTROE
 The home side got back to winning ways last Sunday after a bad Christmas of two defeats, winning both of those would have seen them clear of Cappoquin at present. Gortroe need more points to steer clear of relegation, but it is doubtful if they will get them this Sunday. Mogeely to win and maybe top of the table on Sunday evening.

BRIDE VIEW B V VALLEY B
 This could be a cracker of a league tie on Sunday morning, with two sides who have been playing attacking football all season. Bride View had to wait until last Sunday for their first league points while Valley have now pushed themselves into a promotion challenge with their recent successes. We could end up with plenty of goals here, but will be disappointed if this will not live up to our hype for this game. A game that can go either way. Valley to win.

DELEGATE MEETING

The next Delegate Meeting of the W.W.E.C will take place at the Bride View Soccer Complex on Monday 5th February at 8 pm. Clubs are reminded that they are to send two to three delegates to the meeting as a workshop will take place before the actual meeting. We ask all clubs to please note the change of venue and time for this meeting. The 3rd draw in the Super Draw will take place after the delegate meeting.

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

Munster Medals For West Waterford Junior Mens And Ladies Teams

The senior and junior sections of the club combined last Sunday fielding both a Junior Ladies and a Mens team in the Munster Junior Cross Country Championships which were held in Bilboa, Co. Limerick.

Juvenile club coach Tony Shalloe has much work done with these junior athletes over many years when they compete at Juvenile level and without his work and the work of the rest of the club's juvenile coaches and mentors the athletes competing last Sunday most probably would have been lost to the sport as is

many times the case in athletics. So well done to all concerned in putting in the many hours of ground work with these athletes.

First up last Sunday were the junior mens team and here the club won an excellent team silver when fielding a strong team of six athletes. First home was Mark Shalloe just outside the top 10 finisher's in 11th place, never the less this was a solid performance from Mark, he was also a gold medal winner when scoring on the Waterford team who captured county gold medals. Next scorer on the West Waterford team was Rory Moloney in 13th place. This was Rory's first run for the club at a Cross Country Championship and he proved invaluable on the day giving a very gutsy run, now that he has broke the mantel we will expect to see the Ballinacourty youngster wearing the club singlet much more often. Next finisher was Kierán Lane in 22nd place. Kierán is always a great team performer and will always give his all when called upon by the club as he did last Sunday, not too far behind was our 4th scorer Alan Akehurst in 28th place. Alan another great club man is always available when called upon and was an important 4th scoring member of the team last Sunday.

The young Curran twins Jim and Tom finished 30th and 31st respectively. Running well above their usual race distance the much longer 6,000 metres

was no bother to them, both taking it in their stride, this was a good run from the boys who were well out of their age here with many more years to come for them in this championships. Nevertheless it was a good experience for them both and in time they will be battling for individual honors at this level. The Ladies team of four ath-



Rory Moloney, West Waterford A.C., who had a great run in his first club cross country outing last Sunday at the Junior men's Munster Cross Country Championship in Limerick.



Kierán Lane leads this group of runners in the Junior Mens Munster Cross Country Championships last Sunday in Bilboa, Co. Limerick.



West Waterford Athletic Club's Junior Mens team who won team silver medals at the Munster Cross Country Championships last Sunday in Bilboa, Co. Limerick. Back (l. to r.) Tom Curran, Alan Akehurst, Kierán Lane and Tony Shalloe team coach. Front (l. to r.) Jim Curran, Rory Moloney and Mark Shalloe.



West Waterford Athletic Club's Junior Ladies team who won team bronze medals at the Munster Junior cross country championships last Sunday in Bilboa, Co. Limerick. Back (l. to r.) Tony Shalloe team coach, Emer Scanlon, Niamh O'Riordan, Elma Nugent and Shona Curran.

letes were lead home by Shona Curran in 14th place, Shona is as tough a competitor as they come and always gives 100% to any race, a very competitive lady she was battling for ever place even in the run in to the finish last Sunday. Next came Elma Nugent in 16th place. Elma is one athlete who came into her own this season and is an athlete who has reached new heights this past couple of months. It's a case really of the old saying which is "you get out of it what you put in to it" as she has stepped up her train-

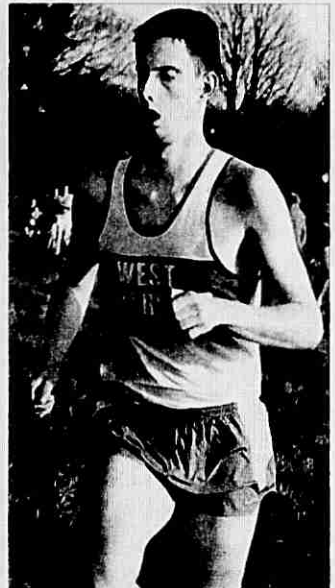
ing and this is paying dividends for her. Next scorer was Niamh O'Riordan 27th this lady is never off any West Waterford team at this level and last Sunday added another Munster medal to her trove of previously won Munster medals in both cross country and track. Our next runner finished Emer Scanlon was in 28th place. Cross country is all about team running and the fourth scoring member is as important as the first and here last Sunday Emer was a very important cog in the clubs success with our her very important contribution there would have been no team medals. Well done to all and to those who travelled to support both teams.



Shona Curran, West Waterford A.C. pictured during the Munster Junior Ladies Cross Country Championships last Sunday in Bilboa, Limerick.



Emer Scanlon battles hard during the Munster Junior Ladies Cross Country Championships last Sunday in Bilboa, Co. Limerick.



Well up the field is West Waterford's Mark Shalloe in last Sunday's Munster Junior Boys Cross Country Championships.

WEST WATERFORD ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

Announcing The Michael Roche Carpets Spring Series

The 15th Annual Michael Roche Carpets Spring Series swings into action with the Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup Sunday week. This series has something to suit runners of every standard. As in previous years, the series will cater for regular runners and beginners with prizes on offer for all levels of competitors. The series entries will open at the Colligan Cup on Sunday and close at the Glaxosmithkline 10 mile road race on Sunday, February 4th. Entry to this year's series is set at €5.

Once again West Waterford Athletic Club thanks Michael and Bridget for their continued support to the club by sponsoring this series now in its 15th year.

As always we urge or members to support

all our sponsors when appropriate.

RACE 1 — 19th Annual Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup Handicap race, January 28th 2p.m.

RACE 2 — 16th Annual Glaxosmithkline 10, Sunday February 4th at 2pm.

RACE 3 — 3rd Annual Bausch and Lomb Kilmacthomas 5, Sunday 25th February at 2pm.

RACE 4 — 25th Annual Eason Dungarvan 10k, Sunday March 11th at 2pm.

Divisions will be set up and prizes will be awarded at the final race on March 11th. Please note your best three races count from the four in the series.

KIELY MONUMENTAL COLLIGAN CUP ON SUNDAY WEEK NEXT

It's all go from now with the West Waterford Spring/Summer Racing scene for 2007 about to kick in. Starting Sunday week when we host the 19th Annual Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup on February 28th at 2 pm. Juvenile race starts at 1 pm. senior race is over the usual 5 miles Colligan wood circuit and Juveniles will have a 1-mile circuit to run. The Colligan Cup is an unique event in that it is run on a handicap bases where you simply predict your finishing time over a 5 mile run, with the winner being the person who is nearest to that predicted time, this makes the race open to all no matter what your standard is, everyone has the same chance of taking the title.

NEW DATE FOR MOUNT SION 5

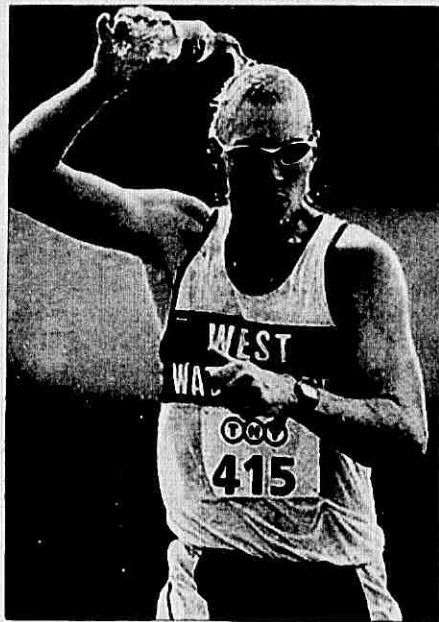
The organisers of the rescheduled Mount Sion 5 miler have set a new date for the race. It will now be held on January 21st next with a 12 noon starting time, all the usual categories will be on offer on the day and registration starts at 10.30 in the Mount Sion G.A.A. Centre.

Jamie Costin Wins A.A.I. Indoor Games 3,000 Metres In Style

West Waterford's Jamie Costin had a good performance in the mens 3,000 metres race at the A.A.I. Indoor Games in Nenagh last Sunday. Jamie was in complete control, leading from the gun he came home an easy winner in a time of 11.51 with Bree walker John Egan 2nd in 13.02.

Jamie's return to competitive walking has been nothing short of phenomenal after a car crash prior to competing in the Greece Olympics threatened his career. Training is going well with him in spite of the back pain that rears up every so often. These days he treats these problems as he would any other injury and just gets on with it. Jamie's main target for the year is the qualifying standard for the 50km World Track and Field Championships in Japan in August.

3,000m Walk Results — 1. Jamie Costin, West Waterford 11:51.88; 2. John Egan, Bree 13:02.34; 3. Peter Muldoon, Shercock 13:18.35; 4. Paul Fitzpatrick, Shercock 13:24.01.

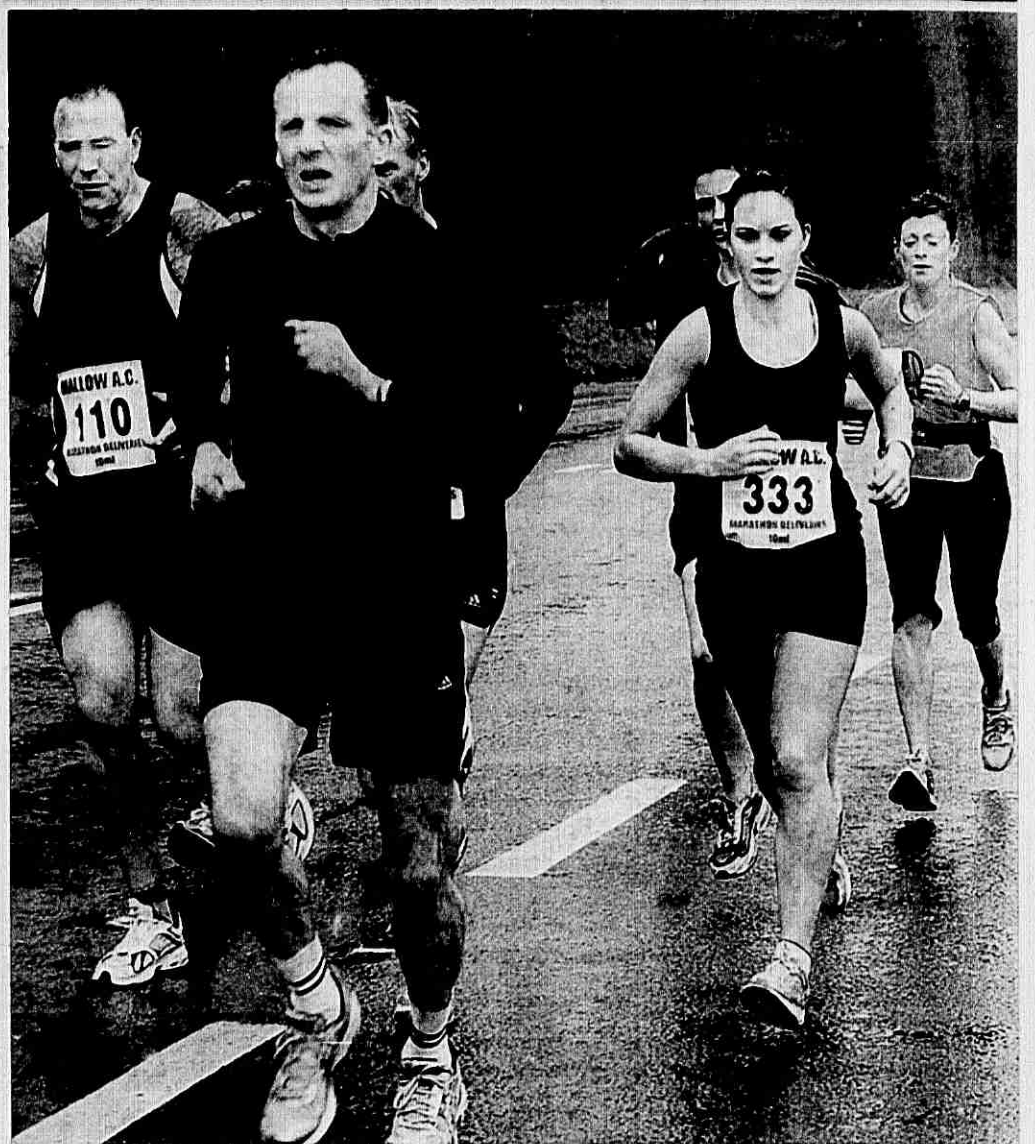


YET ANOTHER WIN FOR RAVIS IN CORK

Raivis Zakis was in the winners enclosure again last Sunday when competing in the Cork B.H.A.A. organised 5k cross country challenge event in Blackrock held over a very hilly course. Raivis won easily in a time of 17.39 from well known Triathlete Trevor Woods.

RUNNING QUOTE

Nobody said it would be easy, they just said it would be worth it. — Garret Byrne



Tucked away safely in the pack is number 333 Sinead Crotty, West Waterford A.C. at the recent Mallow 10 miler.

ENTER FOR GLAXOSMITHKLINE 10 AT WINTER LEAGUE

The Glaxosmithkline 10 miler, which is on Sunday February 4th next at 2 p.m., will be a pre-entry race again this year. Entry is €10 if you enter pre-race and €15 if you leave it till on the day of the race. The organisers would also hope that all local runners would have their entries in before race day also, as this will help with the logistics for those organising the race. Your co-operation with this matter would be most welcome. Entry forms are available at Ger Wyley Sports or it can be down loaded from the club web-site www.westwaterfordathletics.org

Entry forms will also be available tonight and next Wednesday night at the Winter League. Your entry must include the entry fee of €10. If entering by post return your entry form to club treasurer, Denise Regan, Ballinamuck, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

THE BALDY MAN RE-SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY FEBRUARY 18TH

The popular Baldy Man beach run on Tramore in aid of our Ladies Hospital for Sick Children which was cancelled over the Christmas period because of adverse weather will now take place on Sunday 18th February at 11 a.m.

RESCHEDULED MUNSTER MASTERS CROSS COUNTRY IN CLARE THIS SUNDAY

The rescheduled Munster Juvenile B and Masters Cross Country Championships will be held this coming Sunday in Gurteen, Co. Clare. The club will be travelling with a strong mens and ladies team hoping to keep the clubs excellent tradition with this championship when we usually bring home many medals from the event. Best wishes to all for the day. If unable to travel please inform Cross Country Co-ordinator Tony Ryan A.S.A.P. Transport leaving the Park Hotel at 10 a.m. sharp.

CLUB MEMBERSHIP NOW DUE

Your club membership for the coming year is now due. At €25 you will have to agree it's great value with a huge array of races over the upcoming 12 month period with something to suit everyone. So please don't put it on the long finger, register now with West Waterford A.C. and enjoy your running with Ireland's largest running club. Michael Tutty is our club registrar.

ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Please note the competition has started from January for athlete of the year 2007. After Raivis's emphatic victory in last year's event he now has the task of taking charge of this years scorings for the competition. Any athlete who takes part in a race representing the club gets 1 point and if it's a championship you get a bonus points. If any athlete runs an event outside of the regular local races it's up to them to let Raivis know, best of luck to everyone in this years competition. Can anyone get the magic 100 points in a calendar year? It hasn't been done yet.



Trevor Mason gives it a lash at the Mallow 10 recently.

SCHOOLS DO THEIR BIT FOR HAMPER APPEAL



Teachers and pupils from Glenbeg N.S. who had a No Uniform day to raise funds for the Dungarvan Lions Club Christmas Hamper Appeal pictured with their Principal Breda Cleary presenting a cheque to John O'Hanlon, Dungarvan Lions Club. Included are Lion Club members Jack Stephenson and Mike Brosnan. (Photos by Sean Byrne Photography)



▲ Jean Donovan, teacher and pupils of Ard Scoil na nDeise presenting a cheque for €2,200 to Bridget Burke, President Dungarvan Lions Club for the Christmas Hamper Appeal. The money was raised through a sponsored swim at Clonea Strand Hotel swimming pool.



Rachel Seery, Saoirse Culloo and Aisling Seery, Whitechurch N.S. presenting money to Bridget Burke, President Dungarvan Lions Club towards the Christmas Hamper Appeal.



Aoife Power, Anna Shaw Hamilton and Thomas Shaw Hamilton, St. James School, Stradbally presenting €140 to Bridget Burke, President Dungarvan Lions Club for the Christmas Hamper Appeal. Included are Paddy Kennedy, Events Co-ordinator Dungarvan Lions Club and Orla O'Mahony, teacher.



Louise and Sarah Hodnett presenting a cheque for €526 on behalf of Modeligo NS to Bridget Burke, President Dungarvan Lions Club towards the Christmas Hamper Appeal.



Christine O'Dwyer, Principal with 6th Class pupils of Carriglea N.S. presenting money to Bridget Burke, President Dungarvan Lions Club towards the Christmas Hamper Appeal.



Joe Moynihan, Principal and Students of St. Augustine's College presenting money to Bridget Burke, President Dungarvan Lions Club towards the Christmas Hamper Appeal, proceeds of their recent Oklahoma Show. Included are Michael Brosnan and Paddy Kennedy, Dungarvan Lions Club.



THE Park Hotel

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JANUARY



David Casey
(Horse Racing)

Had a great run of form during January, clocking up nine winners including the Arkle Chase at Leopardstown.

FEBRUARY



John O'Shea
(Soccer)

For his outstanding performance when helping Manchester United in Carling Cup Final 4-0 victory over Wigan Athletic.

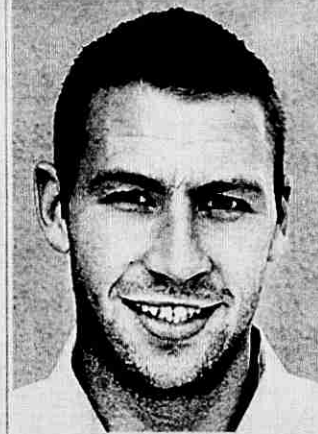
WATERFORD SUPREME SPORTS STAR 2006

The Park Hotel is offering readers the opportunity to win a VIP weekend for two in the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis or Imperial Hotel, Cork. There is also a runners-up prize of dinner for two in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan.

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On Saturday, January 20th, a Gala Banquet with Des Cahill, R.T.E., as M.C., will be held in the Park Hotel where the winner will be announced. So fill in the coupon straight away and you could be one of the lucky winners!

JULY



Dan Shanahan
(Hurling)

For a brilliant performance against Tipperary in the All-Ireland hurling quarter final, during which he scored 1-5 from play.

AUGUST



Peter Moloney
(Show Jumping)

Member of the Irish Nations Cup team, and top young rider at the RDS, also had a big win at the Cavan International Horseshow.

PHOTOS BY SEAN BYRNE

MARCH



Michael Walsh
(Hurling)

His inspirational midfield display made an enormous contribution to W.I.T.'s Fitzgibbon Cup victory over U.C.D.

APRIL



Ciara Grant
(Ladies Soccer)

Played a leading role in Arsenal's third successive League title and also helped them to win the F.A. Women's Cup Final.

MAY



Ciaran Power
(Cycling)

Won two stages of the FBD Insurance Ras Tour of Ireland, took the King of the Mountains title and brought home the Polka Dot jersey.

JUNE



Tom Queally
(Horse Racing)

During the month had eleven winners, including three doubles, two of those coming on consecutive evenings at Ripon and Redcar.

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SEPTEMBER



Mairead Deevy
(Athletics)

Mairead was an inspirational captain leading Ferrybank A.C. to victory in the European Champions Clubs Cup for Juniors.

OCTOBER



Anthony Condon
(Show Jumping)

Finished runner-up in the World Foxhunter Championship for Young Horses, which took place in the NEC Arena, Birmingham.

NOVEMBER



Stephen Hunt
(Soccer)

Gave whole-hearted displays in newly promoted Readings four straight wins in the Premiership, getting Man-of-the-Match award against Charlton.

DECEMBER



Maurice O'Gorman
(Gaelic Football)

Outstanding in the Munster Club semi-final and final at corner-back. Received man-of-the-match award from TG4 in the final.

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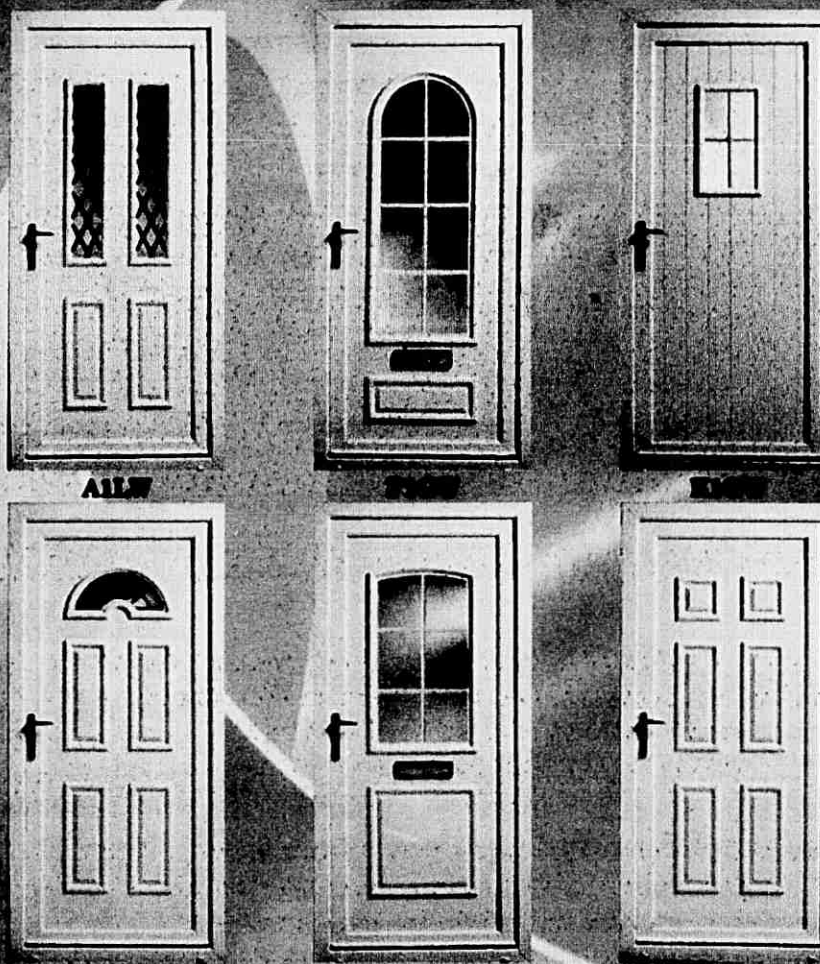
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350,000 euro which will be raised through Development Contributions.

TOWN HALL

Work on the Town Hall, for the development of a theatre and the restoration of the building, which is currently in a dilapidated state, has gone to tender, and the council hope work will get underway in two to three months time.

The museum, which is housed on the ground floor of the Town Hall will be relocated on a temporary basis. Office space to house the exhibitions is currently being sought. Mr. O'Flaherty also said the supporting columns - prohibited for display areas - will be removed during the renovation works.

The work will cost 750,000 euro this year and a further 500,000 euro next year, with funding coming from access funds and from the council's own resources.

GRATTAN SQUARE

Historic Grattan Square, celebrating its 200th birthday this year, is also expected to get a facelift under the Capital Plan.

Consultations were carried out with traders in the Square, and officials from the council hope to discuss the designs with a representative body of traders in the next week. If a design can be agreed, it's expected to bring the plans before the elected members at the February meeting.

Funding of 2.3 million for the project will come from Urban and Village Renewal and the council's own resources although Town Manager, Denis McCarthy warned that the council will have to ensure that value for money is attained for the project.

LOOKOUT

A further quarter of a million euro will be spent this year, on landscaping of car park at the Lookout. The council hopes to have the project - which includes the

opening out of a view onto Dungarvan harbour, a clearer definition of the parking spaces, seating and lighting - finished by the summer tourism season. The new landscaped car park will enhance the

castle, Mr. O'Flaherty said, and reduce the number of car parking spaces to 36. To offset this loss, the council are attempting to purchase an area of land behind the Moorings Bar for a new car park.

Waste Land To Be Transformed Into New Town Park

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Seating, lighting and planting would be put in place around the well on the upper level with steps down to the lower walled pond and a paved area below. The existing well wall would be maintained and upgraded if required.

LANDSCAPED

A buffer of trees would also ring the Sluicin and a 2.4m wide continuous loop of paved path around the attenuation pond would be provided. A railed off timber boardwalk, extending over the water would be developed on the far side, again with a landscaped buffer of trees and lights behind.

The plans would mainly focus on the attenuation of water, which was part of the overall planning permission granted for the new Shopping Centre.

IMPORTANT INFRASTRUCTURE

Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty said dealing with surface water and flooding in and around the shopping centre site is "very important."

He said the water, which is currently very unattractive, will be clearer and cleaner once the development is completed. St. Brigid's Well will be enhanced to make it the main feature of the park.

However, Labour councillor, Billy Kyne said that there is a fine line between more accessibility and creating a hazard - a view echoed by a number of other members who wished to ensure that the water feature is as safe for the public as possible.

BALANCE

Mr. O'Flaherty said safety was one of the aspects they looked carefully at. But it was difficult to find a complete balance between having the water cordoned off and creating a landscaped view.

"It's a hard one to call," he admitted. Cllr. Kyne suggested putting some lock bollards in place, while his party colleague Cllr. Fiachra O Ceilleachair warned of the danger of children running down the area from the roadside where the water is exposed. He said according to the drawings the water appeared to be around 6 to 8ft at full volume, and he asked about the possibility of putting railings in place.

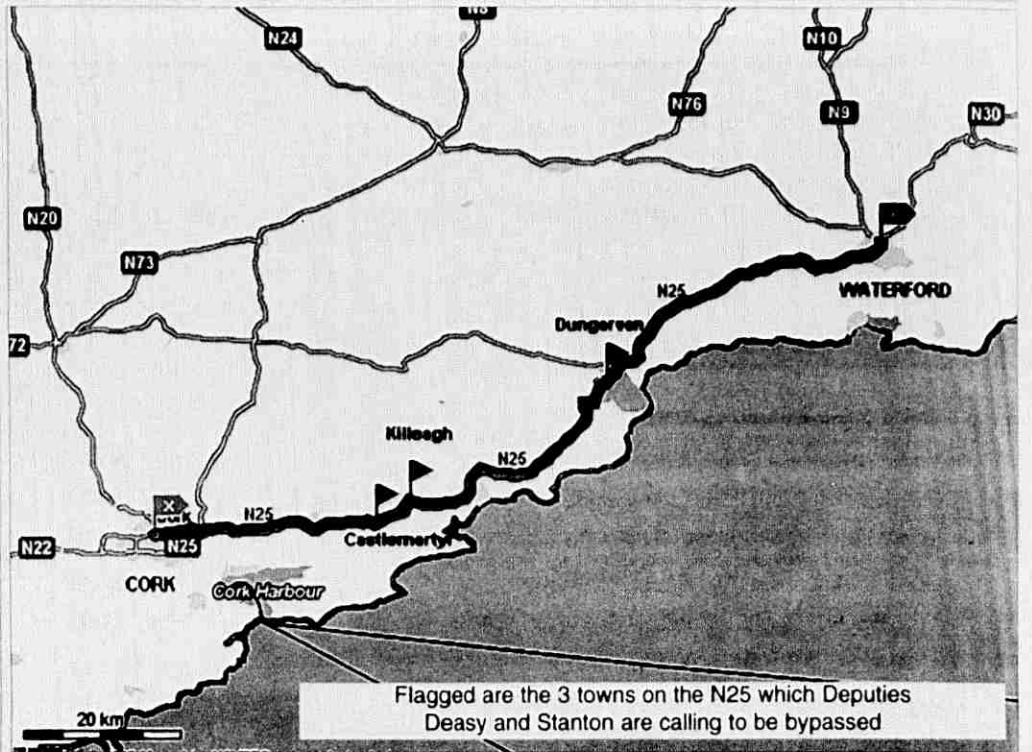
RAILINGS

Mr. O'Flaherty said timber railings are in place at the road at the moment, and these may be left there to ensure children do not run down the bank.

Sinn Fein councillor, Brendan Mansfield welcomed the fact that something was being done with the surface water. He said established buildings in the area were being flooded and with milder wetter winters more likely due to climate change this would be a regular problem if something was not done.

Fine Gael councillor, Damien Geoghegan said it would make a welcome addition to an area planned to have a number of commercial and industrial buildings nearby.

"It will also be a good addition to what we already have in terms of public parks alongside the old Dungarvan Park and Walton's Park. And it will be a nice addition to that part of town," he said.



Flagged are the 3 towns on the N25 which Deputies Deasy and Stanton are calling to be bypassed

Deasy Calls For Dungarvan Bypass To Be Expedited

By Kevin Korrane

Fine Gael Deputies John Deasy and David Stanton (East Cork) are proposing that the NRA should consider one construction contract for the bypassing of Dungarvan, Killeagh and Castlemartyr on the N25. These three towns are the last remaining urban areas not bypassed on the Waterford to Cork route.

At a press conference close to Youghal, Deputy Deasy said, "As it is the N25 is a very good road. The Youghal bypass has made a huge difference to the driving time between Cork and Waterford."

"The improvements at Kinsalebeg have also helped. We are of the opinion that with three additional bypasses of Dungarvan, Killeagh and Castlemartyr, the N25 would constitute the finest piece of road infrastructure in the south of Ireland."

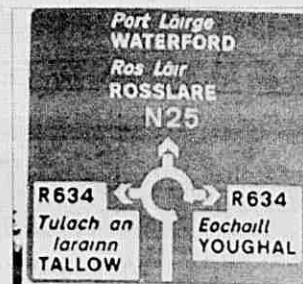
"Prioritising these locations and expediting the Dungarvan bypass makes economic sense for the region. In the case of Dungarvan town, for example, cutting up to 10 minutes off the journey time to Cork would be of significant economic benefit by attracting more interest in the local property and commercial markets," said Deputy Deasy.

He also noted that at present, the AA route planner estimates the driving time between Waterford and Cork at 1 hr 27 minutes.

"We believe that a reduction in

the driving time of between 15 to 20 minutes could be achieved with the changes we are proposing. We also believe that the most reasonable way to approach this would be for the NRA to tender for a single N25 road construction contract in conjunction with both Cork and

Waterford County Council's." Deputy Stanton said that if Killeagh and Castlemartyr were bypassed, Youghal town would also benefit by making it easier to travel from Youghal to Cork Airport and to the industrial area in Little Island.



Fine Gael Deputies David Stanton and John Deasy at Rincrow Roundabout where they launched a campaign to expedite Dungarvan Bypass.



New Yoga Classes With Eily Henry



Tutor Eily Henry who is originally from London has recently moved to Stradbally in West Waterford. Within the next year she hopes to establish a small holistic centre at the old convent there which she is renovating.

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Standing Orders Suspended As Co. Pays Respect To Trawler Tragedy

BY KEVIN KIRRANE

Standing Orders of Dungarvan Town Council were suspended in respect of the suspected dead from the double trawler tragedy off the coast of Dunmore East.

Proposing the suspension in solidarity with the families of the missing fishermen, Sinn Fein councillor, Brendan Mansfield said the thoughts of the community and the council were with them and with those searching in atrocious conditions.

Labour councillor, Fiachra O Ceilleachair said as someone from a fishing community and aware of the dangers of the sea and the tragedies it can bring he wished to be associated with the comments.

A moments silence was observed in honour of the families and everyone involved in the tragedy.

Vigilance Needed Over Burning Of Household Waste

By Kevin Korrane

Fine Gael councillor, Damien Geoghegan urged Dungarvan Town Council to be vigilant over the Halloween period to stop householders using bonfires as an opportunity to burn household rubbish.

Cllr. Geoghegan, speaking at the recent Town Council estimates meeting, said he'd heard as number of reports of people storing up household waste for a long time, and then burning it in bonfires on Halloween night.

"We need to be vigilant and make sure this doesn't happen next time," he said. Meanwhile, a total of 2,300

householders have signed up for the council's waste service out of a total of 3,000 dwellings, according to Town Clerk, Joe O'Flaherty.

Some of those 700 households not signed up are holiday homes or are vacant, and its estimated the other 400 to 500 dwellers are contracting private operators.

The service is far from breaking even however, even with the annual charge of 130 euro introduced last year. Over 1.5 million euro will be spent on the council's environment programme but only 609,000 euro will be taken in this year.

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